

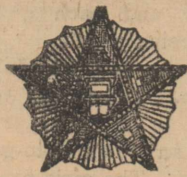


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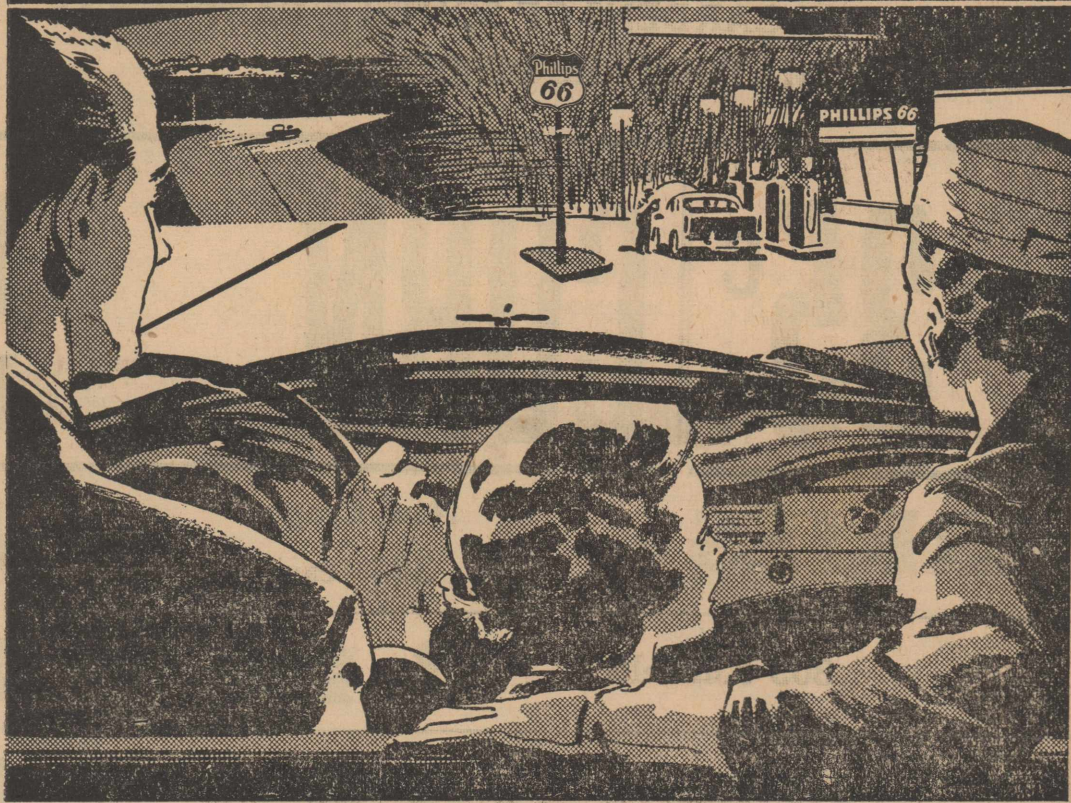
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## John Keith Huckaby To Marry Ohio Girl

Announcement is being made of the betrothal of Miss Sarah Ann Scott of Columbus, Ohio, and John Keith Huckaby, son of Mrs. C. M. Huckaby and the late Mr. Huckaby, of Rotan.

The couple plan a winter wedding. Miss Scott is the daughter of Mrs. Alfred Rowe, formerly of New York City and Allenhurst, N. J., and now of Columbus, Ohio, and of John Y. Scott of Harrisburg, Penn.

She attended Seiler School, Har-

risburg, and was graduated from Baldwin School, Bryn Mawr, Penn., and from Smith College. She studied at the University of Strasburg, in France, and is currently on the staff of Battelle Memorial Institute, Columbus, Ohio.

Huckaby was graduated from Rotan schools and from Baylor University. He received his M. A. from Columbia University. He also studied at Ohio State University, and at the University of Strasburg, in France, and at the University of Mainz, in Germany. He is doing work on his Doctor's degree at Baylor University this summer, and will

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join the faculty of Wake Forest College, Winston-Salem, North Carolina this fall.

Mrs. Sally Montgomery of Ft. Worth, spent several days here recently with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Kennedy. Mrs. Montgomery recently returned from a tour of Europe.

Mrs. Jay Hardy of Alva, Okla. recently visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Tilford Lear and other relatives.

# NEWS

\*\*\* County \*\*\*  
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Extension Service

Jams S. Norman, County  
Agricultural Agent

By now nearly everyone should have read or heard about the Fisher County 4-H Jr. Rodeo. The rodeo will be held at the Rodeo Arena in Roby, July 13 and 14 at 8 p. m.

The rodeo is AJRA approved this year and open to any boy or girl who is nineteen years of age or under.

A parade Friday, July 13, at 5 p. m. will start the two day rodeo. The following events will be held each night with different contestants participating. Calf Roping, jr. and senior divisions; Ribbon Roping, also two divisions; Bull Rding; Bareback Bronc Riding; and the following events for girls only: Barrel Race, Soda Pop Race, Saddle Race and Goat Tiedown.

All proceeds from the Junior Rodeo will go into the Fisher County 4-H Club Fund. This fund is used to pay the expenses of Fisher Co., club members taking part in various 4-H contests, on a district and state level and delegates to state 4-H round-up and various other 4-H activities.

The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has announced that planting seed for Blightmaster, a disease-tolerant, stormproof cotton and Crockett, new highest weight, early maturing, good quality, hard red winter wheat for Texas, will be available in 1957.

Available from the County Agents' office are publications, L-292, Blightmaster and L-288, Crockett which describe these new and improved crop varieties for Texas.

Tests indicate that Blightmaster will yield as much under blight-free conditions as other stormproof varieties now grown in Texas, and greater yields may be expected under heavy blight conditions. Staple length is 15-16 to one inch. It is adapted to stripper harvesting; is medium in maturity; semi-spreading in growth habit and is recommended for areas of the state where a stormproof variety is desired.

The new hard red winter wheat for Texas has good disease resistance, early maturity, high yields, high test weight and high milling qualities to its credit.

Crockett wheat is recommended for the Panhandle and South Plains wheat areas and also for the Rolling Plains and north-central Texas wheat areas. Individuals interested in producing certified seed of Crockett during the 1956-57 crop year may obtain foundation seed from the Foundation Seed Section, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, College Station, Texas.

Here is a bit of research information which may be an important factor in the production of good quality meat. There is some evidence from research with rabbits and in studies of sheep and beef cattle that tenderness in meat is an inherited quality, according to R. W. Snyder, extension meats specialist.

To produce more lean meat of good quality and tenderness, we need a better understanding of what makes tenderness and desirable flavor, says Snyder.

Enough research has been done to show there is no direct relation between tenderness in the meat and outside fat. But tenderness and flavor may be influenced by the particles of fat within the meat cells. It is also possible that there may be a relationship between tenderness and the size and elasticity of different muscle fibers.

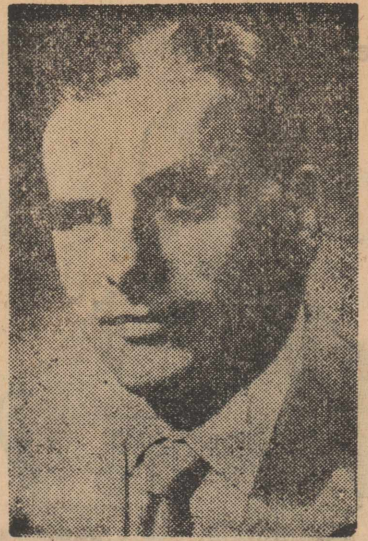
Once the chemical nature of tenderness and good flavor are clearly understood, it may become possible to add these qualities to any meat.

