

The Weather

From records of Fred Byerly, Weather Observer.

	Prec	Hi	Lo
Wed. 9th		97	71
Thurs. 10th		99	73
Fri. 11th	.14	91	69
Sat. 12th	Tr.	78	60
Sun. 13th		70	62
Mon. 14th		81	65
Tues. 15th	Tr.	88	64

Precipitation to date 1963 -- 16.39
Precipitation to date 1962 -- 12.38

Hammers Show Class In Spur Win Friday

The Yellowhammers did themselves proud Friday night when they spoiled Spur's Homecoming game 12-6. The Hammers played head-up ball during the entire game, bouncing from a defeat on their opening game with Hamlin.

Rotan's Yellowhammers blanked the Spur Bulldogs for three quarters in posting a 12-6 victory here Friday night, spoiling Spur's homecoming.

Rotan scored touchdowns in the first and second quarters while throttling the Bulldogs' offensive efforts until the final quarter.

Halfback Eddie Mac Lang scored both touchdowns for the Yellowhammers in giving the Class 6-A Yellowhammers their first win in two starts.

A 39-yard pass play from quarterback James Tompkins to Lang set up the first Yellowhammer touchdown. Lang dived over from two yards out for the initial score. The try for the extra point failed.

Lang picked off a Bulldog pass on Rotan's 19 yard line launching an 81-yard touchdown drive in the second quarter. Lang toted the ball into the end zone from six yards out.

Spur scored its lone touchdown on the first play of the fourth quarter on an one-yard pass from quarterback Jarrel Jenkins to wingback Tim Karr, capping a 39-yard drive.

Lang had a big night for the Class 6-A Yellowhammers in gaining 95 yards on 21 carries, scoring two touchdowns and hauling in five passes for 90 yards.

Former Resident Dies At Blanco Rest Home

David N. Hull, 87, of Kingsland, former Rotan resident, died in a rest home at Blanco at 3:30 p. m. Sunday.

He had a watch repair shop and photography studio in the early days of Rotan, for some 30 years. He moved from here to Clyde.

Mr. Hull was born May 22, 1877 in Coryell County and was married at Snyder July 29, 1903 to Lurah E. Richardson. Mrs. Hull died in the rest home three weeks ago.

Funeral was held at 2 p. m. Tuesday in Blanco with burial in Blanco cemetery.

Survivors are two sons, Horace N. Hull of Kingsland and David Hull Jr. of Nacogdoches; two daughters, Mrs. J. N. Brannan of Austin and Mrs. Eunice Jones of Carlsbad, N. M.; two brothers, W. W. of Brownfield and B. A. of Kingsland; one sister, Mrs. Mahalia McGaha of Levelland; nine grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Hospital News

Local patients admitted to Callan Hospital Sept. 9 to 16 were: Mrs. Gene Gladson, Mrs. Roy Stevens, Robert Hargrove, Mrs. Guillermo Benavides, Mrs. Gladys Kelley, Mrs. Robert Quintanilla, Mrs. A. L. Grisham, Mrs. Denver Price, Frank Macias, Nina Carrillo, Mrs. J. O. Hudnall, Mrs. M. L. Hayes, Fant Posey, Shelia Taggart, Glenn Gabel.

Out of town patients were: Linda Bilbo, Rule; Freddie Rasberry, Odesa; Mrs. Robert Martin, Roby; Mrs. John F. Stewart, Roby; James Terry, Roby; Ernest Kolb, Aspermont; Carl Dean Hicks, Roby; Mrs. Edison Ratliff, Roby.

Births: A 5 lb., 14 oz. boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Campos, 5:05 a. m. Sept. 10. He was named Rodney.

A 6 lb., 12 oz. girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Chism, 9:25 a. m., Sept. 14. She was named Mollie Ann.

An 8 lb., 10 oz. boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quintanilla, 12:10 a. m., Sept. 15. He was named Porfirio.

A 5 lb., 4 oz. boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Denver Price, 5:39 p. m., Sept. 15. He was named Darryl Wayne.

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Jr. Riding Club To Be Organized Soon

Movement was started Monday night at meeting of Fisher County Sheriff's Posse for forming a Junior Riding Club for youngsters of the county. The Posse is sponsoring the movement which is expected to prove very popular.

A committee of Elvis Elrod, Billy Eaton and Martin Rackley was appointed to get the movement underway and they have set first meeting for Saturday, Sept. 26, 7:30 at the Posse arena, west of Rotan.

All boys and girls between 7 and 16 years are eligible for membership and they along with their parents are urged to attend this organization meeting and get plans underway for a first class Junior Riding Club.

Rebekahs To Hold Ice Cream Supper

The Rebekah Lodge is sponsoring an Ice Cream Supper Tuesday night Sept. 22 in Oddfellow Hall on north highway.

Ice cream will sell for 25c dish, 10c and coffee 5c. Games will be played.

The public is invited.

Farmers Gin Building Transient Labor Camp

A new labor camp is under construction in southwest section of Rotan by Farmers Gin Company.

The 22 room housing unit will greatly aid supply of transient labor to gather cotton crop, as with cold weather approaching, housing is always a problem with these people.

See the gin ad in this issue on the project.

Early Day Resident Dies At Roswell, N. M.

Mrs. Johnnie Shapley, 78, died, August 6 at 2:30 p. m. in a Roswell Hospital, a victim of tumor of the brain.

Funeral was held the following Tuesday. She was a daughter of John and Betty Shipp. Was born in March, 1886 in Fisher County, in Longhorn Valley, on the place now owned by Mrs. J. F. Clegg. She was married to Andy Trimble, who was drowned attempting to cross Red Creek. She was married to Jim Brunson in 1913 and in 1918 she married Melvin Shapley.

In 1943 she moved to New Mexico.

Survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Ruby Doyl of Roswell, N. M.; several grandchildren and a brother, Andy Shipp of Rotan. She was preceded in death by two children, Cecil Riley and Irene Trimble and two husbands.

Mrs. Joe Malouf of Dallas visited Mrs. Phil J. Malouf and Mrs. J. T. Smart Sunday night as she was returning from Lubbock where she took her daughter, Terry, last week to enter Texas Tech. Mrs. Malouf also visited a niece in Santa Fe. She left here Monday morning to return home, accompanied by Mrs. Phil Malouf who will visit in Dallas.

National Watch Awards



Three more National Gypsum employees receive watches for having completed twenty years continuous service with Rotan plant. Pictured above from left to right is L. B. Crowler from Production Department in Buffalo as he made the presentation to Mrs. Lillie M. Herron, Mrs. Mack Blair and J. C. Nichols.

PTA Affair Set For Monday Night

Annual Get Acquainted meeting for parents and teachers will be held in high school cafeteria at 7:00 p. m. Monday.

This will be a covered dish supper honoring the teachers and giving all an excellent opportunity to become better acquainted.

The affair will be sponsored by Rotan PTA's and the Council will be responsible for making arrangements with Primary parents bringing meat; Junior High, salads, and vegetables and High School, deserts.

Everyone is urged to attend and get this school year off to a good start.

Methodist Conference Sunday Night

Rev. Dr. Hubert H. Bratcher, District Superintendent of the Stamford District will speak and conduct the First Quarterly Conference for the 1964-1965 Church Year for First Methodist Church of Rotan.

The Commission on Membership and Evangelism are sponsoring a Family Night in connection with the Conference. Dr. Bratcher is the new District Superintendent, succeeding Dr. C. A. Halcomb. Rev. Marvin Fisher, pastor, states "we know our people would like to meet Dr. Bratcher and hear him speak".

Every family of First Methodist Church should attend, bringing enough food for their family and some to spare for guests. The meal will be served family style at 7:00 o'clock Sunday evening and the Conference will be conducted immediately afterward, Rev. Fisher stated.

PP&K Contest Ready For Registration

Grade and junior high school boys 8 through 13 may register free for the Punt, Pass and Kick competition at Rotan Motor Co. between 8:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. any day except Sunday from September 18 through October 9. Each boy must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

The Rotan Competition will be held Saturday, October 10, at Yellowhammer Field. Local winners will be announced at that time, and subsequently notified for further competition for which they may be eligible.

Sponsor of the Rotan Punt, Pass & Kick Competition is Rotan Motor Co.

Contract for all information about the Punt, Pass & Kick Competition in Rotan is Ray Brown, phone 219.

Jaycees To Meet Tonite

A special called meeting of Jaycees is set for tonight (Thursday), at 7:30 at Jaycee Hall in Kingsfield building.

Important business is scheduled including planning of fall projects. All members urged to attend.

Good Rain Over Parts of County

Cotton harvest was halted Wednesday morning when general rains over this section moved in.

