

Rotan Homecoming Set For Nov. 15-16

Rotan School Homecoming has been set for November 15-16 at a recent committee meeting. Plans have been started to make this one of the best reunions in the history of the organization.

A meeting is set for tonight at the high school cafeteria at 8:00 p.m. Everyone interested in homecoming is urged to attend that meeting and have some suggestion to make this year's event a grand success.

The out of town exes make special effort to attend and if local folks will get behind the homecoming this will be the biggest yet.

Football Seating Arrangement Changed

The School Board amended the policy of seating arrangements at the football field for home games at its meeting of Sept. 9. The following arrangement is announced:

Sec. A will be for Band, Pep Squad and student holders of 50c admission tickets.

Sec. B is designated as the reserved seat section for home side at a charge of \$1.25 per person, per seat, per game. Advance tickets may be purchased at Morrow Drug.

Sec. C designated as non-reserved seats, with general admission for adults at \$1, students 50c per person.

All Pre-school age children may sit in this section.

The west side is designated as visitors side. The north end of this side will be reserved for visiting band and pep squad. South end of this side will be for those people holding general admission tickets of \$1, students 50c, and pre-school children may sit in this section.

Center section of west side will be sold at \$1.25 per game.

The School Board would like to call attention that the free parking space east of field is lighted and patrolled and no charge is made for parking in this area. The Board also requests that all home people use this parking space in order to better serve visitors while visiting our football stadium. They also advise that the parking lot has three exits, which greatly facilitates dispersing crowds following games.

Your cooperation in this matter is earnestly solicited.

Watson Now Making Pictures Full-Time

George Watson announces that he is now devoting full time to his photography business. He has worked part time on this while holding a position with Rotan Theatres, but has resigned and will now be available at any hour to take pictures.

Mrs. E. A. Watson went to Lubbock Saturday to visit her daughter.

Open Letter

An open letter to Rotan and surrounding communities.

To all of our friends that are so close to our hearts, we wish to express to you our appreciation for all the kind things you have done for us while living in Rotan and pastoring Crossroads Church. Memories will live on from the fine merchants, doctors, nurses and administration of the hospital, and each of our friends throughout the days ahead. Many times your friendly smile or speaking to us has meant more than words can ever express.

To the ones that found Jesus as their Savior through our ministry, we wish for a spiritual growth thru each day of your life. To those that still do not know Jesus as personal Savior, we humbly say a prayer for you that you will accept Him before it is too late.

Sincerely,
The Vergil Smiths.

Hospital News

Local medical patients in Callan Hospital from Sept. 3 to Sept. 11 were Mrs. Marcus Medrano, Mrs. Eugene Baker, Mrs. John Denton, Carl Hendrix, John Burnett (baby), Mrs. Lucy Smith, W. D. Rushing, Rex Gladson, Mrs. Carl Test, Mrs. John L. Ashton, Johnny Donaldson, Mrs. T. D. Donaldson, Mrs. O. S. Kiker, Mrs. F. H. Sawyer, Jackie Wasson, Mrs. C. V. Counts.

Out of town medical patients were Sherry Barnett of Aspermont, Mrs. Bessie Pearson of Jayton, Larry Jones of Post, Mrs. John Stewart of Sweetwater, Jim Hillard of McCaulley, Mrs. E. D. Burns of Midland, Mrs. W. E. Dyess of Clairmont, Don Adair of Hamlin, Mrs. W. C. Gordon of Snyder, Mrs. Hugh Jeffrey of Sylvester, Mrs. Floyd Hall of Jayton.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Burns of Midland Sept 10.

THE ROTAN ADVANCE

First 1957 Bale Ginned Monday

First bale of 1957 cotton was ginned in Rotan Monday at 5:00 p.m. by Obie Wright of the Wright community on the Leonard Branch place north of town.

The bale, ginned by Foster Miller Gin was 2080 pounds of lint cotton and turned out a 520 pound bale.

Ernest Taggart, gin manager bought the cotton at 35c. Rotan Chamber of Commerce presented Mr. Wright with \$50 cash premium.

