

### The Weather

From records of Fred Byerly, Weather Observer.

	Prec.	Hi	Lo
Wed. 21st		99	59
Thurs. 22nd		95	65
Fri. 23rd		93	64
Sat. 24th		91	65
Sun. 25th	.53	69	49
Mon. 26th		54	50
Tues. 27th		69	42

Precipitation to date 1964 --- 8.57  
Precipitation to date 1965 --- 3.12

### Amateur Rodeo Good Regardless of Weather

Fisher County Sheriff Posse Amateur Rodeo proved successful in spite of adverse weather conditions throughout its run. Friday night's show was hampered by dust and windstorm and even worse conditions prevailed Saturday night, with the final show being postponed until 2 p. m. Sunday. As the show was entering last event, bull riding, the rain started, which scattered the crowd before the event closed.

The show proved very popular with contestants as time would not allow, but about half that wished to enter, to be participate.

The show was sponsored by the Fisher County Sheriff's Posse and was produced by Lawrence Klein of Henrietta.

Sam Roberson of Fort Worth riding a wiry bronc, "2 Spots," was the top winner of the bare back bronc contest.

The other four winners in bareback were: 2. Mickey Shirley, Fort Worth on "Mictake," 3. Cecil Richardson, Abilene, on "Bonanza," 4. Sidney Johnson, Snyder, and 5. Eddie Crowley, Henrietta.

Shirley, riding "Come Apart," won in saddle bronc riding. Second place went to Claburn Clark of Alpine, up on "Crazy Otto."

In bull riding, first place was won by Cecil Richardson. Other winners were: 2. Eddie Crowley, 3. Don O'Donald, Sweetwater, 4. Royce Bearden, Alpine; 5. John Billy Koonsman, Snyder.

Best total time winners in other rode events include:

Tiedown roping (boys 15 years and up) — 1. Don Sims, Snyder, 25.2 seconds; 2. Payton Whitaker, Abilene, 25.6; 3. Martin Fryer, Big Spring, 27.3.

Flag race (boys and girls 14 and under) — 1. Patty Horner, 19.7; 2. Leslie Chapman, Anson, 20.8; 3. Craig Diddle, Sweetwater, 21.3.

Pole bending (boys and girls) 14 and under — 1. Marilyn Burleson, Sweetwater, 35.5; 2. Leslie Chapman, 39.7; 3. Lou Ellen McCombs, Rotan, 41.9.

Barrel race (girls 15 and up) — 1. Mrs. Ethel Hart, Jayton, 37.5; 2. and 3. Peggy Harris, San Angelo, and Marilyn Burleson, 38.1.

Ribbons roping (boys 15 and up) — 1. Larry Guy, Abilene 16.9; 2. Jess Everett, Snyder, 21.9; 3. James E. Epperson, Lubbock, 29.7.

Barrel race (boys and girls 14 and under) — 1. Leslie Chapman, 38.2; Margaret Davis, Abilene, 39.9; 3. Patty Horner, Clyde, 40.6.

### CANCER SOCIETY TO MEET

The Fisher County Unit of the American Cancer Society will have their regular meeting Wed., May 5 at Clark's Corral Restaurant at 12 noon.

Everyone interested is ask to attend. Each pays for their own meal.

Miss Jo Ann Shows of Chicago visited the past week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Shows.

### Hospital News

Local patients admitted to Callan Hospital April 21 to 28 were: Mrs. Loie Stevens, Mrs. Pete O'Brian, Ollie McCombs, Bob McArthur, George Moore, Mrs. J. E. Counts, Mrs. E. T. Warren, Randy Sparks, Mrs. Betty Sparks, Mrs. Tony Molina, Mrs. J. Alfred Turner, E. T. Warren, Mrs. M. L. Irvin, Mrs. Ervin Stricklin, Hub Taggart, Mrs. Jim McCright, E. D. Sharp.

Out of town patients: Mrs. J. S. Knight, Hermleigh; Mrs. Deola Miles, Snyder; Mrs. Carl Williams, Hermleigh; T. C. Adams, Hermleigh; Bill McMeans, Jayton; Mrs. Cecil King, Roby; Mrs. Joe E. Meador, Peacock; Mrs. Marion Hamilton, Snyder.

Births: A 6 lb., 3 oz. boy to Mr. and Mrs. Tony Molina, 8:14 a. m., April 28. He was named Jay Morris.

An 8 lb., 4 oz. boy to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil King, 11:50 a. m., April 28. He was named Joel James.

J. P. Phillips

# THE ROTAN ADVANCE

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### Katy To Resume 6-Day Freight Run May 1st

Victor Hill, manager of National Gypsum Co., Rotan plant, was advised by W. T. Davidson, director of transportation National Gypsum Co., Buffalo, N. Y., that MK&T would resume 6 day freight service in Rotan starting May 1st.

Mr. Davidson received this confirmation from John Barriger, chief executive of MK&T New York office. Mr. Barriger stated that he had inspected branch lines in various parts of Texas and Oklahoma and that he would inspect the Waco to Rotan line in the near future. He stated he found all branch lines in very poor operational condition and that some \$80 million would be required to put all in proper operational condition and that he had thus far secured \$25 million of this in Dallas.

This is very good news to Rotan as National Gypsum Plant has been badly hampered by the poor rail service. A sharp reduction in production and personnel has resulted and this has affected the general economy of Rotan. National Gypsum is a vital industry in Rotan and the work of a few people in making much effort to get rail service back to normal should be appreciated by everyone.

### Darden Dept. Store To Hold Open House

Darden Dept. Store will hold formal opening Friday from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. The business has been open for about two months, but the building was redecorated and new stocks arranged since that time.

Mrs. Darden has door prizes for adults and a number of major prizes will be given among those registered. You do not have to be present to win.

Be sure to visit the new store Friday and see the nice stock of merchandise.

### Nice Rain Over Area Sunday

A slow, gentle rain covered this section Sunday afternoon in varying amounts. Most local gauges showed about .60 while Fred Byerly gauged .53 inch.

The fall was much heavier to the east, up to 1 1/2 inches. South of town the precipitation was also heavier, but to the west and north lighter. This with last week's moisture give a good start for farm and ranching operations, but more is needed in most parts for a planting season.

Farmers have fields in good shape for the coming season.

### Four Injured In Car Accident Friday Nite

Four persons were hospitalized Friday night following a two-car accident on highway in front of Jack Allen Station.

Mrs. Billy Sparks and four children and a car driven by E. T. Warren collided. The 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sparks, Randy, suffered severe abrasions about the head. Mrs. Sparks had some injury but both she and son were treated several days at hospital and are now at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren remained in hospital overnight and released. He had broken rib while Mrs. Warren suffered some abrasions. All are reported to be recovering nicely.

Damage to both cars was extensive.

### Netters Place In Dist. 5-A At Lubbock

Jimmy Heathington, senior student from Rotan High School, representing District 5-A in Senior Boy's singles in tennis took place at the regional playoffs in Lubbock Saturday. Jimmy defeated teams from Panhandle and Fabens before m., April 28. He was named Jay Morris.

The girls double team, of Billie Jo McKinney and Bobbie Kerns defeated Kress, but lost to Menard in the semifinals to place third.