Only .21 inch was gauged in Rotan, the fall was heavier to the north, east and south. Jack Kennedy ranch north of town was reported as receiving 2 inches and other points still more. Rain to the south did not reach Roby. Showers fell to the north and northwest Tuesday afternoon.

Local gins had a total of 224 bales Wednesday afternoon.

Hobbs To Play O'Brien Friday Night

Hobbs Panthers meets O'Briens team on the Hobbs field Friday night, 8:00 in the first home game of the season.

The Panthers dropped their first game to Leuders last Friday 28-30 in a fast, action-filled game. Coach Weems states he was proud of his boys performance and expects them to turn in the same type game this week.

Fans are invited to see this game.

Mother of Bill Graham Dies At Temple

Mrs. Irene Graham, 64, mother of Bill Graham of Rotan, died at 7:30 p. m. Saturday in Scott and White Hospital at Temple where she had been a patient several days. She had been seriously ill about six weeks.

Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Monday in First Baptist Church, Aspermont with Rev. Clyde Cook, pastor and Rev. Billy Hudnall, Rotan First Baptist Church pastor in officiating. Burial was in Aspermont cemetery.

Mrs. Graham was born August 20, 1900 in Stonewall County and married John B. Graham February 12, 1922. They farmed in the Genevieve community near Aspermont. Mr. Graham preceded her in death in 1938. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Aspermont.

Surviving are four sons, Ollin E. of Wichita Falls, W. D. (Bill) of Rotan, Alvin of Aspermont and E. L. of Wichita Falls; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Frances Richison of Wichita Falls; Mrs. Maxine Carroll of Wichita Falls; a brother, Oliver Gholson of Aspermont; three sisters, Mrs. Callie Green of Jal, N. M., Mrs. Joe Maxwell of Aspermont and Mrs. Wade Haws of Maud, Okla.; 12 grandchildren.

J. B. Kendrick Dies At Eastland Monday

James Benton Kendrick, 61, former Rotan resident and father of Jimmy Kendrick of Rotan died Monday morning in Eastland Memorial Hospital. Funeral was held at 2 p. m. Wednesday with burial in Eastland cemetery.

Mr. Kendrick was connected with ice manufacturing business in Rotan for some time, moving to Eastland several years ago, where he operated a grocery and ice business.

Survivors include the wife, two sons, Jerry of Denver, Colo., Jimmy of Rotan; one daughter, Miss July Kendrick of the home; three grandchildren; one brother, Charlie of O'Donnell; a half brother, M. E. Jackson of Wichita Falls and two sisters, Mrs. J. F. Willings of Red Springs and Mrs. O. W. Hood of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Hogsetts Formal Opening Next Thursday

Hogsett Chevrolet Co. is announcing their formal opening for next Thursday, Sept. 24th. They recently moved into the new building which is modern in every respect.

Watch for their announcement next Thursday on formal opening, at which time they will also show 1965 Chevrolet and Buick line of cars.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hamm and Daphne attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Ethel Stuart at McAllen Thursday, Sept. 3. Mrs. Stuart was the last aunt of Mr. Hamm.

July Hailed-Out Cotton Here Promises Very Good Yield



Standing, James Norman; walking, George M. Dorman. Jack Smith and James Springer in foreground.

On September 4, a group of Fisher County business and professional people toured three farms where financial assistance is being extended by the Farmers Home Administration.

The group included the F. H. A. County Committee, the County Agricultural Agent, the Home Agent, an S. C. S. technician, County Judge E. G. Perkins, a member of the Commissioner's Court, a banker, a member from the press, and farmers and ranchers.

The tour started at the F. H. A. office in Rotan under the direction of George M. Dorman, County F. H. A. Supervisor, who told the group that F. H. A. financed small operators and family-sized farmers until they can obtain credit from other sources. He expressed appreciation for the cooperation the F. H. A. receives from all agencies.

FERTILIZER MAKES A DIFFERENCE

The first stop was at the 391 acre Ernest Rains farm, seven miles north of Rotan, operated by L. V. Hollerman. Here the group observed 54 acres of fertilized dryland cotton and about the same acreage of unfertilized cotton.

Both fields were planted between May 15 and 21. 30 pounds of Lic-Nitrogen and 30 pounds of Lic-Quid phosphorous per acre was applied to the 54 acre field three weeks before planting, at a cost of \$6.50 per acre. This amount of fertilizer was applied according to a soil test.

The fertilized field was planted two rows in, and one row out. The unfertilized field was planted two rows in and four rows out.

The fertilized cotton was one third larger, the stalks were greener, and had a third more bolls on them.

The net value of the fertilized cotton will not be determined until harvest time, however it was the opinion of the group that it will be approximately \$20.00 per acre.

JULY HAILSTROM

The second stop was at the 414 acre Charlie Ramby farm, 2 1-2 miles north of Rotan, operated by R. J. Cornelius. If the group had seen this cotton on July 1, the day it was reduced to stubs by a severe hail storm, none of them would

have predicted what they observed today.

Mr. Cornelius felt like he knew it was too late to replant, so he continued cultivating the crop. As insurance, in case the cotton did not recover, he planted 40 acres of milo in the two blank rows.

This cotton has reached a normal height, it has a good color, and it is loaded with bolls, bloms and squares.

The milo looks good and it was the opinion of several in the group that this hailed out cotton was the best dryland cotton in the County.

Fifty acres of cotton on this farm was fertilized, exactly the same as that observed at the first stop, and it was estimated that it would make 1-3 more than the unfertilized cotton.

DIVERSIFIED FARMING

The third and last stop was at the Dwight Lovett farm on the Clear Fork of the Brazos, about midway between Rotan and Roby. This farm was recently refinanced by F. H. A. and Mr. Lovett operates the farm without F. H. A. assistance. Most of this 283 acre farm can be watered from 4 wells and from the Clear Fork. Each of the wells will produce more than 700 gallons of water per minute.

The principal crops grown are Alfalfa, Coastal Bermuda, Hybrid Sorghum and dryland cotton.

Alfalfa is being cut today, four previous cuttings have been made this year with an average yield of 40 blaes per cutting.

The Coastal Bermuda was sprigged in 1962, grazed in 1963, and cut for hay 3 times in 1964 with an average yield of 58 bales per cutting. After each cutting 400 pounds per acre of 16-5-0 fertilizer was applied then the crop was watered by sprinkler system.

The Hybrid Sorghum has been cut for silage one time and the yield was put in a trench silo near feeding pens now under construction. The same day this silage was cut Mr. Lovett applied 400 pounds of Anhydrous Ammonia fertilizer per acre then watered it. The second cutting should yield as much as the first one and will be put in a trench silo.

Mr. Lovett plans to buy 200

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VEGETABLES 10 oz. pkg. **2 FOR 39c**

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LEGAL NOTICE

The City of Rotan will sell one overhead water storage tank, presently located at Rotan Cemetery, east of Rotan.
Capacity of tank is 5,700 gallons. This tank is in very good condition.
The City will also sell one asphalt heater of the type commonly used by roffers.
Contact City Hall to inspect either.
These will be offered by sealed bids by City Council at regular meeting, October 13, 1964.
The City reserves to reject any and all bids.
City Council

An Ordinance Prohibiting The Parking Of Motor Vehicles On Certain Streets In The City Of Rotan, Texas, Providing A Penalty; And Providing An Effective Date
BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROTAN, TEXAS:

Section 1. From and after the effective date of this ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person to park, place, or leave unattended, any motor vehicle upon the following streets located in the City of Rotan, Texas:

- Johnston Street between Clairmont Avenue and Lincoln Avenue.
- Lincoln Avenue between Johnston Street and Eighth Street.
- McArthur Street between Lincoln Avenue and Garfield Avenue.
- Lee Street between Lincoln Avenue and Cleveland Avenue.
- Eighth Street between Lincoln Avenue and Cleveland Avenue.
- Garfield Avenue between Johnston Street and Eighth Street.
- Tyler Avenue between Sixth Street and Fifth Street.
- Sixth Street between Tyler Avenue and Florence Avenue.
- Fifth Street between Tyler Avenue and Florence Avenue.
- Genevieve Avenue between Eighth Street and Sixth Street.
- Eighth Street between Genevieve Avenue and Richard Avenue.
- Seventh Street between Genevieve Avenue and Richard Avenue.
- Richard Avenue between Eighth Street and Sixth Street.
- Harrison Avenue between Johnston Street and McArthur Street.
- McArthur Street between Clairmont Avenue and Harrison Avenue.

Section 2. Any violation of any of the terms of this ordinance shall be deemed a misdemeanor; and any person convicted of such violation shall be fined a sum not to exceed \$20.00.