September 9 is a very late date for the first bale here which of course was caused partly by late planting, but little cotton is now opening. Most farmers report their stalks loading up and with recent rains, estimates on the yield are much higher.

Hammers Drop First Game To Archer City

The Yellowhammers dropped their first game of the season to Archer City here last Friday night.

With a lopsided score of 28-6, the Wildcats with an experienced strong team overpowered the Hammers 28-6. Wilbur Taylor scored the lone Yellowhammer touchdown in the final minutes of the game on a three-yard plunge.

The locals have an open date this week then meet the strong Haskell team here.

Coach Cummins and Watkins are putting their charges through stiff workouts and although we are short on materials and experience, a formidable team will probably be developed during the season.

Mann Reunion

A family reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mann Sunday with guest of honor, his mother, Mrs. T. M. Clark.

Among the group attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mann, James and Glenn; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cahill, Mr. and Mrs. Champ Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mann, Clayton Mann and family, Mrs. L. A. Hobson of Iowa Park, Mrs. Pauline Allen of Long Beach, Calif.; Mrs. Ollie Stephenson of Iowa Park.

All but one of her eight grandchildren were present and 10 great grandchildren were there.

Out of town relatives and friends attending the wedding of Patsy Blount and Joe Don Lawrence Sunday afternoon were: Donnie Ray Kimbrell, Joe Karr, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Simple, Darlene Scott, Frances Neves, all of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Deel, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Neves and Betty Ann, all of Roby, Mrs. Adrian Iverson, Oma Ann Iverson and Shirley Price of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Edwards and two sons returned recently from a visit with her brother and family, Rev. Floyd Strickland, Mrs. Strickland and children. They also visited Will Rogers' home, the Knott Berry Farm, Disneyland, Hollywood and many other interesting places.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Jones of Fremont, recently visited Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wright.

HD Club Met Thursday In O. R. Nowlin Home

The Rotan Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon, Sept. 5, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Nowlin. After a short business session, conducted by the president, Mrs. L. E. Wright, three ladies, Mrs. Howard Noles of Roby, Mrs. Jerry Maberry of McCaulley, and Mrs. C. G. Campbell of Rotan gave very interesting reports on the convention they recently attended in Houston.

An invitation to join the club is extended to anyone interested. We need you and believe the club would be a help to you, especially to young homemakers. Contact any club member for information. There are no dues to be paid.

The next meeting will be Thursday, Sept. 19, with Mrs. Viola Henderson.

Others attending were Mrs. Ab Aaron, visitor, and members were Mmes. Archie Ragan, Homer Aaron, Barney Bigham, Cloe Shell, Champ Clark, Vernon Frazier, and Roy Wasson.

Driving Rain and Hail Hits Late Wednesday

Rainfall during the past week up to 6:00 p. m. Wednesday was gauged at 1.07 inch. Heaviest fall was Saturday which showed .84 inch.

A driving rain late Wednesday evening was accompanied by light hail, and as we go to press at 7:00 p. m., strong wind and heavy rainfall is moving in from the northwest, much small hail accompanies, which will probably cause some damage to crops.

This moisture will greatly benefit crops even at this late stage, and forecast from the weather bureau is for continued rains.

Mrs. Garland Member Of Dist. PTA Board

The Board of Managers of Eighteenth District of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers will meet in the high school auditorium of Hamlin in Wednesday, September 18.

Mrs. T. A. Swenson, state representative, will speak to the group, and will conduct two parliamentary courses while in the district.

Tuesday Mrs. Swenson will be presented by the Snyder PTA City Council at the Snyder High School auditorium, and on Thursday she will conduct a course in Spur in the home of Mrs. Horace Wood, 701 N. Williard. Both courses begin at 9:30 a. m., and are open to all members of the Eighteenth District. Material for the course should be ordered individually from the State PTA office at a cost of 50 cents.

Mrs. Bob Herren of Haskell, president of eighteenth district will preside at the board meeting. Mrs. M. F. Garland of Rotan is a member of the board.

