

Cub Scouts Enjoy Sweetwater Day Camp

H. L. Dycus, Cub Master reports a successful Cub Scout Day Camp at Sweetwater, July 24-26. He also expressed thanks to the Den Mothers who assisted.

Scouts attending were, Wayne Thompson, Tommy Thompson, Richard Ails, Edwin Gaylor, Jessie Marialis, Clyde McKinney, Joe Carrollo, Toney De Leon, Ronnie Gladson, Jerry Dycus, Billy Dycus, David Smith, Buddy Day, Steve Edwards, David Canfil, Freddy Ails, Eddie Edwards, Ronald Browning, Gary Strickland.

Den Mothers attending, Mmes. Eugene Gladson, J. C. Ails, A. W. Canfil, Bill Day and Browning.

Calvary Baptists Moving Into Building

Members of the Calvary Baptist Church are making final plans to move into the new educational building Sunday.

The new building is to be furnished mostly with new equipment, throughout.

Ladies from the church attending the WMU camp at Leuders last week were, Mmes. C. C. Carter, J. C. Flippo, Ty Harrison, R. L. Harrison, L. L. Ward, R. D. Haynes, J. A. Barnes, W. R. Boen, Hoy Starnes, Dorothy Carter and A. H. Williams.

The church and pastor extend to you a cordial invitation to worship with us Sunday.

HH Revival Opens August 10



REV. CHARLES R. SMITH

Highland Home Baptist Church invites everyone to attend the revival from August 10-19. Morning services at 10:00, evening services, prayer meeting 7:30, song service 8:00 followed by preaching.

Rev. Charles R. Smith, a former pastor of Highland Home will do the preaching.

Come, and bring a friend.

THANKS

Dear friends and supporters:

I wish to thank each and every one for your kindness to me in my recent campaign for Sheriff of Fisher County.

Majority rule is the foundation of our democracy. The majority has indicated its will that I am submissive.

With kindest regards to all, I am, Sincerely, R. L. Wilkins

Friends here have been advised of the recent illness of Mrs. D. C. Bradley of Childress. Mrs. Bradley has been in Baylor Hospital in Dallas, where she had major surgery. Mr. and Mrs. Bradley lived here several years ago.

Ms. Syl Tankersley and Jan of Roswell, N. M., visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burnes, recently.

DePriest School To Open August 13

According to E. S. Morgan, principal, DePriest High School of Hamlin is scheduled to begin its 1956-57 term August 13.

The early opening schedule has been practiced for a number of years in order to give the children some time to help their parents during the harvesting season.

Rotan colored high school students attend this school, being transported by bus.

Morgan says, "with the improvement in facilities and offerings, this is expected to be one of the best years in the school's history."

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dismore are in Littlefield visiting their sister Mrs. W. T. Gaston of Sudan. Mrs. Gaston was seriously injured in a car accident some ten days ago, and although improving, remains critical.

J. P. Phillips

THE ROTAN ADVANCE

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All County Officers Reelected Saturday

All county officers running for reelection last Saturday were re-elected.

The three referendums on the ballot carried by about 5 to 1.

In sheriff's race A. E. Rollans polled 1795 to R. L. Wilkins 873.

Howard House 1407; Robert Buck Jr., 1243 for tax assessor-collector.

In commissioner precinct 1 race, W. B. Owens polled 262; W. O. Stevens 104 and Melvin Thompson 93.

T. R. Underhill polled 702 against Joe Dismore 633 for reelection as commissioner precinct 3.

Owen Thomas, incumbent, district judge received 1483 votes to Malcolm Schulz 817.

In congressional race, Omar Burleson polled 1778; Dan Kralis, 630.

In the governor race, Ralph Yarborough lead the county with 884, closely trailed by O'Daniel 870. Price Daniel, 604; Haley 160; and Holmes 19.

County 4-H Boys Attend Annual Camp

Three Fisher County 4-H club members, Jamie Beck, Sylvester, Weldon Van Liew, Roby, and Gary Floyd, Rotan, attended the Extension Service District 3 Annual Encampment at Perkins Boy Scout Camp, Northwest of Wichita Falls, July 25, 26 and 27.

The boys district 4-H Camp is an informal type camp which is set up and planned by the district 3 boys 4-H Council. The agents from the 22 counties in the district serve as an advisory group. This gives the boys a chance to exhibit leadership by running their own encampment.

Program for the three days consisted of swimming, baseball and track and field events during the day. The night programs consisted of various demonstrations conducted by the club members themselves. An electric safety demonstration was conducted by Mr. John Waggoner, of the Texas Electric Company of Wichita Falls, the first night. The last evening a safety demonstration was conducted by a highway patrolman of the Wichita Falls district. Also movies were shown both nights along the lines of conservation, safety and recreation.

James G. Simmons, of Vernon, new District 3 agent, attended, although his appointment was not effective until August 1.

The local club members were accompanied by James L. Owens, associate agent, and James S. Norman, county agent.

IN APPRECIATION

To the voters of precinct 3, and citizens of Fisher County:

Allow us to humbly express my thanks and most sincere appreciation to each and all of you for the wonderful vote of confidence shown in the primary election last Saturday.

It is my desire to serve you impartially and to the utmost of my ability.

So again, to the friends and supporters of precinct 3 and in other parts of the county, we want to say "Thank You."

In all sincerity, T. R. (Ted) Underhill and family.

Ed Warren, his mother and aunt, Mrs. F. I. Bailey and Mrs. Ella West, all of Post, visited in the J. R. Strayhorn home Sunday. Mrs. Warren returned to her home with them. She had spent two weeks here with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Stroyhorn, and their mother, Mrs. A. R. Tyson, Sr.

Relatives here have learned that Stanley Nowlin and Jimmy Counts recently met in Germany. The soldiers did basic training together at Ft. Bliss and were separated after this. They reported their visit in Germany most enjoyable.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker visited her brother, Joe Johnson, in Lubbock Sunday.

Ross E. Smith, who is now employed by Texas Electric Service in Big Spring, visited his parents over the week end.

Olen Cleveland Dies In Tragic Fire At Dumas Sunday

Olen W. (Shine) Cleveland, 37, of Dumas, formerly of Rotan was one of 19 men killed Sunday in a refinery explosion and fire near Dumas.

The entire community was saddened Sunday morning when word came of the tragedy.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Cleveland of Rotan.

According to relatives living in Dumas, Cleveland was off duty from the plant Sunday, and at 7:15 a. m. was visiting in the home of a nephew Jay Edwards of Dumas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Edwards of Rotan. After the explosion at the Shamrock Oil & Gas Corp., a call went out for workers. He with the fire department arrived at the plant soon after the explosion.