### Plans Complete For CleanUp Week May 3-7

Everyone is urged to clean up yards, etc., and have all debris at alley for the City trucks to do the hauling on schedule next week. Clean Up week is May 3 to 7 and City officials will provide trucks and men to haul everything citizens will make available for them, even trees and heavy discarded articles. No charge is made for this and with full cooperation we can have a very clean town.

It is not necessary to notify City Hall of any trash you may have to be hauled, just check the schedule below, have yours in your alley on the day on the schedule and we'll have a good Clean-Up.

Monday, May 3: East of Cleveland Ave. (Hwy. 70) on 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th Streets.

Tuesday, May 4: East of Cleveland Ave. (Hwy 70) on Lee McArthur, Johnson, Burnside, Beauregard to Snyder Ave. (Hamlin Hwy.)

Wednesday, May 5: East of Cleveland Ave. (Hwy 70) and south of Snyder Ave. (Hamlin Hwy) to the South City Limits.

Thursday, May 6: West of Hwy. 70 (Cleveland Ave.) and South of FM 611 (Snyder Ave.) to South City Limits.

Friday, May 7: North of FM 611 (Snyder Ave.) and West of Cleveland Ave. (Hwy 70) to North City Limits.

### Dr. Callan's Work In Africa Appreciated

The following item was received Wednesday by the Advance from Dr. Ronald W. Huddleston of Chimala Mission Hospital, Mbeya, Tanzania in regard to Dr. Maurice Callan's work there:

From March 20 through April 13, Dr. Maurice Callan of Rotan, Texas, assisted Dr. Ronald Huddleston and staff in the Chimala Mission Hospital, P. O. Chimala, Mbeya, Tanzania, East Africa. During his stay at Chimala Mission Hospital, Dr. Callan became well acquainted with the diagnosis and treatment of our most common tropical diseases, such as malaria, shistosomiasis, kwashiorkor, hookworm, tapeworm, tropical ulcer, relapsing fever and others. It was difficult for Dr. Callan to believe that none of the patients knew their age or the ages of their children. He was appalled by the witch doctor's treatments. He made fast friends with the staff and they wanted him to stay longer. However, he left to continue his busy schedule where he will be helping in the dispensary at Nhowe in Southern Rhodesia before leaving Africa.

All at Chimala Mission Hospital express appreciation to Dr. Callan for his service to our mission. He was a wonderful goodwill ambassador. We hope that some day he can return to Chimala Mission Hospital.

Sincerely,  
Ronald W. Huddleston, M. D.

### Hobbs First In Region 6-B Contest

Hobbs High School scored 42 points to win the region 6-B University Interscholastic League meet held at Howard County Junior College in Big Spring Friday and Saturday.

Paint Rock with 40 points was second and Miles was third with 37 points. Hobbs won first in slide rule, one-act play and second in extemporaneous speaking. Freddie Martinez won the slide rule, and Randy Williams won the extemporaneous speaking. This is the first time in the history of the school that Hobbs has won Regional in literary events. Also it is the first time the school has won Regional in the one-act play.

### PTA OFFICER INSTALLATION

Installation of officers of PTA for next year will be tonight, 7:30 at Primary library. District PTA officer, Mrs. Carl Duncan of Aspermint will conduct installation service and refreshments will be served.

### Miss Chiles Named Woman of the Year

Miss Bertrice Chiles, known in Rotan as "Chilly," was named "1965 Woman of the Year" at a Banquet Friday night in the dining room of Clark's Corral. The award, sponsored annually by Chi Kappa chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, is a highlight of the Founders Day Banquet. The Sorority sponsors the award, but leading citizens on a secret nominating nominate and select the woman of the year.

"Chilly," a registered nurse and anesthetist who has kept calm through countless hours in the operating room of the Callan Hospital, was shattered when told of being selected for the town's top honor. "I'm a nervous wreck," she declared.

"Chilly" was there to receive the award, had a close call. Before she went to the banquet, she was on call at the hospital awaiting the arrival of a soon to arrive baby.

Even so, she was only at the banquet 10 minutes before she got a call to return to the hospital for an accident case, but she did receive her honorary membership pin to the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, and was also presented with yellow roses.

"Chilly" was presented her pin by Miss Josie Baird, 1962 Woman of the year.

Miss Chiles received her training at Ft. Worth and Chicago, Ill. Associated with Callan Hospital since it opened in 1938, she has been anesthetist since 1940. Her present hospital duties include director of nurses. She is a member of Rotan Rebekah Lodge and the First Baptist Church.

### Sister of Mrs. Emmett Cave Dies at Hamlin

Funeral for Mrs. J. E. (Maggie) Cory, 79, was held at 3 p. m. Friday in First Methodist Church, Hamlin, with Rev. Joyce Womack, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Hamlin East Cemetery under direction of Foster Funeral Home.

She was a sister of Mrs. Emmett Cave of Rotan.

Mrs. Cory died at 12:55 p. m. Thursday in Hamlin Memorial Hospital where she had been a patient two months.

Born Feb. 25, 1886, in Mt. Vernon, Tex., she married J. E. Cory in Neinda Nov. 28, 1907. She was a member of First Methodist Church and of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. John (Opal) Hatcher of Houston; a brother, Sherman Moulton of Hobbs, N. M.; three sisters, Miss Maude Moulton of Abilene, Mrs. Emmett Cave, and Mrs. Goldie Green of Abilene; several nieces and nephews.

### Clois Bennet Speaks At Medical Meeting

Clois W. Bennett, M. T. (ASCP) Chief of Serology Department of Brackenridge Hospital, Austin will speak this morning at 33rd annual convention of Texas Society of Medical Technologists at Midland.

His subject will be "Antispermatozoal Antibodies and their Relation to Infertility."

He plans to visit his mother, Mrs. Don Darden, Mrs. Darden and other members of his family and attend open house of the new store Friday.

### RHS Literary Students Second At Lubbock

Rotan High placed in school standings for the first time at the regional contests held at Texas Tech in Lubbock April 23. The students combined efforts received a second place rating.

Two students qualified for the state contests to be held at the University of Texas in Austin May 6-9. Linda Brown will represent RHS in journalism and Steve Edwards, in poetry interpretation.

Others who "placed" were Robert Patton, slide rule; Judy Byrd, shorthand, and David Canfil and Bruce Baugh, debate.

### Pre-School Visitation Day Is May 14

One of the most interesting days in the life of a child is the day he starts to school. He waits in eager anticipation for his sixth birthday with one idea in mind - now he is ready to go to school. In order to make this occasion a happy one, Rotan Primary School has "Pre-School Day."

The child who is six years of by September 1st spends the hours from 8:30 to 12:00, becoming acquainted with the life that is to be his for many years to come.

He makes new friends, who will be his classmates, he meets his teacher, he learns about the big building that will be his home. He enjoys the playground, learns the routine of the lunch room, and brings his 25c to eat there. But, perhaps the best thing about his day is the sense of security he gains with which to face the coming school year. Please see that your child does not miss this delightful experience.

### Hobbs Wins In 6-B Regional Contests

Region 6-B one-act play contest held Thursday at Howard County Junior College was won by Hobbs School with its presentation of "Granny's Little Cherry Room." Second was Sterling City, third was Pomeroy, from the El Paso area.

