

Thanks

TO THE PEOPLE OF ROTAN:

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the people of Rotan for their contributions and help in making our trip to the Waco Baseball Tournament a success.

As most of you know we won the first game from Corsicana 9-2, and then we were beaten by Waco 3-1 in the semi-finals. Waco went on to win the championship.

Rotan's boys did make a wonderful showing and were indeed a credit to our town. Denny Ivey was chosen all-tournament first baseman.

The boys made many friends and did acquaint our town with folks from all over the state.

Again let us thank Juston Morrow for all that he did for us, as well as Red Thornton, Bart Strayhorn, Ted Underhill, M. D. Ivey and the Advance who helped make our trip a success. Again to all the people who made our trip possible, thank you.

Rotan Teen-Age Team.

Calvary Has Good Attendance Sunday

There was good attendance in all services of the church last Sunday. Truly, the church family experienced a personal revival, and great things for God will be done. The ordinance of baptism was administered to Mrs. Ina Mae Underwood and Danny Hariman.

Following the evening service last Sunday, youth fellowship was enjoyed by a good number. Such fellowship will follow each Sunday night, and the Intermediates and Young People of the church are urged to attend, along with their visiting friends.

The annual Fisher County Baptist Association Meeting will be held in our church September 9 and 10.

Sunday school, meeting in all departments, begins at 9:45, Ty Harrison, superintendent. The pastor's morning sermon topic is "The Tragical End of a Sincere Man."

Do you attend Training Union? Are you regular in attendance? If not, why don't you make an effort to be present at 7:00 for the training period of the church. There is a place for all. J. A. Barnes is director. The pastor will speak on the subject "Guarding The Treasure" at the evening service at 8:00.

James Barnes Takes RA 2nd Lieutenant

Ft. Benning, Ga.—James M. Barnes, 22, whose wife, Vera Mae, lives on Rt. 1, McCaulley, Texas, has accepted a Regular Army commission as second lieutenant while serving at Fort Benning, Ga.

Barnes entered the Army early this month with a reserve commission as a second lieutenant under the Hardin-Simmons University ROTC program. His outstanding work while undergoing training as a cadet resulted in the offer of a Regular Army commission. He is one of 725 Distinguished Military graduates so honored from colleges and universities throughout the country.

Lieut. Barnes is the son of Mrs. H. T. Boyd of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Adams and children of Houston, visited last week in the home of his sister, Mrs. Richard Ray, and Mr. Ray. Mr. and Mrs. Ray and children and their guest visited Mr. and Mrs. Chick Adams in Amherst Saturday and Sunday.

Robert Jenkins visited in Austin last week end, and his sister, Mrs. Max Luther, and son (Bob) of Austin, came home with him to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Jenkins.

Hospital News

Medical patients in Callan Hospital from Aug. 14 to Aug. 20 were Mrs. Don Ashley, J. A. Neeley, Mrs. William Dickson, C. R. Eaton, Catherine Cantu, Mrs. Curtis Acker, J. W. Owens, Doris Jean Pearson, Mrs. R. L. Tidmore, Frances Yanez, Mrs. John Corhn, Catherine Weems, LeRoy Starnes, Mrs. Donald Ruark, Mrs. M. B. Hamilton.

Out of town patients were Mrs. J. O. Baugh of Snyder, Mrs. Gerald Boland of Jayton, Mrs. Nettie Weir of Hamlin, Mrs. William Wicker of Abilene, Mrs. Raymond Roberts of Peacock, Mrs. L. E. Robertson of Jayton, Mrs. P. F. Gould of Crosbyton, Mrs. D. L. Knight of Spur, Leonard Laughlin of Jayton.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roberts of Peacock Aug. 17.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Robertson of Jayton Aug. 18, day.

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Local Team Loses To Waco In State Play

Rotan Teen-Age Baseball team was defeated Friday night by the defending state champion—Waco in State Major Teen Age tournament. Rotan defeated Corsicana 9-2 Thursday. Waco held their championship title by taking Lake Jackson 11-2, Saturday.

Rotan gave up only three singles but five errors cost the game. The lone Rotan run came in the fourth when Denny Ivey singled and came home on Snyder's triple to center field. The ball rolled over the fence. Second baseman Waggoner of Rotan was the only batter on either team to get two hits—a pair of singles.

Denny Ivey was chosen as all-tournament first baseman following the close of the tourny.

The local team under management of Rudy Lotief had a successful season and brought much credit to Rotan in going into semi-final play and playing good games all the way. Rotan is proud of everyone connected with the team.

Moize Reunion Draws Big Crowd Sunday

Sixty-six were present for the get-together in the Legion Hall Sunday for the Moize family reunion.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Moize and Loyd, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moize and girls, Vera and Velma, Walter and Maude Moize, Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey and children, John, Kathy Lou, Freddy and William, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Foster and son Wesley, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moize and girls, Dee-Lana and Ruthie, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Burnside, Rickey and Rhonda, all of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Caughey, Mr. and Mrs. James Moize and Jimmie and Cynthia Ann, of Napa, Cal.; M-Sgt. Oscar A. Moize and wife and daughter Debra Lynn of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Ima Cleveland, Douglas and Jetta, Sgt. John Hall and Dollie and children, Jack and Rebecca of Abilene;

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Joplin, Robert, Harold and Carol Sue, Mrs. J. S. Mash, Barbara, Eloise, Judy, Helen, Jerry and Cinda of Roby; Miss Carol Mash of Dallas, Mrs. C. N. Denniston, Virginia and Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cleveland, Owen and Roxie, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Cleveland, Bessie and John.

As August 20th is E. A. Moize's birthday, he was presented a large cake and other gifts at noon, while the crowd sang "Happy Birthday."

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Roach were notified Tuesday night that their son-in-law, David Clark of Dallas, had just died of a heart attack. Mr. and Mrs. Roach left immediately for Dallas. No details were available at press time. Mrs. Clark is the former Laverne Roach.

Mrs. Hester Hammit, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Barker, Pat and Vicki attended the Doggett and Hardin reunion Sunday at the Ballinger Park. There was a good crowd and lots of who are you? Everyone enjoyed the reunion.

Sp.3 and Mrs. Robert C. Ray have gone to Columbus, Ga., where he will be stationed. Sp.3 Ray has recently returned from a 15-months tour of duty with the 8th Army in Korea and they have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ray for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McClure and children of Hondo, came Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ashley. Mr. McClure returned home Saturday, and Mrs. McClure and children stayed for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Young and Cindy of Brownwood, visited his mother, Mrs. George Young, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hobbs and children, Gary and Priscilla, of Waco, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Compton, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Shelton visited in Abilene Sunday.

Mrs. Lillie Whittenberg of Hamlin, visited Mrs. E. A. Watson Sunday last week end.

Annual Fair Opens Today At Roby

Thursday afternoon Aug. 22, marks the opening of the 12th annual showing of the Fisher County Fair, Rodeo and Horse Show. Festivities get formally underway with what is expected to be the largest parade ever to be held in Fisher County in downtown Roby at 6:30 p.m. Thursday.

Twenty-seven Sheriff's Posse and riding clubs from over the southwest have been invited to participate in competition after having enjoyed a free dinner by courtesy of the host organization, the widely known Fisher County Sheriff's Posse.

The first of three nights of rodeo opens at the rodeo grounds in Roby at 8 p.m. Thursday, where 200 cowboys will be competing for huge cash purses in all events.

The livestock show, always a part of the annual Fisher County affair, opens at 8 a.m. Saturday on the fair grounds at Roby, with competition in beef and dairy cattle, swine, sheep, field crops and ladies exhibits, and will be climaxed at 4 p.m. Saturday with the officially affiliated Registered Quarter-horse show. The three day show is scheduled to close with the 8 p.m. Rodeo Saturday night.