Cleveland was taken to a hospital where he lived about one hour. Gerald Moore of Dumas, another plant employee, son of Mrs. L. Y. Moore of Rotan, was unhurt and went in a car that took Cleveland to the hospital.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Monday in First Baptist Church at Dumas. Graveside rites were held here at 10 a. m. Tuesday with interment in Belview cemetery. Weathersbee Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Officiating were Dr. Lawrence Hayes and Rev. J. Alvis Cooley.

Mr. Cleveland was born in Pleasant Valley, Aug. 3, 1918. He was a member of the Baptist church and held membership at Pleasant Valley. He served in Germany during World War II and with his family had lived in Dumas for several years. His wife, the former Alta Mae Hughes of Rotan, is a sister of Mrs. C. B. Waggoner.

Survivors include his wife and a daughter, Julia Ann, 13, of Dumas; his parents, one brother, Walter Cleveland of Rotan; four sisters, Mrs. Cecil Edwards, Rotan; Mrs. W. M. Williamson, Roby; Mrs. H. B. Lang or Iraan and Mrs. Harvey McGinnis of Dumas.

MANY, MANY THANKS

TO THE PEOPLE OF FISHER CO. I want to thank each and every one for your kindness to me in my recent campaign for Sheriff of Fisher County for the next four years.

And also in behalf of the employees of the Tax Collector's office and myself I sincerely thank each and everyone of you wholeheartedly for your cooperation in the operation of the Tax Collectors office.

And again, thank you, Howard A. House

Light Showers Over Most Of Area

Light showers fell over the area during the past week, but precipitation was not enough to benefit crops.

Thursday night light rain fell in scattered spots and Tuesday afternoon and night showers covered much of the area.

Beverly Smith Named Stonewall FB Queen

Miss Beverly Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith, was selected as queen in the queen contest of the Stonewall county Farm Bureau at Aspermont Tuesday night of last week. This honor makes Miss Smith eligible to enter the state contest.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith live north of Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cobb and Peggy had as their guests over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bolton and son Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Ridings and daughter, Sherry of Ft. Worth. Sherry remained for a longer visit. Mrs. Tumbleson and daughter came Thursday and are visiting for several days.

Sp. 3 Richard Romero, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vito Romero has returned to Ft. Lewis, Washington after spending a 25 day leave here.

Ann Tillotson visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wicker in Abilene on Thursday until Saturday of last week.

Liberals Control Pre-Conventions Saturday

Precinct conventions in Roby and precinct 12 in Rotan voted for a unit rule for their delegates. Precinct 9 and 10, Rotan and precinct 13, Hobbs, voted to send uninstructed delegations.

County convention will be held at 10 a. m. Saturday in Roby.

Delegates named for pre. 9 and 10—Cecil Lotief, Lon Weems, Chilton Thomas, Oleta Parker, Justin Morrow, J. C. Edwards, Dick Edwards, L. Weatherman and N. I. Templar. Al Finch was named alternate.

From pre. 12, Horace Carter, W. B. McKimmey, Walter Byrd and N. D. Miers. Alternates Glenn Upshaw, Homer Aaron, Wayne Nowlin and Mrs. Malter Byrd.

From Hobbs, pre. 13, Ed Hawkins, alternate, Paul M. Barnett.

FB Queen To Be Selected Tonight

The Farm Bureau "Queen Contest" will be held in the Rotan High School Auditorium Thursday night at 8:00 o'clock and the public is cordially invited to attend. Harold Moore, Area Farm Bureau Supervisor, from Austin, will serve as master of ceremonies as well as lead goup singing and bring some special music. Oliver Grote, field representative from Floydada, will also be present and talk to the group briefly on the work of Farm Bureau.

Following the program and contest the group will be served homemade ice cream and cake.

President, L. D. Singler, extends to each and everyone an invitation to attend this meeting and see one of our lovely Fisher County Farm Girls crowned Queen of the Fisher County Farm Bureau.

Cross Roads Revival August 10 Thru 19

The revival at Cross Roads Baptist Church will begin August 10 and run through August 19.

Rev. Miles B. Hays, now making his home at Burkburnett will do the preaching. Rev. Hayes is well known and loved by all for his long time service to the Lord. He retired several years ago from pastoral work, but not from serving the Lord.

Edwin Peoples, student of Hardin Simmons University and now choir director at First Baptist church, Aspermont will have charge of song services.

Miss Glenda Walton from Paint Creek Baptist church will accompany at the piano. Glenda is a graduate of Paint Creek high school and will enter NTSTC this fall. She was 1956 salutatorian, with a grade average of 93.56.

The church invites everyone to Sunday services and the following week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard Stephenson and son Ronny left Sunday to return to their home in Redwood City, Calif., after spending three weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Head.

Mrs. W. L. Whited of Carlsbad, N. M. is visiting her daughter Mrs. Joe Henry and family.

Mrs. Bernice Stockton is visiting her children, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davison in Lubbock this week.

Ronda Hayes Counselor At Girls Camp

Ronda Hayes, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence Hayes, a graduate of Rotan High and now a sophomore at Baylor University has just completed her first year as general counselor, specializing in water front safety work at Camp Fire Girls Camp Letoli in the hills of northern Montague county, near Saint Jo, Texas.

She has trained nineteen girls during the summer and has been in summer camps for eight years with this being her first experience as a counselor.

Ronda is majoring in elementary education and speech, with her minor in physical education.

Chester Watt Leads First Baptist Revival



REV. CHESTER WATT

Beginning Sunday morning, the First Baptist Church will be engaged in a revival throughout next week. Services will be held at 10 and 7:30 daily. Rev. Chester Watt, pastor First Baptist Church, Lovington, N. M. will do the preaching and Verne Ellis, director of activities at the church, will lead the music.

Six home-prayer meetings each evening this week, in various areas of the community, are under way to make preparation for the weeks meeting. Verne Ellis will direct the Junior choir 30-minutes prior to the evening services. Group meetings will be held for men, women and young people at the same time.

The church extends a cordial welcome to friends and visitors to attend the services. The nursery will be open morning and evening. A combined choir of young people and adults will lead the congregation in the worship of song and praise.

The pastor, Dr. Lawrence Hayes will preach Sunday morning with the visiting evangelist arriving for the evening service.

"Chester Watt is a good preacher, effective evangelist, and the type of man our people will live," says the pastor. "All our people should hear him faithfully throughout the week and profit from his Expository preaching."

THANKS

I want to thank each and everyone for every consideration during my race for commissioner pre. 3.

You were very nice to me and I appreciate meeting many citizens I did not know.

Again thanking you, I am, Sincerely, Joe Dismore

Sam Denton Named Justice of Peace

Sam Denton was appointed justice of the peace, precinct 3 to fill the unexpired term of H. S. Bridges.

Commissioners Court made the appointment. His bond was approved by the court Tuesday.

Mr. Denton was reared in Fisher county. He is a veteran of World War I and is county Red Cross secretary.