Following is a report from the Sweetwater Sears store area 1956 spring heavy litter contest. Six counties make up the Sweetwater store area: Stonewall, Kent, Mitchell, Nolan, Scurry and Fisher.

Two club members from Stonewall won first and second. Gerald Owens, Roby, placed third with a litter weight of 324 pounds, and will receive a \$20.00 check from Sears. Charles Bennett, Rotan, won fifth with a litter weight of 276 pounds and will receive a \$15 check. Don Ballenger, Roby, won fourteenth place and will receive \$4.

Only boys receiving gifts in the 4-H Sears pig program are eligible to compete in the heavy litter contest each spring. The pigs are weighed at 56 days of age at the time they

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are weaned. We are counting on a club member from Fisher County, for a first place heavy litter next spring.

The following Fisher County 4-H club members have calves on feed: Estel Jameson, Rotan, two milk fed, one will be entered in the Dallas Fair. James Beck, Sylvester, 1 dry lot. Judy Kemp, Roby, 2 dry lot. Wanda and Carolyn Herron, McCaulley, each is feeding a dry lot. Kerry Green, McCaulley, 1 dry lot. Orvel Hill, Jr., McCaulley, 3 dry lot. Ronnie Sheffield, Sweetwater, 1 milk fed. Ronnie caught a calf in the Houston calf scramble last year. He will show his calf at the 1957 Houston Fat Stock Show.

### Timely Tips

We now have two new publications, just released by the Texas Extension Service, which might be useful to dairymen and those who have some sheep or thinking about trying a few. These are: MP-167, Which Feed is the Best Buy? and B-827, Farm Sheep Production in

Texas. These can be picked up at the County Agents office.

Wool producers will get an incentive payment equal to 44.9% of the net proceeds of the wool they marketed during the 1955 marketing year, says A. B. Wooten, extension economist. Payments are now being made to wool producers through county ASC offices.

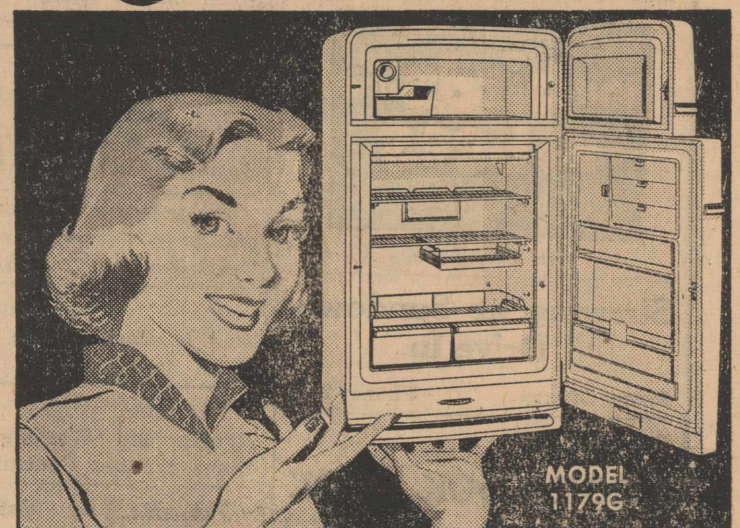
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arnold and sons, Johnny and Robert of Paducah visited her mother and sister, Mrs. Ed Harris and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Snapp recently. Johnny stayed to visit this week.

## ROBY

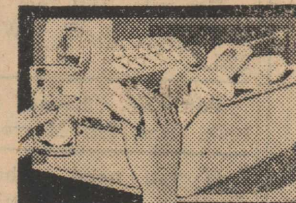


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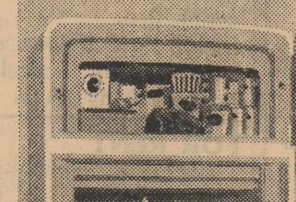
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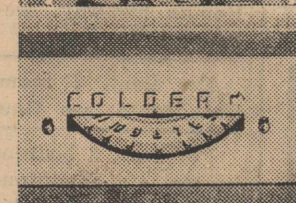
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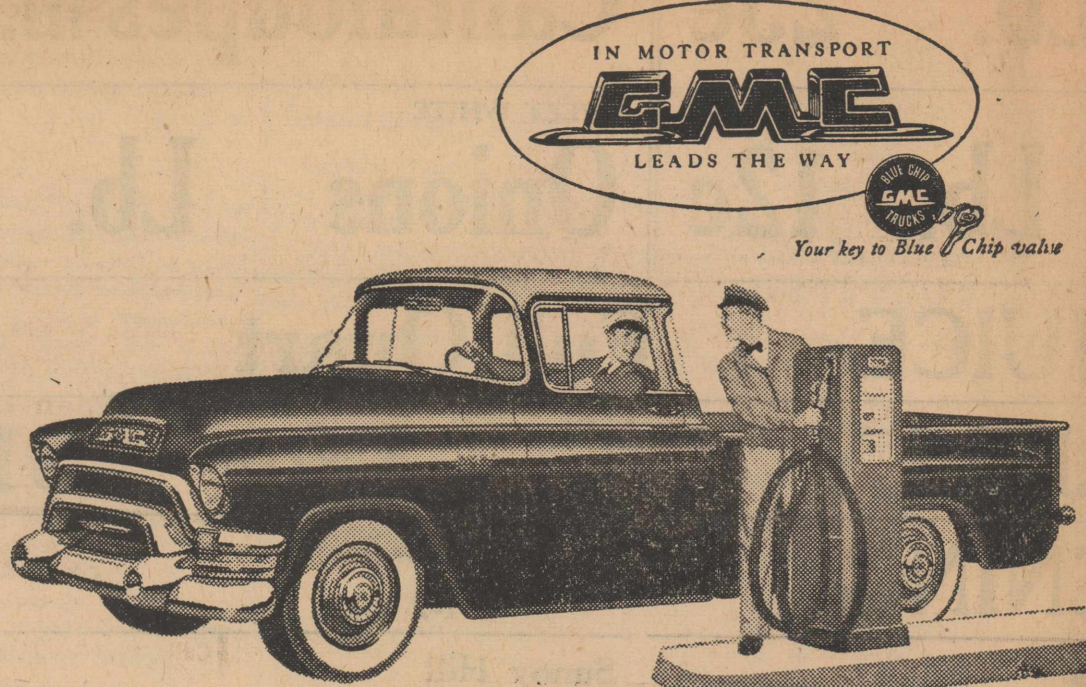
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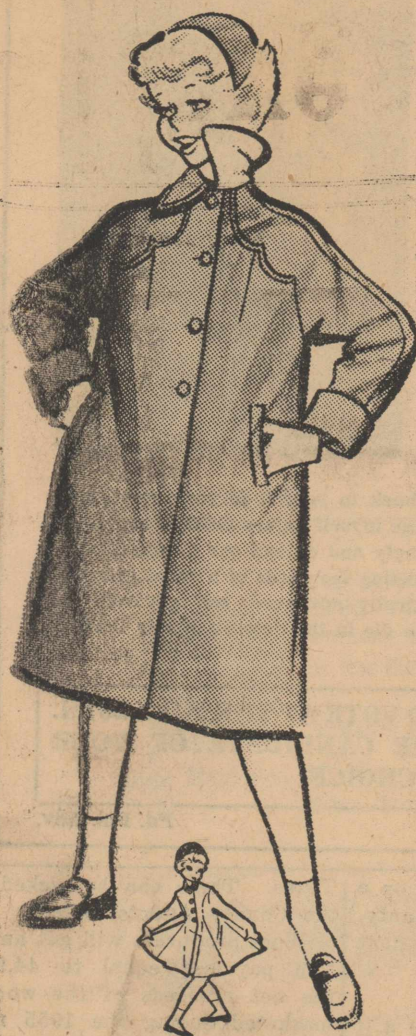
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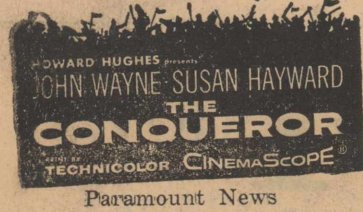
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Warner News

**Martha Holland Honored At Two Parties**

Two affairs, hosted in Rotan last weekend, honored Marha Holland of Monahans, niece of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smith.