Section 3. Any and all ordinances of the City of Rotan, Texas, which are in conflict with any of the terms of this ordinance shall be, and same are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed.

Section 4. The City Secretary shall cause to be published in the ROTAN ADVANCE, as the official paper of the City of Rotan, Texas, a descriptive caption or title of this ordinance, stating in summary the purpose of the ordinance and the penalty for the violation thereof.

Made, Passed And Entered As Herein Ordained By The Unanimous Vote Of The City Council Of The City Of Rotan, Texas, At Its Regular Monthly Meeting, A Quorum Being Present, On This 8th Day Of September, 1964, And Shall Take Effect Immediately Upon Its Publication.

Justin M. Morrow
Mayor

Attest:
Thaddie Wilson
City Secretary

J. A. McClain is in St. Joseph Hospital in Fort Worth recovering from surgery to his back, which was done last Thursday. Mrs. McClain is with him and their son Larry was there for the operation.

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Student Council Sponsors Activities

The student council of Rotan High School is made up of twelve members. These are the following: President, Joe Kelley; vice-president, Bob Witherspoon; secretary-treasurer, Debby Day; parliamentarian, Glenn Murphree; senior representative, Jimmy Heathington; alternate, Linda Brown; junior representative, Randy Hughes; alternate, Sandy Herron; sophomore representative, Mike Rushing; alternate, Carroll Patton; freshman representative, David Hammit; alternate, Armeta Partin; sponsor, Mr. Neil Wright.

The council is scheduled to meet weekly on Wednesdays at activity period throughout the school year. During the first meeting they decided to sponsor Color Day on every game day. Color Day is when the student body is asked to wear orange and white to help the school spirit.

In the second meeting they discussed sponsoring a RHS Student of the Month. This will continue in every month throughout the school year. Each month a different girl and boy will be chosen on different basis. In the month of September, the Student of the Month will be chosen according to the person's school spirit. A boy and a girl with the best spirit and the most support to teachers and the council will be selected. Members of the student council have excluded themselves from being Student of the Month. On October 1, the pictures of the boy and girl chosen will be posted in the case in the front of the principal's office for the entire month of October.

Eva Macias

Band Major Has New Uniform

The drum major for the 1964-65 "Y" Band, Sharron Puryer, has a new uniform.

The slacks of the new suit are white with an orange stripe down the sides. The coat is also white with pleated tails. It has a button-on shield with an orange design. In the top of the shield, Rotan is written on a strip of black material.

Schedule

Sept. 17 - 'B' Team game, Roscoe, T
Sept. 22 - Junior High game Aspermont, H, 7:30
Sept. 25 - Baird, H
Sept. 26 - 'B' Team game Roby, T
Oct. 2 - Merkel, T
Oct. 5 - Fisher County TSTA at Hobbs; PSAT Registration
Oct. 6 Junior High game Roby, T 7:00
Oct. 9 - End of First Six Weeks; Homecoming; Roby, H
Oct. 13 - Junior High game Aspermont, T, 7:00
Oct. 15 - Space Program High School Auditorium, 9:00 A. M.
Oct. 16 - Aspermont, T
Oct. 20 - Junior High game Roscoe, H, 7:00; PSAT exam.
Oct. 22 - 'B' game Roscoe, H
Oct. 23 - Wylie
Oct. 30 - Coahoma, H
Nov. 5 - Cancer Film Program, 10:40
Nov. 6 - Roscoe H
Nov. 7 - SRA
Nov. 8 - SRA
Nov. 8-13 - American Educational Week
Nov. 13 - Jim Ned, H
Nov. 16 - SRA
Nov. 17 - SRA
Nov. 20 End of Second Six Weeks
Nov. 26-29 - Thanksgiving Holidays
Nov. 30 - 11th ITED
Dec. 1 - 11th ITED
Dec. 15 - Basketball, Roby, T
Dec. 21 - Start of Christmas Holidays
Dec. 22 - Basketball, Coahoma, H
Jan. 4 School resumes
Jan. 5 Basketball, Wylie, T
Jan. 7 - Cancer Program, 10:40
Jan. 8 - Basketball, Jim Ned, T
Jan. 15 - End of First Semester
Zana Thompson

Class Pictures Made For 1965 Yearbook

Student pictures for the annual were taken Tuesday, Sept 8, and Wednesday, Sept 16. Pictures of the first grade up to the seventh grade were taken Tuesday. And pictures of the eighth grade up to the twelfth grade were taken the following Wednesday because of a shortage of film. Pictures of the senior class were taken on Friday, September 11.

Lupe Montez

Class Organization Offices All Filled

Class officers, sponsors, and room parents have been elected for the 1964-1965 school year.

They are the following:
Seniors: sponsors, Mrs. N. E. Kennedy and Mr. Fred Schkade; president, Steve Edwards; vice-president, Eddie Mac Lang; secretary, Beverly Randolph; student council representative, Jimmy Heathington; alternate representative, Linda Brown; room parents, Mrs. Sam Baugh and Mr. Bill Day.

Juniors: sponsors, Mrs. Whit Clark and Mr. Robert Witherspoon; president, James Thompkins; vice-president, Don Sexton; secretary, Susan Allen; reporter, Diana Martin; student council representative, Randy Hughes; alternate representative, Sandy Herron; room parents, Mrs. Willie Martin and Mr. Barry Allen.

Sophomores: sponsors, Miss Josie Baird and Mr. Ray Womack; president, Perry Hunsaker; vice-president, Robert Patton; secretary, Rebecca Petty; student council representative, Mike Rushing; alternate representative, Carroll Patton; room parents, Mrs. Jack Patton and Mr. Forrest Hunsaker.

Freshmen: sponsors, Mrs. Bart Strayhorn and Mr. Duane Kamstra; president, David Hargrove; vice-president, Larry Helms; secretary, Sharon Dorman; student council representative, David Hammit; alternate representative, Armeta Partin; room parents, Mrs. Charlie Joe Helms and Mr. Bernice Hargrove.
Linda Brown

Know Your Senior--

Birthday - September 16, 1946
Birthplace - Rotan
Present age - 18
Color of hair - blonde
Color of eyes - green
Favorites: color - red
food - steak
sport - track
make of car - Chevrolet
pastime - reading
subject - physics
Pet peeves - lack of air conditioning
Extracurriculod activities ? football track, band
Number of years in Rotan schools - 12
Choice of college - Tarleton
Name - Billy Dycus
Sunny Partin

Mr. Farmer . . .

COTTON DEFOLIATION

TIME IS HERE AGAIN

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Rotan Boys Win At County Fair

Boys from the Rotan FFA Chapter brought several ribbons back from the Fisher County Fair.

Winners in the dairy class were: Joe Baily, Grand Champion, cow in milk; Mickey Counts, first, Heifer not in milk; Larry Landes, first, heifer calves. The Rotan FFA Chapter took first place in pen of three.

Winners in the hog class were: Billy Dycus, second, boars under six months; Jerry Dycus, first, mature boars.

Winners in beef heifers class were Gary Strickland, first; Mike Rushing, second; Earnest Kiker, fourth. In the beef steers, Mickey Counts won seventh and eighth.

Bob Burnes

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Parker, Martha and Many of San Angelo visited her aunt, Mrs. D. J. Smith and Mr. Smith Saturday and Sunday.

Public School Enrollment Report

This year the Rotan Public Schools had a total enrollment of 886 students on opening day. Of these there are a total of 69 Negro students and 280 Latin students.

Broken down into the separate divisions of our public schools, there is a total enrollment of 366 students in primary. Of these there are 28 Negroes and 156 students. In Junior High there is a total enrollment of 332 students, including 95 Latin students and 29 Negro students. High school had a total enrollment of 198 students in the first day but now there are 201. High school's enrollment includes 12 Negro students and 29 Latin students.

David Canfil

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Conine and baby Nancy of Midland visited her aunt, Mrs. D. J. Smith and Mr. Smith Thursday and Friday of last week.

NOTICE

"Notice is hereby given that LeClair Operating Co., Inc. has filed an application for a permit to drill a well for oil, gas or other petroleum products situated in the north 3.6 acres, block number 2, Patton Subdivision, located within an area shown as drilling block number 10, upon exhibit A or B of the drilling ordinance of the City of Rotan, acting under and pursuant to the terms and provisions of an ordinance making it unlawful for any person to drill for, mine, or in any manner engage in operations for the purpose of extracting oil, gas or other petroleum products from the soil within the territorial limits of the City of Rotan, Texas.

A hearing upon such application will be held at the City Hall in the City of Rotan, Texas, on the 2nd day of October, A.D., 1964 at 10:00 A. M. at which time and place all persons interested may appear and contest said application."