Mrs. Homer Aaron is reported to be doing nicely in Callan hospital following surgery and treatment of a broken leg, suffered last Tuesday at Roby. She was attending a WSCS meeting at the Roby church when she fell from a low step on the church rostrum.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ivey and children of Corpus Christi, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Huckaby. Mr. Huckaby has returned home from the Veterans hospital in Big Spring. He is being transferred to the Veterans hospital in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Thompson of Dayton, Texas, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Thompson, Janice and Marilyn, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thompson, Zana and Jodie spent several days last week vacationing at Lake Brownwood.

Guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. U. Callan Saturday were her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. T. Martin of Anson, Mrs. C. M. Martin and son, Charles of Oklahoma City.

H. S. Bridges Dies Of Heart Attack

H. S. Bridges, a resident of this area since 1906 died of a heart attack 6:30 a. m. Saturday. He became ill about 5:30 a. m. Saturday and died an hour later in Callan hospital.

Funeral services were held Monday at 3:00 p. m. from First Baptist church. Dr. Lawrence Hayes officiated at the service with interment in Belview cemetery.

Pall bearers were R. L. Young Jr., O' Henry Young of Abilene; Floyd Clifton, Judson Thompson, Alton Parker and D. J. Smith. Honorary pall bearers were members of Mr. Bridges' Sunday school class and deacons of the Baptist church.

Mr. Bridges was active in real estate and insurance business until his death. For the past 30 years he had offices in the R. L. Young Insurance Co.

He was a deacon in First Baptist Church and was active in all church affairs. A church member for 68 years he had taught a class for 40 years and served as deacon for 50 years. He served as justice peace since 1949.

Mr. Bridges was born June 2, 1871, in Alabama, he moved to Sherman in 1891 and married the former Jamie Jones at Whitewright in Grayson county, April 12, 1896.

He managed a number of gins in the West Texas area, first at Merkel then Roby and for several years in Rotan.

Surviving are the wife; four sons, Roy and Broadus of Abilene; T. J. of Memphis, and Grady of Albuquerque, N. M.; five daughters, Mrs. Fannie Moore, Rotan; Mrs. A. C. Moore and Mrs. Wayne Smith of Plainview; Mrs. Elmer Owens of Vernon, Mrs. C. M. Bridges of Antioch, Calif.; a grandson, whom the Bridges reared, Billy Gene Bridges of Lovington, N. M.; five sisters, Mrs. Mattie Jones of Thalia, Mrs. Ida Campbell of Roby, Mrs. Lucy Ford and Mrs. Daisy Diggins of Merkel, and Mrs. Ay Lyles of Seavory; one brother, Jim Bridges of Llaneganga; 17 other grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren.

Two sons, Houston and O. L. preceded him in death.

TO CITIZENS OF FISHER COUNTY AND OF THE 104th JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

I am deeply grateful for the very splendid vote I received at last Saturday's primary, for reelection as your District Judge.

I shall continue to conduct this judicial office in a manner keeping in mind my responsibilities and never strive to remain worthy of your confidence.

Sincerely, Owen Thomas

Dowell Ex-Students To Hold Reunion

Ex-students of the Dowell school will hold their annual reunion Sunday, August 5 in the VFW Hall in Rotan. Ex-students are invited to come with well filled food baskets and enjoy the day with friends.

Boy Scout Meeting

A meeting of everyone interested in the Boy Scout movement is called from Thursday night at 7:00 o'clock at Junior Police Club.

All boys and parents are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Scroggins of Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miller, and sister, Mrs. Lena Paterson last week end. Their daughter, Sara returned home with them, after spending a month here.

Judy Porter and her roommate Arlene Friedman of the Houston Memorial School of Nursing in Houston, left Wednesday to return to Houston, after spending their vacation here visiting Judy's parents and grandparents.

Mrs. Jimmy Hale of Hondo, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Chinnia B. Grandstaff and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hale.

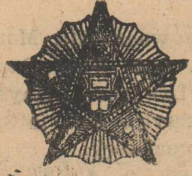
Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Young of Denyar City, visited here Sunday.

Rotan Lodge No. 956
A. F. & A. M.



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Thursday Night
of each month.
Visitors Invited

Troy Rogers, W. M.
Alvin Clark, Sec.



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Edna Morgan, Sec.



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Willie Martin, Vice Grand
Howard Smith, Secretary.



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Roy Lacy, Q. M.

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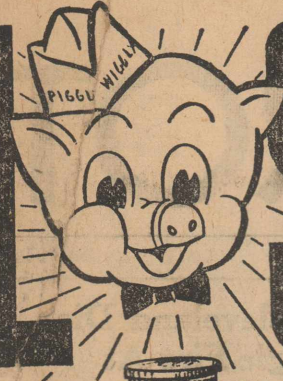


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BACON, Mid-West	Tra-Pak	Lb.	45c
DRY SALT,	No. 1 Lean	Lb.	23c
RIO OLEO,		Lb.	21c

SPINACH, Allen Fancy	2 303 cans	19c
SWEET PEAS, Pic Nic	3 300 cans	27c
BUTTER BEANS, ...White Swan	300 can	10c
CATSUP, Van Camp	14 oz.	19c
VANILLA WAFERS, ...1 lb. Free Ball Point Pen		39c

Garden Fresh VEGETABLES

PLUMS	Santa Rosa	Lb.	19c
Peaches	Elberta Sweets	Lb.	15c
Cantaloupes	Vine Ripe	Lb.	6c
LEMONS, ... large Sunkist		Lb.	15c
GRAPEFRUIT, ... Ruby Red		Lb.	9c
LETTUCE, ... Iceburg .. large heads		Lb.	17c
BELL PEPPER, ... fine for salads		Lb.	15c
Squash	young tender Banana	Lb.	9c
Carrots	2 Cello bags		19c
CORN	large California	2 ears	15c

Viennas	Campfire		9c
SALAD DRESSING, ... Shedd's		Qt.	42c
APPLE BUTTER, ... Bama		22 oz.	23c
Syrup	Blackburns	1-2 gal	57c
Pickles	Diamond	Qt.	28c
VINEGAR, ... Concho		Qt.	15c
GULF FLY SPRAY, ...		Qt.	55c
Cheer	Reg. Size		25c
Rinso	Giant Size		59c

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Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Watson and Mrs. J. M. Montgomery were B. J. Walters, his daughter, Mrs. Ernestine Staling and daughters Sylvia and Sherry of Monahans, Mrs. Charles Rook, Rickety, Johnny and Virginia of Grand Prairie. Mrs. Rook and children are also visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Burrow. Virginia Rook went home with her cousins, Sylvia and Sherry Starling, to visit several days.

Mrs. May Perkins returned Friday from a visit with her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Tyne Perkins in Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perkins in San Antonio.