Chairman of the rodeo division is Glenn Webb of Roby, livestock superintendent is Max Sturdivant of Roby, and president of the host Fisher County Sheriff Posse is O. R. Clark of Rotan. Serving as president of the Fisher Fair and Rodeo Association is Edd Carter of Roby.

Methodist Supts. To Hold Conference

Canyon.—Annual church school superintendents meeting for the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference will be held at Ceta Canyon Methodist camp near here Saturday, August 24 through Sunday, Aug. 25. First session is scheduled for 3 p.m. Saturday.

Program features are planned for the general church school superintendent, the membership cultivation superintendent and the chairman of the commission on education in each local church throughout the conference.

Topics for presentation and discussion include church school organization and job responsibilities evaluation and improvement of the educational programs, attendance and membership, teacher recruitment and training, the work of the division councils and the workers conference.

Rev. Randle Dew, staff member of the Department of General Church School, General Board of Education, The Methodist Church, Nashville, Tenn., will be the special guest leader.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dyson and daughters Linda and Dickie came last Friday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dyson. Other relatives here were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dyson and Brenda of Snyder. The W. F. Dysons left Monday for the remainder of their vacation at Corpus Christi and Old Mexico to be back in Dallas by September 1.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Watson spent last weekend in Stephenville with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Bunnell and a sister, Mrs. Ray Howell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Haven Tipps and children of California, visited Mrs.

Rev. and Mrs. Dan Jones of Ropesville, visited friends here Friday.

Mrs. Felix Brown of Borger, came Tuesday to visit her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie B. McKimmey, and her grandson, Bob Brown, will visit his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Shela Taggart.

C. M. Underhill visited the W. A. Griffins in Lovington, N. M., from Wednesday night until Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vittitow and H. V. Vittitow visited Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Vittitow in Arlington and also visited relatives in Garland last week end.

Mrs. Heleman Dies After Lengthy Illness

Mrs. J. A. Heleman, 76, of 518 Kirkwood St., Abilene, died Sunday at 6:15 a.m. in the local hospital. She had been seriously ill five weeks and entered the hospital then.

Mrs. Heleman was the mother of 12 children, four of whom are still living. She had four sons in World War II. Two were killed, and one died in a Japanese prison camp. Born Maggie Lou Pardue in Hill County March 5, 1881, she moved to Abilene in 1900. She was married in 1903 to Mr. Heleman, who died in 1933. Mrs. Heleman had made her home here since.

Services were held Monday at 3:30 p.m. in the Kiker-Warren Funeral Chapel, with the Rev. Carl Underhill of Rotan and the Rev. Hollis Yielding, Abilene officiating. Burial was in the IOOF Cemetery.

Surviving are two sons, Joe of Rotan, and Jack of Eastland; two daughters, Mrs. O. D. Hill of Colorado City, and Mrs. J. W. Dixon of Brownwood; three brothers, Dennis N. and Robert H. Pardue of Abilene, Joe D. of Rotan; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Hawkins and Mrs. K. A. Lanningham of Abilene, Mrs. S. F. Leatherwood of Tacoma, Wash., and Mrs. Ada Wittmer of Sigler Springs, Cal., 13 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

One son, George of Abilene, died at his home there July 30.

Women Dept. Of Co. Fair Important

Women's division of Fisher County Fair with Mrs. Walter Byrd as superintendent will have the following rules this year:

Judging 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon, Thursday, August 22, 1957.

All entries shall be in before 9:00 a. m. on the morning of Thursday, August 22.

All entries shall have been made since September 1956.

Ribbons will be awarded only to entries listed in the fair book, but any article may be exhibited.

All entries shall be awarded according to Home Demonstration Club standards.

All entries of food must be canned or frozen fresh.

All entries must remain until 5:00 p. m. of the day on August 24.

All perishable foods should be brought in on day of judging.

All canned foods shall be labeled one-half inch from bottom of jar with owner's name and club.

All entries will be judged individually.

Each Blue Ribbon value three points.

Each Red Ribbon value two points.

Each White Ribbon value one point.

Ladies Dresses

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Casual, Tailored, House Dresses

Children's Clothes

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Boys Clothes, Girls Best Dresses, Girls School Clothes, Play Clothes

Hobbies

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Plaster, Ceramics

Crochet

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Crochet Hats, Purses, Baby Clothing, Gloves

Table Covers

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Crocheted, Embroidered, Cutwork

Textile Painting

Aprons, Towels, Pillow Cases, Cup Towels, Table Covers

Cooper

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Planter, Waste Basket, Pictures, Bookends

Quilts

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Pieced Quilts, Appliqued, Embroidered

Bedspreads

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Crocheted, Tailored.

Pillow Cases

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Appliqued, Embroidered, Italian Hemstitched, Sack, Crocheted, Drawn

Towels

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Italian Hemstitched, Painted, Monogramed

Accessories

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Fabric Hats, Fabric Purses, Cos-

Hilglad Home Opens Friday Night

Rev. and Mrs. L. Redden moved to Rotan Monday and are residing at 701 E Lee St.

Rev. Redden was born and reared in Sweetwater and was married to Willie Ramsey in 1929. He attended Wayland College in Planview and Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. During his 29 years of ministry Rev. Redden has pastored several churches in District 17 and District 8. For several years he has lived in Abilene, where he has done evangelistic and supply work.

Mrs. Redden has served in various places of leadership in Woman's Mission, Union work and serving as Young People's Director of Dist. 17.

The Reddens have two daughters, Mrs. Bruce Nance (Cleta) of Odessa, and Mrs. Roger Duck (Lavinia) now of Cranfills Gap, Texas, and soon to go with her family as missionaries to Venezuela.

Revival services will begin Friday night August 23, with Rev. Redden preaching and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Murphree leading in the song and praise service. Week day services will be held each morning at 10 o'clock and evening services, 7:30 for prayer meeting and 8 o'clock for song, praise and preaching services. Sunday services will be as usual. Sunday school at 10 a.m., with a class for all ages. Training Union at 7. The nursery will be open for all services.

The church cordially invites you to attend the services at Hillcrest and know you shall receive many blessings and will find a very warm welcome.

Shipp Child To Have Heart Surgery Tuesday

Kenneth O'Daniel Shipp, 7 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shipp will have major surgery at Parkland Children's Medical Center in Dallas next Tuesday. A specialist will conduct the surgery and a group of other heart specialists will assist. The operation is to correct a serious heart condition the child has had since birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Shipp plan to go to Dallas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Huckaby have returned from a 10-day trip to Dallas and South Texas points. Mr. Huckaby had check-up in Dallas and was given 5-months leave from the hospital. They report Fisher County had the best crops seen on the trip.

Lee Brown of Abilene had emergency appendectomy last Wednesday at Hendrick Memorial Hospital. He is recovering nicely and is now at his home.

Frances and Susan Newton of Snyder, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie McCombs and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Newton this week.

Handmade Novelties

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Driftwood centerpieces, stuffed dolls

Pillows

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Smocked Pillows

Pictures

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Textile, Glorified Glass Pictures, Oil

Foods

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Cakes

Frozen Vegetables, Fruits

1st, 2nd and 3rd places English Peas, Corn, String Beans, Blackeyed Peas, Okra, Squash, Peaches, Pineapple, Berries, Appricots

Pickles

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Peach, Bread and Butter, Beets, Cucumber (sweet sour or dill)

Canned Vegetables and Fruits

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Ceram Peas, English Peas, reen Corn, String Beans, Blackeyed Peas, Okra, Tomatoes, Squash, Peaches, Pineapple, Plums, Pears, Berries, Appricots, Jellies, Preserves, Jams

Reporter's Scrap Book

1st, 2nd and 3rd places Reporter's Scrap Book

The Women will have exhibits in down town Roby next to Neve's Dept. Store.