The Hobbs School has been represented at Regional 5 times in 8 years. Mrs. A. O. Dennington has directed the one-act plays for the past 8 years.

The Best Actress Award went to Sheila Walker of Hobbs and the Best Actor was Marty Bonillo of Pomeroy. Other all-star cast members were Melva Pearce and Vivian Harris of Hobbs, Geanie McDonald of Sterling City, Kay McWilliams of Trent, Robert Karelton and Jacqueline Harvey of Fort Davis, Gene Durat of Noche, and Ann Nea Sweeney of Borden County.

Cast of the winning play was Melva Pearce, Vivian Harris, Sheila Walker, and Fred Boydston.

The play cast with their director will leave for Austin for the State Meet May 5. The play will be presented at Austin May 6.

### Mrs. Garland Heads PTA Conference

Mrs. M. F. Garland, District 18 president of PTA presided for the first session of 10th annual Spring conference of District 18, Texas Conference of Parents and Teachers in Abilene, Wednesday.

Conference registration opened at 8:30 a. m. in Cooper High School auditorium. Host group is Abilene City Council PTA.

State officers attending were Mrs. J. David Proctor, audio visual chairman; Mrs. Arlice Brooks of San Angelo, vice president, and Mrs. Vernon Jackson of Grand Prairie, cultural arts chairman.

Leader for Group II, "Developing Intelligent Leadership," in Cooper Library is Mrs. Jackson. Moderator is James Weeks, recorder Robert Pierce and resource persons Mrs. Proctor and K. C. McCasland of Rotan.

The Conference was a two day affair closing Wednesday.

### Clark is New GMC Truck Dealer

Clark's Tractor & Implement Co. have been named new headquarters for GMC truck sales, service and parts by General Motors Corp.

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Mrs. J. O. Cooper visited for several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. John Carpenter in Lakeside Ariz.

### Lions Club Zone Meeting Well Attended

Lions Club Zone meeting held last Thursday night at Clark's Corral was well attended by Roby and Rotan Lions and their wives.

Johnnie Ammons of Roby presided. The program also included family-style dinner.

Scott Mitchell, minister of the Church of Christ spoke on "Why I Believe in America," which was very inspiring. He also showed slides made in the state of Washington, showing much beautiful scenery. Rev. Morris pastor of the Nazarene Church gave several vocal numbers on patriotic theme.

Mae Weathersbee is new Rotan Club president, succeeding H. Thompson and Cecil King will head the Roby Club. Arlon Melton is Roby's outgoing president.

### Service Held For J. L. Hull Friday

Funeral service for J. L. Hull was held at 4 p. m. Friday in First Baptist Church by Elders B. R. Howze of Big Spring, Curtis Ripley of Goldwithe and Fred Boen of Hamlin.

Mr. Hull died at 9:30 p. m. Tuesday following a heart attack at his home in Hobbs Community. He died shortly after being admitted to Callan Hospital.

Born Jan. 1, 1914, in Rotan, he married Eula Mae Reep Aug. 30, 1944. He was ordained a deacon in Roby Primitive Baptist Church in 1955 and served a number of years as trustee of Hobbs Consolidated School.

He was employed at Rotan Gin and also had farming and stock-farming interests.

Burial was in Belview cemetery under direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Jim McCright, G. W. Crawford, Dick Edwards, Charles McCall, Al Finch, Melvin Clements and Clinton Edwards and Lincoln Cleveland.

Members of Hobbs school board and men teachers were honorary pallbearers.

Surviving are his wife; three daughters, Reva Jo, Brenda and Kathy, and two sons, Donald and Michael, all of the home; his mother, Mrs. A. A. Hull of Rotan; two brothers, Allen of Rotan and Benny of Long Beach Calif.; five sisters, Mrs. Clyde Farrar of Roby, Mrs. Jim Goodwin and Mrs. Woodrow McDaniel of Rotan, Mrs. George McDaniel of Norwalk, Calif., and Mrs. Lewis Faucht of Sacramento, Calif.

### Meeting Set On Game Bill Saturday

A meeting of everyone interested in the proposed Regulatory Game bill in Legislature will be held in Roby Saturday at 7:30 p. m. at Courthouse.

Representative Temple Dickson of Sweetwater and Game Warden Roy Lynn will attend and will give details on the bill which Mr. Dickson has been asked to introduce.

The Regulatory system is working well in most of Texas. Landowners, hunters, in fact everyone interested on the conservation of wildlife in our state are urged to attend, hear details of the system and express their views.

### Kristan Hill Wins In Miss Teen Age State Contest in Dallas

Kristan Hill, teenage member of the Rotan's Tip Tops Club, won second place in the Miss Teen age division, of the Tops Clubs of Texas, and was awarded a trophy and certificate at the banquet Saturday night in the Baker Hotel in Dallas.

Kristan was crowned Princess Saturday afternoon and wore the crown and Royal Cape and reigned with the Top King and Queen and the Tiny Tots Queen on the stage during the afternoon program. The teenager that won over the Rotan's teenager was unable to attend the convention.

## DON'T FORGET THE CLEAN-UP DRIVE - MAY 3-7th

## Deferred Grazing Aids Grasslands

Deferred grazing is one of the most economical methods known today of improving the condition of our native grasslands. In simple terms, deferred grazing is "resting" or keeping all the livestock off a pasture during all or part of one growing season.

Under properly applied deferments better grasses are allowed to become better established, produce seed and new seedlings become established. As better grasses favored, they will spread and crowd out inferior grasses, resulting in range improvement and reduction of soil and water loss.

There are several points that should be remembered when planning deferments. Better pastures should be deferred first because they will improve the quickest and then will be able to carry the grazing load while the poorer pastures are given the longer rests which they will require. A pasture should be rested during the actual growing season of the kinds of grasses you want to increase. All livestock should be removed from the pasture to be deferred. A few left in the pasture will graze the areas and kind of plants in most need of rest. The improvement of pastures in a low state of productivity may require deferment for two or more consecutive growing seasons to achieve the desired results. The amount of rest needed and rate of improvement resulting are dependent upon several factors, but most important, is the kind of growing season, which changes greatly from year to year.

Pastures being grazed with stock from deferred pastures should not be overloaded. Some adjustment in livestock number may be required to carry out an effective program of this nature. Proper use of the better grasses is a must, following properly applied deferments, if range improvement is to continue over a period of years.

The personnel of the Rotan office of the Soil Conservation Service, which assists the Upper Clear Fork Soil Conservation District, will be glad to assist you for an improvement program of this type to your own land, vegetation, and plan of operations.

Mrs. Archie Willingham of Sweetwater visited Friday with Bertie Burrow and attended the rodeo Friday night.

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We wish to thank and show our appreciation to our many friends and neighbors here and at Littlefield for all their kindness, flowers, cards and food during our recent loss of our beloved husband, father and son, Bob Pullig. For those who attended the services at Littlefield and the graveside services in Roby.