NEWS from your
*** County ***
Agricultural Agent
Texas A. & M. College
Extension Service

During the last few weeks, in the irrigated cotton, and dry land cotton that has had some growth, we have noticed some buildup in insects. The two main ones are the fleashoppers and bollworms, and we have noticed a few "stink" bugs. With the prospects for a cotton crop limited like it is due to lack of moisture, a weekly examination of the cotton for these insects should be carried out in order to determine if they are building up to the extent that they should be controlled.

At the same time, the cotton is being examined for harmful insects, a person should also take into consideration the number and kinds of beneficial insects present. A few of the most important beneficial insects are: the Lacewinged fly, lady bugs, wasp and Spiders.

After cotton is old enough to produce squares, examine the main stem terminal buds (about three or four inches of the top of the plant) of 100 cotton plants at several representative points in the field. (and adults) are found per hundred. When 15 to 35 fleashoppers (nymphs) are found, treatment may be necessary. In order to determine whether or not control measures are necessary to bollworms examine the terminal buds, upper three or four inches of the plant of 100 cotton plants and examine 100 consecutive squares and bolls at each of several points in the field. Begin treatment when bollworm eggs and 4 or 5 young worms are found per hundred terminals, of 5% of the small squares and bolls have been injured by small bollworms. A recommended insecticide used as a spray is the regular 2-1 mixture of Toxaphene and DDT which is recommended for either or both the bollworms and fleashoppers. Or the 20% Toxaphene and 40% sulphur as a dust.

Stockmen faced with the problem of carrying cattle through droughts with short water supplies may find information gathered by USDA scientists on water consumption by beef and dairy animals very helpful.

Two scientists, Dr. C. F. Winchester and M. P. Morris of the Agricultural Research Service consol-

idated all available published information and added data they recorded from experiments at Beltsville, Maryland.

They point out that feed and water intake are closely related. If consumption of one is curtailed, the other also is limited. Water intake per unit of dry matter is the same whether cattle are on full feed or on near-starvation rations. In a pinch, water consumption for a herd can be cut in half simply by maving the feed allowance. The scientists point out that this practice should never be used with lactating cows if it can be avoided. A production decline would result which might not be overcome during the lactation period.

A 1,000 pound animal on maintenance rations, not gaining or losing weight, will consume 6 gallons of water a day when air temperature is 70 degrees and 9 gallons at 90 degrees. A 1,000 steer or heifer gaining the normal pound a day on the range requires 10 gallons of water each day when the air temperature is 70 and 17 at 90 degrees.

Cutting feed allowances for steers on full fattening rations will decrease water consumption and may help a stockman through a short time water shortage, however, if feed allowances are sharply cut, considerable time may be required to get them back on full feed once the water shortage is relieved.

A 1,000 dairy cow gaining no weight but producing 35 pounds of 4% milk daily requires 18 gallons of water daily when air temperature is 70 degrees. She can be expected to drop to 25 pounds of milk at 90 degrees and will consume 19 gallons of water daily.

Body and size influence water intake and the scientists found with other factors equal, a 500-pound animal drinks .6 as much as a 1,000 animal and a 100-pound animal drinks .2 as much as a 1,000-pound one.

Using figures from the Winchester-Morris tables it is possible for a stockman to estimate the probable daily water consumption of any large herd of cattle, and to plan an adequate water system for his farm or ranch. The data is not intended for use in determining requirements of individual animals or small herds because of wide variations in water intake of individuals.

The data tables are available from the Information division, Agricultural Research, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington 25, D. C.

Marketing, outlook, dwarfism, breeding and improvement programs, diseases and parasites and feeding are subjects which will be discussed at the two-day beef cattle short course scheduled for the Memorial Student Center at Texas A & M College, August 13-14.

According to John K. Riggs, chairman of the program committee, featured speaker will be Dr. A. D. Weber, dean and director of Agriculture at Kansas State College and Dr. L. N. Hazel, nationally known authority on animal breeding from Iowa State College.

Riggs points out that any person interested in obtaining the latest information from research and practical experience on the listed subjects is welcome to attend the short course. "In fact," he says, "I'd like to have every Texas beef producer present for we feel that

**Hendrix-Thompson
Wedding July 15th**

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Paul Thompson are living at 1012 N. Lakeview following their wedding in First Methodist church July 15.

The bride is the former Rheta Hendrix of the Hobbs community. She is the daughter of Mrs. C. E. Hendrix. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Thomson of the Adair community. He is a graduate of Hobbs high school, where the bride will be a senior this fall.

A gift tea, honoring Mrs. Thomson was hosted in the home of Mrs. A. W. Canfil Wednesday.

Hosting the affair with Mrs. Canfil were Meses. Ina Harris, Tom Collins, Jess Stinson, Phil J. Malouf, M. F. Garland, Kenneth Kelly, Tom Hargrove, David Williams, C. G. Campbell, H. L. Dycus, Joe Aaron Charles Park and J. D. Kincaid, and Peggy Trice, Betty Moffett, Sandy Morrow, Darlene Ogden, Dolores Martin and Margaret Ann Aaron.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Canfil, who presented the honoree, mothers of the couple and the honoree's sister, Betty Hendrix. The honoree was dressed in white and wore white flowers in her hair.

Mrs. Stinson presided at the bridal registry. Miss Morrow, Miss Trice and Miss Martinez served at the tea table, assisted by Mrs. Aaron.

The table, laid with cutwork linen, was centered with a low white floral arrangement in a wedding ring of blue pottery on a blue reflector. Appointments were in silver and crystal. Garden flowers in blue pottery were on the buffet.

Gifts were on display in the family room. Music during calling hours was by Marguerite Snapp and Celia Deane Reese.

each can profit from the meeting." The opening session is scheduled to commence at 9:30 a. m. on August 13. Tours of the Animal Husbandry Department's livestock facilities will conclude each day's program.

Mrs. Walter Collins arrived home Saturday evening from a two weeks visit with her children, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins in Redwood City, Calif. She went to California with her daughter, Mrs. George Bailey and Mr. Bailey and baby of Fort Worth, who attended the State Farm Insurance convention. Mrs. Bailey is the former Stella Mae Collins.

Mrs. Clinnia B. Grindstaff, Mrs. Jonnie Morgan, Mrs. Alice Carriker and Miss Mae Carriker spent several days vacationing in Ruidoso last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Thompson and daughters, Zana and Jodie, and their cousin, Debbie Day went to Carlsbad, N. M. Wednesday of last week where they went through the Caverans.



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"The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away." He has taken for His kingdom a great asset and our loved one.

To you, all our friends, we wish to say a thing which the good Lord hasn't given us enough words to describe the meaning of true friends when we were in time of need. We can only say thank you from the bottoms of our hearts for the comforting words and help you have given us.