Sister Of Mr. Leon Dies At Rule

Mrs. Mary Estelle Leon Jackson, a long time resident of Rule, died at Stamford Hospital Sunday at 10:15 a.m. following a lengthy illness. She was a sister of C. E. Leon of Rotan.

Mrs. Jackson was the wife of a retired fireman and tourist court owner, and had been in Rule 51 years. She was born April 4, 1899 in Milan County. She and Mr. Jackson were married Jan. 26, 1926, in Rule.

Funeral was held Monday at 4:00 p.m. at the First Methodist Church with the pastor, the Rev. R. W. Brown, in charge. Assisting were the Rev. Rodney Dowdy, First Baptist Church pastor. Burial was in the Rule Cemetery.

Survivors, besides her husband, are three brothers, C. E. Leon of Rotan, M. T. Leon of Lubbock, and C. D. Leon of Abilene; a daughter, Mrs. R. D. Rappe of El Paso; a sister, Mrs. H. D. Weaver of Plainview, and two grandchildren.

Mrs. Jackson was a member of the First Methodist Church and a former president of the Philadelphia Study Club. She was also a member of the Garden Club.

Post Jubilee Plans Are Progressing

Post—Twenty-six candidates are in the race for Post Jubilee Queen, with the winner to be crowned on the opening night of the city's four day celebration, Sept. 14.

Also to be chosen from among the 26 hopefuls are a duchess and six attendants. The queen and her court will be official hostesses for the celebration.

Meanwhile, rehearsals are under way on "Caprock Cavalcades" which will tell the story of Post's history. The cast will include 350 people.

A highlight of the celebration is to be the dedication of a platform on which a life-size bronze statue of C. W. Post, the town's founder, will be erected later. The memorial circle which will enclose the statue, is being constructed on the Garza County courthouse lawn.

Mrs. R. T. Williams and her sister, Mrs. Maurice Blohm, their niece, Jane Moss of San Angelo, and Pat O'Farrell of Fort Worth, are enjoying a vacation and sight-seeing trip in Washington, D. C., New York and many other places. The trip is a high school graduation gift to the youngsters from their aunts, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Blohm.

Mrs. Stella Morrow returned home Sunday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Cal Lewis and sons at Edcouch. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Colyn Smith, Dolores Smith and Mary Nell Shoemaker of Colorado City. They also visited interesting places in Austin and San Antonio.

Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn, Mrs. R. D. Sartor, Mrs. H. L. Davis and Mrs. Ruple Morrow were among those from here attending the funeral of Mrs. Estelle Leon Jackson, sister of C. E. Leon, in Rule Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Posey, Emmett and Winnifred of El Paso, came Friday and visited her mother, Mrs. E. E. Patterson, until Tuesday.

Eva Gail Allen of Midland, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Allen, last week end. She is working as bookkeeper for an oil company.

Pvt. Charlie Lee Horton left Thursday night to return to Fort Chaffee, Ark., after visiting his wife and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Horton. He has completed his basic training at Fort Chaffee and will begin a typing course.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin White and Candy were in Abilene Thursday and Friday of last week to be with his father, Noth White, who had major surgery and has been very ill. Mr. and Mrs. White and Candy went back to Abilene Tuesday to see him.

Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Young of Denver City, spent last week end here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Young.

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

Cotton insects continue to cause damage of varied amounts in parts of Fisher County. Several different fields of cotton actually invaded by Careless Worms the latter part of last week. The worms seem to be leaving the field that are in the Soil Bank which have had a good cover of grass and weeds. Fields that have been invaded by the worms have been damaged heavily and the worms are actually defoliating the cotton as they move across it.

According to the Extension Service Entomologist, the Careless Worms can be controlled with a spray of 1 1-2 to 2 quarts of Toxaphene-DDT per acre, or a dust of Calcium Arsenate or a Toxaphene-Sulphur Dust applied at the rate of 10-15 pounds per acre.

These same insecticides and at the same rate are recommended for the control of leaf-worms, fleahoppers and bollworms. Most of the damage found in fields of cotton checked last week was from bollworms and maybe slight damage from fleahoppers.

Again we want to stress the importance of applying insecticides at the recommended amounts per acre and when using spraying machines, spray at around 60 pounds pressure and driving at a speed of about 3 1-2 miles per hour. The nozzle that is directly on the top of the row should be about 6 inches from the top of the cotton. All these points should be followed or order to get good control with the insecticides used and receive a higher return from our money and time invested in applying poison.

This year's late cotton crop and high rainfall may make cotton defoliation even more important in most sections of the state, according to Fred Elliott, extension cotton specialist. But this does not apply to the High Plains area where they need all of the maturity they can get to beat frost, he adds.

In the rest of the state where farmers must meet the pink bollworm deadline, the specialist says that defoliation will probably be necessary. In the sections of South Texas, the Gulf Coast and Central Texas where strippers are to be used, it is a must.

In Central Texas, the small plants and dry weather usually make it possible to use a stripper with only light defoliation. But with this year's increased rainfall, the plants are larger and Elliott says that defoliation may have to be used.

A publication just released by the Texas Agricultural Extension "Cotton Defoliation Guide for Texas", gives much information on the 1957 use of defoliants.

Included in this leaflet is a helpful chart that covers such points as the name of the defoliant, its chemical name, percent active ingredients, rate per acre and dilution information. The bulletin also tells when to apply the defoliant and contains sections on cautions and care of equipment.

Copies of L-145 are available from local county agents office.

Cottonseed hulls still are considered among the best for use in rations for fattening steers, but gin trash can serve as a good substitute. In feeding tests at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Ysleta steers fed a roughage mixture consisting of equal parts of cottonseed hulls and ground alfalfa hay made more gain than steers fed a like mixture of ground cottonseed gin trash and alfalfa hay.

The gin trash was worth about 90% as much in feeding value as the cottonseed hulls.

Interest in feeding gin trash usually occurs because of drought and the consequent scarcity and cost of hays, bundle feeds and cottonseed hulls.

Guests of Mrs. J. V. Hellums last week end were Mr. and Mrs. David Hellums of Austin, also Mrs. Margaret Cooper, who has been attending Texas University this summer and received her M.A. degree recently, returned here with them for a visit before going to Big Spring, where she teaches. Also visiting Mrs. Hellums and Mrs. Jas. B. Day was their sister, Mrs. Earl Keese, and Mr. Keese of Stamford.

Mrs. Wade Curry returned Sunday from a visit with her sisters in Abilene.