R. John Catlett, Vice President LeClair Operating Co., Inc.

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Apartment for rent, 312 E. Burnside, W. B. Tillotson, phone 7732. 31-tfc

House for rent, call 6911, W. F. Edwards. 32-tfc

For Rent, furnished apartment, bills paid, 411 Tyler, phone 230, Inzer Whitefield. 26-tfc

For Rent, house to couple, call M. P. McGrew, 5862. 32-tfc

For Rent or Sale, 2 bedroom house, G. W. Rogers, phone 81-33. 17-tfc

For Rent, three bedroom house at 407 north Cleveland, see C. A. Ragan or call 6581. 32-4tp

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YOU are invited to listen to the Primitive Baptist Program each Sunday Morning, 7:30 to 8:00 over KDWT, Stamford, 1400 on your dial. 17-tfc

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LETTER OF APPRECIATION We wish to say thanks and God's blessings to all those who took part in giving us a shower in the home of Mrs. Icie Hughes, Tuesday Sept. 8, after we had lost everything in a fire of our mobil home.

Special thanks to the hostesses for making this possible, Mrs. Icie Hughes, Dorothy Soliz, Mrs. Ray McIntosh, Mrs. J. D. Moore, Mildred McQueen, Louise McBeth and Mrs. John McCombs.

We received many useful gifts and do appreciate them from our hearts. Thanks to everyone while living in Rotan, by making our stay a pleasant one in Rotan.

Thanks again to each and everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bice.

THANKS

The family of Mrs. Irene Graham would like to express their appreciation for the many acts of kindness during her illness and after her death. The flowers, cards and the food brought to our home helped us as we knew we had friends who grieved with us. We will never forget our many, many friends. May God bless each and everyone. Dishes left in the Bill Graham home will be there as they would like to thank each and everyone if possible.

The families of Bill Graham, Olin Graham, Alvin Graham, E. L. Graham, Maxine Carroll, Mary, Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lewis visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lewis at Bryan the past week.

Frances Clegg moved to Weatherford, Oklahoma last week where she will teach in O. U.

Mrs. L. C. Potest spent several days last week in Midland with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Potest.

Mac Eades went to Denton Saturday where he will be a sophomore at North Texas State College.

The Flicker

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Paper Organization Offices Are Filled

"The Flicker", the Rotan High School section in the Rotan Advance newspaper, now has the following journalism students added to its news-worthy staff:

Editor-in-chief, Jimmy Heathington; News Editor, Cheryl Hammit; Sports Editor, Diane Phillips; Typists, Linda Brown and Carolyn Hale.

Columnists: Birthdays, Buddy Day; Schedule, Zana Thompson; Know Your Senior, Sunny Partin.

Reporters: Jr. High, Cheryl Elliott and Eddie Mac Lang; Primary, Wayne McCombs and Bob Burnes; Lupe Montez, Eva Macias, David Canfil, Ralph McArthur, Diantha Tankersly, and Jeanne Ferris.

May we suggest that you remember us with any school news that we do not happen upon ourselves that we may pass it along to the unsuspecting public.

Jeanne Ferris

Football Stars In Junior High School

Football started August 31 for the Little Hammers. Their coaches this year are Mr. Kamstra, Mr. Burroughs. They have 14 eighth grade players and 11 seventh grade players. The starting line up will probably consist of Kevin Wright, QB or WB; Jimmy Gruben, WB or QB; Eddie Stewart, HB; Stephen McCall, F; Kenneth Shipp, center; Randy Murphree, LG; Larry Smith, LT; James Soliz, LE; James Price, RG; Carl Austin, RT; David White, RE.

The reserve strength comes from Sam Burnes, Roger Graham, Don Rollins, Travis McDonald, Bobby Edwards, George Elliott, Gary Landes, C. C. Carr, Mike Allen, Phil Springer, Alexander Coleman, Johnny Mathis, Jerry Clawson, Jerry Dean Edwards.

The Little Hammers were District Champs last year. They need all the people's support.

The following is the schedule for the 1964 Little Hammers:

7:30:
 Sept. 22, Aspermont, H
 Sept. 29, Roscoe, T
 7:00
 Oct. 6, Roby, T
 Oct. 13, Aspermont, T
 Oct. 20, Roscoe, H
 Eddie Mac Lang.

Birthday Calendars Still Available

Birthday calendars, sold by the Rotan Senior Class, are still available. Some have been sold, but there are still many on hand.

The calendars were printed by Mr. Shelton, publisher of the Rotan Advance. He printed 400 of them. This summer, from eight to eleven calendars were passed out to 37 seniors. This left 180 calendars not yet sold.

They sell for one dollar a piece and can be purchased from any Rotan senior. The calendars will be delivered if it is requested.

Buddy Day

New Teachers In Rotan School System

New teachers in the Rotan schools this year are: Miss Toby McAnally, first grade; Mrs. E. C. Asbill, fourth grade; Mr. Royce Shoemate, fourth grade; Mrs. Billy Hudnall, fifth and sixth grade English and spelling; Mr. Leslie Tonn, fifth and sixth grade science and P. E.; Mr. Aubrey Burrows, seventh and eighth grade math; Mrs. Marshall Hill, seventh and eighth grade English and Mr. Wade Burroughs, high school math, general science and boy's and girl's basketball.

Miss McAnally is from Irann, Texas, and received her B. S. from North Texas State.

Mrs. Asbill is from Sweetwater, Texas, and she attended Hardin-Simmons University. Last year she taught special classes at the Sweetwater Air Force Base.

Mr. Shoemate is from Graham, Texas, and received his B. S. from Hardin-Simmons University.

Mrs. Hudnall is a graduate of Hobbs High School and Hardin-Simmons University. She has previously taught in Bryan and Groverton.

Mr. Tonn is from Big Spring, Texas and received his B. A. from Baylor University. He has previously taught at McAdoo, Texas.

Mr. Burrows is from Sweetwater, Texas and received his B. S. from Texas Tech.

Mrs. Hill is a graduate of Rotan High School and received her B. S. from Abilene Christian College. She has previously taught 11 years in Rotan Primary.

Mr. Burroughs is from Coleman, Texas and received his B. S. from Hardin-Simmons University. He has also attended the University of Tennessee and Westminster Choir College, Princeton, New Jersey. He has taught in Sweetwater, Texas, for the last four years.

Diantha Tankersly

1964 Uniforms For Pep Leaders and Twirlers

For the pep rallies, the girl cheerleaders will wear a white four pleated skirt and a Yankee vest. On the vest is a Yellowhammer embroidered in natural colors. Black ivy league shirts will be worn under the vest. The boy pep leader will wear an identical vest and shirt with white ivy league slacks.

The game suits for cheerleaders will be orange pleated skirts with white inserts and orange sweaters with an orange and white letter and megaphone on front. Alternate black and white shirts will be worn under the sweaters. Again the boy will wear an identical sweater with white slacks.

Wearing these suits will be Mike Thornton, Cheryl Hammit, Lana Cave, Toni Lusk, and Zana Thompson.

For pep rallies the twirlers will be wearing orange leotards with the letters RHS and a musical note embroidered on the front in white. An orange skirt with a reversable white side worn over the leotard. The names of the twirlers are on the skirt in white letters.

The game suits for the twirlers will be white shorts with orange stripes down the side and a white coat with a matching shield. On the shield is an embroidered Yellowhammer in natural colors.

Wearing the majorette uniforms will be Pooky Hale, Diana Martin, and Sherry Edwards.

Pooky Hale

Primary Addition Expands Facilities

With the opening of school, students and teachers of Rotan Primary began taking advantage of their expanded facilities. The new wing contains a library, two large classrooms, and an art room. Designed by Lovett and Sellars, Architects, the addition was built by Snody Construction Company under the contract price of \$36,995. It has paneled halls and central heating. The library will soon be able to seat 54 at reading tables. It can be expanded to 100 for a group assembly. The classrooms are larger and have built-in bookcases and lockers. Each classroom will be equipped with blackboards and pegboards.

Diane Phillips

Rotan High Welcomes Ten New Students

Rotan High School welcomes 10 new students this year. Byron Shelley, a senior, comes from McCauley. Ronnie Gladson, a senior, comes from Lubbock. His father is a TV repairman. Jesse Gentry, also a senior, comes from Sweetwater. Wane Tonn, a junior, comes from Childress. His father teaches here. Virginia Gentry, a sophomore, comes from Sweetwater. Lanham Ross, also a sophomore, comes from DeLeon. His father breaks horses. Everleana York and Harvest York, both sophomores, comes from Sweetwater. Sharon Dorman, a freshman, comes from Waco. Her father is the District FHA agent. Laverne Harris, also a freshman, comes from Clyde.

