

Fathers To Present Variety Show

Fathers will be the stars of a Variety Show on Monday Night, November 17th and Thursday Night, November 20th at 7:30 p.m. produced by the Jr. High P. T. A.

First on program is a chorus of Can-Can dancers featuring Sam Hamm, Robert Phillips, and Blair Berry, followed by a style show consisting of styles of five eras, dances and a hoopla by Ernest Armstrong.

To climax a gala evening an opera will be presented starring Marshall Hill, Neil Wright, Jess Stinson, Willie Martin, Jud Thompson, John D. Mercer and Archie Neely.

Get your ticket now from a Jr. High student — adults 50c — students 25c.

Cotton Gathering Reaching Peak

An influx of migratory cotton gathering laborers moved in last week end have gathered a lot of cotton in the area this week.

Cotton strippers started on the Plains last week, and threw most of the hands gathering out of work. This was a boon to local farmers as the supply was very small until this occurred. Several light frosts have killed cotton leaves in the low places, but much of the higher ground has been nipped only slightly. Most farmers are ready for a killing frost now, to kill the rank foliage.

Local gins reached 7,642 at noon Wednesday. The warm weather of the past week should mature much cotton and without a disastrous wet freeze a bumper crop is assured.

Attend Tri-State Girl Scout Meeting

Mrs. O. D. Strickland and Mrs. Frank SoRelle Sr. left Tuesday morning for Houston, Texas for a Tri-state regional conference Nov. 11-13. Girl Scouts (Senior Scouts) and leaders from Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma will attend. It is to be held in the Rice Hotel.

The conference is held once every three years. They are for the purpose of acquainting Girl Scouts with new developments, exchanging points of view and discussing needs, reacting to progress reports concerning the national board meeting in 1960, and providing stimulation through exchange with representatives of other units of girl scouting.

Dr. Gerald Wendt, the first American to attempt the disintegration of the atom, will be the keynote speaker at the meeting, the first held in Houston in 20 years.

High School PTA To Meet Wednesday

High School PTA will meet Wednesday, Nov. 19 at 3:45 in auditorium. Parents are urged to attend and show interest in their child's school life.

Program will be centered around American Education Week. An interesting program and entertainment is being arranged and Roger Eaton, of Sweetwater school system will be principal speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Weathersbee are announcing the birth of a 7 pound 12 ounces daughter Sunday and the little lady was named Dee Ann. Mr. and Mrs. Weathersbee also have a son, Burt, who is one year old.

Hospital News

Local patients admitted to Calan Hospital from Nov. 5 to 11; Thadde Wilson, Mrs. Lewis Loving, Mrs. Wash Kersh, Mrs. Hugh Huc-kaby, Mrs. R. D. Sartor, Ronnie Starnes, Magdalino Garcia, Mrs. V. Martinez, Mrs. Gabriel Sepeda, Mrs. Clay Coggins, Charles Ray Shipp, Mrs. Fernando Argumaniz, Mrs. Mac Weatherbee, E. T. Warren, Mrs. Obed Hughes, Mrs. Ernest Roberts, Sr.

Out of town Patients, Stephen Whitley, Hamlin; Mrs. Cecil King, Roby; Ben Dyer, Girard; Harold Brackeen, Hermleigh; Mrs. Eugene Gonzales, Hamlin; Mrs. Ben Dyer, Girard; Mrs. Carl McCormick, Snyder; Mrs. O. H. Culp, Hermleigh; Nona Garza, Mission; Katherine Houghton, Roby; J. H. Whorton, Swenson; Mrs. Venito Trevino, San Antonio.

A girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil King of Roby, Nev. 7.

A girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Sepeda, Nov. 8.

A girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Mac Weatherbee, Nov. 9.

A girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl McCormick, of Snyder, Nov. 9.

A girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Argumaniz, Nov. 10.

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Rest Home Bond Election Is Set For Nov. 29 By Court

WWI Veterans Organize Sunday

Thirty-three WWI veterans as charter members of Fisher County Barracks met and organized Sunday for the purpose of securing the rightful benefits that are due these old soldiers. They selected the following officers, Commander, J. M. Jackson; 1st vice, J. W. Perry; 2nd vice-president, N. H. Green; Quartermaster, H. R. Swann; Adjutant, E. T. Warren; Judge Advocate, B. L. Conley; Chaplain, George McBeth; Sgt. at Arms, C. E. Price; Trustees, B. L. Conley, H. W. Goolsby and O. R. Nowlin.

Aim of the organization is to enroll all WWI veterans of Fisher County and elsewhere. Veterans should contact H. R. Swann of Jackson for application blanks and explanation of the aims and purpose of the organization.

Next meeting will be held Dec. 9 at 2:00 p.m. at Rotan American Legion Hut. Refreshments will be served and all WWI veterans and wives are urged to attend.

Christmas Seal Sale Starts This Week

1,900 letters with TB Christmas Seals are going in the mail this week to citizens of Fisher County.

This traditional sale is held each November and is the sole support of the County TB Association. A large percentage of the funds raised remain in Fisher County and are used to carry on the program and to help needy patients. The small part sent to the National Foundation carries on the program on a nation-wide level and assists in research.

Fisher County has always responded to the Christmas Seal Drive.

Graveside Rites Held For Infant

Graveside rites for Robert Truman Brooks Jr., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks of Sweetwater, were held at Babyland in Garden of Memories, Sweetwater, at 11 a.m. Monday. Rites were conducted by Rev. Preston Barrett, pastor of Sweetwater First Christian Church. Arrangements by Patterson Funeral Home. The child was dead at birth at Simmons Memorial Hospital. Several relatives and friends from Rotan attended the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheffie Monsour of Dallas, are announcing the birth of a son on Monday. The baby weighed 5 pounds 10 ounces and has been named John. Mrs. Monsour is the former Helen Marie Malouf, daughter of Mrs. S. J. Malouf and the late Mr. Malouf and formerly lived in Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Young and children were in Abilene Sunday to help his grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Young Sr. celebrate her birthday in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. O. Henry Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Williams of Lubbock, spent last week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Peel.

Mr. Stella Morrow and her daughter, Mrs. Colyn Smith of Colorado City, visited Mrs. W. J. Berry and attended to business here last week end.

Mrs. Otis Strickland of Decatur, came Sunday to visit her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Mac Weatherbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Cave and daughter, Mrs. Nelson Smith, returned Wednesday of last week from a visit with Dr. and Mrs. Harold Cheek in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. James Jr., Bryan and Priscilla, of Baytown, visited her mother, Mrs. Fern Bynson, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Clark last week end.

At regular meeting Monday Fisher County Commissioners Court ordered a \$75,000 bond issue election to be held November 29th for the purpose of building a rest home in Rotan.

The order is being published this issue of the Advance, giving full information of the issue, voting places and presiding judges. Voters will find the purpose of the issue listed as establishment of a "county poorhouse". Reason for this as explained in the Advance is that no statute is effective in Texas for rest home, hence the only legal manner could be the above wording. We are sure that if the issue carries the establishment would be maintained as a modern rest home for elder citizens, whose expenses would be paid by themselves or their families and would not be charges of the county. Many such modern and efficient homes have been established over the country and none are considered "poorhouses", or operated as such. This is simply an ironic technicality of Texas statutes.

More than 600 qualified voters names were on petitions presented the Court asking the election and all Commissioners voted to call the election.

County Clerk John Ashley has a supply of ballots, which were printed by the Advance and absentee voting may be done with him.

The election order states that "legally qualified voters are resident property taxpayers, who have rendered their property for taxation."

Joe Yanez Jailed On Statutory Charge

Joe Yanez, 19, was charged with intent to rape in justice of the peace court Monday following the filing of charge by his mother, Mrs. Sofia Yanez. He is being held in county jail.

Mrs. Yanez charged that her son attempted to rape his 14-year old half sister at the Rotan Cemetery early Monday morning.