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CATSUP White Swan 14 oz. **19c**

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Potted Meat Campfire 3 1-4 Oz. 5 for **25c**

Vanilla Wafers 25c cello **19c**

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Q & Q Vermicelli 4 boxes **49c**

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Pork & Beans White Swan 3 300 can **29c**

TIDE King Size **\$1.29**

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Marshmallows, Kraft's Minatures, 6 1-4 oz. Pkg **17c**

KRAFT MUSTARD, 6 oz. **9c**

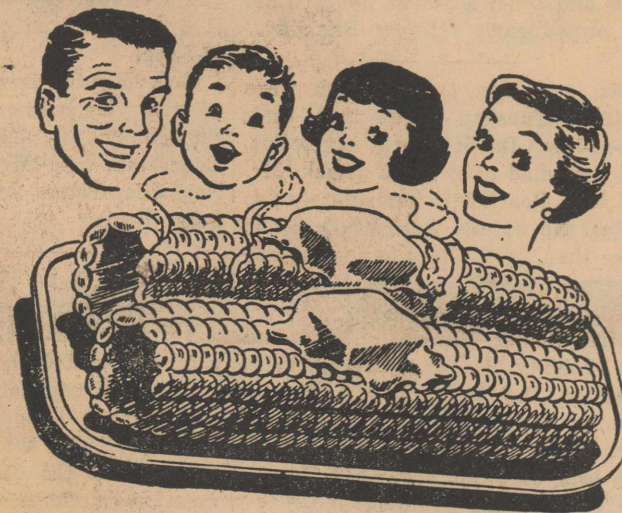
KRAFT AMERICAN CHEESE, 2 lb. box **99c**

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Grapes Thompson Seedless 2 lbs. **25c**

OKRA Small Tender 1 lb. **15c**

Tomatoes California Beef Steak Lb. **19c**

Blackeye Peas lb. **7 1/2c**

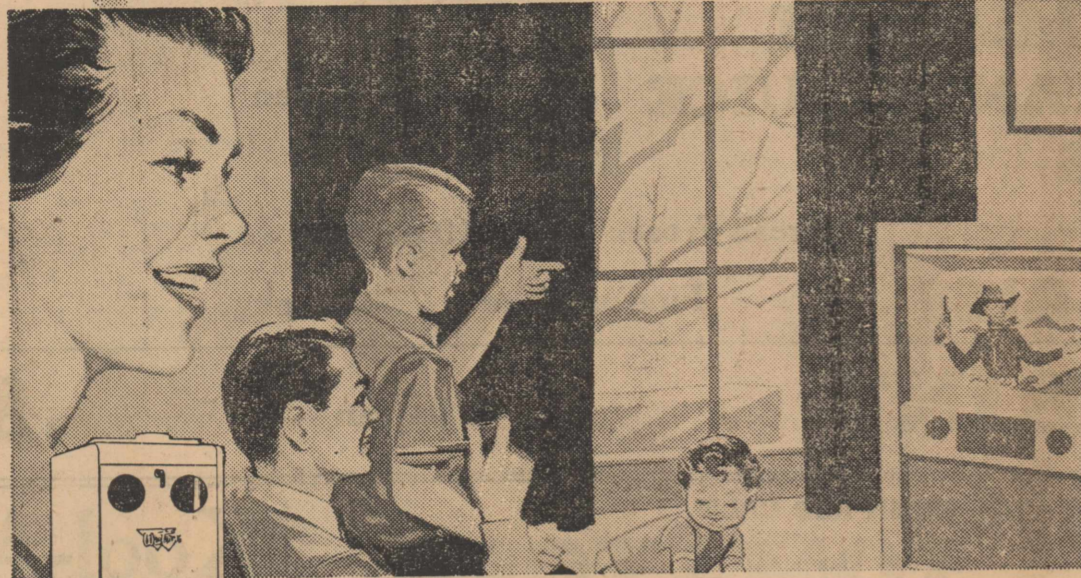
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Celery Large Bunch **19c**

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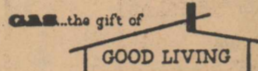
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**State Hospital Council
Will Be Organized
At Big Spring Aug. 27**

Big Spring.—Organization of a Volunteer Council for Big Spring State Hospital will be discussed Tuesday, Aug. 27, when representatives of service organizations from the hospital district meet at the hospital at 10 a.m.

Mrs. Walter P. Allen Jr. of Terrell, chairman of the State Volunteer Council for Mental Hospitals, will address the group, Dr. Preston Harrison, superintendent, says.

Dr. Harrison said Big Spring and other West Texas groups have contributed much to the patients in entertainment, gifts and other services, but there has been no organized volunteer program at the hospital. The meeting, he explained, is to explore the possibility of a volunteer council similar to those operating at other State hospitals. The State Volunteer Advisory Council and the State Hospital Development Association are cooperating in the exploratory meeting, he said.

Organizations in West Texas are invited to send representatives who will pass along to their members information given at the meeting.

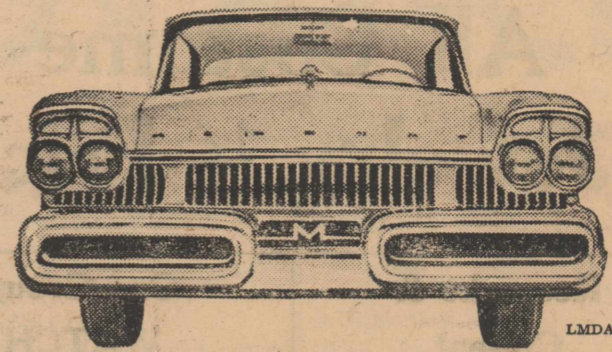
Mrs. Ira Thurman of Big Spring, recently accepted the position of volunteer coordinator for the hospital.

Mrs. Allen has said that organizations affiliated with the volunteer program in state hospitals number some million and a half members. During the past 11 months they have contributed more than 91,000 hours of direct service to patients and donated more than \$250,000 worth of items for the patients' use.

Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Big Spring, will preside at the Tuesday session.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smart and Kathleen of Dallas, visited his mother and sister, Mrs. J. T. Smart and Mrs. Phil J. Malouf and Mr. Malouf last week end.

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A little girl named Donna Lecia was born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Dry Aug. 15 in the St. Ann Hospital in Abilene. The father is employed in the Hughes Tool Co. of Phoenix, Ariz. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Dry of Roby, and Mrs. and Mrs. Dee Bland of Abilene.

Mrs. Lance Davis returned home Friday from Dallas, where she had been since undergoing surgery early in the summer. Her condition was quite serious several weeks and her many friends are glad she has improved sufficiently to return home.

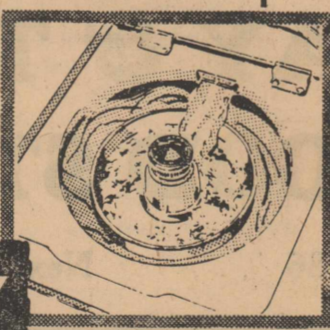
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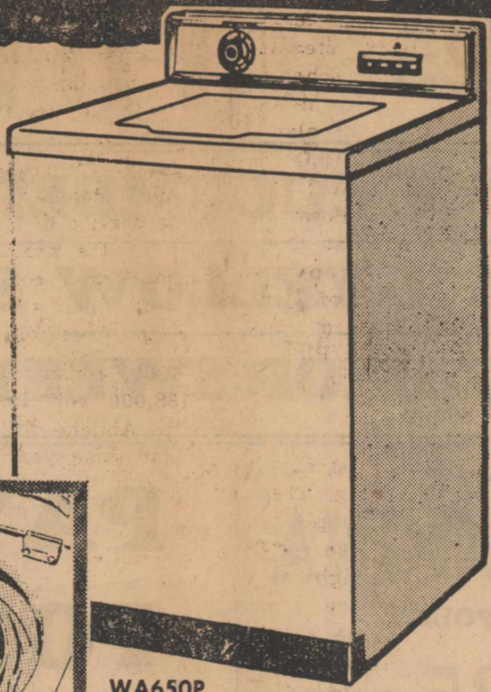
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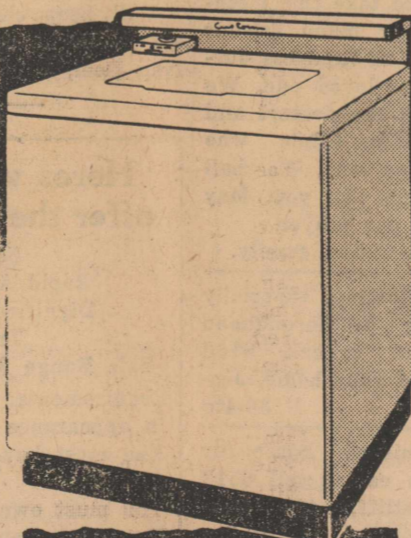
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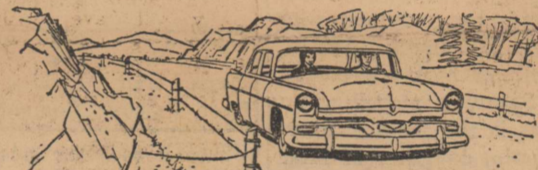
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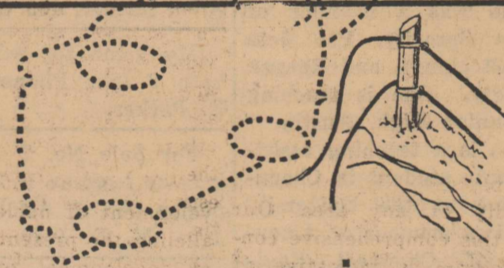
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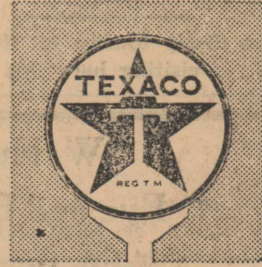
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rights for additional generation facilities at the Lake Pauline Plant and at the Paint Creek Plant.
The Abilene and Concho Plants will continue to be staffed and maintained as operating units of the company's generating system.
Additional distribution facilities such as main feeders, additional street lighting, capacitors and conversion of distribution systems to higher voltages account for the balance of the five-year program.