Sunny Partin

Know Your Senior--

Birthdate - December 20, 1946
 Birthplace - Omaha, Nebraska
 Present age - 17
 Color of hair - brown
 Color of eyes - blue

Favorites: colors - red and blue
 food - steak and yeast bread
 sports - basketball and tennis
 song - "On the Street Where You Live"

artist - Andy Williams
 make of car - Chevrolet
 pastime - eating and reading
 subject - band

Pet peeves - the words "never mind" and "skip it"

Political party preference - Democrat

Extracurricular activities - band, tennis, basketball

Number of years in Rotan schools - 12

Choice of college - West Texas

Choice of profession - undecided

Name - Billie Jo McKinney

Sunny Partin

Band Elects Officers For The New Year

Monday evening, the Rotan Yellowhammer Band elected its officers. The election results are as follows: president, Billie Jo McKinney; vice-president, David Canfil; secretary-treasurer, Sunny Partin; senior representative, Diane Phillips; sophomore representative, Starrie Partin; freshman representative, Robert Carter; eighth grade representative, Frances Baugh.

Wayne McCombs

Band Enrollment Increases This Year

On August 31, 72 students were enrolled in band. There are 24 eighth graders, 12 freshmen, 16 sophomores, 12 juniors, and 8 seniors. There were 57 enrolled in band last year.

Wayne McCombs

Jr. High School Elects Class Officers

During the first week of school, the junior high classes elected their officers for the coming year.

In grade five, Mr. Armstrong's room, Kent Cave is president, Mike Hicks is vice-president and Debbie Elliott is secretary-treasurer. In Mrs. Hudnall's room, David Springer is president, Frankie Klepper is vice-president, and Donna Gruben is secretary-treasurer.

In the sixth grade, Mrs. Phillips' room, Rhonda Akers is president, Hank Day is vice-president and Mary Ramirez is secretary-treasurer. In Mrs. South's room, Walter Hargrove is president, Matt Dorman is vice-president and Cynthia Shipp is secretary-treasurer. In Mr. Tonn's room, Sandy Burnes is president, Steve Nowlin is vice-president and Mickey Early is secretary-treasurer.

In the seventh grade, Mrs. McCasland's room, the president is Phil Springer, the vice-president is Kaye McKimney and the secretary-treasurer is Gary Landes. In Mr. Burrow's room, the president is Kathy Allen, the vice-president is Margaret Hicks and the secretary-treasurer is Jeanie Moore.

In the eighth grade, Coach Jackson's room, the president is Jodie Helms, the vice-president is Steve McCall, and the secretary-treasurer is Pat Elliott. In Mrs. Hill's room, the president is Paula Heathington, the vice-president is Pamela Harden, and secretary-treasurer is Randy Murphree. In Mrs. Weatherman's room, the president is Debbie Hayes, the vice-president is Frances Baugh and the secretary-treasurer is Cheribeth Crawford.

The general officers for the eighth grade are Jimmy Gruben, president; Roger Graham, vice-president; Jerry Dean Edwards, Secretary-treasurer; Karen McKimney, reporter. Cheryl Elliott

Miss Mabel Donnell returned Wednesday from a two weeks visit with her sister Mrs. J. B. Ogle and Mr. Ogle in Dublin.

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RHS Seniors Selling Booster Ribbons

Seniors of Rotan High found Hammer fans aplenty Thursday morning as they began their ribbon sales. Each week this class will have the booster ribbons which are sold for ten cents. All profits from the sales will be placed in the Senior Class fund. The money will be used to help finance a Civics trip.

Different slogans are on the orange and white ribbons each week. A special ribbon will be sold for Homecoming, October 9.

Throughout the season ribbons will be available. School children in primary and junior high may purchase their ribbons from their teacher or principal each Thursday morning. Anyone else can get one from any senior.

Cheryl Hammit

New Football Equipment Purchased

New football equipment was purchased for the 1964 season.

Among the new items purchased were shoulder pads, workout jerseys, helmets, shoes, workout pants, and game socks.

Medical supplies were also purchased for use.

Ralph McArthur

Senior Class

The RHS seniors of 1965 have received their class rings. There are 37 seniors who have rings and three more have been ordered for the newcomers. The class chose a royal blue, smooth stone which was set in the standard band. The gold band has a torch on each side with 19 on one and 65 on the other. The words Rotan High School Yellowhammers are formed around the stone. All spaces are filled with black.

Zana Thompson

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5 303 Cans **\$1**

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Cocktail
4 303 Cans **\$1**

Libby's Cut
Green Beans
5 303 Cans **\$1**

Libby's
Spinach
7 303 Cans **\$1**

Libby's
Catsup
6 14 oz. Bottles **\$1**

Libby's
Tomato Juice
3 46 oz. Cans **79c**

Libby's Sliced or Halves
PEACHES 4 No. 2 1/2 Cans **\$1**

Libby's Crushed
Pineapple 6 No. 1 Flat Cans **\$1**

Libby's Pineapple-Grapefruit
Drink 4 29 oz. Cans **\$1**

Libby's Cream Style
Corn 6 303 Cans **\$1**

Produce

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Fresh Pound
OKRA 25c

Cello Lb. Bag
CARROTS 10c

Blackeyed Pound
PEAS 15c

Vineripe Pound
Tomatoes 19c

Meats

Choice Chuck Lb.
Roast 39¢

Tender Club Pound
Steak 69c

Fresh Calf Pound
LIVER 39c

Betty Crocker
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4 Boxes **\$1.00**

Fresh Ground
MEAT
4 Pounds **\$1**

Pure Pork 3 Lbs.
Sausage \$1.00

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HAMS
Pound **25¢**
Sliced Pound **29c**

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Pepper 4 oz. Box **37c**

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Crackers
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3 Bars **25c**

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Kolb-Campbell Reunion Held At Roby Sept. 5-6

The Kolb-Campbell family reunion was held in Roby at the Legion building, Sept. 5 and 6.

Visiting, singing, music and a little bit of jig dancing by some of the older ones attending was enjoyed by all.

Noon and evening meals were served on Sunday, each expressed their hopes of not being sick later, after eating so much good food.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Floyd, Debby and Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ratliff, Randy, Tandy and Sherry of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Gammage, Pat and Bobbie of Wichita Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Long, Richard and Scott of Gail. Mr. and Mrs. Luther Campbell, Steve and Julie Ann of Arlington. Dannie Skiles of Fresno, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Farr, Pasadena, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Erby Kolb, Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Kolb, Miss Luna Kolb, Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Campbell, H. C. Campbell, Rosa, Charlotte, Diane and Larry, all of Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Crawford, Ronald Bob of Odessa. Mr. and Mrs. Alva Kolb Jr., Sue and Stacy of Pasadena, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Adams of Abilene. Mrs. Clarice Kolb Mitchell of Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Joyce Boen, Elaine and Jimmy of Goldsmith. Leon Helm and Patricia Kay, Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Gammage, Elkhart. Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Green, Mrs. Erna Boen, and grandchildren Ricky and Denise, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Crawford, Rebekah, Cheribeth and Mary Lynn, Miss Emiyi Garrett, all of Rotan. Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Helm, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cauble, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Kolb Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Keifer Cauble, Revis Nell and Lois Ann, all of Roby. Mrs. Ernest Kolb, Aspermont-sorry Ernest was in hospital and could not attend.

The following were visitors which were welcomed and had such a big part in making the reunion so enjoyable: Doc and Julia Hewitt of Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. Copeland and children; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ash; Mrs. Lula Cyphers, Jeanie Tidwell, Sandra Herron, Mrs. Lenora Streetman, all of Rotan. Danny Quiett, Brawley, Calif.; A. W. Yeats, Beaumont; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Helm, Canehill, Ark; Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Yeats, Miss Nancy Ashley, of Roby. Mrs. Bettye Clayton, Wichita Falls.

It was so good to see each and everyone and speaking for all the family, it was indeed a pleasure to have our sister and husband back again this year, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Farr, also to have Mr. and Mrs. Erby Kolb, who have gone to so much trouble to collect so much history of the Kolb Clan.

We will meet at the same place in 1965 on Saturday and Sunday before Labor Day. Come everybody and bring some kinfolks with you. Visitors are also welcome.

Reporter

Rotan Church of Christ

Sunday:
Bible Study, 9:45 a. m. and 6 p. m.
Worship, 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study for all ages, 7:30 p. m.
Thursday:
Worship at Nursing Home, 6:00 p. m.