Miss Holland, daughter of Lan Holland of McAllen, is bride-elect of James Hoyt Conine, Jr., of Midland. Wedding of the two is planned for July 21, in the First Methodist Church in Monahans, where a sister, Mrs. William D. Parker, lives.

Miss Parker is graduate of Baylor University, and has been teaching in the Midland schools. Her fiance is son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Conine of Midland, and is graduate of Texas Technological College, Lubbock. He is a petroleum engineer, living in Midland.

The first affair that honored Miss Holland was a seated tea, hosted in the home of Mrs. Preston Morrow last Friday at 4:00 p. m. Hostesses with Mrs. Morrow were Mes. Roger Smith, Lance Davis and Lena Patterson, assisted by Judith Morrow and Beverly Smith.

Mrs. Morrow greeted guests, and presented the honoree; her aunt, Mrs. Smith; and her sister and niece Mrs. Parker and daughter, Martha Ann.

Guests were registered by Judith Morrow, and music was by Beverly Smith. Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Patterson presided at the tea table, which was laid with chartreuse nylon net cloth, banded with gold braid. Centerpiece was long stemmed yellow roses in footed silver bowl, complemented by yellow tapers in silver holders.

Mrs. Roger Smith was in charge of clever presentation of wrapped gifts. The honoree was seated by a miniature, gilded oil rig, which "came in a gusher" of bridal gifts. She also was presented a gift from the hostesses.

For "bonus," Miss Holland was presented a handful of "oil leases"—a favorite recipe of each guest present.

The second affair that honored Miss Holland was a brunch, hosted Saturday morning from 9:30 to 11:00, in the home of Mrs. Bob Williams. Mrs. Ewell Jenkins assisted Mrs. Williams.

Guests dined at foursome tables, with miniature nosegays as plate favors. Each guest monogrammed a tea towel, which was presented to the honoree. A gift in linen was presented by the hosting two.

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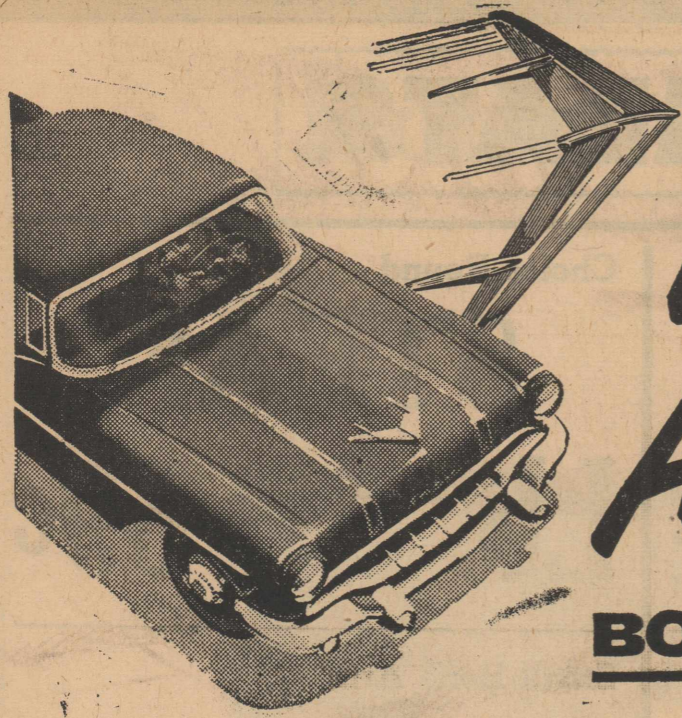
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Miss Vera Cozart of Abilene, visited her sisters, Mrs. Perry Eaton and Mrs. Mae Cury last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Phillips, Sharon and Donnie returned Sunday from a week's visit with relatives in Uvalde.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvis N. Hinson of Sweetwater, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Parke Sunday.

**Mrs. John Leach Honored With Gift Tea**

A gift tea, hosted in the home of Mrs. C. M. Huckaby, honored Mrs. John A. Leach, the former Wilda Ruth Ogden.

Hostesses with Mrs. Huckaby were, Meses. O. S. Kiker, Lucy Smith, Dono Darden, Joe Kiker, Hal Burrow, Ima Cleveland, Clifton Thomas, Winslow McSpadden, John D. Mercer, Archie Rivers, Matie Key, Hugh Huckaby, W. D. Waldon, and Misses Fay McSpadden, Jetta Cleveland, Lula McBeth, Patsy Ashton, Ava Welcher, and Lena Pursley.

The door was opened by Mrs. Huckaby, who presented the honoree and her aunt, Mrs. Hugh Berry of Spur. Presiding at the bridal registry was Miss Cleveland and Miss Welcher.

At the tea services were Mrs. Joe Kiker, Miss Pursley, Mrs. Rivers and Miss McSpadden.

Dining table was laid with lace cloth over red, and centered with red carnations and fern in brass epergne. Red candles completed the arrangement. Yard flowers and potted plants were in the two gift display rooms.

Music during calling hours was arranged by Mrs. Ed Harris. Featured in vocals and piano selections were Mrs. Charles Park, Marguerite Snapp, Mignon Gruben, Frances Wicker and Carolyn Ratliff.

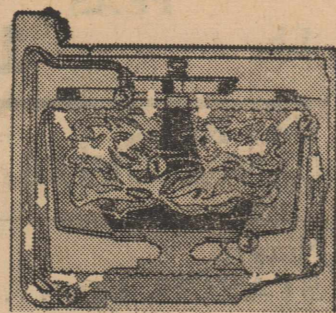
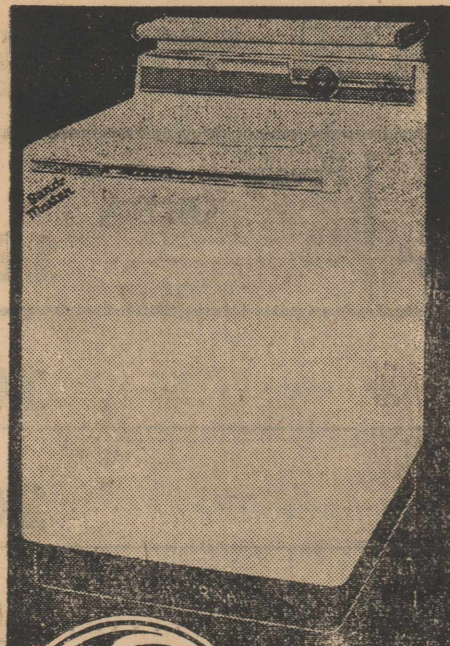
Guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Gruben Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Al Turner San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Gruben, Mike and Vickie, McCaulley, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gruben and Mignon, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Park, Rotan. The couples played 84. Coffee and cookies were served.