Hillcrest Baptist Church News

Bro. Redden pastor left Monday morning for Ft. Worth where he will preach for a revival in Forest Hill Drive Baptist Church, the next two weeks. Bro. Marvin Leach of Abilene will supply for him here. You are invited to attend services.

Ladies of W.M.U. met with the W.M.U. of First Baptist Church Monday afternoon, and enjoyed a portion of the Week of Prayer program. The ladies will have charge of Wednesday night services and continue the week's program. They will meet Friday for final program and then do their community missions project.

A good number of young people enjoyed Youth Fellowship in the pastors home after Sunday night services. This arrangement will be followed each Sunday night. If you are in this age group and do not attend church elsewhere, you are welcome to come worship with the group and enjoy the fellowship of Christian young people.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Shelton returned from Phoenix Wednesday and will leave for Ann Arbor, Michigan Thursday. They have been visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Shelton for the past week.

Dr. and Mrs. Weldon Callan and daughter Lois Ann of Spur, spent Sunday here with their mothers, Mrs. R. M. Smith and Mrs. Mozella Callan. Lois Ann went to Amirolo Monday and entrained with a group of girls from several states for Columbia, Mo., where she will be a student at Stephens College.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cavitt of the Hobbs community, were in Sweetwater Saturday to be with their niece, Lora Cavitt, 14, one of the 12 girls who were injured Friday afternoon by lightning that killed two girls. Lora was hospitalized, but has recovered sufficiently to be moved home.

Judge and Mrs. H. F. Grindstaff made a business trip to Abilene Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Simpson of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Griggs of Tulsa, recently visited their sister, Mrs. C. M. Hackaby.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parker and daughters, Sherry and Candy of Brownwood, visited his mother, Mrs. Clennis B. Parker, last week end, recovering nicely.

George McDonald Resigns From Council

George McDonald resigned as City Councilman Tuesday, after serving about 2 years in that capacity.

Mr. McDonald stated that due to shortage in help in the pharmacy, he was unable to devote necessary time to the city place and that he felt he should resign under those circumstances.

He as well as the other members of the Council spend much time on this free service job.

Vergil Smith Named To Post at HS-U

Vergil Smith, 35, June graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, has been employed by the University as assistant bookstore manager, president Evan Allard Reiff has announced.

Smith was a Bible major. He pastored churches in Rotan, Potosi and Hamlin. He only recently resigned as pastor of the Crossroads Baptist Church near Rotan, after serving 27 months.

Smith attended public schools in Rule. He was a farmer at Paint Creek in Haskell County for a time. He served 23 months in the Merchant Marines during the war. His wife is the former Versa Hise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hise of Haskell. They have one son, Mike, 7. Smith's parents are Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith of Rule.

Attending Funeral In Oklahoma

Frank and Mitchell Nayfa left Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of a brother-in-law, Mitchell Cohlma, at Wynoka, Okla. Service is to be held Thursday.

Mr. Cohlma died at 8:00 a. m. Tuesday after a brief illness. They joined other members of the Nayfa family in Sweetwater for the trip to Wynoka. Mr. Cohlma is survived by his wife, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nayfa, and by two small children.

Other College Students

The following names of Rotan young people going to college were accidentally omitted last week: Texas University, Dolores Martinez, Donald Lewis, Jim Watson, Becky Strickland, Freddy Smith, Nibs O'Brian, Joe Kennedy.

Tarleton State College, Jerry Black, Joe Burnes, Sam Houston State Teachers College, Denny Ivey, Stan Edwards, McMurry College, Jerry Thomas, Reina Branch, George Bridges, Abilene Christian College, Jerry Templer, Betty Lou Templer, Neal Funk.

Out of town relatives and friends here for the funeral of Sam Denton Wednesday afternoon of last week were Mrs. Henry Hamilton of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Howard Patterson and Ovid Brock of Lubbock, Carl Albert Jr. of Ackerly, Lorell Albert and his aunt, Mrs. Burnes of Big Spring, Mrs. Ray Woodward of Brownwood, and Lieut. Rodney Denton of Camp Polk, La., only son of Mr. and Mrs. Denton.