Yanez went to his mother's house about 4:30 a.m. Monday and woke the family up telling them that his wife was in the hospital in Hamlin and he needed his half-sister to go with him and care for her, the mother alleged.

The couple went to Hamlin, but Mrs. Yanez stated that they did not go near the hospital. They started back to Rotan on State Highway 92 and were almost to Rotan when Yanez stopped the car at the cemetery where the attack was supposed to have taken place.

On the way to Rotan from the cemetery, the girl jumped from the moving car and skinned and bruised one side of her face. A motorist picked her up and took her to the Rotan hospital where she was examined.

The examining doctor said the girl had not been raped but she had finger marks on her throat, which Mrs. Yanez said were administered by Yanez during the attack.

Fisher County sheriff Bus Rollins said the car which Yanez had borrowed from a friend contained several empty beer cans when Yanez was picked up about 5:30 a.m. He was at the friend's house when picked up.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Eaton last week end were M/Sgt. Altman, Mrs. Altman and two children of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Yarborough and children of Jayton, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Neves and son, Mrs. Akins and Miss Vera Cozart of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Noles and children and Mrs. Wade Curry.

Homecoming pictures are on display at Morrow Drug and orders may be placed there.

Mrs. D. T. Key and Mrs. Mattie Key visited in Sweetwater Sunday evening with the family. Mrs. Brooks is a great niece of Mrs. D. T. Key.

O. R. Clark made a business trip to Hale Center Sunday and also visited relatives.

Sheriff Posse Elects Officers For Year

The Fisher County Sheriff's Posse met in Roby at the Silver Spur Cafe Monday night November 11 and held its annual election of officers. The following were elected:

H. L. Davis ----- President
A. D. Summerlin --- Vice-president
J. D. Moore ----- Secy-Treas.
Tom Parker --- Parade Chairman
Parker Kennedy, --- Asst. Parade Chairman
J. P. Davis ----- Director
Glen Webb ----- Director
Jack Smith, --- Alternate Director
Bogue Wilkins, --- Alternate Director
Mrs. Glen Webb ----- Reporter.

The National Roundup of Sheriff's Posse's to be held the last of April 1959 in Roby was discussed and final plans were made. The program for the roundup will be printed in the near future and distributed at the National Convention December 27 by National President O. R. Clark. The roundup is something new for this part of the country and Fisher County Posse is proud to be host to some 700 expected visiting members of the National Association.

Plans are underway and details are being worked out for practice games and general recreation to be held each Thursday night at the Rotan Arena. Posse members, friends, wives and children are invited to come out and take part in these sports.

Rainfall For Year

Rainfall for Rotan during the past months of 1958 are given by Fred Byerly as 25.52 inches. Of this amount 2.93 was gauged by Byerly during October. By months the figures are:

January	1.32
February	1.55
March	1.89
April	4.64
May	4.33
June	.46
July	1.40
August	2.10
September	1.97
October	2.93

To All the people of Fisher Co

I cannot tell you in words how much I appreciate being elected Tax Assessor-Collector, but I will try to show you by service and accommodations in the future.

To my supporters may I say thanks. I realize I could not have been elected without the tremendous amount of help I received and I am ever grateful.

And to the people who did not vote for me I am sure you cast your vote for a very fine person and I can assure you that there is no malice toward anyone. You will receive as courteous and efficient service as the ones that did vote for me.

May I say to all of you, stop by and visit anytime and do not hesitate to call on me anytime that I can be of service to you.

I realize that I am an employee of the people hired to do an efficient job for all the people of Fisher County, which I will strive to do. Call on me anytime for anything. Humbly I remain,

Robert Buck

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Allen Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Allen and Marie Ann of Midland and Mrs. Suschillo of New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ashton Mary Lou and Billy spent last weekend in Bryan with their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wayne Brinegar. He is a senior at Texas A&M.

Mrs. J. T. Smith received word this week of the critical illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. H. H. Haynes at Big Spring. The Haynes were early day settlers in this area. Mrs. Haynes suffered injuries from a fall about a year ago, but had been able to be in wheel chair until this recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Zill Reich of Sweetwater, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn and Mrs. A. R. Tyson Thursday evening of last week.

Ross Earl Smith of Big Spring, visited here Sunday.

Yellowhammers Bi-District Opponent To Be Decided Fri.

Jrs. & Firemen To Stage Turkey Shoot

Junior Class of High School and Rotan Volunteer Fire Department will hold their annual Turkey Shoot Sunday, Nov. 23 starting at 1:00 p.m.

The event will again be held at the Clay Fowler ranch north of town and the usual phases will be held in addition to matched shoots. More than 40 turkeys will be given during the program.

This is a popular affair and always draws a large group of shooters.

Snyder Church Holds 75th Anniversary

The week-long 75th anniversary celebration of the First Methodist Church of Snyder closed after special events Sunday. At the 11 a.m. Sunday service the guest speaker was Dr. William C. Martin of Dallas, resident bishop of the Northwest Texas Conference.

Members of the church and visitors then went to Ennis Creek, site of the organization of the church in 1883 for a basket lunch, which was followed by an old-fashioned service at 2 p.m., with the Rev. J. R. Plant of Snyder, retired Methodist minister, as speaker. The Ennis Creek schoolhouse was used for the gathering. The church had special speakers all week at services in connection with the anniversary.

The church was built on the land of H. L. Davis' father. Mr. and Mrs. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn attended the celebration Sunday. Mr. Strayhorn was a member of the church until moving to Rotan and had the pleasure of meeting 10 members of his high school graduating class of 1910. There were 13 in the class and three were unable to attend.

Mr. Strayhorn's mother, Mrs. Joe Strayhorn of Snyder, was active in making arrangements for the week-long affair.

Mrs. Lena Patterson went to Galveston Thursday night to visit her son, Dr. Marcel Patterson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Cave and Mrs. Nelson Smith went to Dallas Monday to visit Dr. and Mrs. Harold Cheek.

Mr and Mrs. J. D. Walker of Port Isabel, visited the family of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Young, Thursday.

The Yellowhammers meet Roby Lions Friday night in the last district game of the season. This is Roby's Homecoming and a good game is expected.

District 6A is cinched by the Hammers and they will meet the winner of Sundown and Plains game being also played Friday night. Following this game officials of Rotan and the winning school will meet to decide playing site for the bi-district tilt, which will be played Nov. 21.

Quarterback Club urges all fans to attend Monday night's meeting as plans will be made on going to the bi-district game. A football film will also be shown.

Classroom Teachers Meeting Held

The CTA and The Texas Education held a joint conference Nov. 8, on the University campus in Austin. Dr. J. W. Edgar, State Commissioner of Education was the principal speaker. Primary purpose of the meeting was the discussion of needed curriculum changes in the various subject matter fields. This was done in small discussion group about 90 minutes in length.

The Rotan group took part in the study groups on Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, English and Programs for the Academically talented pupil.

Attending from Rotan were, Mrs. Jas. B. Day, Mrs. R. G. Witherspoon and Miss Josie Baird, president of Rotan CTA. The group reported an inspirational and informative meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Floyd of 1705 Sam Houston, Sweetwater are parents of a son, born 6:30 a.m. Monday at Simmons Memorial Hospital, Sweetwater. The young man was named Rickey Lane and weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces. The Floods are former residents of Rotan and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Floyd. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stephens, all of Rotan.

Mrs. Florine Miller of Abilene, visited relatives here last week end.

Helen Jo Turner, Betty Lou Templar and Jimmy Waddell, students at A. C. C., visited their parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dennis of Albany, visited friends here Saturday.

Results Of Recent Hunt In Colorado



The above picture is the party returning recently from a Colorado hunt. Leon Duke, Bill Barrett, I. B. Weise, Paul Heatington and Rudy Lotief, brought in the ten deer and a large bear shown in the picture.

C. O. Duke returned Saturday nunt in the same area of the above party, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Duke of Lorine. They bagged several bucks, one of which was trophy head.