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HOME FREEZE, 1-2 gallon . . . . .	49c
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BISCUITS, 2 cans . . . . .	25c
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CANTALOUPE, lb. . . . .	8c
FRESH PEACHES, lb. . . . .	20c
FOLGERS COFFEE, lb. . . . .	98c
VEGETOLE SHORTENING 3 lb can	83c
Best Maid Salad Dressing, qt. . . . .	39c
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SWEET POTATOES, No. 2 1-2 can . . . . .	25c
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APRICOTS-PEACHES, gallon . . . . .	98c
PINEAPPLE JUICE, 46 oz. can . . . . .	33c
WHOLE OPRICOTS, No. 2 1-2 can . . . . .	25c
Robin Hood FLOUR, 10 lb.	89; 25 lb \$1 89
FRESH FRYERS, lb. . . . .	43c
SALT BACON, lb. . . . .	19c
OLEO, lb. . . . .	19c
CHUCK ROAST, lb. . . . .	39c

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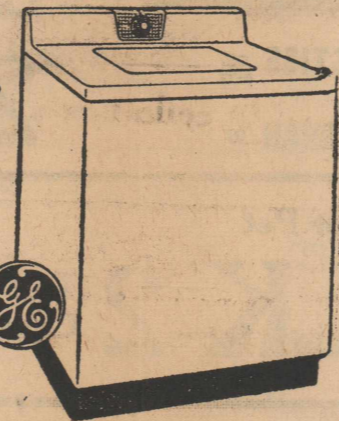
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**Carol Stephens Attends National FHA Con.**

CHICAGO, July 6 - Carol Stephens 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stephens of 711 N. Cleveland, Rotan, Texas is among the 2,000 teen age delegates attending the 1956 National Convention of Future Homemakers of America here. Future Homemakers of America is the national organization of pupils studying homemaking in junior and senior high schools in the U. S.

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and Territories. Carol is a Junior at Rotan High School. She has been an FHA member for 2 years. The five day Convention opened here Monday, July 1. General sessions and smaller work sessions are related to finding ways FHA'ers can work together and as individuals to improve their homes, FHA chapters, schools and communities.

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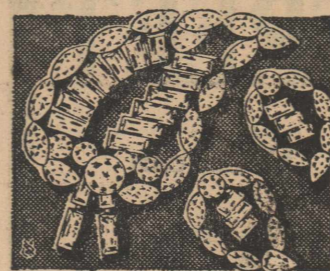
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**FRANKS** 3 Pound Bag 89c

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**CHEESE**  
Lb. - 49c

Fully Cooked Picnic

**HAMS**  
Lb. - 39c

*Finest Quality* **MEATS**

Choice Loin

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Lb. 65c

Choice Round

**STEAK**

Lb. 69c

Choice Chuck

**ROAST**

Lb. 35c

Small Bone Arm

**Roast**

Lb. 49c

Lean Ground

**MEAT**

Lb. 29c

Lean

**BEEF RIBS**

Lb. 19c

Armours Vienna SAUSAGE, 3 cans ..... 55c

Ritz CRACKERS, large box ..... 35c

Libbys Pink SALMON, flat can ..... 39c

Zestee Red Plum PRESERVES, 20 oz. jar ..... 29c

Assorted JELLO, 3 for ..... 25c

Franco-American SPAGHETTI, can ..... 15c

Scot TOWELS, roll ..... 19c

Scot TISSUE, 2 rolls ..... 25c

Pard DOG FOOD, 3 cans ..... 39c

Fly SWATTERS, 3 for ..... 25c

Spears Cider VINEGAR, pint ..... 16c

Gulf Fly SPRAY, quart can ..... 59c

Carnation POWDERED <b>MILK</b> 3 Qt. Size <b>31c</b>	Armours <b>TREET</b> 12 oz. can <b>37c</b>
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Snowdrift

**SHORTENING**

3 lb. Pail **89c**

Admiration

**COFFEE** Pound can 99c

Maryland Club

**COFFEE** Pound Can 99c

Sun Maid

**RAISINS** 2 Pound bag 39c

HPC Orange

**DRINK** 46 Oz. Can 29c

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**JUICE** 46 oz. Can 25c

Ice Cream

**SALT** 10 Pound Sack 35c



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**GREEN BEANS** Lb. 19c

Home Grown PEAS

Lb. 15c

Fresh

OKRA

Lb. 19c

Vine Ripe

**CANTALOUPE**, lb. 10c

Niagra

**STARCH**, box 20c

Dried

**APPLES**, 8 oz. bag 25c

Brown Beauty

**SPANISH RICE**, 300 can 19c

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**SARDINES**, can 10c

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**CAN DRINKS**  
6 cans ..... 49c