To thank the pastors of the Littlefield Baptist Church, Rev. Robert

Longshore and Rev. Coffman of the Parkside Baptist Church for their comforting words spoken at the services. Also to thank Supt. Glen Reeves for closing all schools in Littlefield. Thanks to Elder Houze for the consoling words he said at the graveside service. Elder Boen (brother of Mrs. Pullig) for the opening prayer and Elder Ripley, pastor of Roby Primitive Baptist Church, for the closing prayer. All of

the coaches who acted as pallbearers and the Junior physical class as honorary pallbearers at Littlefield and here.

We shall never forget each and everyone of you for your kind acts and sympathy. May God bless you.

Mrs. Bob Pullig, Lisa and Monti, Littlefield

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Pullig and family.

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A total of 116 American school children and missionary teachers were evacuated to Bangkok, Monday from the South Vietnamese City of Dalat in three U. S. Air Force transports. The children all were children of missionaries of the Christian and Missionary Alliance, stationed in seven Asian countries.



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# The Glicker

## New Twirlers Selected For Big 'Y' Band

Wednesday afternoon, April 21, Mrs. Bart Strayhorn took Donna Murphree, Connie Hill, Paula Heathington, Pam Hardin, Jodie Helms, and Sharron Puryear to Sweetwater. These girls were majorette and drum major candidates. They performed before judges Pat Patterson and Don Hanna, Sweetwater Band School officials. The girls were graded 60% on fundamentals and 40% on routine. A composite score was used for selection.

Miss Sharron Puryear was chosen drum major for her second year, unopposed. Head majorette is upcoming freshman Paula Heathington; with majorettes Connie Hill and Pam Hardin to complete the group.

--Zana Thompson.

## Speakers For Graduation Exercises

The speakers for the baccalaureate and commencement exercises held May 16 and 20, respectively, have been named. Rev. Scott Mitchell, minister of the Church of Christ, will be the speaker for baccalaureate service. Rev. Marvin Fisher, pastor of the First Methodist Church will be the speaker at commencement.

--Diantha Tankersley

## RHS Welcomes Visitors From California

Rotan High School was visited April 12 by two students from California. Belinda and Derinda Horton followed the schedule for seniors. In journalism, they were interviewed by the students.

When asked about the differences in our school and theirs, they told about their school life. The girls said that RHS was more lenient in the "dress" and "conduct".

In telling about their school activities the girls said that there were assemblies and parties. There is one big party a month sponsored by the student body.

The campus at their school is closed. That means that no student may leave school at any time during the day. The students either bring their lunch or eat in the school cafeteria.

In their classes, the girls said that there were usually about 40 students. They also added that the subjects were harder.

--Diane Phillips.

## Schedule for Next Fall Now Complete

The schedule for the '65-66 school year has been completed. Scheduling the students in courses began this week.

--Jeanne Ferris

## 1965 Elections For SC To Be Held May 7

The 1965 Student Council election will be held Friday, May 7, in the high school auditorium. Nominations for candidates will be made Thursday, April 29. The poll tax is 10c and must be paid by May 6. All voters are required to pay their tax to a Student Council member. To qualify for nomination, one must be a passing student and have a petition with the names of at least 25 students who have paid their poll taxes.

The presidential nominees must be 1965-66 seniors; vice-president nominees, 1965-66 juniors; and secretary and parliamentarian nominees may come from any of the classes in high school except the senior class. A Student Council officer may not hold any other major office, be a cheerleader, or a drum major or maporette.

The nominees must have someone to nominate them on April 29. On election day they may have campaign speeches or skits. Any campaign signs may be distributed starting Monday, May 3. Student Council elections are sponsored by the Student Council. The president of the student body says, "The student Council will appreciate all students' cooperation and support as well as participation in the election. After all, the more running, the merrier."

--Sunny Partin.

## Honor Roll in Junior High Announced

The second six weeks of the semester honor roll was announced in junior high April 20. The students on the honor roll must have a 90 or above grade in all of their subjects. The students on the honor roll in the 5th grade are Reba Carter, Fairy Graham, Donna Gruben, and Norvelle Kennedy. The 6th grade students are Sandy Burnes, Lou McCombs, Craig Rowland, Matt Dorman, and Walter Hargrove. The 7th grade honor students are made up of Cathy Allen, Laura Crow, Kay McKimney, Phil Springer, Jeanie Tidwell, and Lavra Wallace. The 8th grade was made up of only two honor students this six weeks. They were Mike Allen and Roger Graham.

--Eddie Mac Lang.

## High School Students Take Annual Picnic

The Rotan High School students leave for Sweetwater and the annual school picnic Friday, May 7.

The evening meal will be served at Sweetwater Lake. The students then have the choice of bowling or skating.

--Ralph McArthur

## Students of the Month Qualifications Set

The Student Council will choose its last students of the month on April 28. The council is basing its selection this month on achievements according to grades and participation. The nominations will be taken from those people who are on the honor roll.

--Jimmy Heathington

## Spring Fever Affects Studious Students

Spring fever has affected the students of RHS in numerous ways. Surprisingly, the number of students on the honor roll has increased. Fifteen students managed to keep their minds on their work. Eleven of these were girls: Linda Byerly, Linda Brown, Sharron Puryear, Rebecca Petty, Carroll Patton, Janet Kelley, Sherry Edwards, Candy White, Argentina Velez, Jodie Thompson, and Sharon Dorman.

Maybe a young man's fancy does turn to thoughts of love in the springtime. Despite the overwhelming odds, Robert Patton, Gerald Ashbrook, Mike Rushing, and Robert Carter averaged 90 or above in every subject.

--Cheryl Hammit

## Student Council Holds Final Dress-Up Day

Thursday, April 15, was Rotan High's last dress-up day.

Dress-up days have been held the day before each holiday -- before Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter.

These dress-up days have been sponsored by the Student Council. President of the council, Joe Kelley, says, "On behalf of the Student Council of Rotan High School, I would like to express my deep appreciation of the participation of the students on all our dress-up days."

--Linda Brown

## Sophomore Class Presents Assembly

The sophomore class presented an assembly for high school on Wednesday, April 14. It was a humorous assembly consisting of four skits. They were "The Whole Pandamily" on radio station XYZ, "At Home With the Range," an old time movie, "A Football Game at the University of Mexico" in Spanish, and a football commercial advertising Brand X shaving cream.

--Bobbie Kerns

## Coming Attraction at RHS is Honor Day

The annual RHS Honor Day will be held during the week of May 10-15. This day is held at the end of each year to recognize those who have made outstanding scholastic or athletic achievements. The exact date for Honor Day will be announced at a later time.