Mrs. Hellums Introduces Daughter-in-Law

To introduce her daughter-in-law, Mrs. David Hellums of Austin, Mrs. J. V. Hellums hosted a coffee in her home Saturday morning.

Mrs. Hellums is the former Marilyn Biel of Austin, daughter of Mrs. Mary Biel of that city, and of Alfred Biel of New Braunfels. She is a graduate of the University of Texas, where she was a member of Delta Gamma Sorority, Phi Beta Kappa, Blue Stockings, and Reagan Literary Society. She is teaching in Fairmore Junior High, Austin.

Mr. Hellums is a teaching assistant and graduate student in Chemical Engineering at the University of Texas. He is a member of American Institute of Chemical Engineers. He served 32 months in the Air Force. He is now on academic leave from Magnolia Petroleum Co., after serving as chemical engineer for that company in Beaumont for three years.

As guests arrived at the informal affair, Mrs. Hellums introduced the young Mrs. Hellums. The son stood with his wife and mother.

In the houseparty were two sisters of the hostess, Mrs. James B. Day of Rotan, and Mr. Earl Keese of Stamford, and Mrs. Hellums' daughter, Mrs. Margaret Cooper. Mrs. Keese and Mrs. Bill Day presided at the refreshment table.

Table was laid with maderia cloth, and centered with white asters and mums in cut glass crystal bowl. Table appointments were in crystal, silver and China.

Garden flowers appointed entertaining rooms of the Hellums home. Mrs. Day presided at the guest registry.

Other affairs that honored the couple during their visit here was a family dinner hosted by Mrs. Hellums, and a backyard steak barbecue hosted for the family at the Hill Day home.

Miss Betty Hardy of Santa Fe, N. M., is visiting here this week.

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For Sale, Used Refrigerators, Ranges and Washing Machines—Home Lumber Company.

Two houses for sale, one 8 room with 2 baths and one small apartment house, both are nice houses, priced to sell. Call 6513 or see Allen Ratliff, 408 Garfield av. 30-tp

My home for sale. 5 rooms and bath 9 lots. Phone 6631.—Mrs. L. E. Parker. 31-4tc

For Sale No. 2 Alfalfa Hay 75c bale as long as it lasts. Will have plenty No. 1 Alfalfa in about 30 days. M. D. Ivey. 28-2tc

Two bed room house at 907 E. 8th st. in Rotan for sale or trade for house in Snyder. Phone 8141. C. D. Hicks Rotan Texas. 31-3tp

For rent, furnished house, 2 rooms and bath, bills paid.—Mrs. Betty Seaton, 501 Burnside. 31-2tc

For Sale, used upright piano, can show in Rotan Labor Day week end, write Mrs. Tommy Edwards, 5003 Pershing Ft. Worth. 31-2c

FOR RENT
For Rent, 4 room house, call 7521 Jewell McSpadden. 28-2tp

For rent, 3 room, private bath, air conditioned upstairs apartment. Call 8194. 31-4tc

Apartment for rent, close-in on Garfield, 3rd house north of Riley Drug, call 4575, Mrs. Fancher 25-1f

For Rent, furnished house at 705 E. MacArthur. 2 bedrooms. 2 baths, D. L. Smith, phone 321. 30-2p

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CORN, STRAWBERRIES	Fresh Frozen Cut 10 oz. box Fine on Cake 10 oz. pkg.	15c 15c
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FRYERS 39c

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We would like to take this method of thanking our many friends for their every act of kindness during the loss of our loved one. We also want to thank the doctors and nurses of the Callan Clinic who were so faithful and kind. We shall never forget friends like you. May God bless you, is our prayer.
Mrs. J. A. Ratliff and family.

Want to buy clothing, especially childrens. Bring to Secondhand Store on Cleveland or call 8166 and I will come to your home, Jessie R. Hicks. 30-4tc

Nice clean furnished house—for rent close in also cabins call 6513 or see Allen Ratliff, 408 Garfield ave. 30-2tp

Will do your Sewing for girls 6 to 12; sport shirts for boys, 6 to 14 years. Mrs. R. W. Woodson, phone 5894. 28-4tp

Those who left dishes at Mrs. J. A. Ratliff's may get same at Dorothy Soliz home.

Lost—Ladies' (Dolly Madison) Bulova wrist watch Sunday after-

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Will keep children in my home all hours except Sundays.—Mrs. Ivan Deel, 501 Johnson St. 31-3tp

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Mrs. Fern Benson returned Monday from a visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. James Jr. in Baytown.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Williamson went to Hamilton Tuesday to visit his aunt, Mrs. Ida Shook, several days.

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CANTALOUPE, lb.	8c
TOMATOES, lb.	18c
CRISCO, 3 lb can	89c
SUGAR, 10 pounds	89c
White Swan MILK, 2 tall cans	29c
GEBHARDTS TAMALES, tall can	19c
White Swan Crushed PINEAPPLE, No. 2 can	27c
Diamond Tomato Juice, 46 oz. can	25c
GIANT TIDE,	73c
PURE LARD, 3 lb. crtn.	63c
KIMBELLS FLOUR, 25 lbs.	\$1.79
DRESSED FRYERS, lb.	39c
CHUCK ROAST, lb.	49c
OLEO, lb.	19c

YOUNG'S MARKET

4-H Club Group Enjoy Electric Demonstration

Sara Jane Cave, Arminta Kemp, Weldon Van Liew and Lynn Gibson, 4-H Club members from Fisher county and County Extension Agents James S. Norman and Max Sturdivant were among the more than 150 4-H club boys and girls, adult leaders and County Extension Agents from the 22 West Texas counties making up District 3, that attended the Electrical Demonstration Day held at the Wilbarger Memorial Auditorium in Vernon on August 15.

The one-day school was sponsored jointly by the West Texas Utilities Company and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

J. L. Curley Hayes, WTU Farm and Ranch Advisor, opened the program at 10:00 o'clock with introductions and group assignments, following the registration of delegates. The boys and girls were divided into two groups. At 10:15 the two groups of boys saw electrical demonstrations on the use of evaporative coolers for cooling poultry houses and beef cattle barns, and the construction of infra red heat lamps. These demonstrations were given by Bill Allen, Agricultural Engineer, Extension Service and Bob Jaska, research associate of the Agricultural Department of Texas A & M.