Sermon Topics:

Morning: "Action"
Evening: "What Is The Church of Christ"

Come Test Our Welcome

CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely extend our deepest appreciation to the countless friends and neighbors who aided our son Charles in numerous channels during his prolonged stay in Abilene's Hendrick Memorial Hospital. To those who stood prayerfully by us in those first crucial days, those who gave (and offered to give) blood, sent letters and cards of consolation and encouragement, and to those who uttered prayers for our strength and endurance, we express our sincere, heartfelt gratitude. Without such support, our burden would have been much heavier.

As the Lord has blessed us in sparing Charles' life. May God shower His most bountiful blessings on each of you.

Bruce and Marie McCain

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steers next month and will feed them silage and hay that he produced, plus some bought grain.

James Norman, Fisher County Farm Agent explained to the group that Mr. Lovett's operation was mapped out by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service specialists who used IBM computers. Mr. Norman said that these machines had better be right, because Mr. Lovett was following the recommendations to the "letter".

Henry Stoneham S. C. S. technician advised the group that his agency had worked with the F. H. A., and the Extension Service in developing Mr. Lovett's operation, as well as many others throughout the County. It was his opinion that their coordination would result in better farm and ranching practices being followed.

F. H. A. IN ACTION

Since the F. H. A. program began in the middle thirties, 66 loans made by F. H. A. for the purchase of farms have been repaid in full. 20 or more housing loans have been paid in full, plus hundreds of operating loans. The largest loan made by this agency in Fisher County was to the Sylvester-McCaulley Water Supply Corporation in the amount of \$191,560.00. Through this loan water under pressure was provided to 133 families. A supplemental loan in the amount of \$38,100.00 has been approved to provide water to 30 more families in the Sylvester area.

Milton A. Stinson, Area Supervisor from Colorado City spoke briefly to the group about the objectives of the Farmers Home Administration.

Weldon Sawyer of Andrews visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunter, Cathy, Brenda and Teresa visited with Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hunter in Alpine last week. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Collins and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hunter.

Rev. and Mrs. Jim Weathers and Breck Alan of Avoca visited Sunday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ashton.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Aaron of Buffalo Gap visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hartfield.

Johnny Cooper, son of Mr and Mrs. Chester Cooper visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cooper.

Mrs. Andy Shipp visited in Frederick, Okla. with her brother, Jim Gray who had fell from a house, breaking a heel and ankle, while doing roof work. Others from Rotan who visited Mr. and Mrs. Gray were Frances Clegg and John Poteet, cousins of Mr. Gray.

Rest Home Patients Are Entertained

Mrs. Nona Thompson, operator of the Fisher County Nursing Home and her staff, entertained the patients Friday evening with a comedy play. The play "A Manless Wedding" was a surprise to the patients as they had been led to believe a real wedding was to be performed.

As a prelude to the wedding a sixteen year old teen-ager, Ann Price was caught speeding 100 mph by Sheriff Mildred Parker. Brought before the Justice of Peace, portrayed by Mrs. Thompson, the youth explained that he was in a hurry to reach an unusual wedding. Not knowing the law very well, and not having a law book, his Honor explained that he had always been able to find what he needed in Sears, Roebuck catalogue, so maybe he could find something concerning the law in it. After looking through Sears, he fined the youth \$50 and 30 days in jail. In the wedding ceremony, his Honor, united Mr. Screwball, Beulah Driver and Miss Nutt, Mable Ails in holy matrimony with vows read from Sunday's comic section. The bride was given in marriage by a "glad to get rid of this one" father, Winnie Donham, while her mother, Johnnie Petty bawled loudly. Wedding music was played by Stella Ferris, who accompanied the best man, Vera Garcia as he sang, "Yes Sir, That's My Baby". Other members of the wedding party were bridesmaid, Faye Martin, flower girl, Willardene Parker and usher, Bettie Hariman. The reception, which was scheduled to follow in the dining room had to be cancelled because, although father brought the lemons for lemonade, mother forgot the Saltine crackers.

As the staff had hoped, the patients thought "the wedding" was hilarious. Other guests attending also seemed to enjoy the ceremony. Following the program, Mrs. Thompson who is retiring October 1, after operating the Home since it opened in 1959 was presented several lovely gifts from the patients.

H. T. Fillingim attended the funeral of Mrs. John C. Couch in Haskell last Thursday morning. Mrs. Couch, an aunt of Mrs. Fillingim had lived in Haskell until Mr. Couch died a few years ago. She has been living in Waco. Burial was in Haskell by the side of her late husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Stricklin of Blythe Calif. are visiting their son, a brother of Bill Ratliff and her uncle, Andy Shipp. The Stricklin family moved to California 21 years ago. They have purchased the late Edd Underwood place and plan to build a home and move back to Kent County about January 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith returned home Saturday from a visit with their children in Fort Worth.

Rogers Handling Amway Products

The Amway Sales Corporation announced today the appointment of G. W. and Ruby Rodgers of 407 Lee st. as a distributor of Amway products. Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers will distribute the complete line of Amway home-care merchandise, including an all-purpose liquid organic cleaning concentrate which will not contribute to detergent pollution of water supplies since it is completely bio-degradable in ordinary sewage disposal and septic tank systems.

Amway products are sold by over 30,000 independent home care consultants throughout the United States and Canada. The Amway home office and manufacturing plant is in Ada, Michigan.

Highland Home GACornation Sunday Nite

Sunday night, September 20, the Girls Auxiliary of Highland Home Baptist Church will meet with the Church to have the G A Cornation Service at 7:30 p. m. Theme of the program will be "Lead On O King Eternal".

This is the highlight of the year's work for the girls and their sponsors.

Girls making steps this year are: Linda Wallace, Queen-with-a-Scepter; Laura Wallace and Peggy Adams, Queen; Susan Adams and Marabeth Hammit, Princess; Pam Hardin, Lady-in-Waiting; and Merri Hammit and Lou Cade, Maiden.

GA Director is Mrs. Bobby Smith with Mrs. John Wallace as co-counselor. Everyone is invited to attend as the girls receive their awards.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Allen joined Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scharbrough and Bryan of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown, Joni and Ami of Lubbock for a weeks fishing trip at Stonewall, Colorado. They report good fishing, wonderful weather and a most enjoyable trip, returning home Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. S. L. Gilbert and children of Dallas visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fillingim Saturday and Sunday. Dr. Gilbert's mother, Mrs. John Gilbert of Cisco came with them to visit her sister, Mrs. L. C. Vittitow and they went to Jayton and visited another sister, Mrs. Ida Montgomery Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lewis and family of Austin and Mrs. W. J. Madden of Hamlin visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lewis last weekend.

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HENDON MOTOR SALES

NOTICE to All Cotton Farmers

The Cotton Classing Office of the Commodity Credit Corporation with classing office in Abilene, Texas, has informed the managers of the cotton gins that a penalty of six and one half '6 1/2' cents per pound will be levied against cotton bales made up of remnants of cotton. This means we cannot put two or more remnants to make up a bale without being assessed this 6 1/2c per pound.

In the past we have been able to handle this condition without too much loss, but we cannot continue the practice with the loss of 6 1/2c per pound penalty.

For this reason we are asking the cotton farmers to cooperate with us and strive to avoid having remnants of cotton. Over a full season of ginning, this 6 1/2c penalty on remnant bales as now handled would cost lots of money.

Please cooperate with us, thank you.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and children, Suzanne and James of Moreno, Calif. visited and attended to business here Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Jones is the former Sue Phillips, and a native of Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Christian and children Marguerite and Paula of Waxahachie visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Snapp several days this week.

Mrs. J. V. Hellums went to Austin Monday to visit her daughter, Miss John Hellums. She will also visit her sons, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hellums and children and Mr. and Mrs. David Hellums and children in Houston before returning home.

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

This is a reminder to those who use gasoline for farming purposes and who have not filed for the Federal tax refund on such gasoline. The claim will be allowed only if filed on or before September 30, 1964 and only one claim a year may be filed.

The period covered by the claim is from July 1, 1963 through June 30, 1964. Form 2240 used for claiming the refund is available at the county agent's office, in the Courthouse.

Grain sorghum and cotton go hand in hand to produce better yields.

Where cotton fields have had the advantage of fertilization and rotation with high residue crops, such as sorghum, and where the residue has been effectively used, crops are doing remarkably well during the dry weather.

In a rotation program, sorghum residue helps maintain the annual 4,000 pound per acre minimum organic matter level needed for satisfactory crop production.

To maximize sorghum residue, stubble should be shredded right behind the combine and root system destroyed immediately. This cuts regrowth and moisture loss. The residue should be either partly or completely covered, depending upon the farmer's desire, to start decomposition. It also provides the soil organisms with a supply of food and energy.