The party hunting at Parker Kennedy ranch Colorado, returned last week were badly hampered by heavy snowfall and failed to get a buck.

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ORANGE JUICE, ...	4 Libby 6 oz.	\$1.00
STRAWBERRIES, 10 oz. pkg.		19c
ROLLS, Meads 24 count		25c
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CORN, Libby 10 oz.		15c

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Demonstration On Rodent Control

E. G. Pope agent with the rodent control service of the U. S. Dep't. of Interior in cooperation with the local extension service plan to declare war on rats in Fisher county.

Due to the increased demand rat poison is becoming hard to obtain. Mr. Pope informs us that if we will set up 4 rodent control demonstrations in Fisher County we can take orders for rat poison at that time and be able to make delivery of date you must place your order at one of the following demonstrations.

Demonstrations will be held on the following farms on November 17, 1958.

9:00 a.m. Glen Phillips farm approximately 2.5 miles southwest of Rotan.

10:00 a.m. Mrs. Roy Vanliew farm approximately 2.5 miles southeast of Roby.

1:30 p.m. Cecil Edwards farm approximately 5 miles northeast of Roby.

3:00 p.m. C. D. (Monk) Herron farm approximately 3 miles north of McCaulley.

Mr. Pope or his assistant will explain the best methods of poisoning rats and give us some information on how rats raise and multiply.

This meeting should be educational and afford us a way to obtain large quantities of rat poison and keep the cost to minimum.

Mr. Pope anticipates a build up of rat population around farm buildings after field and pasture vegetation is killed by frost and freezes. This would be an ideal time to treat the farm buildings and to assure enough poison to do this we need your order at this time to insure enough poison to do the job in Fisher County.

Due to the uncertainty of bait and the heavy infestation of rats this winter Mr. Pope advises to buy twice as much poison as you think that you will need.

4-H Council Met In Roby

The first 4-H Council meeting of the year was held Saturday November 8, in the county courthouse with 25 members present.

Armita Kemp Chairman, presided. The following officers were elected from last years council members: Chairman, Jim Bob Cave, vice-chairman, Frances Hill; vice-chairman Ronnie Green, secretary; Armita Kemp, Treasurer; Sally Beck, Reporter; Weldon Van Liew.

A motion carried the council meet every two months on Saturday morning with the time to be decided by the county agents.

The council favored having a banquet for the award winners and their parents to be held in December. and the awards program to be held in the new Agriculture building immediately following the banquet. A tentative date has been set for December 13 with December 20 as an alternate date.

Armita Kemp and Jim Bob Cave will be masters of ceremony at the banquet. A committee composed of Jim Bob Cave, chairman; Weldon Van Liew, Susan Beene and Jack Martin was appointed to plan the decorations for the banquet.

Another committee composed of Russell Green Chairman, Frances Hill, Jim Bob Cave and Sally Beck was appointed to select the outstanding adult leaders for the county.

The council voted to have a concession stand at the livestock show in Jan. to help pay 4-H expenses.

The council also approved a plan to pay one-half the cost of a film projector to be used for educational films at 4-H and other county meetings.

Unbelievable In America

Government agents in Indiana impounded the two tractors that a former owns. In Michigan, they tie up a farmer's \$3,400 bank account. Two Oklahoma ranchers are hauled into court in Dallas, Tex., and sued for \$502.06.

What crimes did these men commit? They planted wheat beyond the 30-acre limit, to feed their own stock, without a government permit or allotment! Government agents aren't to blame — they're only enforcing a law that Congress passed. Nevertheless in this land of the free such events seem incredible! How ridiculous can a law get? When the lawmakers return in January, let's change it.

A word or a nod from the good, has more weight than the eloquent speeches of others. —Plutarch

Every thought which genius and piety throw into the world alters the world. —Ralph Waldo Emerson

Neal Funk and Irvin Stephens of Illinois both students at A. C. C., Abilene, visited Neal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Funk, Sunday.

Mrs. Lenna Birdsong attended to business in Sweetwater last Thursday.

To forgive and forget is a good plan, but some folks see to it that you don't forget.

People who attempt to get something for nothing usually pay about twice what it is worth.

Kelley Serving With 1st Artillery

FORT LEWIS, WASH. (AHTNC) Army Sgt. Luther J. Kelley Jr., 28, whose wife, Frances, lives at 302 N. E. Fargo, Portland, Ore., is participating with the 1st Artillery in "Exercise Rocky Shoals" on the California coast. The exercise will end Nov. 11.

More than 25,000 troops are involved in the joint Army - Navy maneuver, which is the largest amphibious-assault exercise conducted in the United States since World War II. The exercise is designed to improve combat effectiveness and to test new equipment and procedures.

Sergeant Kelley, who entered the Army in August 1952, is regularly stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash., as a gunner in the artillery's Battery B.

In civilian life he attended Booker T. Washington High School and worked for the Ever Ready Window Cleaners, both of Dallas, Tex.

His father, L. J. Kelley, lives at 1535 N. E. First Ave., Portland, and his mother, Mrs. Mildred Kelley, lives in Rotan, Texas.

TCU-TEXAS GAME TELECAST AND THREE SW CONFERENCE BROADCASTS, NOVEMBER 15

The TCU-Texas football game will be telecast from Fort Worth Saturday by The Humble Company. Humble will also sponsor radio broadcasts of four Conference games. Time for the telecast and broadcasts will be 1:45 p.m. (CST).

The TCU-Texas game telecast will be described by Kern Tips and Alec Chesser over KRBC-TV, Abilene.

Attitude Toward Work Is Important

We are told by some that we are slaves. If being a slave means doing what we have to do, then most of us are in truth slaves, but he who does more than he is required to do becomes at once free. He is his own master. How often do we hear it said, "It was not my work." Too often we fix our minds entirely upon what we are going to get and give no thought at all as to what we are going to give in return.

Mankind is engaged in the great engineering feat of building lives. A mental survey shows man that directly ahead on his individual right of way lie many hills and valleys, all representing experiences either beneficial or harmful, pleasant or otherwise, that are to be encountered along life's road.

To follow the line of least resistance, to drift aimlessly forward with no fixed purpose in mind, is to take an up-and-down, zigzag course that leads nowhere particularly, but is wasteful of time, energy, and happiness. Those hills must be cut through, not skirted. Those valleys, perhaps representing human imperfections, need to be filled in by good, remedial effect ere the rails of our advancement are laid.

Our Economy

During the past 10 years the value of all items in the Farm Food Market Basket bought by the average family in one year has increased \$3.00, while the consumer's price paid for this food has gone up \$243.00, according to the National Livestock Producer magazine. Higher labor costs added \$133.00; transportation costs rose \$33.00, and other expenses increased \$69.00.

In 1940, 34 per cent of all Texans lived on farms, compared with about 11 per cent today. About 11 per cent of the people are engaged in supplying farmers with production items today compared to only four per cent in 1940, and about 18 per cent process and distribute agricultural products compared to seven per cent in 1940.

The average hourly earning of factory workers has increased 259 per cent during the past 20 to 35 years, from 55 cents to \$1.98. At the same time, the retail price of choice grade beef has increased 100 per cent. Where a factory worker formerly had to work 32 minutes to earn enough to buy a pound of choice beef, he only has to work 21 minutes today.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Watson spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Freeman in Lubbock. His mother, Mrs. E. A. Watson, returned home with them to spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ogle of Dublin, spent Friday night here with her mother and sister, Mrs. Hattie McWhirter and Miss Mabel Donnell.

FB Has Largest Membership in History

WACO - (Spl.) — The Texas Farm Bureau now has the largest membership in its history — 76,032 farm and ranch families, according to Millard Shivers, director of organization for the TFB.

This is a gain of 3,351 over last year's membership of 72,681 and makes the sixth consecutive year that the organization has shown an increase. The membership has more than doubled in the past ten years, up 42,179 from the 1948 figure of 33,852.