The two groups of girls attended demonstrations on Home Lighting, given by G. C. Osborne and E. V. Price with the West Texas Utilities Company. Betty Chowning WTU Home Economist gave a demonstration on Cooking with small appliances.

At noon the group were guests of West Texas Utilities Company for lunch which was served at the dining room of the Wilbarger Memorial Auditorium.

The afternoon session was held in the auditorium where four electrical demonstrations were presented by a 4-H club team from each of the four demonstration groups.

Arminta Kemp was a member of one of the teams and game the demonstrations on proper and correct home lighting.

J. R. Phillips briefly Friday as they were going to Waco to visit his mother.

Mrs. Jennie Boone received a message Sunday night, Aug. 11, telling of the death of her son, Weldon Boone, in Dawson Springs, Ky. Mr. Boone, age 41, died suddenly Sunday of a heart attack. He had spent a week visiting his mother and the family of a sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Branch, just recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bridges, John Ed and Kerry Weems of Fort Worth visited Mrs. Ed Parker and other relatives and friends here last week end.

Austin.—Those twin menaces—cancer and heart disease—hung up a grim new record for the number of Texans killed last year a final tabulation of death statistics shows.

Of a grand total of 69,671 death from all causes during 1956, almost half were due either to heart disease or to cancer. Heart disease killed 22,888 while cancer claimed 10,168.

While the number of cancer deaths has increased perceptibly in the past three years, the increase has little real significance. The rate of deaths from cancer in Texas is still well below the rate for the United States as a whole; This state registered 112 deaths from cancer for each 100,000 population, while the rate for the rest of the nation was 146 deaths per 100,000 population.

The disparity between the Texas-U. S. cancer death rate is probably due to the fact that Texas has a younger population. Cancer is a disease that usually strikes people past 50 years of age. Of the 10,000 cancer deaths last year, 8213 of them were among persons past the half century mark.

Increases in the number of persons dying of heart disease is becoming bitterly significant. For instance, almost 1800 more persons died from this cause during 1956 than died in 1955.

Most of the increase is in the age group 55 and over. And therein lies the irony: normal life span has been lengthened to an age where heart disease has a field day.

The same reason—longer life spans—is obviously behind the remarkable gain in the United States death rate from heart afflictions. Almost 15,000 more Americans died of heart disease last year than died in 1955.

As life expectancy continues to increase, more and more people are going to fall victim to heart disease. And although this fate cannot be avoided, it can be delayed. Here is a simple four-point regimen for staving it off as long as possible.

1. Reduce tensions of "modern living", and get moderate exercise. A non-strenuous hobby is beneficial.
2. Eliminate excessive weight that taxes your heart. Do not over-eat.
3. If you must smoke, cut your consumption of cigarettes to less than a pack daily. Smoking constricts the flow of blood and places an extra load on the heart.
4. Above all, see your family physician at least once annually for a thorough physical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parks visited relatives in Dallas several days last week.

ABOUT YOUR HEALTH



A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health, HENRY A. HOLLE, M.D., Commissioner

New Fishing Law

A new Sports Fishing Law which increases fishing license fees becomes effective Sept. 1, 1957. The additional revenue will enable the Game and Fish Commission to increase its work program by about 25 percent and will generally benefit Texans interested in better fishing.

The new law states in effect, that it shall be unlawful for any person to fish in any waters of this state without first obtaining a fishing license, according to Ed Cooper, wildlife conservation specialist.

The exceptions to this law, says Cooper, are persons under 17 and over 65 years of age; any person, or member of such persons immediate family when fishing upon property he owns or upon which he resides; and persons fishing with trot-

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line, throw line, or ordinary gill net or line having no reel or other hauling device when fishing in the vicinity of his residence. No other fishing license shall be required of a person who holds a commercial license issued in this state, with the specialist.

The new law differs from the old one in ways besides fee change. Unlike the old law, the new one is not concerned with the type of bait to be used. Another difference is that the license fee is the same for Texans and out-of-state residents. The new law which requires salt water anglers to be licensed and charges a lower fee to non-residents paves the way for a reciprocal licensing program with some of our neighboring states, says Cooper.

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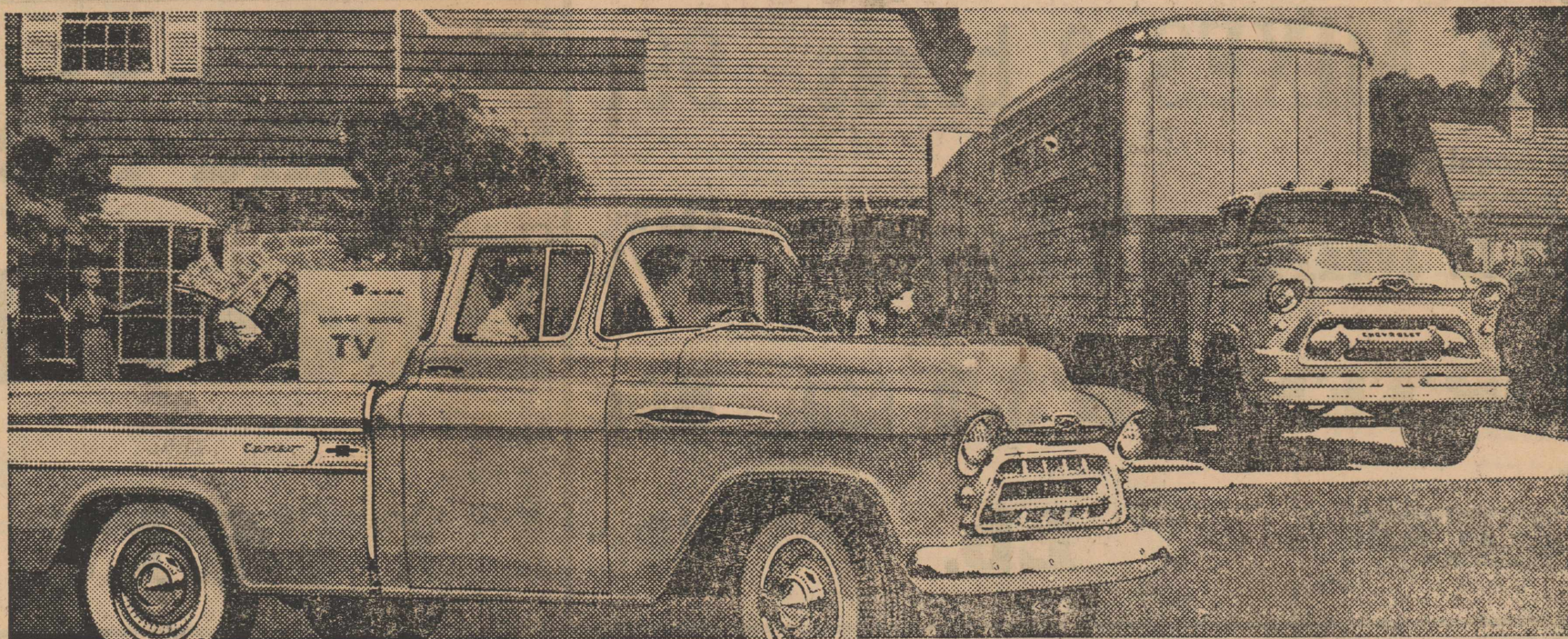
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Miracle Whip Salad **DRESSING** qt. **55c**

Velveeta **Cheese** 2 Lb. Box **89c**

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Firm Green **Cabbage** lb. **5c**

No. 1 Yellow **ONIONS** Lb. **5c**

Home Grown **Cantaloupes** Lb. **10c**

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California **Oranges** 5 Lb. Bag **49c**

Comet **CLEANSER** 2 cans **26c**

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Sunday School Class Feted In SoRelle Home

The Adult I Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church had a party out at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frankie SoRelle Tuesday night. Refreshments of sandwiches, pie and home made ice cream were served. 42 and other games were enjoyed by all.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Fay Gooch, Mr. and Mrs. Murl McKimney, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Don Rollins, Mr. and Mrs. Harold King, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham, Mr. and Mrs. George Watson, Imogene Head, Evon Grissom.