A special word of thanks to the Weathersbee Funeral Home, the city and county police, and the fire department who were so faithful and helpful.

May the good Lord bless and keep you.

With our most sincere thanks, Alta and Julie Cleveland Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cleveland and family

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Party Honors Betrothed Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Weathersbee entertained with a backyard hamburger party Monday evening, honoring Gary Gilliland and his fiancée, Gail Marie Jones of Lubbock. Guests were served buffet style from a table holding a trough filled with relishes embedded in ice with a bride and groom in the center used as a centerpiece.

Mr. Gilliland and Miss Jones are to be married Saturday, August 11 at the First Christian Church in Lubbock.

Guests were seated at tables covered with red and white checked cloths. Others attending were Mrs. Jimmy Don Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scales, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hargrove, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cox and Dr. Jack Callan.

THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation to each and everyone for your manifestation during our recent loss of a loved one.

In our fond memories we shall always think of you.

The family of S. E. Miers.

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We wish to express our gratitude to all our friends for their thoughtfulness and expression of sympathy during our time of sorrow in the loss of our mother.

The W. H. Howard family.

Careers In Nursing

The Texas State Committee of Careers in Nursing wishes to announce that there are still vacancies in the fall quotas of classes which begin on or about 1 September 1956. Schools of Nursing train vocational or practical nurses, diploma registered nurses, and nurses for degrees in the specialty fields such as teaching and administration.

Men and women interested in a career in nursing may write for information to the Texas State Committee of Careers in Nursing, c/o your local postmaster. It is suggested that those who desire to enter a course in September indicate same in their request for information.

Have That Prescription Filled at Ragsdale's

Mr. and Mrs. Parker May of Washington, D. C., and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bosanko of New York, guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. Frank Johnson, spent last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob May in Colorado City.

Mrs. J. W. Kennedy and granddaughter Beverly Smith visited Mrs. Sally Montgomery in Fort Worth recently.

Mrs. R. C. Huggins of Snyder and her daughter, Miss Leona Huggins of Odessa, spent last Wednesday here with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly.

Bare Fields Are Problem For Next Spring



Austrian Winter Peas, T. C. Toler farm. Date of picture April 1953. Peas were planted in early September 1952.

What can we do to keep the soil from blowing next spring? What can one plant that will improve the soil and keep it from blowing?

These are questions that many farmers are asking. With so many acres bare of vegetation now, what will high continuous winds do next spring?

"We have got to have something on the ground to keep it from blowing," said Claude Weems, who lives 8 miles southwest of Rotan. "If it rains pretty soon I'm going to plant some blackeye peas. They should make some peas and offer

protection against blowing this winter, and they will add organic matter and Nitrogen to the soil."

"If it doesn't rain in time to plant blackeye peas, I think I'll plant some Austrian Winter peas," Weems added. "The winter peas I grew in the past sure helped my soil. Cattle sure do like them too."

Peas, whether summer or winter peas, are good for the soil, according to Harold King of the Soil Conservation Service, Rotan. Peas should be inoculated to assure the growth of Nitrogen fixing bacteria on the roots. Peas in rotation add

organic matter, offer protective cover, improve tilth, add Nitrogen—which, all together, help produce better crops in the future.

The Upper Clear Fork Soil Conservation District board of Supervisors urge farmers to begin planning now to get some kind of cover on their ground before winter. Some may choose legumes, while others may want to plant small grain. Whatever the choice—get ready now.

Visitors Honored Thursday Evening

A group of friends hosted a picnic at the Roger Smith lake Thursday evening of last week honoring Mr. and Mrs. Parker May and children of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bosanko of New York, and Helen Byrd May of Colorado City, house guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. Frank Johnson. Assisting Mr. and Mrs. Smith were Mrs. Lena Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Patton, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Strickland, Betty Patton, Linda Lou Smith, Becky Strickland and Beverly Smith.

Mrs. Morris Watson, Mrs. J. M. Montgomery, Mrs. Charles Rook, Jonny and Ricky visited Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Freeman in Lubbock Monday.

Lanny Posey Honored With Gift Affairs

Gifts for the kitchen were presented Lanny Posey at a brunch hosted in the home of Mrs. O. M. Sparks Thursday. Mrs. Sparks daughter, Mrs. Darrel Underhill, assisted in hosting the affair.

Guests were served, buffet style, from the dining table, laid with green cloth with red ball fringe. A big straw basket centered the table, holding hand painted cutting board and matching salt and peppers. The cutting board was tied with red stain streamers, with a kitchen gadget tied at the end of each streamer. The centerpiece was the gift from the hosting two to the honoree.

At conclusion of the informal social period, Miss Posey was presented gift wrapped kitchen items in a straw basket by Mrs. Underhill.

Miss Posey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Posey of Rotan, is bride-elect of Kent Westbrook, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Westbrook of Hamlin. The couple are to be married Aug. 17, in the Church of Christ here.

Besides the hostesses, the honoree and the two mothers, others attending the gift brunch were Bobbie Posey, Mrs. Ted Posey, Judy Porter, Arlene Friedman, Becky Strickland, Betty Patton, Beverly Smith, Sandy Morrow, Helen Jo Turner, Diane Coggins, Annette Ashley, Alpha Hardy, Jane Hargrove, Joretta Hargrove, Lynne Byerly and Ruby Davis.

Bathroom gifts were presented Miss Posey at a backyard party hosted at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Strickland. A 7:30 breakfast, served at linen laid foursome tables, arranged on the lawn, was featured. Plate favors were guest soap bars, tied with names of the betrothed couple. Hostess gift was a bath set. Gifts from the guests were on a table.

Hosting the affair was Becky Strickland and Judy Porter.

A fruit plate, cinnamon rolls, and coffee, was served, buffet style.

Besides the honoree and the hosting two, other guests were Mrs. Strickland, Mrs. Posey, Bobbie Posey, Mrs. Ted Posey, Mrs. J. W. Porter, Judy May, Beverly Smith, Betty Patton, Jerry Thomas, Arlene Friedman and Mrs. Darrel Underhill.

Mrs. Shed Ragsdale and her house guest, Mrs. Edwin Hubbard of Roswell, N. M., and Mrs. J. P. Cyphers attended to business in Dallas several days last week buying for Ragsdale drug store. They returned home last Wednesday and Glynelle Hubbard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hubbard, came Friday. She had visited several days with friends in Dallas and a friend, Teddy Edmondson of Roswell, came Thursday. Mrs. Hubbard also visited her father, Zade Polk, while here. They returned to Roswell Friday.

Mrs. Kenneth Holman of Wichita Falls, spent several days here last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kennedy. Mrs. Kennedy has been in the hospital several weeks for treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Holman recently moved to Wichita Falls, from here.