According to Shivers, it is possible that Texas will wind up the fifth largest state Farm Bureau in the nation. Only Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Kentucky and Kansas were larger last year, and Texas could overtake Kansas this year, Shivers said.

The state Farm Bureau's fiscal year ended Oct. 31 but a last minute flood of memberships in the state office from the 196 organized counties in the state delayed the final compilation.

The Texas Farm Bureau is a non-partisan, non-governmental and voluntary association of farmers and ranchers. It has as its main objectives the social, economic and educational betterment of people who derive their living from the soil, Shivers said.

Driving Signs Are Very Important

Every hear of a "sign detective?" There's one in Tulare County, California.

It all started about five years ago when the Tulare county road commission decided to improve its sign system.

Old, worn-out signs were to be replaced with new ones. Only trouble was, when the men went out to do the job they found that about 100 signs had been vandalized.

That's when Tulare county established its "sign detective bureau" under the direction of Charles R. Iden, junior civil engineer in the county's traffic and safety section. Since then, Iden and two men under him have been on the trail of the "sign vandal".

How does the sign vandal operate? Says Iden: "You name it, we've got it!" Signposts are hacked down and used as firewood. Signs themselves are slashed with axes, bent into strange shapes, have their practice, or ripped off entirely.

Pfc. Rodriguez Serving In Germany

MUNICH, GERMANY (AHTNC) Army Pfc Samuel L. Rodriguez, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaias Rodriguez, Rotan, Texas, recently participated in a field training exercise with the 34th Division's 21st Infantry in Germany.

Rodriguez is a machine gunner in the 21st's Company C in Munich. He entered the Army in November 1956 and arrived in Europe in August 1957.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross Hale and Son of Pampa, visited relatives here Sunday. Mr. Hale is coach in the Pampa schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McCombs and Devon visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Head in Abilene Sunday.

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Fillingims Honored

A surprise gift affair, hosted in the home of Mrs. Willie Martin Tuesday morning, honored Mrs. Homer T. Fillingim, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fillingim and their three children moved Thursday to Crosbyton, where Fillingim has accepted a position with the Citizens National Bank.

Hosting the morning affair with Mrs. Martin were Mmes. Bernice Hargrove, George Watson, Faye Gooch, Lynn Dotson and Don Rollins.

Theme of the surprise affair was "This Is Your Life." The guest book contained the story of Mrs. Fillingim's life.

Mrs. Bill Smith and Mrs. Wendell Morrow hosted an informal party for Mrs. Fillingim in the Smith home Monday afternoon.

Fillingim, truck driver and chaplain of the Rotan Fire Department was given a gift at a supper hosted by the Fire Department last week. He has been made an honorary member of the department.

Nancy Gail Young Has Fifth Birthday Party

In celebration of the fifth birthday of her daughter Nancy Gail, Mrs. Dick Young entertained a group of children at her home Monday afternoon. After playing games, the guests were served the birthday cake, ice cream and punch. Miniature toys were favors for the children.

Nancy Gail's guests were Guy and Gary Clifton, Judy, Eloise and George Nayfa, Mitchael and Stanley Martin, Patricia Alls, Morris Womack, Patricia and Raymond Donahoo, Ricky and Lynn Young. And coming from Abilene to help Nancy Gail celebrate were her cousins, Bill and Chris Young, her grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Young Jr., and her great grandmother, Mrs. R. L. Young Sr. and Mrs. R. W. Young.

WSCS Holds Regular Meeting

The W. S. C. S. met Monday afternoon in the Young Adult classroom of the Methodist Church.

The meeting was opened with the group singing "Oh Young Fearless Prophet." Mrs. Clarence Huckaby, president, presided for a business session. The devotional was given by Mrs. Cecil Ottinger, Mrs. Nancy White, Mrs. W. A. McCright and Mrs. W. A. Rives.

Mrs. R. T. Williams taught the second lesson on "Other Customs." The Mizpah was said for the closing prayer.

Others attending were Mmes. J. W. Porter, H. F. Grindstaff, Homer Aaron, J. T. Smart, C. R. Polk, W. A. Shope, Joe Kiker, Flora Blount.

Recent Bride Honored

Mrs. Mike Porter, nee Patricia Phillips, bride of Mike Porter, was honored Thursday, Nov. 6, with a gift party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Williams.

Hostesses with Mrs. Williams were Mmes. Joe Miers, Dale Cave, Finley Eaton, Nash Miers, Don Ashley, Clifton Thomas, Dave Possey, Roy Edwards and Curtis Acker.

Table decorations were the honoree's chosen colors of red and white. A white cutwork linen cloth covered the table, centered with an arrangement of red and white mums, flanked by two large wedding bells. All members of the house-party wore corsages of the chosen colors, gifts of the bride and her mother.

Mrs. Williams greeted guests and presented the honoree, who was wearing a two-piece beige knit dress. Receiving with her were her mother, Mrs. Calvin Phillips; her grandmothers, Mrs. J. P. Phillips and Mrs. J. W. Porter, and Mrs. W. D. Porter.

Assisting in entertaining and serving were classmates of the honoree. They were dressed in formals. They were Janie Miers, Janice Cave, Joyce Eaton, Dorothy Hayes, Patsy Burnet, Sue Ratliff, Judy Cave and Glenda Hurdnall.

Cake squares and punch was served to a large number of guests.

Peggy Hammitt of Howard County Junior College, Big Spring visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hammitt here last weekend. She is majoring in civil engineering.

H. D. Norris and Clarence Cate of Sweetwater were in Rotan Wednesday.

ADVANCE WANT ADS PAY.

The Rotan Advance

Thursday, Nov. 16, 1958 No. 43

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF FISHER COUNTY, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID COUNTY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 29th day of November, 1958, within Fisher County, Texas, to determine if said County shall issue Bonds and if a tax shall be levied on all taxable property within said County sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity, in pursuance to an ELECTION ORDER made and entered by the Commissioners' Court of Fisher County, Texas, on the 10th day of November, 1958, and which order is in words and figures as follows:

ORDER FOR COUNTY BOND ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER

ON THIS the 10th day of November, 1958, the Commissioners' Court of Fisher County, Texas, convened in regular session at the regular meeting place thereof in the Court-house at Roby, Texas, there being present and in attendance the following members, to-wit:

- BRUCE McCAIN, COUNTY JUDGE, Presiding; and
 - W. B. OWENS, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 1;
 - JERRY CROWLEY, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 2;
 - T. J. R. UNDERHILL, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 3;
 - THURMAN TERRY, COMMISSIONER, Precinct No. 4;
- and among other proceedings had were the following:

Commissioner T. R. Underhill introducing the following election order:

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court of Fisher County, Texas, deems it advisable to submit to the resident qualified taxpaying voters of said County, who own taxable property in said County, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, a proposition for the issuance of bonds of said County for the purpose hereinafter stated; therefore

BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF FISHER COUNTY, TEXAS:

That an election be held in said County on the 29th day of November, 1958, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the qualified taxpaying electors who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation for their action thereupon:

"SHALL the Commissioners' Court of Fisher County, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said County in the principal sum of SEVENTY FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$75,000) to mature serially within any given number of years not to exceed TWENTY (20) years from the date thereof, to bear interest at a rate not to exceed FIVE PER CENTUM (5%) per annum, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and create a sinking fund sufficient to pay the principal thereof at maturity, for permanent public improvements, to-wit: to establish a county poorhouse in and for Fisher County, Texas, pursuant to authority conferred by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, including Chapters 1 and 2, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended, and particularly Article 718, R. C.

S. of Texas, as amended?"

If the proposed bonds are authorized at the election called herein the proceeds of said bond issue will be used to establish a county poorhouse to care for a minimum of thirty-five (35) patients and to be located in the City of Rotan, Texas.

ALL VOTERS who are legally qualified voters of said Fisher County, Texas, and who are resident property taxpayers of said County, and who have duly rendered their property for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election; and said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapters 1 and 2, Title 22, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, and the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with Chapter 6, V. A. T. S. Election Code, as amended, and that printed on such ballots shall appear the following:

"FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

EACH VOTER shall mark out with pen or pencil one of such expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his vote on the proposition.