Mrs. R. M. Smith and daughter, Mrs. Weldon Callan and Lois Ann of Spur, spent from Wednesday until Monday in Fort Worth and Dallas visiting and attending to business.

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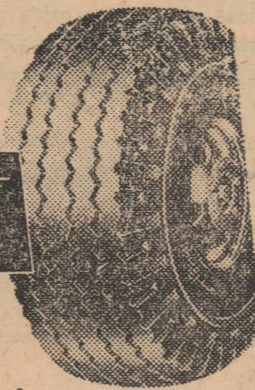
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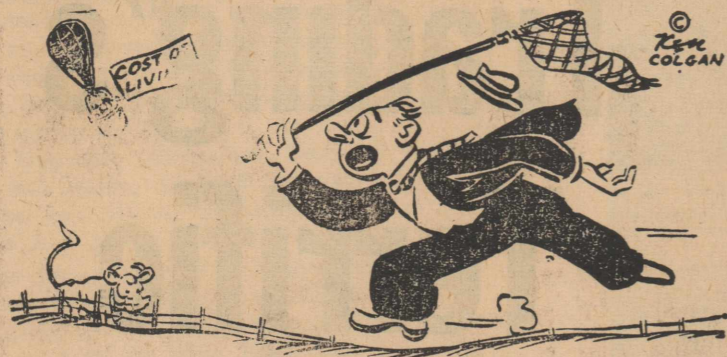
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Goodrum last week end were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Goodrum and Denny of Concord, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. Dave Blanks, Mary and Bob of Ada, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Goodrum and Craig of Abilene, also Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Goodrum and Donald of Rotan.

Mrs. Nell Bearden of Greenville, visited her mother-in-law, Mrs. Jennie Boone, and sister-in-law, Mrs. W. T. Branch, and Mr. Branch last week end. Mrs. Bearden has been supervisor of the Greenville schools several years.

Mr. and Mr. H. C. Baillio went to Freeport Thursday to see their new granddaughter, Janice Rene, two weeks old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hardin. She was born Aug. 8. They returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Dennis visited in Snyder Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Brigrance of Big Spring, visited her mother, Mrs. L. A. Dowell, Sunday.



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DIAL 281

WEST TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY

69,000-volt and 138,000-volt TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

CONSTRUCTION PLANNED

New Generating Units —

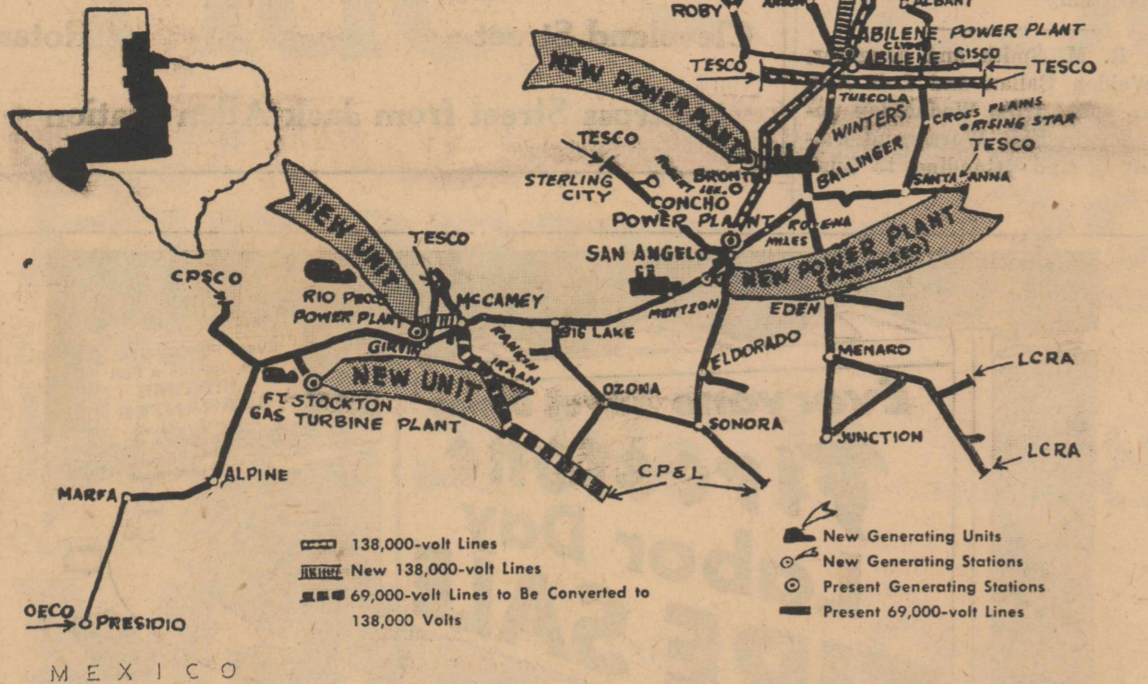
Fort Stockton 5,000 KW Unit (1956-1958)
 Rio Pecos 36,500 KW Unit (1957-1959)
 Paint Creek 53,000 KW Unit (1957-1959)

New Power Plants —

Oak Creek 75,000 KW Unit (1958-1961)
 San Angelo (proposed) (? ?)

New Transmission Lines —

138,000-volt Line, Point Creek to Oklahoma (1958)
 138,000-volt Line, Point Creek to Abilene (1959)
 138,000-volt Line, Rio Pecos to C P & L (1959)



WTU Plans Big Expansion Program

West Texas Utilities Company has announced plans to spend an estimated \$51,000,000 during the next five years for construction of new electric facilities in West Texas.

Cal Young, WTU president, said the company's expansion plans were based on recently completed surveys and studies which indicate that West Texas will greatly increase its use of electricity by 1961.

"Most of the proposed five-year outlay will go for the construction of new plants and installation of additional generating equipment, new transmission lines and expanded distribution facilities," Young said.

New generating equipment for WTU, including one new power plant, is expected to cost over \$22,500,000 and will increase by more than two-thirds the company's system generating capability.

WTU plans to spend almost \$15 million during the next five years for the construction and improvement of distribution facilities. Another \$11,500,000 has been allocated for the building of a new high voltage transmission lines connecting WTU power plants and load centers. The remainder of the planned expenditure will be used primarily for general construction and improvement of WTU facilities.

"Electric power consumption is an accurate barometer of the health and prosperity of any area. Our undertaking this comprehensive construction program is indicative of our continued confidence in the future of the area we serve," Young said. "We are determined to do whatever is necessary to maintain a dependable and adequate supply of economical electric power for the anticipated industrial expansion of the area as well as for the expected increase in requirements of our domestic and commercial customers."

The announcement of the con-

struction plans begins the second decade of the long-range expansion program begun at the end of World War II. Since then, WTU has invested \$60 million for new facilities and for enlarging existing facilities to provide electric power for West Texas.

Since 1946, the number of electric customers has increased 43%, from 72,860 to 104,000. The peak load has more than tripled, increasing from 73,400 kilowatts to 243,500 kilowatts. During the decade, the company's generating capability has almost tripled, increasing from 88,180 to 250,500 kilowatts.