Although the temptation may be strong to use crop residues for other purposes such as grazing or baling, they will prove to be of greater value in the final analysis when used in a sound soil improvement program.

Many fruits and nuts, vegetables and ornamental plants are susceptible to cotton root rot, one of the most destructive plant diseases occurring in Texas. And little can be done to control this dread disease.

Selection of disease resistant plants is the best known method of combating root rot, says C. Wendell Horne, plant pathologist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Since the disease is very prevalent in heavy, alkaline soils, drying-out and acidifying the soil will aid in its control. Adding ammonium sulfate or sulfur to the soil will make it more acid and may help delay or prevent root rot infection.

Plants affected with the disease will wilt and then die in a relatively short period of time, the pathologist points out. They can be pulled up very easily and brownish fungus growth can usually be observed on the roots.

Horne advises planting and indicator crop such as cotton before locating new orchards, vineyards, berry patches or nurseries. The crop should be observed for root rot for at least one season.

A number of plants, trees and shrubs are either immune or resistant to the disease. A listing of these is found in Extension leaflet L-390, "Cotton Root Rot," which is available at local county Extension office.

County Agents for Soviets? A wire service report from Moscow stated that Premier Khrushchev told collective farm leaders that the USSR may set up a corps of Western-style county agents to travel the countryside advising farmers. He said the county agent system would be discussed at a meeting of the Communist Party Central Committee in November. He also said his government would begin organizing large scale chicken farms modeled after those of the U. S.



His Future

Will Be Shaped by Consequences

SOME will be the consequences of his own acts and decisions, but most will be consequences of OUR practices . . . as they determine his Opportunities.

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A list of members will be published in each issue of the Chamber of Commerce 'Trade At Home' messages.

This issue contains names of Members as of this date--others will be added as they are contacted and dues for 1964 are paid.

- Rotan Motor Co.
- Rotan Advance
- West Texas Utilities Co.
- Bartlett Strayhorn
- Rotan Insurance Agency
- Dycus Cleaners
- D. J. Smith Grocery
- H. L. Davis & Co.
- Campbell Dept. Store
- Rotan Theatre
- White Auto Store
- Winns Store, Inc.
- Foremost Dairies
- Edwards Implement Co.
- Lotief Dry Goods Co.
- Rotan Paint & Body Shop
- Farmers Gin Co.
- First National Bank
- Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.
- Weathersbee Funeral Home
- Porter Locker Plant
- Kennedy Motor Co.
- Nunley Plumbing

- Geo. Moore Grocery
- Clark-Benson Hardware
- H. T. Fillingim
- J. M. Jackson
- Hughes Furniture
- Rotan Cotton Oil Mill
- Price Grocery
- Ragsdale Drug
- Rotana Inn
- Bill Simmons Texaco
- National Gypsum Co.
- Gray Butane
- Hogsett Chevrolet Co.
- Rockwell Bros. & Co.
- Landes' Furniture
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- City of Rotan
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DRESSING		39c
Fro-Zan	1/2 Gal.	39c
Morton		
Cream Pies		29c
Carrots	Bag	10c
SPUDS	10 Lbs.	49c
Bananas	Lb.	12 1/2c
Pinto		
BEANS	4 Lbs.	49c
Kimbells	3 Lb. Can	
Shortening		59c
Sour Pickles	Quart Jar	25c
Hunts	46 oz. Can	
Tomato Juice		25c
Ranch		
BACON	2 Lb. Pkg.	89c
Chuck		
ROAST	Lb.	49c

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Parker Named Head Of Roby PCA Office

Dwain Parker of Roby, an employee of the Sweetwater Production Credit Association for 11 years, has been named field representative and manager of the Roby office of the agricultural financing institution, succeeding W. W. (Bill) Morton, who retired August 31.

Parker has been assistant in the Roby field office since October 1, 1962. A native of Roby, he graduated from Roby High School and attended Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. After military service in the U. S. Army, he returned to Roby, where he was employed by the Citizens State Bank and the Fisher County Abstract Office before joining the Sweetwater PCA.

He is married to the former Minnie Morris of Roby, and has a son Jimmy, 13, a daughter Vickie, 11. His parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Parker, well-known Fisher County residents. The elder Parker served several terms as Fisher County sheriff.

Morton, also a long-time resident of Roby and Fisher County, had served as manager of the Roby field office since January 1, 1946. A high point of his career with the Sweetwater PCA was the construction of a handsome new office building in Roby in 1960.

"We regret to lose a valued employee like Mr. Morton, but are very fortunate and pleased to have Dwain Parker available to assume the position as manager in our Roby office," commented H. G. Pitts of Sweetwater, general manager of the Sweetwater PCA.

Parker issued an invitation for all farmers and ranchers throughout the

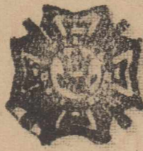
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Thursday, Sept. 17, 1964 No. 33

Fisher County area served by the Roby office to drop by to discuss their agricultural credit problems and needs.

The Sweetwater Production Credit Association is owned and operated by its more than 1,200 farmer and rancher stockholder-borrowers in Fisher, Nolan, Mitchell, Scurry, Borden and Dawson counties. Offices are operated in Sweetwater, Colorado City, Snyder, Lamesa and Roby. The association, one of the state's largest in annual loan volume, had loans totalling \$15,000,000 in 1963 highest in the association's 30-year history, and is expected to exceed that mark in 1964.

Serving on the Sweetwater PCA's board of directors are President E. W. Wiman of Roscoe, Vice President T. L. Finley of Loraine, Frank Jones of Lamesa, W. J. (Dub) Harvey of Roby and Aubry Head of Snyder.



V. F. W.

Meeting Nights
Second and Fourth Thursday
8:00 p. m. at the VFW Hall

Ross Woolsey, Commander
Austin McKinney, Quartermaster

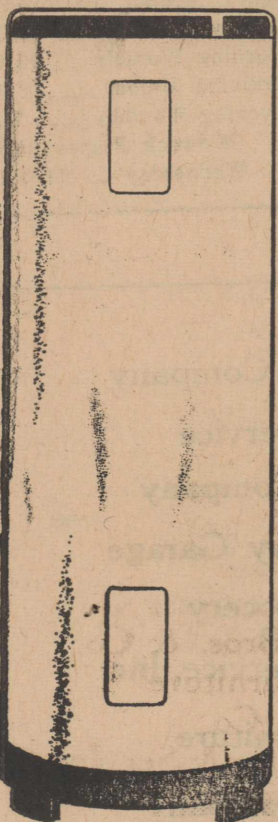
HERE'S SOME MORE MOM!



Youngsters have a knack for messing up things... themselves, the house, their clothes. This is especially true during the winter months. And it takes a lot of hot water to clean up. The new 3-times-faster, quick recovery, flameless electric water heater is time saving and provides a more-than-ample supply of hot water. A strict temperature control prevents overheating and there's nothing to re-set, regulate, or turn on and off except the faucet.

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 Sunday School --- 10:00 A. M.
 Morning Worship --- 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union --- 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship --- 7:00 p. m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday --- 8:00 p. m.

CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH

(6 Miles SW of Rotan)
 D. S. (Bud) Moore, Pastor
 Phone 5388 Rotan
 Sunday School --- 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union --- 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship --- 7:00 p. m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday --- 7:30 p. m.

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 Sunday School --- 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 11:00 a. m.
 Evening Worship --- 7:30 p. m.
 Prayer Meeting --- 7:45 p. m.
 Wednesday Night