H. Thompson and Sam Hamm attended a RCA color demonstration at Lubbock last Tuesday. They saw previews of major 1957-58 shows in color on closed circuit. They advise that color TV reception in Rotan will materialize in the near future and they are making preparation to handle all phases of this new advancement.

Primary PTA will make Paper Drive Sept. 18. This is the only money-raising project of the organization of the year and they ask your cooperation. Papers should be tied in bundles and in front of home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ellis of San Antonio, and her mother, Mrs. W. L. McWhirter of Roby, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Shelton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Roach returned Sunday from Amarillo, where they had been with their son, Cecil Roach and family while Cecil underwent an appendectomy. He is recovering nicely.

Lehman Newton Suffers Serious Injuries In Oil Field Accident

Lehman E. Newton Jr. chemical engineer with the SACROC Co., of Snyder was seriously injured in an oil filed accident north of Snyder last Wednesday.

Newton was making a routine test of a water line on which the pressure was supposed to be off. When he loosened the plug, water under 1,700 pounds of pressure blew the plug into his face, breaking both jaws and causing severe lacerations and loss of blood.

He was rushed to Cogdell Memorial Hospital and a specialist from Dallas was flown to the hospital to perform surgery.

His condition has been improving steadily, and plans are to move him to Dallas soon for plastic surgery.

Shipp Child Recovering From Heart Surgery

Kenneth O'Daniel, 7 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shipp, who had heart surgery at Dallas several weeks ago, was returned home Wednesday.

His condition was reported to be satisfactory, and complete recovery from the heart condition is expected.

First Baptist News

Sunday will be the last day Dr. Hayes will serve the First Baptist Church as pastor.

Sunday school meets at 9:45, with the morning worship at 10:50. He will use the same subjects morning and evening, he used six years ago in November when he became pastor. The morning subject will be on "The Meaning of Prayer," and the evening subject on "Faith."

Training Union meets at 7:00 o'clock. There is a class and a Union for every member of the family. The pastor and church extend a cordial welcome to the services.

Mrs. W. E. Partin went to Abilene Tuesday morning where she met her husband at the airport. He flew from Indianapolis, Ind. and will visit with his family about a week and then go to Wilmington, Delaware.

Brotherhood To Meet At Aaron Park Tuesday



The Gospelaires, male quartet popular on radio and television, will be presented in a concert by the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church at Aaron Park Tuesday night, September 17.

Preceding the concert, supper will be served to members of the Brotherhood and their wives at seven o'clock. This will be followed by a brief business meeting of the organization. George McDonald has been elected by the Brotherhood and by the church to serve as president of the organization for the new church year beginning

Simpson Named Justice of Peace

J. C. Simpson was appointed Justice of the Peace for this precinct at the regular meeting of the Fisher County Commissioners Court Monday, succeeding Sam Denton, deceased.

Mr. Simpson who is a charter member of the Upper Clear Fork District of Soil Conservation Service, was board chairman for several years and later served as secretary, has lived in Rotan for a number of years and has been active in agricultural and civic affairs of the county since the early days.

Dr. Hayes Speaks At Sweetwater Jaycee Banquet

Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hayes attended the annual Sweetwater Jaycee banquet Wednesday, where he was the featured speaker. He spoke on "Our Relation to World Problems."

The banquet was observed in connection with "Ladies Attendance." Some 150 attended.

Approaching Marriage Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Acker announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nancy, to Mr. Bob Sparks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oral Sparks.

The wedding will be Saturday, September 14, at 4:00 p.m. in the First Methodist Church of Rotan. Friends of the families are cordially invited to attend.

T-Sgt. and Mrs. E. K. Foster have announced the arrival of a son, Lanny Brian, on August 16, at Pepperrell AFB, St. Johns, Nfld. The baby weighed 5 pounds 7 1/2 ounces. Mrs. Foster is the former Vanetta Baillio. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Foster. Sgt. Foster is serving with the 1997 AACOS Sq. where he is supervisor in teletype. He began his tour of duty at Pepperrell in March, 1956. Mrs. Foster and their two children, Michael and Benny joined him there last October.