Estimates of future growth indicate that by 1961 the peak load will increase to 366,000 kilowatts.

The new generating facilities covered by this five-year construction program will add 170,500 kilowatts to the company's system generating capability. Upon completion of the program in 1961, the company will have available a total generating capacity of 421,000 kilowatt generating capability.

It was pointed out that since World War II, not only has the number of residential customers increased by almost 47% but individual customers, by adding electrical appliances such as ranges, dryers, air conditioning units, television and other new appliances, have doubled their use of electric service. It is estimated that by 1961, the residential customer's usage will have increased another 50%.

WTU is also interested in the development of nuclear power. Paralleling the present \$51 million power development program, the company is participating in nuclear research activities.

Young pointed out that West Texas Utilities has for some time been associated with the Sargent and Lundy group, designers of nuclear installations at Argonne National Laboratories, Lemont, Illinois. More recently, WTU joined with 10 other private utility companies in Texas to form the Texas Atomic En-

ergy Research Foundation.

This non-profit Foundation recently completed arrangements with General Dynamics Corporation for a four-year, \$10 million research program in the field of controlled thermonuclear reactions.

Young added that in the immediate future it was not likely that nuclear fuels would become economically competitive with natural gas for electric production.

WTU's construction program is already underway. Work of installing a 5,000 kilowatt gas turbine unit at WTU's gas turbine station northwest of Fort Stockton began earlier this year. The new gas turbine unit will be in service in 1958.

Construction for the addition of major steam units at the company's Paint Creek and Rio Pecos Plants will begin this fall.

A 53,000 kilowatt steam turbine unit will be added at the Paint Creek Plant on Lake Stamford in Haskell County. Construction will begin next month. The unit is scheduled to be in operation in May, 1959, increasing the plant's capacity to 126,000 kilowatts.

At the Rio Pecos Plant near McCombs, a 36,500 kilowatt steam unit will be added. Work is scheduled to begin this fall. The new steam unit to be added to the plant is designed for use with a 5,000 kilowatt gas turbine unit at the plant. The three 6,000 kilowatt steam units now operating at the plant will be maintained for peak load use. On completion of installation of the new unit in the spring of 1959, the Rio Pecos Plant will have a capacity of 59,500 kilowatts.

A new power plant will be constructed on Oak Creek in the northeast corner of Coke County. The 117 acre site selected for the plant is on the west shore of the lake and is immediately adjacent to highway 70. A 57 acre portion of the site has been purchased from the City of Sweetwater, and the company is negotiating with Charles Copeland,

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Coke County ranchman, for the purchase of an additional 60 acres to complete the tract.

Construction of the new power plant will begin early next year. The first 75,000 kilowatt unit is scheduled to be in operation in 1961. The ultimate capacity of the plant will be 225,000 kilowatts.

This new plant to be located eleven and one-half miles north of Bronte and three and one-half miles south of Blackwell will be approximately in the geographic center of the company's system. Being almost equidistant from Abilene and San Angelo, the plant will be well situated to supply the additional power requirements for both cities and the surrounding areas.

The 138,000 volt transmission line connecting Abilene and San Angelo, which is now nearing completion, extends within two to three miles of the new plant location. A 138,000 volt transmission loop will connect the new plant to the Abilene-San Angelo line.

WTU has purchased water rights on Oak Creek Lake from the Gulf Oil Corporation. Gulf had previously purchased the rights from the City of Sweetwater—owners of the lake. A contract between the utility company and Sweetwater regarding future use of water from the lake has been completed.

The increasing of generating capability is only a part of providing electric power. Transmission lines, substations and distribution systems must be expanded and increased in size, capacity and quantity in order to get electricity to town and customers.

To supplement and strengthen the present 2,652 miles of high voltage transmission lines serving West Texas, WTU plans to have in operation by 1960 a continuous 138,000 volt transmission line from the Oklahoma border near Quanah to San Angelo and another 138,000 volt line from the Rio Pecos Plant at McCombs to Val Verde County in southwest Texas.

The transmission line from Oklahoma to San Angelo will provide continuous 138,000 volt interconnection for WTU's Lake Pauline Plant, the Paint Creek Plant in Haskell County, the Abilene Plant, the new Oak Creek Plant and the Concho Plant at San Angelo. This line will also connect with the Public Service Company of Oklahoma system to provide an additional source of power.

The line from McCombs to Val Verde County will connect at the northern boundary of Val Verde County with Central Power & Light Company's system providing additional power from that area.

The Oklahoma-San Angelo line will be in service in 1958 when construction of the northern segments of the line are completed. New 138,000 volt lines will be built between Paint Creek Plant and Munday and from Lake Pauline to the Oklahoma border. The existing 69,000 volt line from Lake Pauline to Munday will be converted to 138,000 volts.

In 1959, construction of a second 138,000 volt line from Paint Creek to Abilene will begin.

In that same year, ten miles of 138,000 volt line will be built from the Rio Pecos Plant at McCombs and the present 69,000 volt line from the Central Power & Light Company connection in Val Verde County will be converted to 138,000 volt line.

These 138,000 volt lines will be operated in connection with the 69,000 volt system which interconnects with the Southwestern Public Service Company on the north, the Texas Electric Service Company on the east and west, and the lower Colorado River Authority on the south, in addition to the interconnections with the Public Service Company of Oklahoma and Central Power & Light Company. These interconnections with other utilities provide for a flow of electric power either into or out of the system as needed.

Not included in the present five year construction budget, but an integral part of future planning, is a proposed new plant in the San Angelo area. Under terms of sale of the water system to the city of San Angelo in 1950, WTU retained water rights sufficient to add approximately 90,000 kilowatts of capacity at the existing Concho Plant in San Angelo or at one of the city's lakes. Current plans indicate the possibility of a new plant being constructed on the Three Rivers Reservoir when completed. Young said that he was confident that satisfactory details could be worked out with the City of San Angelo.

The company also owns water

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MAN LOVES WATER

"Can any man forbid water, that these should not be baptized, which have received the Holy Ghost as well as we?" (Acts 10:47.) Man loves water in almost every phase of his life, he loves a cool drink of water on a hot day to slake his thirst. Should his home become endangered by fire, he loves water. After a period of extreme dry weather, when crops and health are threatened, he sometimes prays for rain, and rejoices when the rains come. But in religion, notwithstanding the importance of it, and the important place that God has given it, man will deliberately deny it the place that God intended for it to occupy, yet he will accept it in other realms of endeavor.

Some people will teach that baptism in water is not commanded by the Holy Ghost; that it has nothing to do with eternal life; and that men are saved before they are ever baptized. NO MAN CAN READ THAT FROM GOD'S WORD, therefore all who so affirm come under the condemnation of the Holy Ghost. Paul says "let him be anathema." (Gal. 1:9). Others swing to the other extreme in their minimizing the Holy Ghost's command relating to baptism and ridiculing it, deliberately substituting sprinkling and pouring for immersion and showing their disrespect for the word of God concerning baptism. In spite of the fact that God placed water in the religion of Christ and in spite of his love for water in every field of life; man seems to hate the idea of water in religion.

In 1 Peter 3:21, Peter compares our salvation by baptism with the deliverance of Noah's family by water. (He said: "Wherein (the ark) few, that is eight souls were saved by water. The like figure whereunto even baptism doth also now save us (not the putting away of the filth of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God) by the resurrection of Jesus Christ." Leaving out the parenthetical clause, the passage simply states that "baptism doth now also save us by the resurrection of Jesus Christ." So Peter says that baptism saves us—and any explanation that says it does not is a perversion and a contradiction of the Holy Ghost speaking through the Apostle Peter.

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