J. S. Woodson, who is working at Houston, spent the week end here with his family, and relatives visiting them Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil McCormick of Sweetwater, Mrs. Berntha Newton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton and children, Mrs. W. N. Teague of Big Spring.

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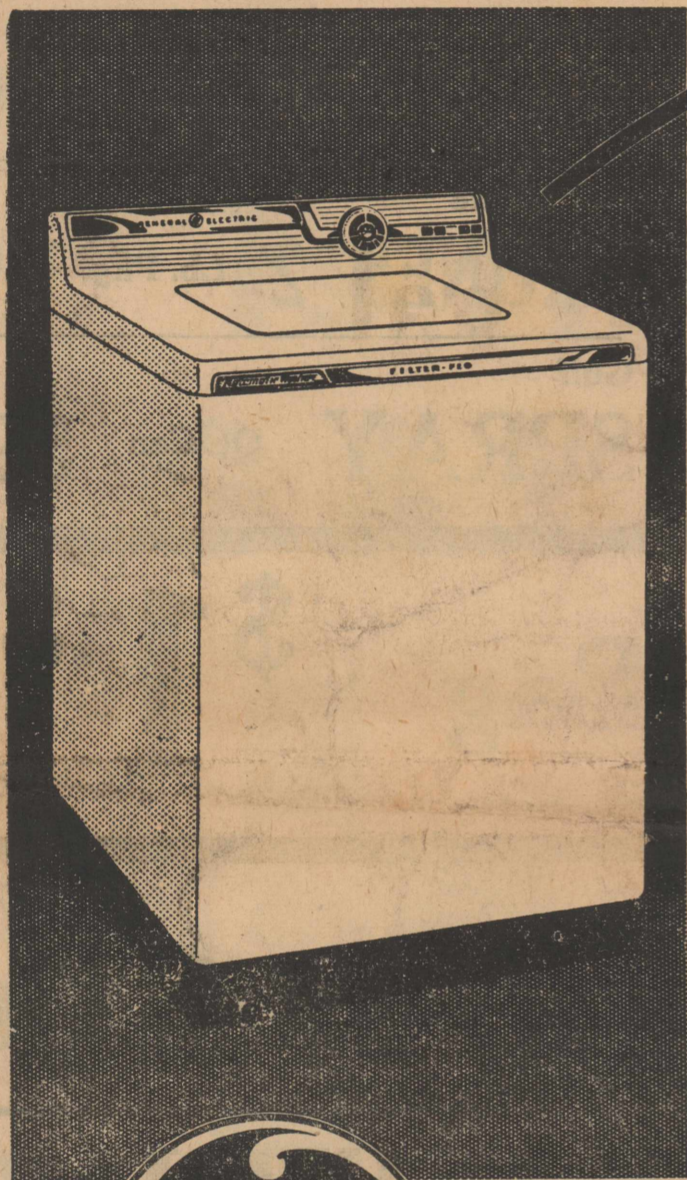
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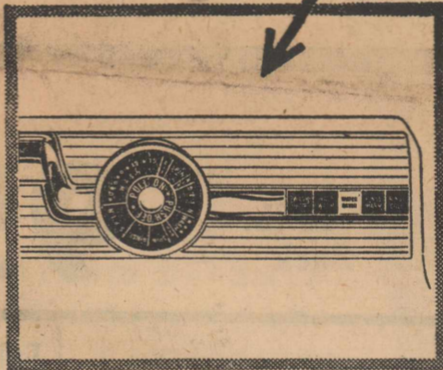
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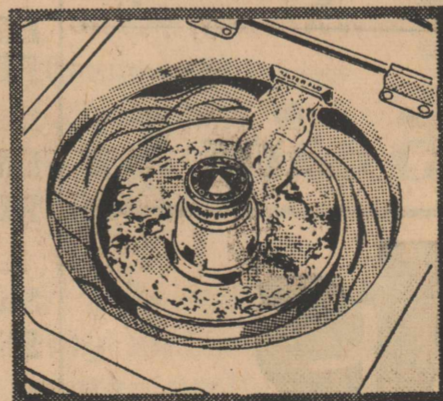