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

201 N. McKinley Phone 324
 Rev. Billy Hudnall, Pastor
 Rev. Gary G. Clark, Associate Pastor
 Miss Josie Baird, Secretary
 Sunday School --- 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union --- 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship --- 7:00 p. m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday --- 7:00 p. m.
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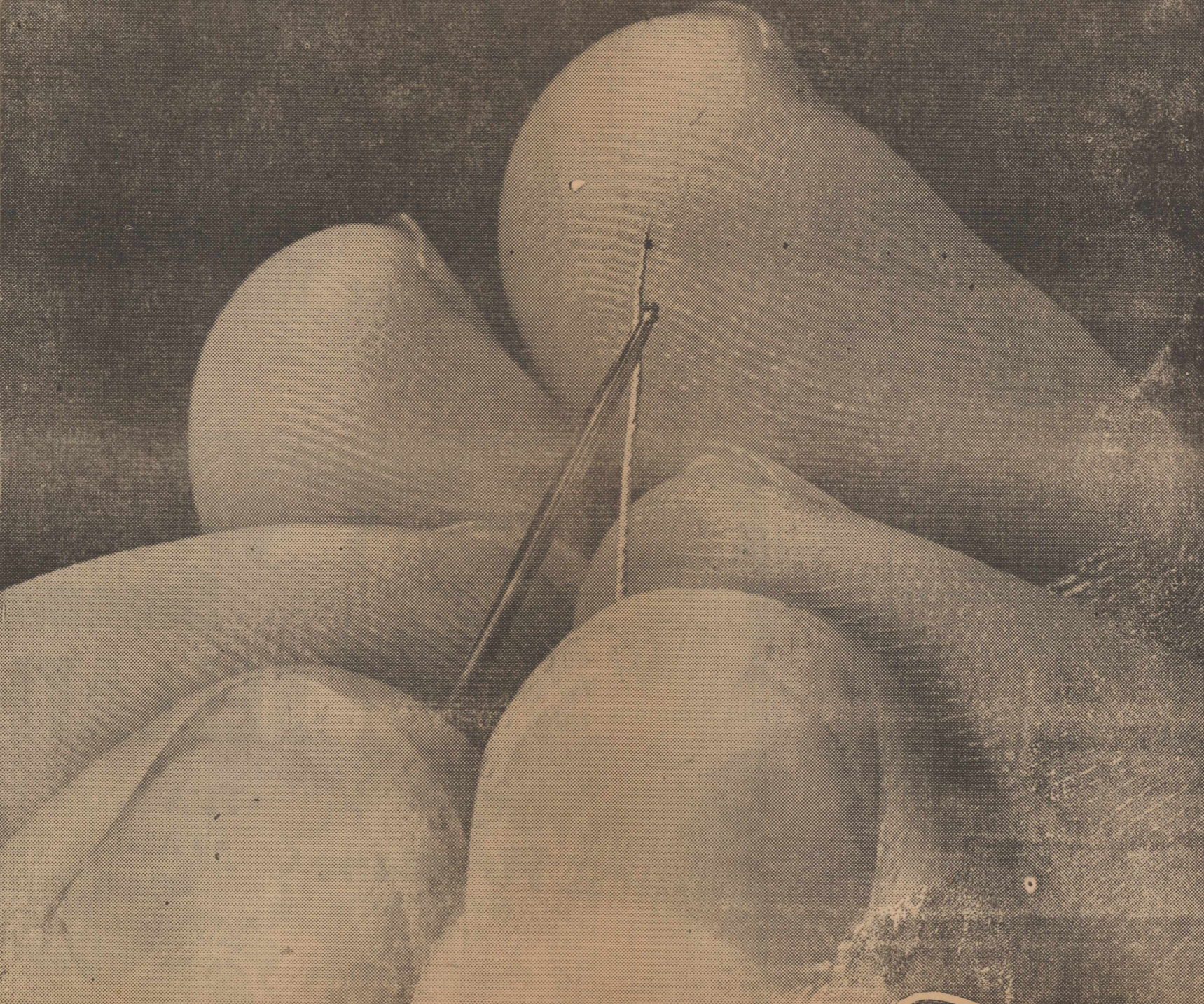
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

209 N. McKinley--Phone 232
 Parsonage 405 Johnston. Ph. 353
 Marvin Fisher, Pastor
 Sunday School --- 9:30 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 10:30 a. m.
 MYF --- 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Service --- 7:00 p. m.
 Monday Circle --- 3:00 p. m.
 Joy Circle 1st & 3rd Tuesday--
 9:30 a. m.
 Wednesday Prayer Circle
 9:30 a. m.
 Choir Practice --- 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday
 Official Board Meeting 1st
 Wednesday of Month

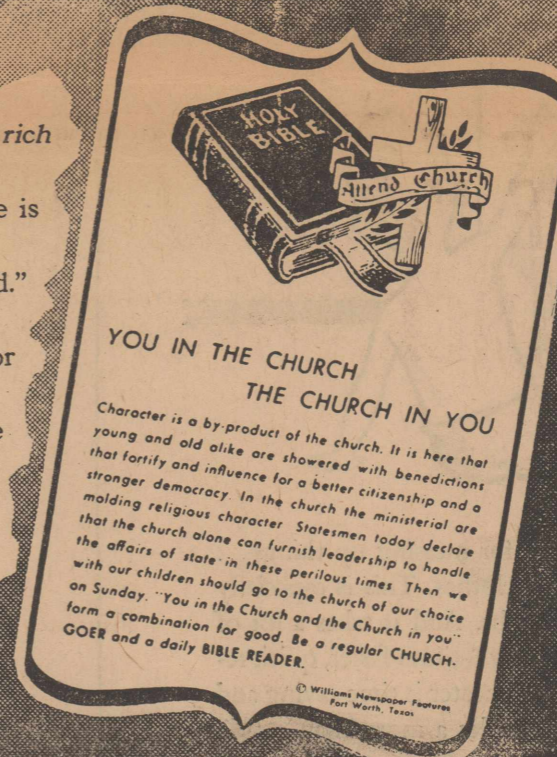
HIGHLAND HOME BAPTIST CHURCH

Harold Churchill--Pastor
 Sunday School --- 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union --- 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship --- 7:00 p. m.
 Wednesday Evening Prayer
 Service--8:00 p. m.
 Worship with us and you will
 feel at home--Welcome

The RICH MAN...and the NEEDLE



the greatest teacher left us a word of wisdom that never loses its charm nor its truthfulness... "It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the Kingdom of God." There are things money can't buy; in fact no really great values can be bought. We can buy food, houses, clothing, but money alone is weak and foolish. The old Spartan mother said to a son who complained that his word was too short... "You must add a step for yourself to lengthen the word." Helpful as money is, man is more important. Real friends and genuine fellowship wait for the extra step you must take. Camels do not go through needles' eyes, nor do human kingdoms of value answer to the demands of wealth. *With God all things are possible.* All men may enter the Kingdom on the same basis and all who enter are rich. People who trust in things find that much can be bought for a price but they will discover with difficulty that education, love, Christianity and trust must be gained by personal worth and individual goodness. *It is the condition of the heart that counts. Money will never substitute for character nor piety.* Of course we should honor men and women of wealth who are good, kind, and generous. They have proved to be masters of things... not their servants.
 Go to church this very week.



FOURSQUARE CHURCH
 EIGHTH AND GENEVIEVE
 Rev. L. L. McKinney B. Th.
 Pastor
 Sunday School --- 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 11:00 a. m.
 Evening Worship --- 7:00 p. m.
 Midweek Service Thursday
 Singspiration and Fellowship

HILLCREST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Bobby Stokes, Pastor
 Located at Elizabeth & McArthur Sts.
 Welcomes You
 Sunday School --- 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
 Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
 A Friendly Church

HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Royce Shoemate, Pastor
 Sunday School --- 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union --- 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship --- 7:00 p. m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday --- 7:00 p. m.

LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. R. M. Castle, Pastor
 Sunday School --- 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Service --- 11:00 a. m.
 B.T.U. --- 5:00 p. m.
 Evening Service --- 6:00 p. m.
 Mission Monday --- 4:00 p. m.
 Wednesday Night
 Prayer Meeting --- 7:00 p. m.
 Thursday
 Jr. Mission, 3:30 to 4:30 p. m.

NAZARENE CHURCH

Lee & McKinley St.
 Rev. Wm. A. Morris, Pastor
 Sunday School --- 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 10:40 a. m.
 Evening Worship --- 7:00 p. m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday --- 7:30 p. m.

SAINT JOSEPH'S CHURCH

305 E Lee Street -- Phone 6691
 Rev. Benedict J. Zientek, Pastor
 Holy Mass: Sunday, 8:00 and 9:00 a. m.
 Weekdays --- 7:00 a. m.
 Wednesday --- 7:30 p. m.
 Confessions: Saturday 9:00 to 10:00 a. m.
 Saturday --- 7:00 p. m.
 Mission Church: Sacred Heart (Near Hamlin)
 Holy Mass every Friday at 6:00 p. m.

SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH

(8 1-2 Miles SW of Rotan)
 Pat Anderson, Pastor
 Sunday School --- 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union --- 6:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship --- 7:00 p. m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday --- 7:30 p. m.

IGLESIA BAUTISTA

First Mexican Baptist Church
 W. Johnston & N. Garfield
 Henry Medina, Pastor--Ph. 1611
 Sunday School --- 10:00 a. m.
 Morning Worship --- 11:00 a. m.
 Training Union --- 7:00 p. m.
 Evening Worship --- 7:45 p. m.
 Midweek Prayer Service
 Wednesday --- 7:30 p. m.

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 Hughes Furniture
 Scales Motor Company
 Martin Butane Company
 H. L. Davis & Company
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