--Diane Phillips

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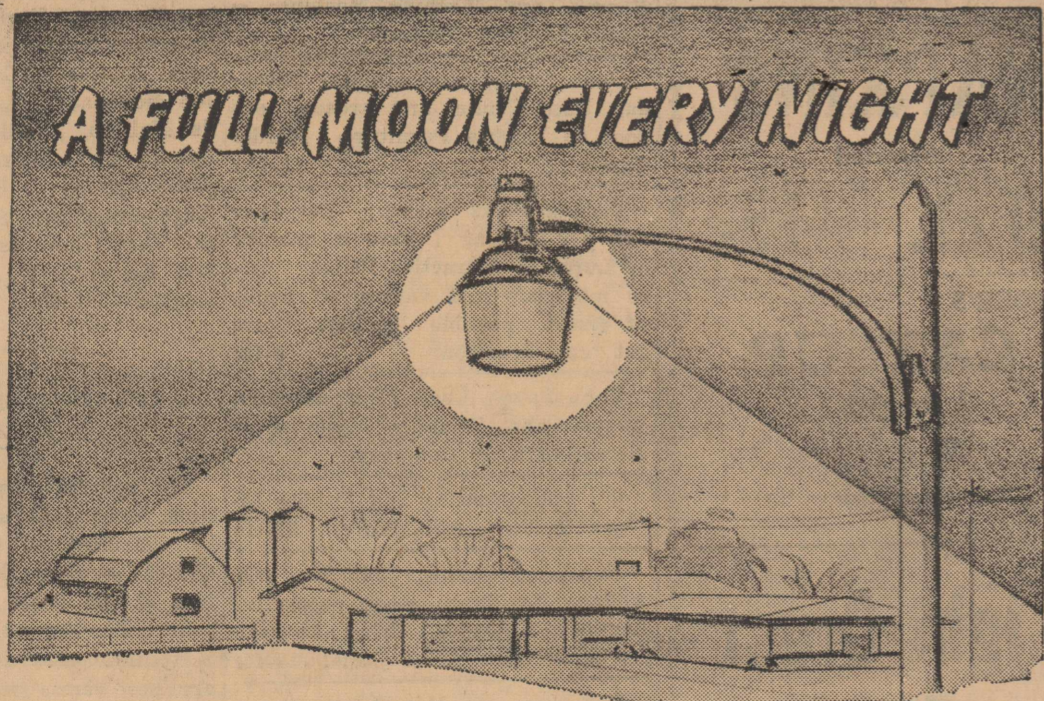


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For Rent, 4 room house, bath, 601 Wheeler, Mrs. Troy Rogers, phone WI 7-2480. 5-tfc

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For Rent furnished 3 room house, clean, walls and woodwork just painted, bills paid, Don Loving, 502 E. Johnson. 11-tfc

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Joe and Gay Henry wish to express their appreciation to the following men who plowed their land last Thursday, Earl J. Kiker, Charles Brown, Dick Edwards, Bunk Cleveland, Charles McCall, Dub Rushing, Joe McKinney, W. T. McCright, Ellis McBeth, Estell Johnson, L. A. Sparks, E. T. Warren, Carroll Murphy and E. L. Redden. Also the Anglo-American boys who worked for Dick Edwards, Hones Gruben, Roy Edwards, W. T. McCright and Eugene Cleveland.

**Christian Science Service Sunday**

The spiritual requirements for release from guilt and suffering will be examined at Christian Science church services this Sunday. Subject of the Bible Lesson is "Everlasting Punishment." Included in the Scriptural passages to be presented are these verses from Ezekiel: "Make you a new heart and a new spirit. For I have no pleasure in the death of him that dieth, saith the Lord God: wherefore turn yourselves, and live ye." These related passages will be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The way to escape the misery of sin is to cease sinning. . . . The belief in sin and death is destroyed by the law of God, which is the law of Life instead of death, of harmony instead of discord, of Spirit instead of the flesh" (pp. 327, 253).

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### NEWS

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

Deferred grazing is one of the best practices available to stockmen for improving the condition of ranges. It is nothing more than the removal of grazing livestock from a pasture for a part of or preferably the entire growing season to allow the forage plants to resupply food reserves in the root system, make top growth to produce food, and produce seed for natural revegetation.

Ranges in the county have declined in condition during the past two growing seasons due to a lack of moisture. Most range forage plants need an opportunity now to reestablish themselves and deferment will give them that chance.

Deferment of rangeland is recommended not only after a drought but also should follow brush and weed control, seeding and fire.

Coupled with deferment, attention should be given to the balancing of livestock numbers with the forage being produced in order to get the best use from the forage. Proper use of the forage results in an accumulation of litter on the soil surface which is not wasted forage but an aid to more efficient water use, soil stabilization and improved soil fertility.

Publications are available from the county extension office, at no cost, which outline deferred grazing plans and give information on other range improving practices, including weed control with chemicals.

Farm animals, for some unexplained reasons, seem to have a liking for small bits of wire, scraps of hardware, nails, screws and bolts. Many owners have been made aware of this fact through the loss of a valuable animal.

The damage usually is caused by irritation or puncture from swallowing such objects. In most instances the loss could have been prevented; here are some suggestions for eliminating future losses. Remove wire fences that are weak

from rust before small bits of wire drop into the grass and become a hazard to grazing livestock. After a construction job in the barnyard, it is worth the time and trouble to sweep the areas thoroughly or drag it with a sweep of permanent magnets.

It is difficult to detect and remove trash metal from ground feed and silage. But permanent or electromagnets in feed chutes from bins to feeders will remove a major portion of the trash metal. It is important that some type of magnet be installed in home grinding mills and mixers.

It's the case again, when an ounce of prevention is worth more than a pound of cure. In fact, it is possible to remove almost 100 percent of trash metal from feed, pastures and barnyards just by following good "housekeeping" practices as a part of the livestock management program.

Bollweevils don't like it. . . . Weevil's appetite for cotton squares can be curbed by painting squares with substance extracted from cayenne of rose of sharon, a landscaping shrub related to cottons. USDA

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scientists say substance reduced boll weevil feed significantly for more than 20 hours. Although substance has not been chemically identified, it is water-soluble and easily obtained by soaking rose of sharon salyxes in water. In future investigations, scientists hope to develop ways of using feeding deterrent to control boll weevils.

### 'Power For Peace' Is Armed Forces Motto

"Power for Peace" is the rallying motto for this year's Armed Forces Day observance throughout the country. Reese Air Force Base will open its gates to the public May 8 in commemoration of the event, with various exhibits demonstrating the part Reese plays in protecting America's freedom and liberty.

Armed Forces Day is a report to the status of the Nation's defense establishment. This annual observance replaces those previously held by the individual Services and demonstrates the unity, interdependence and close working relationship existing in the Armed Forces, their Reserve Commands and auxiliary organizations at all echelons.

"Power for Peace," the slogan for observance, emphasizes the concept that U. S. freedom and national unity. This phrase, so descriptive of the national effort, has been retained since the event was first established in 1950.

Colonel Dudley E. Faver, 3500th Pilot Training Wing Commander has extended a warm invitation to everyone in the area surrounding Reese "to take this opportunity to become better acquainted with the mission of the base and the overall mission of the military establishment in the United States."

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Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Price Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McBride, Neel and Gary of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Goodwin, Jimmy and Rodney of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Jones, Linda, Frankie and Gail of Rotan. Sunday guests were the McBrides of Odessa, and Mrs. Troy Goodwin and son of Sweetwater. Mrs. McBride brought the special music for Calvary Baptist Church Sunday morning. Her son, Gary, accompanied her on the piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gregory, Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Nelson and sons, Hamlin, and Tom Gregory, Hamlin visited Mrs. Bertie Burrow Saturday night.