- Precinct Number 1; Polling Place, Courthouse, Roby, Texas; Presiding Judge, Mrs. H. T. Neves.
- Precinct Number 2; Polling Place, Courthouse, Roby Texas; Presiding Judge, G. I. Parker.
- Precinct Number 3; Polling Place, Courthouse, Roby, Texas; Presiding Judge, Pete McClure.
- Precinct Number 4; Polling Place, Courthouse, Roby, Texas; Presiding Judge, Mrs. Preston Campbell.
- Precinct Number 5; Polling Place, Church, Royston, Texas; Presiding

Judge, Coy Carriker.

Precinct Number 6; Polling Place, McCaulley School, McCaulley, Texas; Presiding Judge, George Lawlis.

Precinct Number 7; Polling Place, Berry Home, Hittson, Texas; Presiding Judge, Mrs. W. B. Berry.

Precinct Number 8; Polling Place, Jameson Home, Roundtop, Texas; Presiding Judge, B. Jameson.

Precinct Number 10; Polling Place, VFW Hall, Rotan, Texas; Presiding Judge, Al Finch.

Precinct Number 11; Polling Place, Tabernacle, Adair, Texas; Presiding Judge, R. G. Thompson.

Precinct Number 12; Polling Place, City Hall, Rotan, Texas; Presiding Judge, W. B. McKinney.

Precinct Number 13; Polling Place, Agg. Building, Hobbs, Texas; Presiding Judge, Sterling Willingham.

Precinct Number 14; Polling Place, Henderson Home, Claytonville, Texas; Presiding Judge, G. L. Nettleton.

Precinct Number 15; Polling Place, School, Round Mountain, Texas; Presiding Judge, Raymond Neel.

Precinct Number 16; Polling Place, Nunn Home, Gannon, Texas; Presiding Judge, Charlie Nunn.

Precinct Number 17; Polling Place, Comm. Building, Capitola, Texas; Presiding Judge, Glenn Webb.

Precinct Number 18; Polling Place, Comm. Building, Longworth, Texas; Presiding Judge, Bert Killingsworth.

Precinct Number 19; Polling Place, Baptist Church, Palava, Texas; Presiding Judge, Aubrey Burrows.

Precinct Number 20; Polling Place, Church, Eskota, Texas; Presiding Judge, Kenneth Wilson.

Precinct Number 21; Polling Place, Lanning Home, Newman, Texas; Presiding Judge, Jim Lanning.

Precinct Number 22; Polling Place, School, Sylvester, Texas; Presiding Judge, Faye Dozier.

Precinct Number 23; Polling Place, Steele Home, Plasterco, Texas; Presiding Judge, Virgil Steele.

SPECIAL CANVASSING BOARD: Mrs. John Kiker; Mrs. Garland Moore; Mrs. Johnnie Ammons.

THE MANNER of holding said election shall be governed by the General Laws of the State of Texas regulating General Elections.

A COPY OF THIS ORDER signed by the County Judge of said County and certified to by the County Clerk shall serve as proper and sufficient notice of such election.

NOTICE OF SAID ELECTION shall be given by posting and publishing of a copy of this order, at the top of which shall appear the words "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS"; said notice to be posted in each of the election precincts of said County, and at the County Courthouse door, not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks, in a newspaper of general circulation in and published in the County of Fisher, the first of said publications to be made not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election.

The above order having been read in full, it was moved by Commissioner T. R. Underhill and seconded by Commissioner W. B. Owens that it be passed. Thereupon, the question being called for the following members of the Court voted "AYE"; Commissioners Owens, Crowley, Underhill and Terry; and none voted "NO".

WITNESS THE SIGNATURES of the members of the Commissioners' Court of Fisher County, Texas, this the 10th day of November, 1958.

s: Bruce McCain; County Judge, Fisher County, Texas.

s: W. B. Owens; Commissioner, Precinct Number 1.

s: Jerry Crowley; Commissioner, Precinct Number 2.

s: T. R. Underhill; Commissioner, Precinct Number 3.

s: Thurman Terry; Commissioner, Precinct Number 4.

THE ABOVE and foregoing notice is issued and given by me pursuant to authority conferred by the above and foregoing order of the Commissioners' Court of Fisher County, Texas, and I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the order of said Court ordering said bond election, and also the Minutes pertaining to the passage thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF FISHER COUNTY, TEXAS, hereto affixed, this the 10th day of November, 1958.

JOHN W. ASHLEY
County Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of Fisher County, Texas.

County Court Of Fisher County, Texas. (Com. Cr. SEAL)

New Mercury To Be Here This Week

A brilliant combination of interior spaciousness for passenger comfort, mechanical excellence, advanced design and superior performance and economy is presented by Mercury in its totally new cars for 1959 — Mercury's 20th anniversary models.

"This new Mercury is the only medium-priced car designed specifically and exclusively for the medium-priced field — every other medium priced car for 1959 shares its body shell with a low-priced car make," said Ben D. Mills, general manager of the M-E-L Division and a vice president of Ford Motor Company.

"The Mercury for 1959 is a big car — it has size for a purpose — its space-planned bodies provide a totally new experience in passenger comfort in both front and back seats," Mr. Mills declared. "And that's for three people in both seats", he emphasized.

The entire front seat and instruments result in cutting almost in half the volume of space taken up by the transmission tunnel hump down the center of the car. This reduction of the tunnel gives Mercury another industry "first" in passenger comfort by greatly increasing leg room for those sitting in the middle of the front seat and by improving cushioning in both front and rear seats.

The instrument panel is moved well forward, providing six inches more knee-room and ten inches more distance from the seat back.

Vision is improved both by lowering the hood 2 1/2 inches and by the huge, compound windshield which is more than 60 percent larger than previous models.

Entrance to the front seat is improved by redesigning the windshield post, which provides 2 1/2 inches more knee clearance and by making the front doors up to four inches wider.

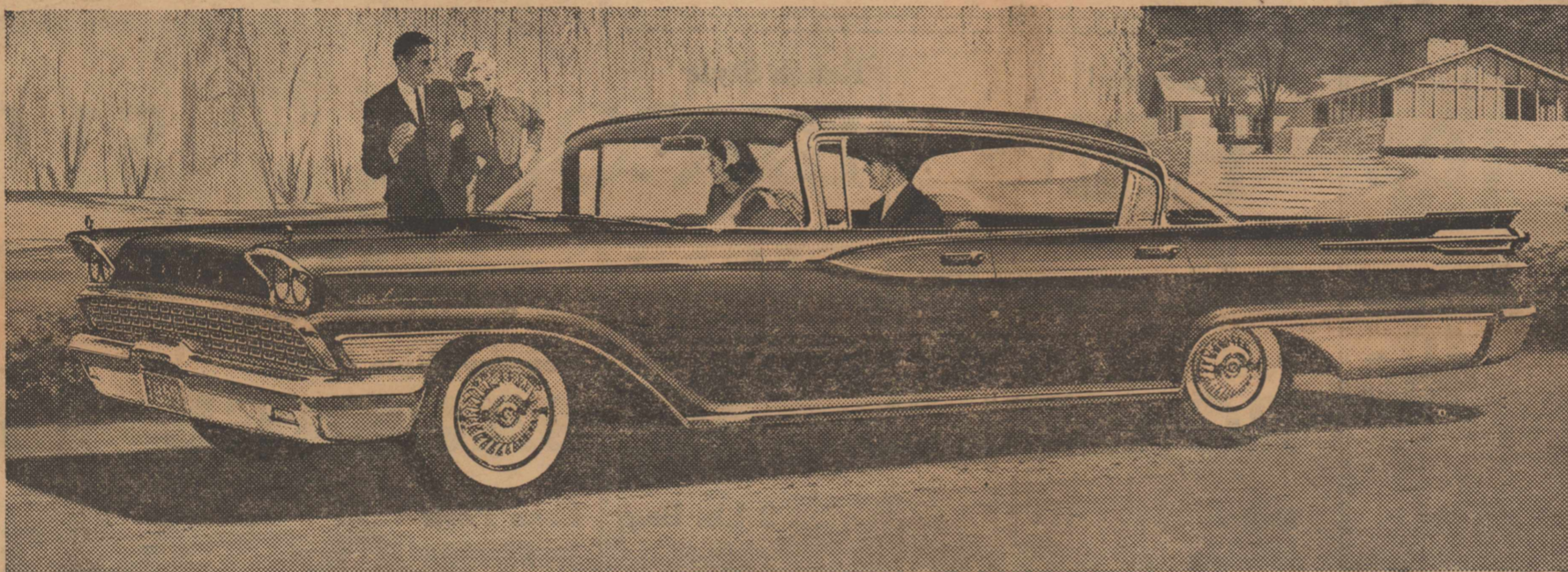
Mercury is introducing windshield wipers which operate in tandem, both blades going in the same directional sweep at the same time, thus giving full-width cleaning with no center blind spot. Blades are longer and clean 43 percent more area than previous wipers, and they clean the center portion of the windshield, for the first time on American-made cars. Wipers are electrically operated.