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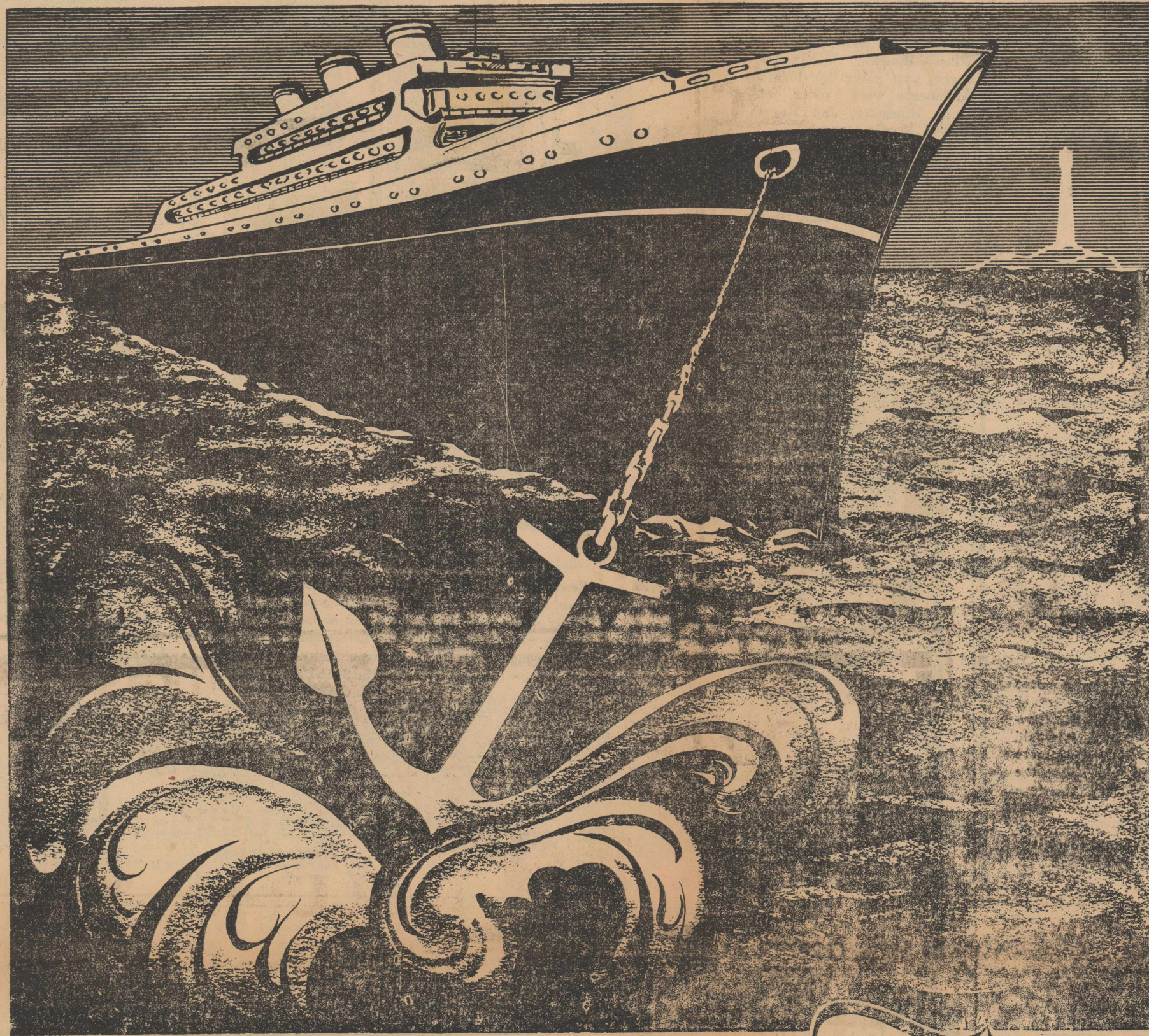
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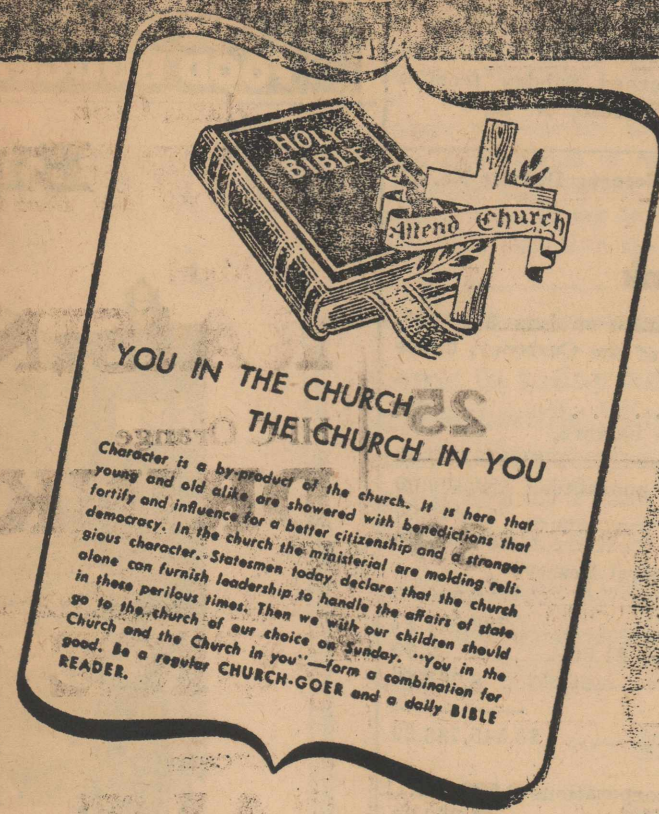
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Do you have an anchor? Ships without anchors will drift. *People without anchors will drift too.* Do you know where to drop your anchor? Can you say, "My heart is fixed trusting in the Lord?" Psalms 112:7. Are you an anchor holding family and friends together? Is your anchor imbedded deeply in truth and righteousness? Phil. 1:28.

**EVERY MAN** must answer to God and to his own conscience. *The sins we do by two and two; we must answer for one by one.* If God holds your soul, your feet will never be moved, Psalms 66:9. Do right though the Heavens fall. Be true even if all others are false. The Church, the Bible and daily prayer are sure anchors for every man.



Character is a by-product of the church. It is here that young and old alike are showered with benedictions that fertilize and influence for a better citizenship and a stronger democracy. In the church the ministerial are molding religious character. Statesmen today declare that the church alone can furnish leadership to handle the affairs of state in these perilous times. Then we with our children should go to the church of our choice on Sunday. "You in the Church and the Church in you"—form a combination for good. Be a regular CHURCH-GOER and a daily BIBLE READER.

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G. M. Rogers Pastor, Snyder  
rt. 2, phone 33016

**Sunday**  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship  
7:30 p. m. Training Union  
8:30 p. m. Evening Worship

**Wednesday**  
7:30 p. m. Hour of Prayer  
Revival August 10 thru 19th

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. J. E. Perryman, Jr. Pastor

#### SUNDAY

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Nazarene Young Peoples  
Society, 7:30 p. m.

Evangelistic Service, 8:00 p. m.

#### WEDNESDAY

Prayer and Praise  
Service, 8:00 p. m.

### LITTLE ZION BAPTIST

#### CHURCH (colored)

G. W. Henry, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Service, 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST (colored)

10:00 a. m. Sunday School  
11:00 a. m. Bible Class  
7:30 p. m. Preaching

### CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST (colored)

Sunday school, 10 o'clock.  
Preaching, 11:45.  
and workers at 6:30.  
Night services, preaching at 8:45.  
Pastor, Elder S. W. Williams, of  
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### HILLCREST BAPTIST CHURCH

J. Dale Martin, Pastor  
corner of Elizabeth & McArthur  
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching Service, 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union, 7:00 p. m.  
Evening Preaching, 8:00 p. m.  
Mid-week Service Wed. 8:00 p. m.  
Fellowship Night, Fri. 8:00 p. m.

### NORTH ROBY BAPTIST CHURCH

Midway between Rotan & Roby  
Gene Y. Brock, Pastor  
Sunday  
Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.  
Training Union, 7 p. m.  
Preaching 7:30 p. m. Sunday.  
Prayer Meeting 7:30 Wednesday

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

902, Cleveland  
Rev. Fred Robertson, Pastor  
Sunday School — 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship — 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship — 7:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting — 7:30 p. m.  
Thursday.

### HIGHLAND HOME BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Philip Goodrum, pastor  
(4 miles N. E. of City)  
Order of services

#### Sunday

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Worship Services 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union 7:00 p. m.  
Worship Services 8:00 p. m.

#### Monday

Brotherhood Meeting Monday after  
1st Sunday of each month  
8:00 p. m.

#### Tuesday

W. M. S. Meets First and third Tues-  
days 1:30 p. m.

#### Wednesday

Bible Study 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting 8:00 p. m.  
S. S. Officers & Teachers meet-  
ing 8:40 p. m.

### ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Father Stanley  
Sunday morning Mass 8 and 10 a. m.  
Weekday Mass 7:30 a. m.

### CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH

Virgil Smith, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union, 7:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 p. m.  
with officers and teachers meeting  
following.

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

209 McKinley  
J. Alvis Cooley, Pastor  
Sunday Services  
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship—10:50 a. m.  
Intermediate and Senior MYF 6:00  
Evening Worship—7:00 p. m.  
Wednesday services  
Prayer services—7:15 a. m. and  
10:00 a. m.  
WCS—Each Monday at 3:00 p. m.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

305 McKinley  
Otta Johnson, Minister

#### Sunday

9:45 a. m.—Bible Study period.  
Classes for all ages.  
10:45 a. m.—Worship Service, Ser-  
mon, and Communion.  
6 p. m.—Young People's Training  
Class and Teacher training  
class.

7:00 p. m.—Evening Worship ser-  
vice and sermon.