Marvin Hedgpeth and Mrs. Walter Price of Lubbock, came Saturday evening and Mrs. Price stayed for a longer visit.



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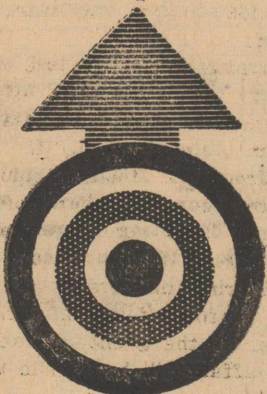
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Sarah Martinez Marries Vincent Jara, Sunday

Baskets of gladiola tied with satin and slender white tapers burning in wrought iron candelabra appointed the altar of St. Joseph's Catholic Church of Rotan Sunday, Sept. 8, when a double ring ceremony united Sarah Martinez of Rotan, and Vincent Jara of Fort Worth.

The 10 a.m. wedding ceremony and nuptial mass was read by the Rev. Stanley Crocchioli. Acolytes were Joseph and Bennie Martinez, cousins of the bride. Gilbert and Ronnie Martinez from Austin, nephews of the bride, were ushers.

The bride is a native of the Rotan area and daughter of Mrs. Fred Martinez Sr. of Rotan, and the late Mr. Fred Martinez, widely known Fisher County land owners.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Jara of Ft. Worth. He is a widely known musician, playing with name bands overseas while in the service during World War II. He is a graduate of Fort Worth schools and studied music at Texas Wesleyan College in Fort Worth. Besides his affiliation with Fort Worth bands, he is in the TV and radio repair business there.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Robert Martinez, wore a self designed, hand-made gown of imported alencon lace and satin, featuring hand scalloped portrait neckline and scalloped hemline. The gown was agleam with seed pearls iridescents. Her fingertip veil of illusion fell from a face-framing halo of lace, fringed with ruffled illusion, bordered with seed pearls. Her bridal bouquet was an orchid, nestled in satin and net, and outlined with white rosebuds, tied with satin bows and streamers.

She was attended by the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Jessie Alvarez of Fort Worth, and by her sister, Mrs. Jim Armendariz of Sweetwater.

The two were gowned alike in embroidered red sheaths, with red satin cummerbunds, and wore red feather hats and white gloves. They carried nosegays of white carnations.

Best man was Jessie Alvarez of Fort Worth, bridegroom's brother-in-law. Groomsman was Jim Armendariz of Sweetwater.

Wedding music was by Mrs. Jack Patton of Rotan. Vocalists were the bride's brother, Rudy Martinez, and two nephews, Joe Fred Martinez and Richard Martinez.

A wedding reception was hosted in the Martinez home for members of the two families. Wedding guests attended from Fort Worth, Lubbock, Sweetwater, San Angelo, Melvin, El Paso, and West Ossipee, New Hampshire.

When the couple left for honeymoon in New Mexico, the bride was wearing a cocoa brown suit with beige and brown accessories. She wore an orchid corsage from her bridal bouquet. They will live in Fort Worth after Sept. 14.

Prior to the wedding the bride was honored with a gift tea, hosted in the home of Mrs. Eugene Allen in Rotan. Hosting the affair with Mrs. Allen were Mes. Jim O'Briant, W. A. Hancock, George McDonald, John Stribling, Morris Watson, Lee Martin, Guy Weems and L. H. Templeton.

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Those are just a few of the items that are available today, and you can expect even more new ideas in the future. We are keeping your telephone service in tune with modern living.

HOT WEATHER TIP

Plenty of people now days are trying to beat the summer heat by staying outdoors. With backyard living so popular, I'd like to suggest that you allow your friends a little more time to answer the next time you call.

We suggest letting the telephone ring ten times—that's about a minute—before you hang up. That way, the person you are calling might find it easier to get to his telephone to answer.

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Blount-Lawrence Wedding In Home Ceremony Sunday

A simple home ceremony, read at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 8, united Patsy Jane Blount of Rotan, and Joe Don Lawrence of Odessa.