For maximum economy, Mercury's engines include a 312-cubic inch displacement V-8 with two-barrel carburetor in the Monterey series. It saves both on initial cost and by operating on regular grade gasoline.

A concealed package compartment located beneath the rear floorboard and a completely self-storing third seat features of Mercury's hardtop styled "Country Cruiser" station wagons. The third seat is optional on four-door models. Concealed tailgate hinges leave no gap and require no cover plate.

Mercury is the only medium-price wagon to offer a two-door model, and Mercury alone in the medium-price field has all its station wagons with hardtop styling.

Mercury's dynamic styling gives a whole new feeling of flow from the cowl, through the big windshield right into the virtually flush roof surface. Mercury's "cruiser" roof for hardtop models has a "spirited" look, with its exceptional unbroken line to the tip of the rear glass as it blends into the trunk. A compound-curving rear window gives a fast-back appearance and has 46 percent greater glass area.



This 4-door Hardtop Cruiser is the luxurious Park Lane by Mercury. Also available in the distinctive Montclair and the popular Monterey series.

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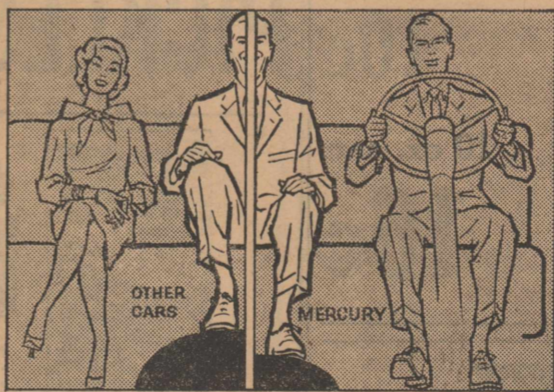
FEEL LIVELY NEW PERFORMANCE

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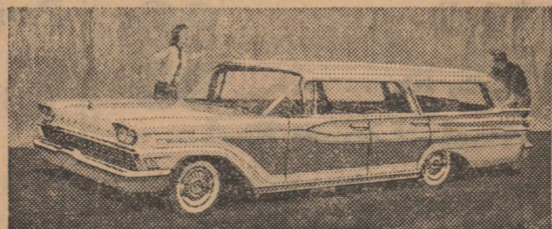
ENJOY NEW ECONOMIES

2 out of 3 new-car buyers can afford Mercury. The big special is the Monterey with its new Economy Engine. You get top performance on regular (not premium) gas—it's like "riding free" 10 miles out of every 100.

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- NEW PERFORMANCE
- NEW ECONOMY

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2% Nov. 3 thru Dec. 2

1% Dec. 3 thru Jan. 1st

First and Last Days Inclusive

CITY OF ROTAN

FB Meet To Have Outstanding Speakers

Houston, Tex. — (Special) — A group of 18 speakers from across the nation will gather here, December 17-18, for the Beltwide Cotton Production Conference program centered around "growing cotton for profit and markets."

The meeting is expected to attract some 800-900 scientists, educators, reserchers, and members of the cotton and agricultural chemical industries. It is being sponsored by the National Cotton Council in cooperation with other groups.

General chairman of the two-day conference will be J. D. Hays also will deliver the stage-setting address for the conference.

The program will open with a welcome by Buris C. Jackson of Hillsboro, chairman of the State-Wide Cotton Committee of Texas.

Preceding the production conference will be meetings of four associated technical groups. The groups will deal with cotton defoliation and physiology, disease control, cotton improvement, and insect control.

Your influence for good depends upon the weight you throw into the right scale. The good you do and embody gives you the only power obtainable. —Mary Baker Eddy

There is little influence where there is no great sympathy.

—Samuel I. Prime

John Thomas Patton and Raymond Patton of Seminole, visited their father, Roy Patton, Sunday.

Most people look upon the Division of Vital Statistics as merely a

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Cave visited relatives in Hamlin Tuesday.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MET FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Fitting in sleeves to give that professional look was demonstrated by Miss Alice Kemp, Home Demonstration Agent, Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. E. Wright.

Mrs. C. A. Ragan, president, presided for a business meeting. Mrs. Wright gave the Council report.

The Club adjourned to meet Nov. 21 for a Thanksgiving luncheon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Terrell.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Martin of Anson, are ill and are staying here with their daughter, Mrs. C. U. Callan, and Dr. Callan. Their son, L. O. Martin of Inglewood, Cal., came Sunday to spend several days here with them, and other son, Kyle Martin of Anson, visited them Sunday. Also Dr. Jack Callan of Abilene, spent Sunday here with the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Strickland spent last week end in Austin with their daughter Becky, a student at the University.

M. N. Shelton of Robstown, spent last week visiting his sisters, Mrs. Fern Benson and Mrs. Alvin Clark, and Mr. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross Hale and son Ross of Pampa, visited his mother, Mrs. Darthulia Hale, and Mrs. John Ross Hale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bigham last week end.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kingsfield of Abilene, visited in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips, Sunday.

The man who bubbles over with enthusiasm is bound to be a success if his enthusiasm isn't all bubbles.

TAX DISCOUNT NOTICE

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Rotan Independent School District

ROXANNE CALLAN CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY THURSDAY OCT. 30 Relatives here Sunday to see Mrs. George Young, who is in the hospital for treatment of a broken hip and arm, were Mr. and Mrs. Allie Young and Cindy of Greenwood, Miss Mabel Phillips of Abilene, Lieutenant Col. J. D. Newman of Camp Walters, Mineral Wells. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Young of Roby, come every day to see her and assist in caring for their mother.

Mrs. C. M. Callan entertained a group of children Thursday afternoon, Oct. 30, from 3:30 to 4:30 in celebrating the sixth birthday of her daughter Roxanne.

Games were played in the room and the birthday cake, made and dressed as a doll, was served with ice cream to Roxanne and her guests, Suzanne Vittitow, Laura Lee Crow, Debbie Harrison, Sara Sumerlin, Candy White and Ann Fillingim. Favors for the children were miniature umbrellas and whistles.

Mothers attending were Mrs. Calvin Crow and Mrs. Harrel Vittitow.

Mrs. Dora Mason of Houston, visited here several days last week with her sister-in-law, Miss Gart-rude Mason. She also visited friends here.

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Robert Buck

County Tax Assessor-Collector

rence and severity of tuberculosis, the researchers' only method of checking their progress was by checking statistical death records.

In this manner they were able to discern which measures were the most successful. Today, tuberculosis is no longer the leading killer it was.

Refined techniques are carried on today with emphasis on other diseases.

For instance, the M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Clinic uses death records to check on past patients of the hospital. In this way they hope to find out how successful are certain methods of cure. The study is on a continuous basis, and began several years ago.