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Peaches 4 No. 2 1-2 cans 98c

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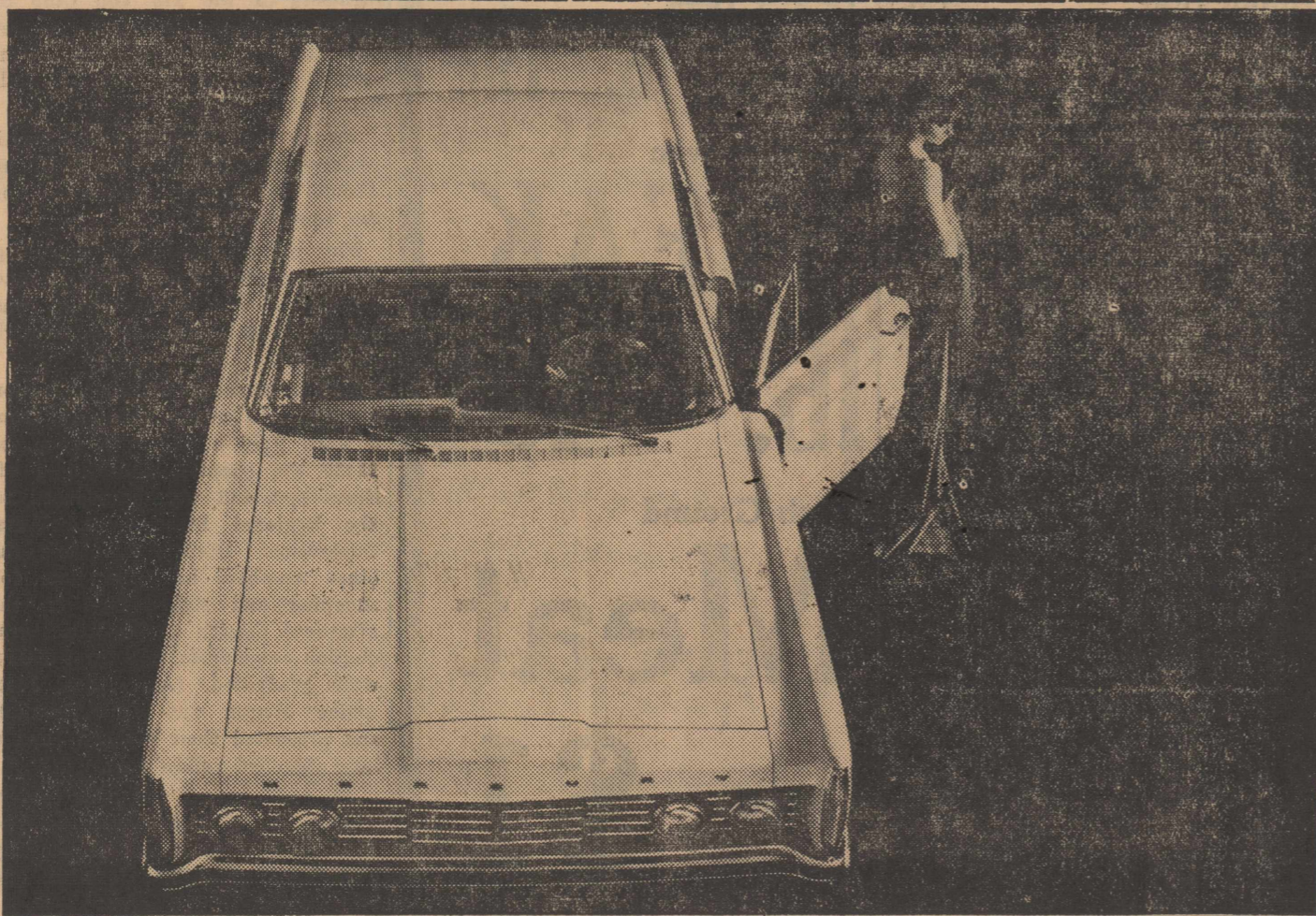
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**Bacon** **49c**

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**Ribs** lb. **19c**

Choice Chuck  
**ROAST** lb. **39c**

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**STEAK** lb. **49c**

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**BSP Annual Founders Day Banquet Friday**

Chi Kappa Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi held their annual Founders Day Banquet Friday night in the banquet room or Clarks Corral. The highlight of the evening was the naming of Miss Bertrice Chiles as the "1965 Woman of the Year."

Another highlight of the evening was the naming of Mrs. Marshall Hill, emcee for the banquet, as Girl of the Year. She was introduced by Mrs. Odie Sparks, sorority sponsor. Mrs. Hill is a native of Rotan and a teacher in Rotan schools since 1952. She is a graduate of Abilene Christian College and vice president of the sorority. Mrs. Hill was elected by secret ballot by the member of the sorority for her "out-standing work in Beta Sigma Phi. Mrs. Hill gave the welcome and led the members in the Beta Sigma Phi ritual. She introduced Miss Josie Baird, 1962 Woman of the Year, and honorary member of Beta Sigma Phi. Miss Baird presented Miss Chiles as the 1965 Woman of the year. Music was by Wade Burroughs, high school teacher and coach, accompanied by Wayne McCombs and LeRoy Rivers. Mrs. Eugene Allen gave a brief summary of the Sorority highlights and various activities during the year 1964. Mrs. Rudy Hamric was the speaker of the evening bringing a message from Mr. Walter W. Ross, founder of Beta Sigma Phi. Mrs. Jim Jackson gave the Pledge presented each year on Founders Day. Mrs. Peggy Underhill, retiring President, introduced new officers of the sorority and recognized the retiring officers, presenting each with a gift. Past Women of the year recognized were Mrs. Mattie Key, 1964; Mrs. Jack Patton, 1963; and Miss Josie Baird, 1962. Mr. and Mrs. Odie Sparks were special guests.

Officers for the new year will be: President, Betty Helms; Vice-President, Joyce Hill; 2nd. Vice-President, Margaret Allen; Correc. Sec., Molene Burnes; Rec. Sec., Linda Schkade; Treasurer, Lynette Jackson; Extension, Jan Helms; Defense, Madeline Murphee; Parliamentarian, Mary Edwards. The Sorority is very pleased that they have three new pledges: Mrs. Annie Laurie Henderson, Mrs. Sonja Toliver and Miss Linda Maule.

**TOPS Group Attend State Convention**

Friday morning, April 23, 1965 members of the Tip Top Club of Rotan joined the Snyder Toperettes and attended the Tops State Convention at the Baker Hotel in Dallas.

Friday night was fun night with registration starting at six p. m. Around 630 persons registered for the convention.

Fun night consisted of skits, big dress parade, group singing and bathing beauty contest which was presented by various clubs through out Texas.

The Saturday morning session started with group assembly from 9 until 9:30 a. m. 9:30 a. m. to 11:30 the chapter leaders and officers met and were introduced to the Regional Director and Area Supervisor. During this time the other members had free time for shopping and sight-seeing. In the afternoon session at the KOPS graduation ceremonies, our three KOPS were graduated, (Ann Allen, Josephine Martin and Lois Sparks), and presented their diplomas and a long stemmed yellow rose.

All 1964 queens and their leaders were presented to the audience. The 1964 queen and leader of the Tip Top Clubs are Lillie Underhill and Ima Berry.

Regional director, Doris Horton, announced that Texas Tops had lost a total of 19,470 pounds in 64. Dr. Morry Selick of Houston, who lost 42 pounds and Mrs. Eula Mae Lawrence, Mesquite, who lost 119 pounds were named king and queen among some 2,000 overweight persons in Texas who are members of Tops.