#### Monday

9:00 a. m.—Ladies Bible Class.

#### Wednesday

7:30 p. m.—Bible Study and sing-  
ing.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

McKinley at Mead  
Lawrence Hayes, Pastor

#### Sunday

9:45 a. m. Sunday School  
10:50 a. m. Morning Worship  
6:00 p. m. Training Union  
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship

#### Monday

8:00 p. m. WMU and Sunbeams

#### Wednesday

7:00 p. m. Officers and Teacher's  
meeting and Y. W. A.  
8:00 p. m. Hour of prayer

### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. H. Williams, pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Training Union, 7:00 p. m.  
Evening Worship, 8:00 p. m.  
Church Visitation, Wednesday,  
7:00 p. m.  
Prayer Service, Wednesday, 8:00  
p. m.

# Dan Kralis

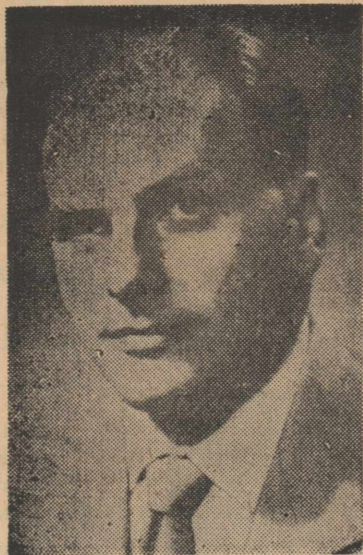
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- Top tax limit of 10% to 22 1-2% on income
- Final abolishment

With a sales tax exempting food and rent the rich would pay proportionately much more than the poor. You can only spend so much on food and rent, which is not taxed, but the rich spend on many things that would be taxed. They would pay taxes according to how much they spend. It would be possible for the people earning \$4,000 or less to get off with paying almost no Federal taxes at all if they confined themselves to the necessities of life.

Some will still say, "But the rich, who can best afford it, should pay most of the taxes." Under our present system, however, the rich do NOT pay most of the taxes. People earning \$6,000 a year or less pay \$22,000,000,000 of the \$30,000,000,000 or so collected annually in income taxes. The surtax rates above the basic rate in our progressive system bring in only \$4,700,000,000 a year. If everybody paid the same rate today as the lowest, we would lose only enough revenue to carry on the government for three or four weeks. And the chances are, as history proves, that the incentives to earn more and risk more and invest more of ending surtax rates would more than make up this difference in increased taxes on increased incomes.

The progressive income tax, as it works in this country and everywhere else, discriminates against the great middle income group of people more than anybody else. They pay the bulk of the taxes. They get the least in return for their taxes. They are the "forgotten men" of our time.

Karl Marx knew what he was doing. He knew that an unlimited progressive income tax would gradually increase the power of government and decrease the ability of the people to resist government confiscation of their property. He knew that it would make it easy for the government to spend more and seize more authority to regulate the lives of the people. He knew that the surest path to Communism was such a tax. It's time the American people learned that.

The working man is paying most of the taxes. You are giving your hard earned money away to our politicians with no strings attached. Stop this by choosing representatives to represent you, the people, in Washington.

Sara Scroggins of Lubbock, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold King and Sue came home Sunday from Pittsburg, where they had spent a week with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Vachel Anderson of Post, visited his sister, Mrs. E. H. Shelton and Mr. Shelton Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clifton and son Bob returned Sunday from a vacation in Ruidoso, N. M.

Charter No. 8693

Reserve District No. 31

Report of condition of the

### The First National Bank

of Rotan in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1956, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under section 5211, U. S. revised statutes

#### ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,115,910.52
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	584,100.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	11,400.00
Other bonds, notes and debentures	100,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including no overdrafts)	1,722,667.17
Bank premises, owned \$1.00, furniture and fixtures \$1.00	2.00
Other assets	5,703.60
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$3,545,783.29</b>

#### LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,522,429.11
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	71,350.00
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	24,677.86
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	579,213.12
Deposits of banks	25,000.00
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	4,399.36
<b>Total deposits</b>	<b>\$3,227,069.45</b>
Other liabilities	17,713.84
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$3,244,783.29</b>

#### CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital Stock: Class B preferred, total par none, retirable value 100,000.00	
Common Stock, total par	\$100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	92,500.00
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	8,500.00
<b>Total Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$301,000.00</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$3,545,783.29</b>

#### MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	618,100.00
Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of	8,500.00
Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof	914,482.47
Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations or portions thereof, which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed")	914,482.47

I, Floyd Clifton, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Floyd Clifton, Cashier.

Correct—Attest R. L. Springer, C. E. Leon, H. L. Davis.

State of Texas, County of Fisher, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5 day of July, 1956, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer of this bank.

H. T. Fillingim, Notary Public. My commission expires June 1, 1957.

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### Ann Fillingim Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Homer Fillingim entertained a group of children on the afternoon of June 29 in celebration of her daughter Ann's third birthday. Games were played and the tiered birthday cake, decorated with lollipops was served with ice cream and kool-aid.

Ann's guests were her brother T, Sue King, Sharon and Donnie Phillips, Kay Kennedy, Lou Ann Gooch Barbara and Darrell Nealy, Ruple Weems, Eugene McKinney, Joyce Rogers and going for birthday refreshments were older children, Perry Hunsaker, Jan Rogers and Dianne Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh S. Simmons and their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simmons and four children of Amarillo, and Mrs. Ann Graves and daughter Sue of Northridge, Calif. recently visited Mrs. Simmons' sister, Mrs. J. O. Kennedy and Mr. Kennedy. Another sister, Mrs. Roy Duckett and Mr. Duckett of Sweetwater, also visited them here.



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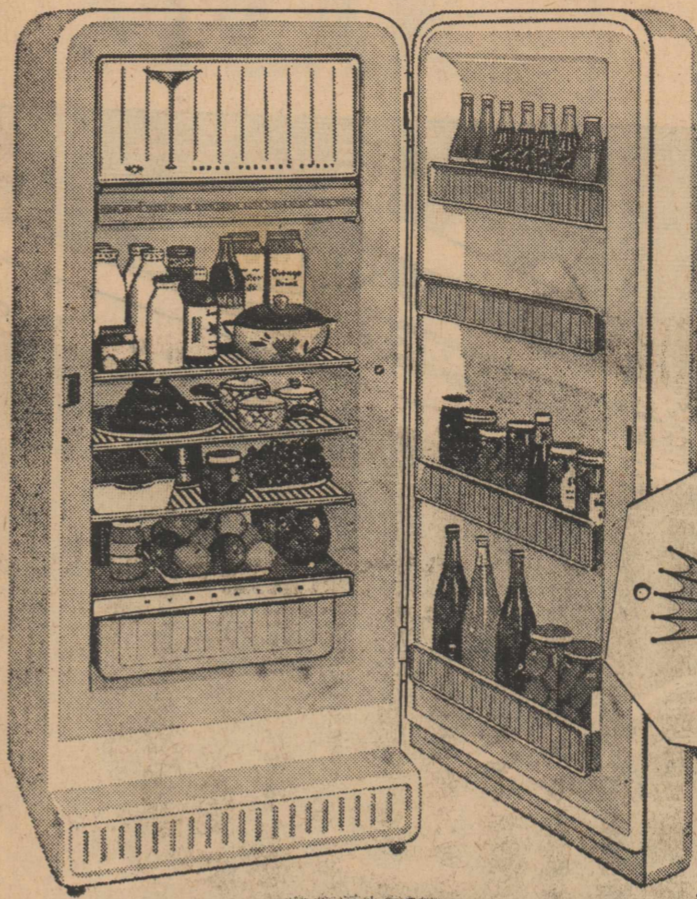
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### Ruby Rives Attending Summer Session WTSC