Similar studies can be applied to heart patients. Heart and cancer diseases are the two leading causes of death today.

The fourth-ranking killer is accidents. Traffic accidents lead, but how and where and in what manner do these and other accidents occur? By careful scrutiny of death records, answers may be found that will enable engineers to build safety into homes and highways.

The Division of Vital Statistics sends you certificates upon request, but the service doesn't end there—it only begins. (A weekly public service feature from the Division of Public Health Education, Texas State Department of Health).

Americans Must Travel

Have car, will travel — regardless of the weather

That probably comes close to describing the philosophy of many of the millions of Americans who drive cars.

In summer, their driving job is fairly easy — roads are free of such hazards as snow and ice, windshields usually are clear, and it's light during all of the morning and evening rush hours when workers are on their way to or from office or factory.

In winter, though, things are a whole lot different behind the wheel, according to the National Safety Council. Any many motorists, lulled into confidence by a summer free of ice and snow, may find themselves unprepared these next few weeks for the added dangers of winter driving.

Not you're talking about, you say?

Well, maybe not. Maybe you are up on the finer points of winter driving. If so, you probably know the answers to such questions as:

1. If my car starts to skid on glare ice, what should I do? (Keep your foot off the brake and steer in the direction of the skid.)
2. Is there any way to stop quickly on icy pavement? (No — but a fast pumping of brakes will stop you the quickest and let you keep control.)
3. How fast should I drive in winter? (That depends — remember it takes you 12 times as far to stop.)

If you weren't sure of all the answers, you're perfectly normal, according to the Council.

"Many drivers," it says, "are a little confused about what to do on winter roads."

"The time to learn the answers is not when you're in a jam — it's right now, before winter descends in all its fury."

The Council's Committee on Winter Driving Hazards, which has made on-the-spot studies of how to go on ice and snow, gives these six tips to motorists:

1. Winterize your driving techniques and your determination to avoid accidents, as well as your car.
 2. Make sure your car has good tires — preferably snow tires — and use reinforced tire chains for more severe conditions. Even with the help of snow tires or tire chains, slower-than-normal speed are a must on snow and ice.
 3. Keep windshield and windows clear. Make sure your wiper blades, heater and defroster are working properly. While your car's warping up in the morning, take a couple of minutes to clear all the windows — of snow and ice.
 4. When you're out on the road — but away from traffic — try your brakes gently to get the feel of the road.
 5. Don't follow other vehicles too closely. Remember, it takes up to 12 times further to stop your car on ice and snow as it does on dry pavement.
 6. Best technique for stopping on winter roads — and still keeping full control of your car — is a fast up-and-down pumping of your brakes.
- "Memorize and learn to use these six winter driving tips," the Council says. "We'll guarantee you a safer, more comfortable ride this winter."
- "There's not much you can do about the weather — except be ready for it!"

Mrs. Moore In Baylor Concert

Mrs. Sue Morrow Moore, daughter of Mrs. Ira Morow, of Rotan, will participate in the annual American Ideal concert at Baylor University Waco, Texas, on November 6.

Mrs. Moore is a member of the Baylor Oratorio Chorus. The featured artists for this concert will be Van Cliburn, winner of the recent Moscow piano competition, and Miklos Beneze, former leading basso of the Budapest Opera and currently professor of voice at Baylor's School of Music.

Daniel Sternberg, dean of the Music School, will conduct the orchestra and chorus in the Coronation Scene and the Death Scene from Moussorgsky's opera "Boris Godunoff," with Mr. Beneze as soloist.

Mr. Cliburn will team with the orchestra in the Tchaikovsky Piano Concerto No. 1 in B flat minor, op. 23. The orchestral portion of the concert will include the Overture to "Russian and Ludmilla" by Glinka and the Prelude and Quadruple Fugene of Alan Hovhannes.

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Judson Thompson, W. M.
Robert Phillips, Sec.



The O. E. S. meets each second Tuesday at 7:30 in the Hall.

Visitors welcome.

Mrs. Mitchell Nayfa, W. M.
Mrs. Edna Morgan, Secretary



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Don Terrell, who is attending McMurry College, Abilene, and Miss Geraldine Lee, also of Abilene, visited Don's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Terrell, Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Cooper and David of Big Spring, spent Saturday and Sunday here. Mrs. J. V. Hellums, who had visited them several days, returned to her home here with them.

The only time some people really get busy is when they are meddling in others' affairs.

About Your HEALTH

A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health.

HENRY A. HOLLE, M. D. Commissioner of Health



What do people die from most? How many accidental deaths were there in 1957? What was the leading cause of death in 1932?

These and other questions involving vital statistics are ever available from the Division of Vital Statistics of the State Health Department.

place to obtain a copy of a birth certificate for a new job, or a copy of a death certificate for an inheritance.

This is true, but the division offers many other services as well. Some are familiar; others are unknown except to public health workers.

ers.

Let's take the first question: Just what do people die from most?

By careful compilation of death statistics, listing cause of death, place, conditions and other information, it is possible for statisticians to determine what diseases are killing the most people in Texas.

What value is this? It was just fifty years ago that tuberculosis was the leading cause of death.

Medical and public health officials could see this frightening fact and direct their activities towards curbing the disease.

Year after year, employing various methods for lessening the occur-

Robert Collins, AMI, Mrs. Collins and son of Sunnydale, Cal., are visiting his mother, Mrs. Walter Collins, and her mother, Mrs. Headstream, in Roby. Also spending the week end here with Mrs. Collins were Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey and Paul of Ft. Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Sug Collins and two children, Janet and Marjorie, of Sweetwater, spent Sunday here with the family.

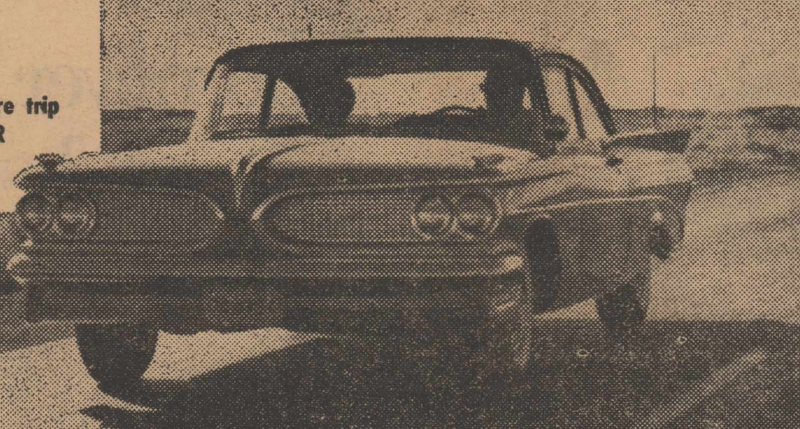
Mrs. C. B. Barth went to Quanah Monday to be with her brother, Raymond Edmondson, who had surgery Tuesday morning.

COAST TO COAST ONLY 1½ CENTS PER MILE FOR GAS!

Pontiac's new Tempest 420E V-8 sets the year's most important economy mark—Here's the story and what it means to you!

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DISTANCE	2,442.7 MILES
DRIVING TIME	60.72 HOURS
FUEL CONSUMED	112.5 GALLONS
FUEL COST	\$35.79
MILES PER GALLON	21.7 Average for entire trip
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ROBY, TEXAS

B. L. Conley, Sec-Treas.

Social Security Payments To Increase

The more than 17,000 persons in the district now receiving social security checks will get an automatic increase of about 7% on the checks to be mailed out early in February, according to R. R. Tuley, Jr., district manager. There is no need for any of them to write or call at their social security office to get that increase.

However, Tuley says, "I know there are several hundred others in this district who will need to talk with a social security representative in order to get benefits started to them. For the quickest and most efficient way to start that action he suggests that a card or letter be written to him, at P. O. Box 5168, Abilene, briefly outlining the situation below which applies to a particular individual or family:

1. Certain dependents of persons now receiving disability insurance payments can now qualify for monthly benefits. These are wives at age 62, dependent husbands at age 65, and unmarried children under

18 or disabled children who have been disabled since before age 18.