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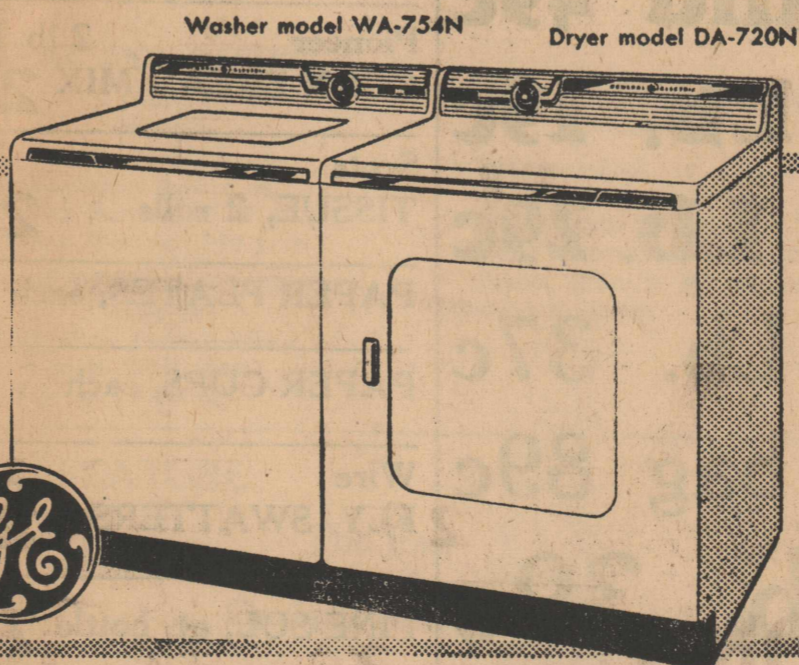
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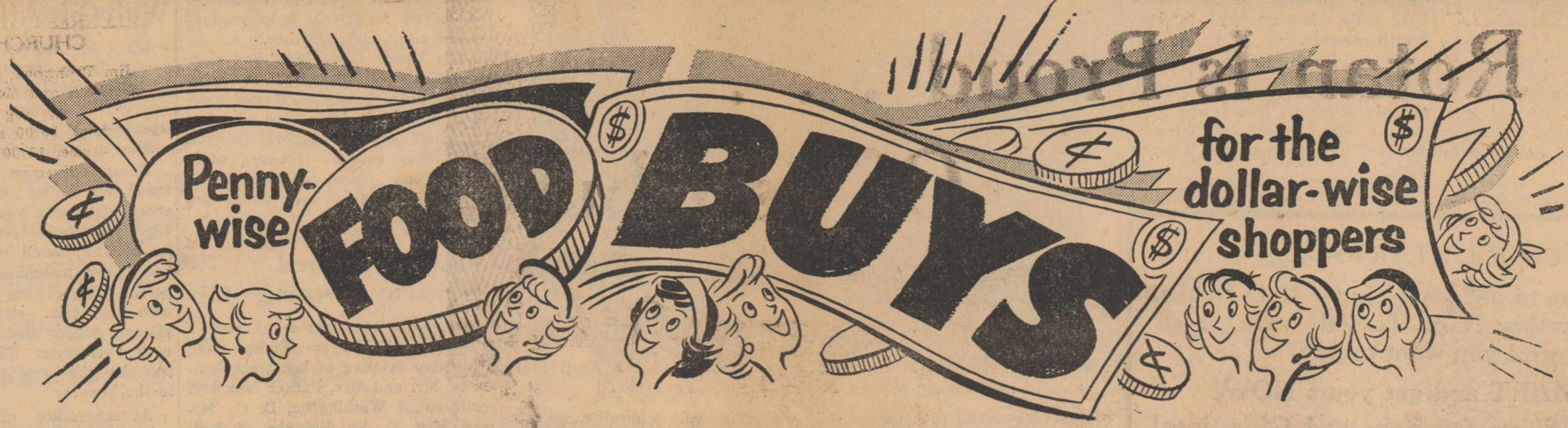
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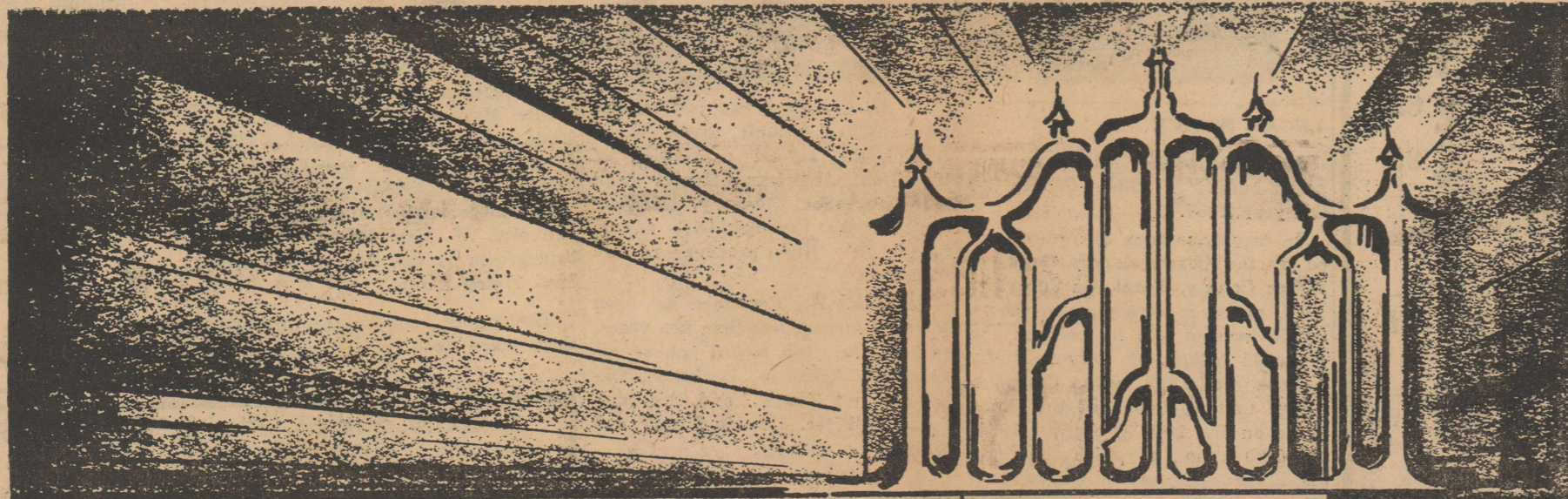
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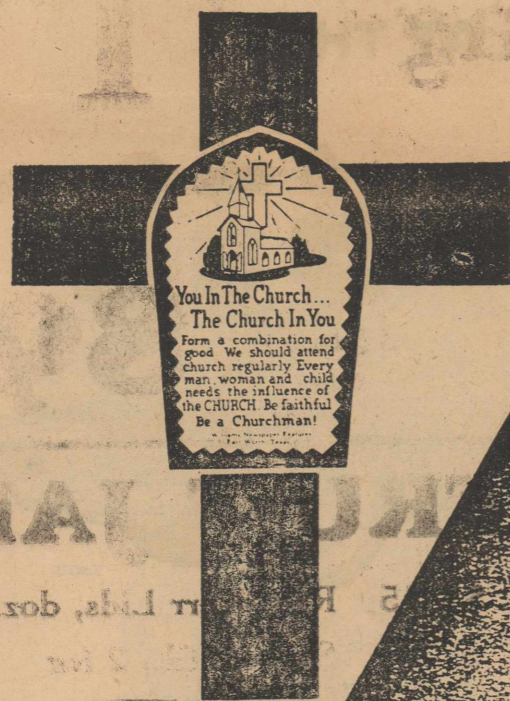
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Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
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Training Union, 7:00 p. m.
Worship Service, 8:00 p. m.