Canyon, July 10—Ruby Rives, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rives, Rt. 1, Rotan, is attending the

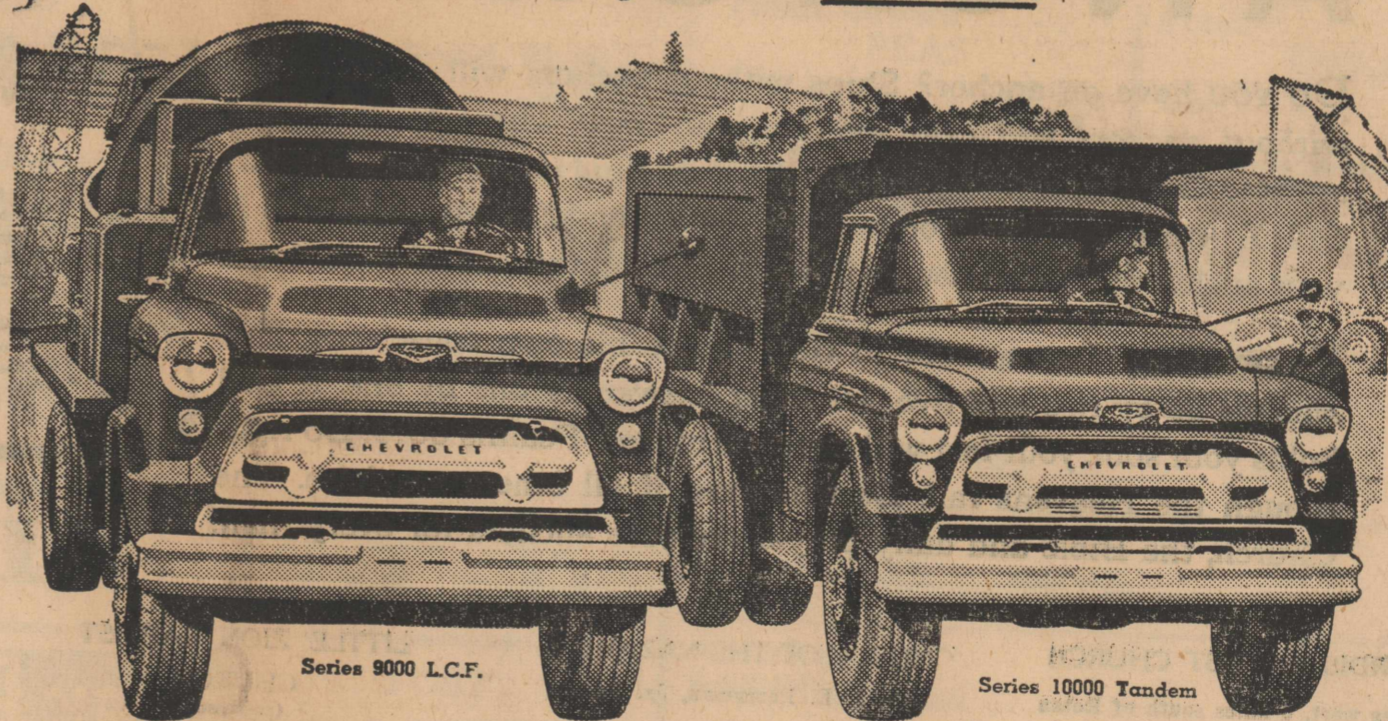
first summer term at West Texas State College, which closes July 114 and opens again for the second six weeks term on July 17.

About half of the 1100 students at WT are graduates working toward the masters degree, but sev-

eral are freshmen beginning college work for the first time. The summer session ends August 22 with commencement.

Miss Rives is a sophomore business major at WT. She graduated from Rotan High School in 1955.

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## Information On Gas Tax Refund Given

Abilene are farmers may obtain a refund of the Federal excise tax on gasoline which is used for farm-

ing purposes by filing a claim at any time after June 30 and before Oct. 1, 1956, A. E. Fogle, Jr., Administrative officer of the Abilene office, Internal Revenue Service announced recently.

Claims for the present Federal

Eddie and Sylvia, children of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Gruben, Kermit, have been visiting Patricia and Donald, children of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Gruben, for the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Gruben will arrive here Thursday, and return to Kermit after a few days visit.

tax rate of 2-cents a gallon are to be made on Form 2240 and should be filed with the U. S. Director of Internal Revenue for the farmer's district. Forms are available in Abilene at the Internal Revenue office, from county agricultural agents and at some banks and post offices.

Initial refund payments will concern gasoline purchased and used during the first six months of 1956 according to Mr. Fogle. Refunds will be limited to Federal tax on gasoline which is used by a farmer for farming purposes, in carrying on a trade or business, on a farm located in the U. S. A. A farmer may also request a refund of the tax on any gasoline which is used on his farm by a custom operator or a neighbor in connection with cultivating the soil, or raising or harvesting any agricultural or horticultural commodity.

Mr. Fogle cautions, "farmers expecting to file claims should keep ample records to enable Internal Revenue to verify accuracy of the amount claimed."

## Social Security Report Should Be Accurate

Employers, employees and self-employed persons should not overstate or understate income for social security purposes. That caution comes from R. R. Tuley, Jr., District Manager for the Abilene area for the Social Security Administration.

"Because of the increased benefits provided by the 1954 Amendments to the law, there could be a temptation to misrepresent earnings," Tuley said.

"For one thing, because larger wages or net profits could mean larger benefit payments, some people might be tempted to overstate their income in order to build up higher social security benefits. A self-employed person, for example, might want to omit allowable business expenses so that his net would be larger than the correct figure.

"On the other hand, someone already receiving benefits might be tempted to understate earnings so that receipt of such benefits might not be suspended. Anyone making false statement or misrepresenting a situation in with Federal old-age and survivors insurance (social security) is actually committing a crime punishable under Federal laws," Tuley added.

In some few cases recently, ac-

ording to records in the Abilene office, it was necessary to adjust income earnings figures as shown on tax returns and advise the Internal Revenue Service of the misstatements discovered. To avoid possible embarrassment in the future, persons making reports or returns of income or earnings for social security purposes should make every effort to be accurate.

## Yarborough Attending Summer Session HS-U

The first summer session at Hardin-Simmons University began June 4 and will extend through July 12. J. E. Yarborough, Jr. is a student from Rotan, doing graduate work at HS-U.

Besides numerous courses offered to undergraduate students, Hardin-Simmons University offers courses leading to graduate degrees summer band school, boys' activity school, driver education, girls' swimming school, piano clinic, recreation program, and a workshop in string methods at various times during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith of San Antonio, recently visited his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith here and also visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Smith, in Abilene.