The Rotan Club was extremely proud when it was announced that Kris Hill, who had lost 29 1/2 lbs. was princess runner-up for the state of Texas.

Among those receiving awards at the convention banquet Saturday night was Kris Hill, who was second place winner in Division number six. Kris was presented with a certificate and trophy.

The group started for home after the banquet tired but proud and happy.

### Mrs. Hariman At Tax School This Week

Mrs. Frances Hariman is in Midland attending a Tax School held by Texas Association of Tax Assessors and Collectors of Texas.

This training will bring her up to date on any changes in tax laws and regulations. She was to return home Wednesday night.

### Calendar Club Has Guest Speaker Tuesday

The Calendar Club met in the home of Mrs. Doug Weathersbee Tuesday. Mrs. John Gray, Mrs. Bobby Smith, Mrs. Billie Henderson and Mrs. Weathersbee were hostesses for the regular monthly meeting. Nineteen members were present with one new member, Julie Aaron, guest, Jo Ella Eysnogle and special guest were ex-members of the Club. Ex-members present were, Tinney Cade, Betty Helms, La Faye McDonald, Eva McKimney, Sue Cade and La Wayna Graham.

A very informative and enjoyable program was brought by Mrs. Gail Brewer with South Plains Electric Co-Op, Lubbock. She brought a demonstration on mouth to mouth resuscitation.

The annual Spring Buffet will be held at Clark's Corral Restaurant Friday at 7:30 until 9:30 p. m.

The next regular meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Bobby Gruben with a luncheon at 12:30 p. m., May 25.

Mrs. W. F. Wicker and San attended a community gathering at Neinda Sunday. About 150 persons attended the affair which was served by Underwoods of Abilene. The ladies supplied pies and cakes. The Neinda cemetery is managed by the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Niles of Dardanelle, Ark., visiting during Easter holidays with her mother Mrs. Perry Eaton and other relatives.

Charles Bennett of Plainview spent last weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bennett and the group visited in Stamford Sunday.

Mrs. Perry Thomson visited Saturday and Sunday in Ft. Worth with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Warren and Deryle.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Young went to Dallas Wednesday morning where he is scheduled to have ear surgery Thursday at Baylor Hospital.

Mrs. J. O. Cooper visited for several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. John Carpenter in Lakeside, Arizona.

### Calendar Club Reports Good Easter Seal Drive

Easter Seal Co-Chairman Jan Cook and Carol Posey wish to thank all the citizens and businesses of the Rotan area that contributed so graciously to the Calendar Club's Annual West Texas Rehabilitation Center drive. A check of \$1,112.52 was mailed to Shelley Smith, director of WTRC this week.

The House to House drive collected \$279.33. The Public School card netted \$65.10. Downtown businesses donated \$263.00.

Hobbs community drive conducted by Mmes. Carl Williams, Perry Henderson, J. Walker, J. W. Kincaid, Andrew Williams, Dale Cave, Joe Easterwood, collected \$175.25.

Daily Day Sale under the direction of Barbara Gray netted \$50.50.

Essie Lee Pearson, Fannie Neighbors, and Bertha Carr assisted Calendar Club members in the Rotan house to house drive, and we would like to say thank you so sincerely to the above listed ladies for their assistance in both drives.

Proceeds from the Style Show were \$276.00 and again we would like to express our appreciation to the merchants who furnished the clothes and decorations for the Style Show.

The Dowell Community drive conducted by Sue Cleveland collected \$16.00.

### Girl Scouts Plan For Active Season

In a recent meeting the Rotan Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi voted to sponsor the Rotan Girl Scout Program. We appreciate having them as our sponsor and would like to take this as one way to say "Thank you."

Our Scout Program is constantly growing. At the present time we have three active troops, two Brownie troops (second and third grade girls) and one Junior troop (fourth, fifth and sixth grade girls). We hope to be able to get a Cadet Troop started by school time next year. The Cadet troop is for seventh, eighth, and ninth grade girls. If you are interested in helping with this troop will you please call WI 7-3415.

We would like to remind all our scouts and parents that May 1 is the deadline for paying your Day Camp dues which are \$2.00. Day Camp will be held at Lake Sweetwater, June 7 through June 11. Please get these dues in to your troop leader before this deadline and lets all go to Day Camp and have fun.

Our troop leaders are attending Day Camp Training for the next four weeks preparing for this, so we surely do not want to let them down.

### Fatal Accident West of Roby Thursday

A 35-year-old employe of Lubbock's Bigham and Son House Moving Co. was killed at 5:15 p. m. Thursday when his pickup ramed beneath the empty skids of a house moving rig west of Roby.

The body of Charles Henry Vineyard was returned to Comanche for funeral and burial.

Mr. Vineyard was driving behind the rig back toward Snyder after unloading a house at Anson, James K. Bigham, rig driver said he shifted gears at 45-50 mph going uphill 3.6 miles west of Roby when he felt the impact.

Born Aug. 10, 1929 in Comanche County, Mr. Vineyard moved to Snyder in 1949.

Surviving are his wife Virginia, a daughter, Donna, and three sons, Dan Emory, Charles Henry II and Rodney, all of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Vineyard of Comanche; two brothers, E. J. of Ira and Bobby of Ohio; a sister, Mrs. H. G. Simpson of Comanche.

Miss Jo Ann Shows of Chicago spent her vacation and Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Shows. Other visitors during Easter holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Don Robertson, Leslie and Jeff of Roscoe.

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### State 4-H Leader To Speak To Groups

Fisher County Adult Leaders, and 4-H members and their parents will be in meetings Tuesday, May 4, with Dr. Edward F. Schultt, associate State 4-H Club Leader, discussing ways of expanding, strengthening and the need of 4-H Club work in the county, according to county extension agents, James S. Norman and Alice Ballenger.

Dr. Schultt will meet with the adult 4-H leaders Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 P. M. to work on future plans for adult leader work with county club members.

A night meeting is scheduled for 8:00 P. M. with the club members, their parents and the leaders. Dr. Schultt will discuss ways of expanding, strengthening and creating new interest in 4-H club work.

Both meetings will be held in the Agricultural Building on the Fair grounds in Roby.

These meetings are open to all persons interested in improving and strengthening 4-H club work in the county, according to the local extension agents.

Mrs. Don Ashley of Bowie is in Wichita Falls General Hospital, where she had surgery last Tuesday. Her condition is reported as very serious. Among relatives from here who have been with her are, her mother, Mrs. W. F. Edwards, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rasberry and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kolb of Aspermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tucker will move next week to Cotulla where they will manage a large ranch of their sons. Mr. Tucker has been there for several weeks getting operations underway. They will irrigate Coastal Bermuda from Neuces river for cattle grazing.

Mrs. Juston Morrow had major surgery Tuesday in Lubbock at Methodist Hospital. Late reports gave her condition as satisfactory.

Mrs. P. R. Eaton, Mrs. Mae Goolsby and Mrs. F. E. Akins and Vera Cozart of Abilene visited their brother, Dee Cozart, at New Braunfels last week.

### Hobbs FHA Attend State Con.

"Home Life Foundation For Peace" was the theme for State FHA meeting in Dallas which Esther Medrano, Bobbie Lay, Mrs. James Lay and Mrs. Joyce Baggett of Hobbs FHA attended.