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

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Thursday.

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Rev. Philip Goodrum, pastor
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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
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8:00 p. m.

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Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
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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-
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McKinley at Mead
Lawrence Hayes, Pastor
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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
3:00 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.
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Mr and Mrs. W. A. Rives wish to invite friends and relatives to the wedding of their daughter Ruby Rives to Rev. G. R. Bailey at the First Methodist Church of Rotan Saturday, August 4, at 10 a. m., and afterward to the reception at the Rives home west of town.

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Merrilee Club
 The Merrilee Club had their annual summer party Saturday night, July 21, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Burrow. After playing games, ice cream and home-made cake was served to Mr. and Mrs. Ab Aaron, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Swann, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hodo, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Clements, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McGrew, Mr. and Mrs. Early Hodo, Mr. and Mrs. Ornie Nowlin, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Aaron, Mr. and Mrs. John McCombs, Mr. and Mrs. Aud Gerrald, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dismore, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Burrow, Karen Clements and Steve Bower of Sacramento, Calif.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jess Stinson, Bill and Elizabeth visited relatives in Paducah Sunday.

FORMER 4-H MEMBERS CAN BE NOMINATED IN NEW AWARD PROGRAM HONORING ADULTS

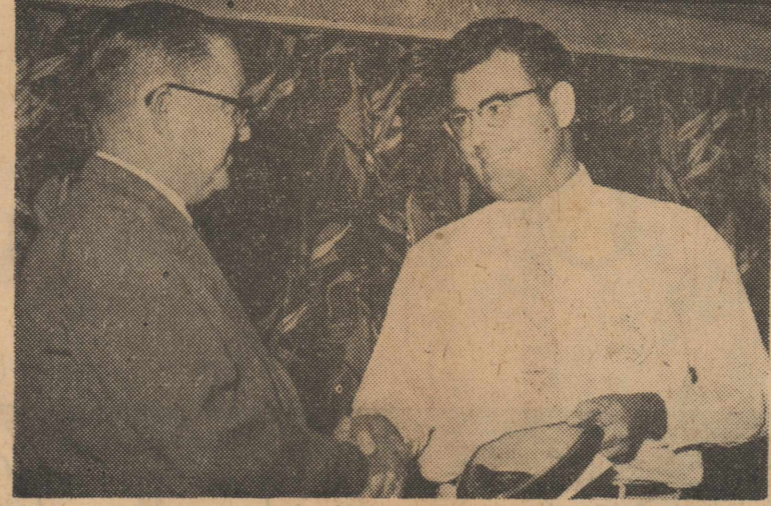
Do you know a member of your community whom you consider a notable success in his or her chosen career or who has an outstanding record as a citizen or as a leader in community and public affairs? And is this person a former 4-H member?
 And have you often thought that that person should receive some form of public recognition for his or her acceptance of citizenship responsibilities and achievement in life?
 If so, you now have the opportunity to do something about it, according to G. L. Noble, director of the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, who recently announced that the Plant Food Division of Olin Mathieson Chemical Corporation would again sponsor the National 4-H Alumni Recognition Program, the only 4-H Award Program honoring adults.
 You can help nominate one of your neighbors for these coveted awards by filling out the form below and sending it to your county Extension agent.
 The program provides two certificates as awards in each county. Four state winners, selected from all the county winners are presented burnished copper plaques mounted on walnut.
 Eight people, four men and four women, chosen from all the state winners, will receive gold keys and all-expense trips to the

National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago, November 25-29.
 Men and women who have previously been 4-H Club members, who have an outstanding record of participation and leadership in community activities and who are a success in their chosen occupation or profession are eligible for consideration. So, if you know any one in your community who is eligible for this award fill out the blank and send it to your County Extension Office. They have official nomination forms.
 Many 4-H Alumni are successful farmers and homemakers. Others are leaders in business, government or civic affairs. Some may not have been recently active in 4-H Club work, yet because of the basic training received through the 4-H program, they contribute to the advancement of community, state and nation.
 Purposes of the awards are (1) to inspire present-day youth to greater accomplishments by providing them with living examples of dependable purposeful citizenship and (2) to encourage former 4-H Club members to support and cooperate in 4-H work.
 Fill in information regarding nominee for National 4-H Alumni Recognition Award, attach any supplementary information which may be helpful and submit to the County Extension Office.

Background Information On Nominee

Full Name
 (Married woman, indicate full maiden name)
 address
 or Position
 years as 4-H member
 (state) (state)

Local Man Wins Area Award



LEGAL NOTICE
 Notice of public hearing on proposed budget of Fisher County for the year 1957.
 In compliance with an order passed by the Commissioners Court of Fisher County, Texas, on July 31st 1956, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on the proposed budget of Fisher County for the year 1957 in the Commissioners Court Room of the Court house on the 20th of August 1956, at 10:00 a. m., at which time any and all property owners will have an opportunity to be heard and state their objections or recommendations thereto.
 Witness my hand and seal of office this the 31st day of July 1956.
 John W. Ashley, County Clerk.
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W. K. Crawford has just returned from San Antonio, where he attended the annual convention of the Great American Health and Life Insurance Company. He was awarded the Company-wide annual plaque for "High producer of life insurance."
 Although Mr. Crawford has been selling insurance less than two years, he won the top award above all agents in Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and Texas, and this puts Rotan and Mr. Crawford way out in front on winners.
 C. F. Palm, president of the company (left) is making the presentation of the bronze plaque together with a cash award to Mr. Crawford.
 James Logan, commercial artist of New York City, recently visited his aunt, Mrs. R. M. Smith and other relatives in Texas.

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Betty Martin Becomes Bride of Odell Eaton

Betty Martin and Odell Eaton were married July 27 in a double ring ceremony, read by their pastor, Rev. Marvin Roges.
 The bride wore a white tulle suit with pink accessories. For her bridal bouquet she chose pink sweetheart roses and carnations interlaced with green fern atop a white Bible.
 A reception followed the wedding in the Roges home. The bride's table was covered with white lace over pink and green bows at each corner to carry out the bride's colors. The three tiered wedding cake which featured a miniature bridal couple was served by Mrs. Willie Martin, sister-in-law of the bride. Joyce Eaton, sister of the bridegroom ladled punch. Mrs. Truett Eaton registered guests.
 The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Carl Martin and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Finley Eaton.
 The young couple are making their home near Roby.

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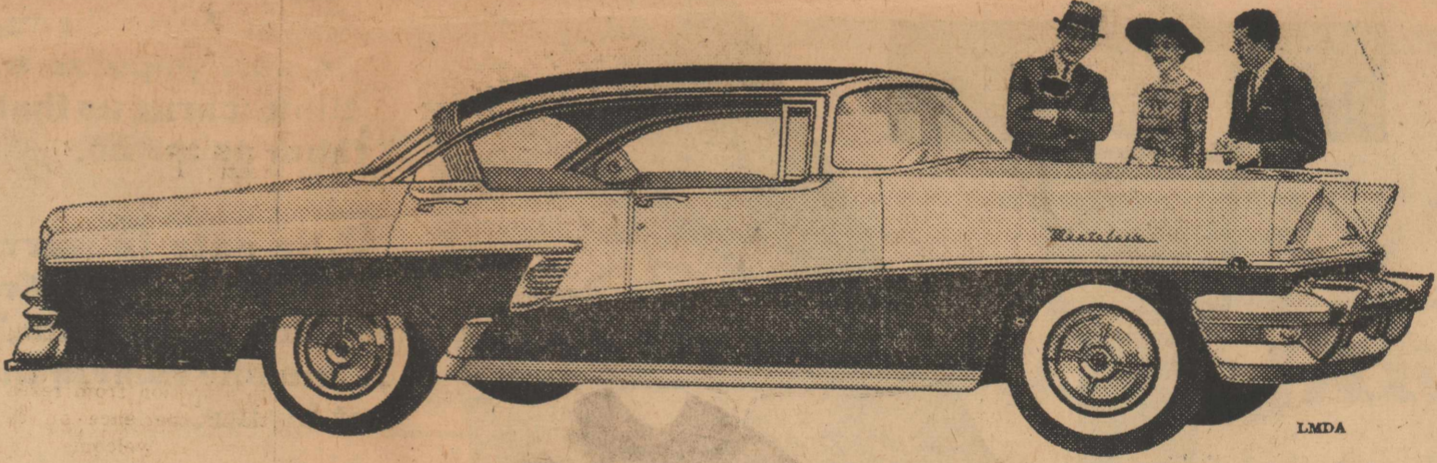
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