2. Persons whose disability claims (either for benefits or the freeze) were previously denied only because they did not have 1/2 years of social security credits in the 3-year period just before becoming disabled.

3. Disabled adult children whose claims were previously denied solely because they were not receiving at least one-half of their support from the retired or deceased parent.

4. Dependent parents whose claims or inquiries were previously denied only because the deceased son or daughter was survived by a widow, widower or child who could possibly be entitled to benefits.

5. Anyone whose social security checks were stopped because of marriage, if he or she married a person who was also receiving social security checks.

Tuley suggests interested persons first write his office about possible benefits so that a mutually convenient interview time may be arranged, either at his office or with a representative of his office on one

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of his future visits to this county.

For more detailed information on the above changes, Tuley invites readers to write him for a copy of free Leaflet No. 1958-1. Those wanting just the changes in the disability provisions should ask for Leaflet No. 1958-2.

Mrs. Neil Wright entertained with a dinner Wednesday night of last week for T. Fillingim, who was moving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fillingim Jr. to Crosbyton. Other guests were Arlin Collins, Alva Mercer and Kevin Wright. The boys gave gifts to T.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Burk visited her mother in Breckenridge Sunday.

Betty Patton Honored at University of Dallas



Newly elected vice-president of the Women's Residence Hall at the University of Dallas 1958-59 is Betty Patton, center, from Rotan. Other officers are, left to right, Gladys Rule, secretary; Bobbie Gibbons, treasurer; Carol Beesley, president; and Marye Liz Weinzapfel, reporter.

Betty Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Patton, Box 337, Rotan, Texas has been elected Vice-President by the University of Dallas Women's Residence Hall students for the 1958-59 school year.

Betty is a sophomore at the University which is in its third year of operation. She is one of 57 women resident students this year from four foreign countries and twelve states. The students come from Hong Kong, Puerto Rico, Venezuela, and Mexico, New Mexico, Tennessee, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, California, Texas, Michigan and Illinois are the States represented.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Wright and Kevin visited her mother in Floydada last week end.

Money has wings nowadays — probably to enable it to fly in the wrong direction.

Surplus Foods

Turkeys and apples are headliners among foods in abundance during this month of November.

The 1958 Turkey placements were not quite so large in Texas as last year but the mortality rate has been unusually low and there will be plenty of the traditional "Holiday" birds available at a right price. The bulk of the crop will be going to market in November and December, making more supplies actually available than during last year when sales were spread from the last of September through the Christmas season.

As for apples, they're making this year. This is the second largest crop in two decades and the largest since 1949. The country's commercial apple trees are expected to yield nearly 127 million bushels.

Along with Turkeys, Broiler-Fryer chickens will be plentiful. Generous supplies of pork are also available.

Because so many young hens make up this Fall's laying flocks, medium and small size eggs are expected to be most plentiful and are thrifty buys.

The fall potato crop also is large.

These are the storage potatoes that keep better than the more perishable "new potatoes" and are suited to many different cooking methods.

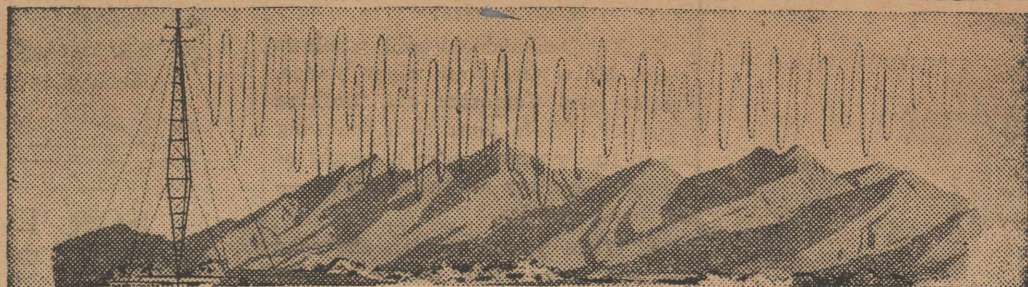
Another vegetable appearing in quality on markets is cabbage. Record high yields have lifted crop prospects to 12 percent above a year ago. Because of heavy yields, much cabbage grown for kraut will be sold fresh. Cabbage deserves more attention from shoppers who appreciate high vitamin C value and appetizing flavor, especially for salad use, at an inexpensive price.

The big cranberry crop this fall—the largest since 1953—will bring plenty of these holiday berries to November and December Markets.

Other plentiful are canned ripe olives and walnuts — the largest production since 1949. Lots of dates and honey are expected which are excellent for holiday cookies, cakes, confections and everyday spreads.

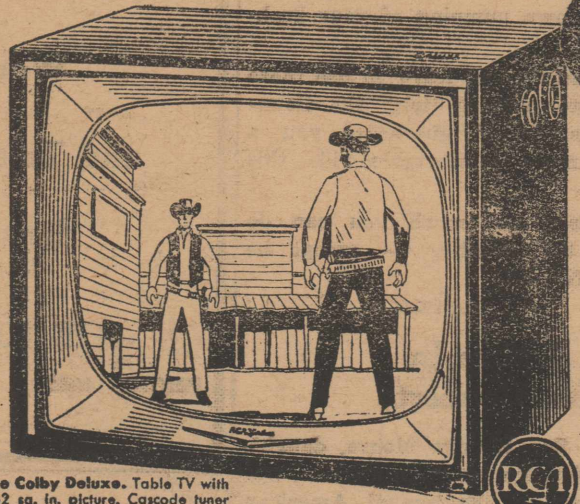
Peanut butter will be in great plenty as will vegetable fats and salad oils.

If you're serving a crowd, you'll want to consider the large size cans of many different frozen berries. Canned berries are in good supply in both extra large and family-size containers.



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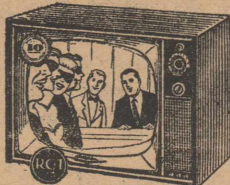
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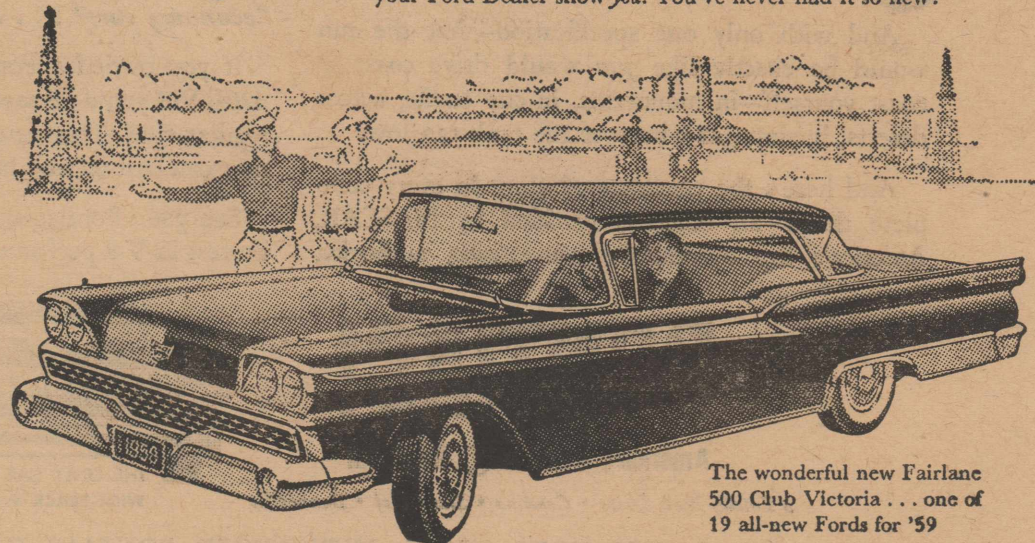
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