Double ring service was read by the Rev. J. Alvis Cooley, pastor of the First Methodist Church here. The couple stood before a draped picture window in the living room. Window was accented by tall baskets of gladiolas and stock, tied with satin.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Clyde Blount of Rotan. She is a graduate of Rotan schools and attended McMurry College in Abilene. She has been employed as bookkeeper in the office of a finance company in Odessa for the past year.

Lawrence is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lawrence of Dallas. He is a graduate of Dallas schools and has been employed by Western Steel Co. in Odessa for the past five years.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Richard Blount, was gownned in street length frock of blue lace over taffeta. Headdress was a band of flowers and seed pearls. Bridal bouquet was an orchid, nestled in satin and net.

She was attended by Frances Neves of Roby. Miss Neves wore pink lace over pink taffeta, and carried a nosegay of white carnations.

The bridegroom was attended by Donnie Kimbell of Odessa.

Wedding music was by Mrs. Henry Withers. Becky Strickland, soloist, sang "Whither Thou Goest."

Reception followed the wedding. The table was laid with lace over blue, and appointed with silver and crystal. Carol Stephens and Mrs. Richard Blount presided. Miss Stephens also registered guests.

When the couple left for a wedding trip to Dallas, the bride was wearing a brown suit with beige accessories and an orchid corsage. They will live in Odessa.

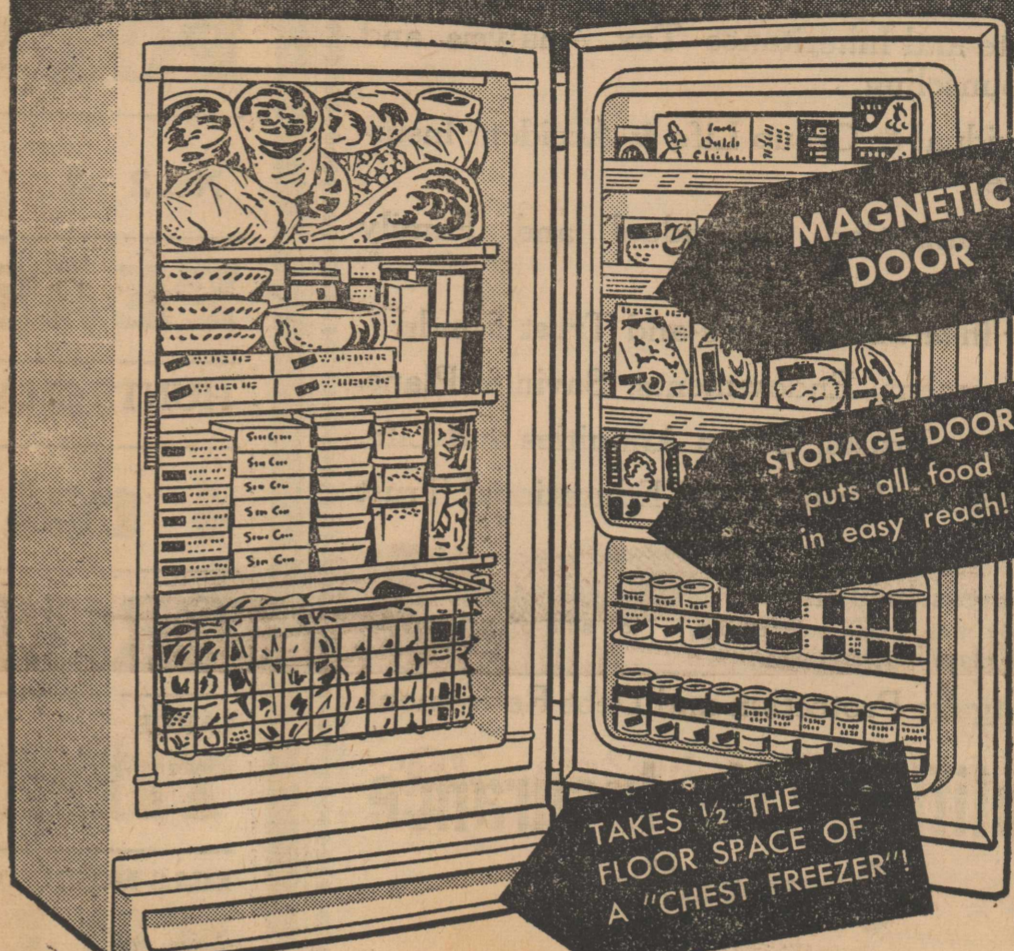
Mrs. Santa Kindel and daughter, Miss Marion Kindel of Weatherford, visited with Judge and Mrs. H. F. Grindstaff Wednesday morning of last week as they were enroute to Redlands, Cal., where Miss Kindel will teach.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Shackelford, Miss Mary Major of Arlington, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. George Krapff of Olustee, Okla., visited in the home of Mrs. Berniece Stockton last week. Mrs. Krapff and Mrs. Shackelford are sisters of Mrs. Stockton.