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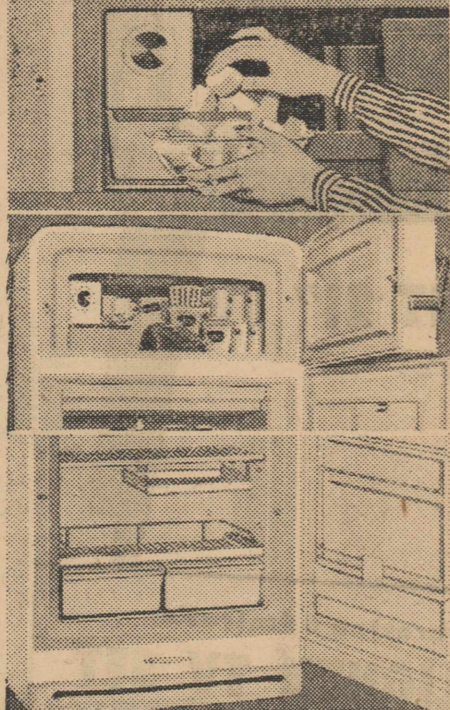
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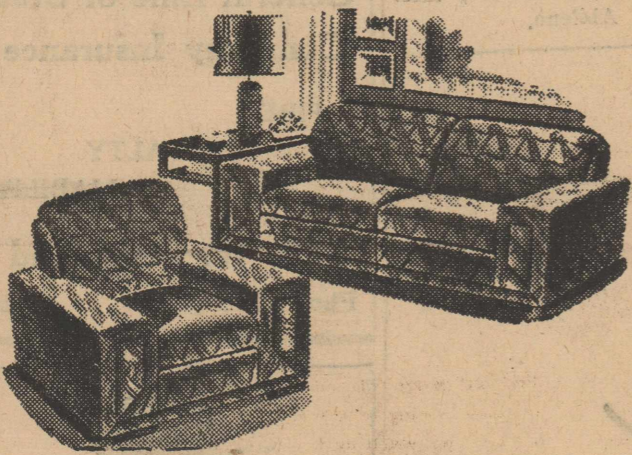
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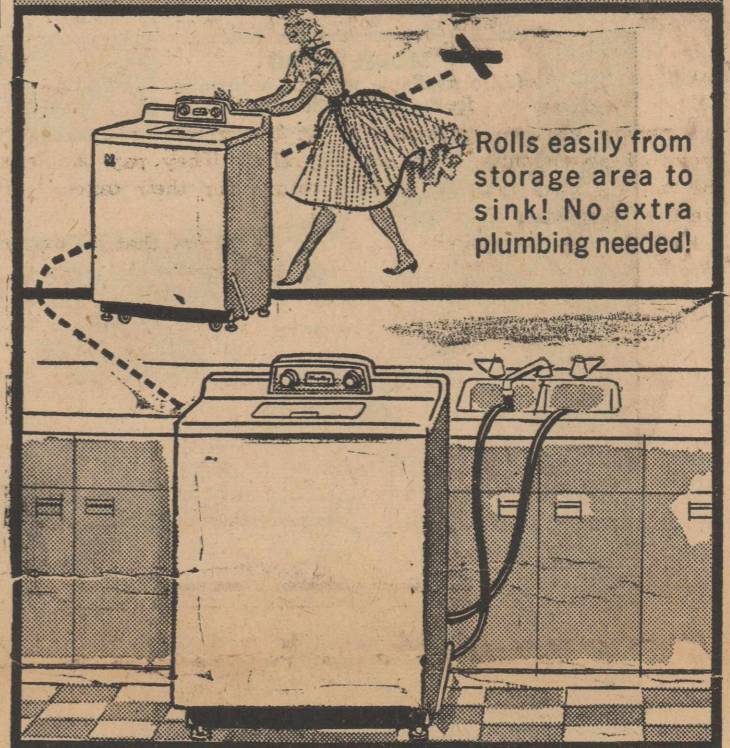


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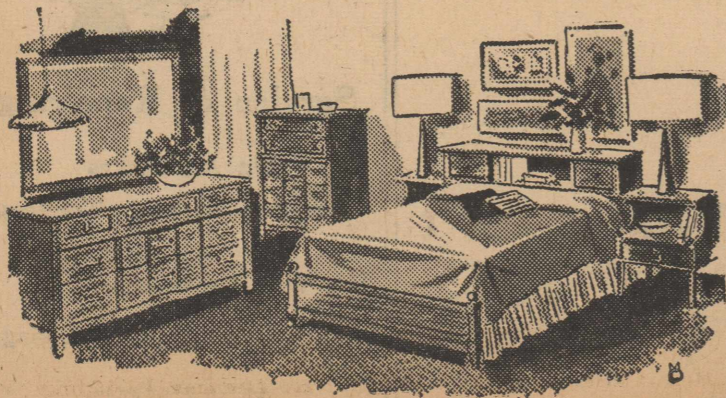
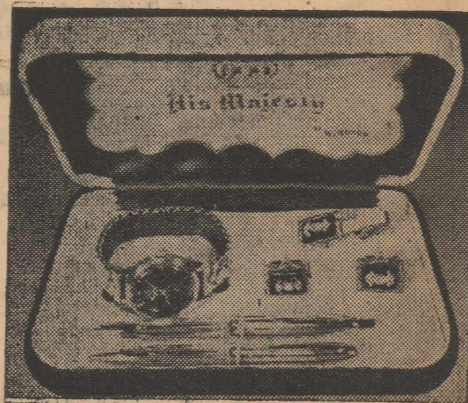
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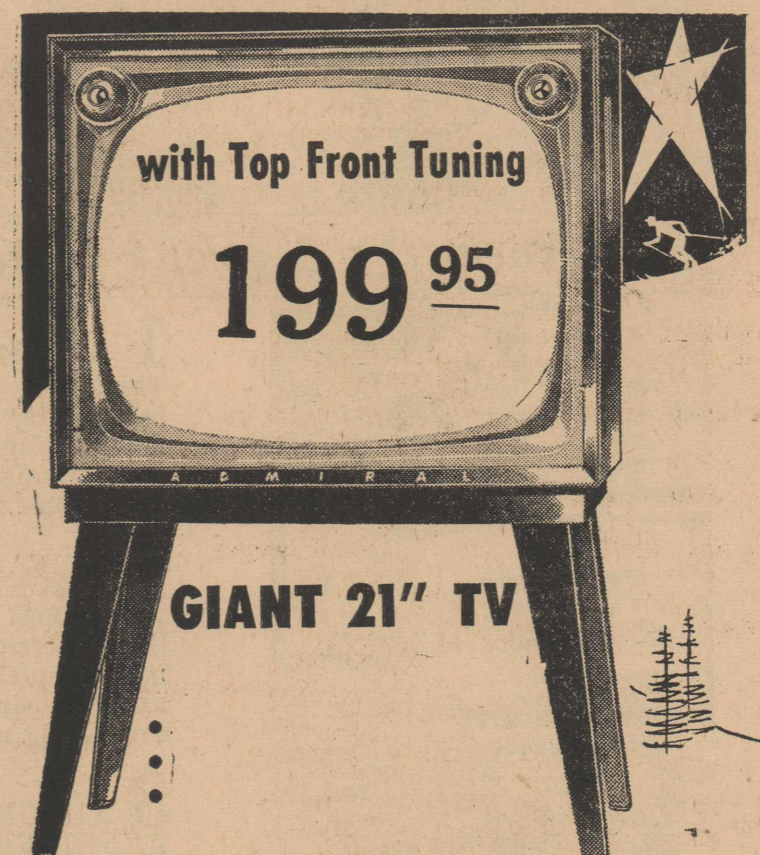
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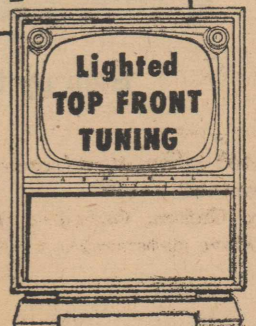
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