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HD Council Hears Report On County Fair

The Fisher County Home Demonstration Council met for regular meeting in the County Courthouse.

The chairman, Mrs. Walter Byrd, called the meeting to order. Secretary Mrs. Archie Ragan, called the roll.

Mrs. Byrd gave a report on the County Fair and asked that anyone who had suggestions for next year's Fair turn those suggestions in at the October Council meeting.

The following were appointed to be on the nominating committee for new Council officers: Mrs. Archie Ragan, chairman, Mrs. Bill Hardy and Mrs. Morris Green.

Alice Kemp, Home Demonstration Agent, explained to the Council about the Texas Conservation Home-maker which is selected each spring and urged the women to enter this year.

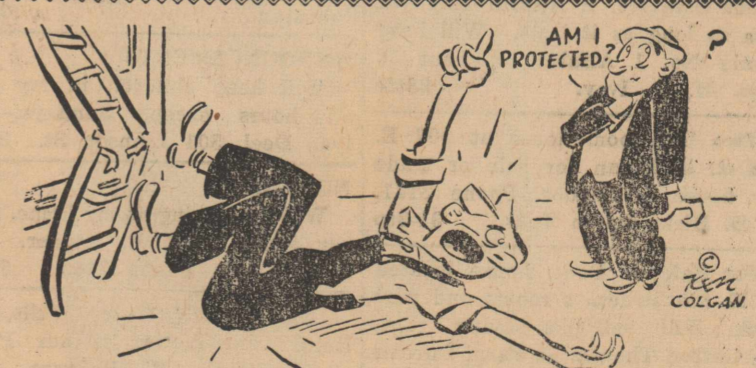
Forms were handed out and plans made for the annual meeting which will be held in the courthouse October 1 at 2:30 p.m.

The meeting adjourned.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Simmons went to Plains Friday in response to a message that her brother-in-law, Gene Coke, had suffered a heart attack.

Annie Mae Edmondson of Quanah, visited her sister, Mrs. C. B. Bantch last week.

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NOTICE

I have small stainless steel stewpan, which was left at my home last year. If you will call me I will get the pan to you. Mrs. E. E. Patterson.

CARD OF THANKS

From the bottom of our hearts we offer sincere thanks to the many friends who were so kind and thoughtful during the recent illness and loss of our loved one, Sam Denton. The hospital personnel, Sunday school class, neighbors and other friends, all were so nice. Special thanks for the beautiful floral offering, the abundance of food, and the comforting music arranged by Mr. Ivey. Every word and act will be remembered and stored in a special place in our hearts.
Ruth Denton,
Lt. Rodney C. Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shows went to Austin Wednesday to visit their daughter, Jo Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Roach visited the family of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Murff, in Abilene Tuesday, and their grandson, Gerald Murff, came home with them to visit a few days before going to Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Terrell visited relatives in Graham Wednesday.

Mrs. Katie Hinds of Mineral Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Barker of Big Spring, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Watson left Thursday of last week for a vacation in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Locke and David of Miami, spent Saturday night here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Shelton. Their daughter, Helen, has entered Texas Tech as a junior, having completed

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