Rev. Tad Corbet, Bible lecturer and speaker carried out the theme with his puppet, Johnny Friday Moaning as guest speaker.

On Friday night exchange students from Greece, Germany, Turkey, Japan and France spoke and told of customs in their countries in a fun night of "Faraway Places."

Saturday morning everyone enjoyed a Style Show "Our First Ladies" of the first ladies inaugural gowns, after which followed the installation of officers for 1965-66.

Children visiting Mr. and Mrs. Grier Coan during Easter were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ashton and Butch, Mrs. J. H. Moore, Jerry and Kim, Grand Prairie; Mr. and Mrs. Morris Polk, Denver City; Mr. and Mrs. Dueaine Coan, Rhonda, Karen and Teresa, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Stricklin, Danna and Cragie, Rotan. Others visiting the Coans were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coan and Jackie of De Leon; Mrs. Bill Rae and Mary Elph of Snyder; Mrs. C. W. Whitnair and Sherron of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Barker, Pat and Vickie of Lamesa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hester Hammit.

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Sunday issue of Snyder Daily News carried a picture and story showing Mrs. Gladys Johnson, the former Gladys Brown looking at the first Snyder High School annual of 1915. It was printed and bound in Snyder. E. A. Watson was Supt. of the school at that time and the annual was dedicated to him. Mrs. Johnson will have the book on display at Scurry County Library during National Library Week. Supt. Watson, deceased, was father of Morris Watson and he and family were residents of Rotan later. Mrs. Watson and daughter, Mayme Bruce live in Lubbock.

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Washington, D. C. -- This is a series on the origin, interpretation and application of legal concepts:

The tenth amendment of the constitution: "The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, or prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people."

This article is the key to the Constitutional Revolution and the diminution of State rights which has been taking place for the last 30 years.

The President of the American Bar Association in 1962 said in his Presidential Address, "The balance of power between the Federal and State Governments has shifted dramatically since the constitution was adopted in 1787."

Two prevailing conditions have obviously been the reason for the changes. One is the growing power of the Federal Government over the Nation's economic and social affairs. The other is the growing application of the rights guaranteed to individuals by the first eight Amendments to the Constitution. For instance, for the Supreme Court to have said in 1800, or even in 1925, that every State must, in criminal cases, provide legal counsel for those too poor to pay for it, would have been unthinkable. But, even the American Bar Association, long recognized as a force among conservative lawyers, praised the decision by the Court, which was appealed from the State of Florida. They approved it as a great advance in the administration of criminal justice.

The Supreme Court has been involved in both aspects of this Revolution. In the late 1930's it removed the limitation it had previously placed on Federal Power. In the years since, the Court has been placing additional restrictions in both the Federal and State Governments in their relationship with individuals.

In the early depression period of the 1930's many critics felt the Court was hampering the Nation's

growth. It struck down Laws concerning rate regulation, child labor, working hours, agricultural and industrial regulation. It interposed its power against the will of a great majority in Congress, and presumably against that of the people.

In the late 1930's, the Court backed away from these earlier actions and made it possible for Congress and the President to exercise a power they had been seeking. It was then that the power of State Governments -- or States' rights -- may have suffered its greatest decline.

When the Federal Government stepped into broad economic areas, the State Governments had to step out. In many instances State Governments were unable to cope with changes in their environment, such as the growth of cities and commerce which flowed across State lines in a way that was never thought of when the Constitution was written.

Once that part of the Constitutional Revolution was accomplished, the Supreme Court turned its attention to the reverse side of the coin of increased Governmental powers -- the impingement of Government on individual liberties.

By applying many of the restrictions of the Bill of Rights to the States, the Court has brought the legal processes of the States closer to those of the Federal Government. Prior to this period the guarantees of freedom of religion, the right to assemble and petition for redress of grievances, the protection against unreasonable searches and cruel or unusual punishment had never been enforced against the States.

Until the Florida Decision, the Supreme Court had never taken cognizance of the right to counsel by one accused of crime. Similarly, the 14th Amendment's guarantee of equal protection of the Laws had not been broadened in its application to racial problems and voting guarantees, particularly as it applies to all Elections -- Federal, State and Local.

Mrs. Bertie Burrow is chairman of the Pleasant Valley and Round-Top communities for the cancer crusade.

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### Sylvester Soldier Serving In Germany

Stuttgart, Germany (AHTNC) -- Army Specialist Four David L. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown, Sylvester, took part in a medical field training exercise conducted by the 30th Medical Group in Germany April 2-8.

Specialist Brown participated in various maneuvers designed to evaluate mass casualty and medical evacuation procedures.

Brown, a medical specialist in the group's 485th Preventive Medicine Unit near Stuttgart, entered the Army in September 1963 and completed basic training at Fort Polk, La., before arriving overseas in March 1964.

The 24-year-old soldier is a 1958 graduate of Roby High School and received his B. S. degree in 1963 from Sul Ross State College in Alpine.

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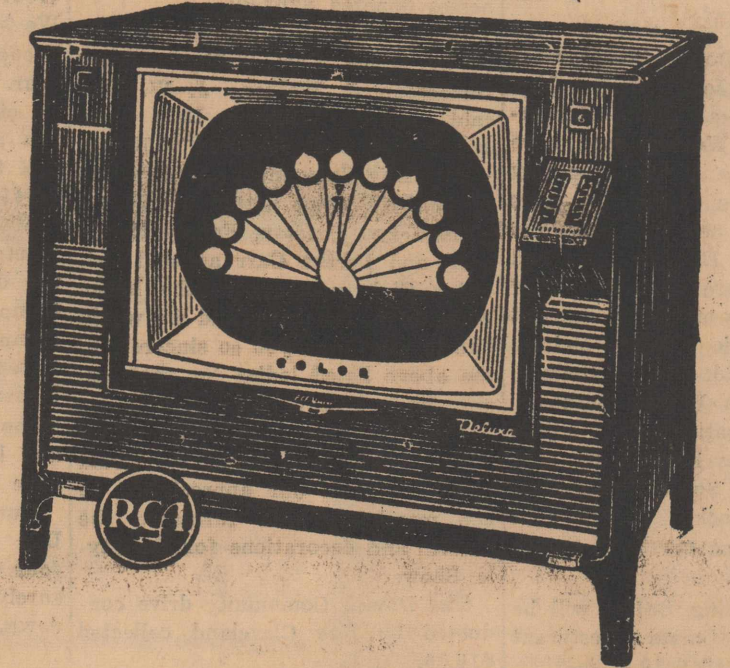
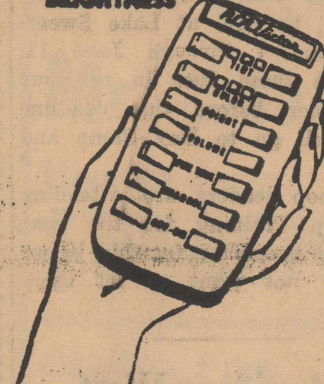
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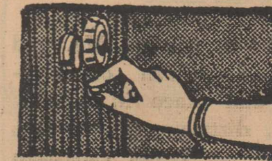
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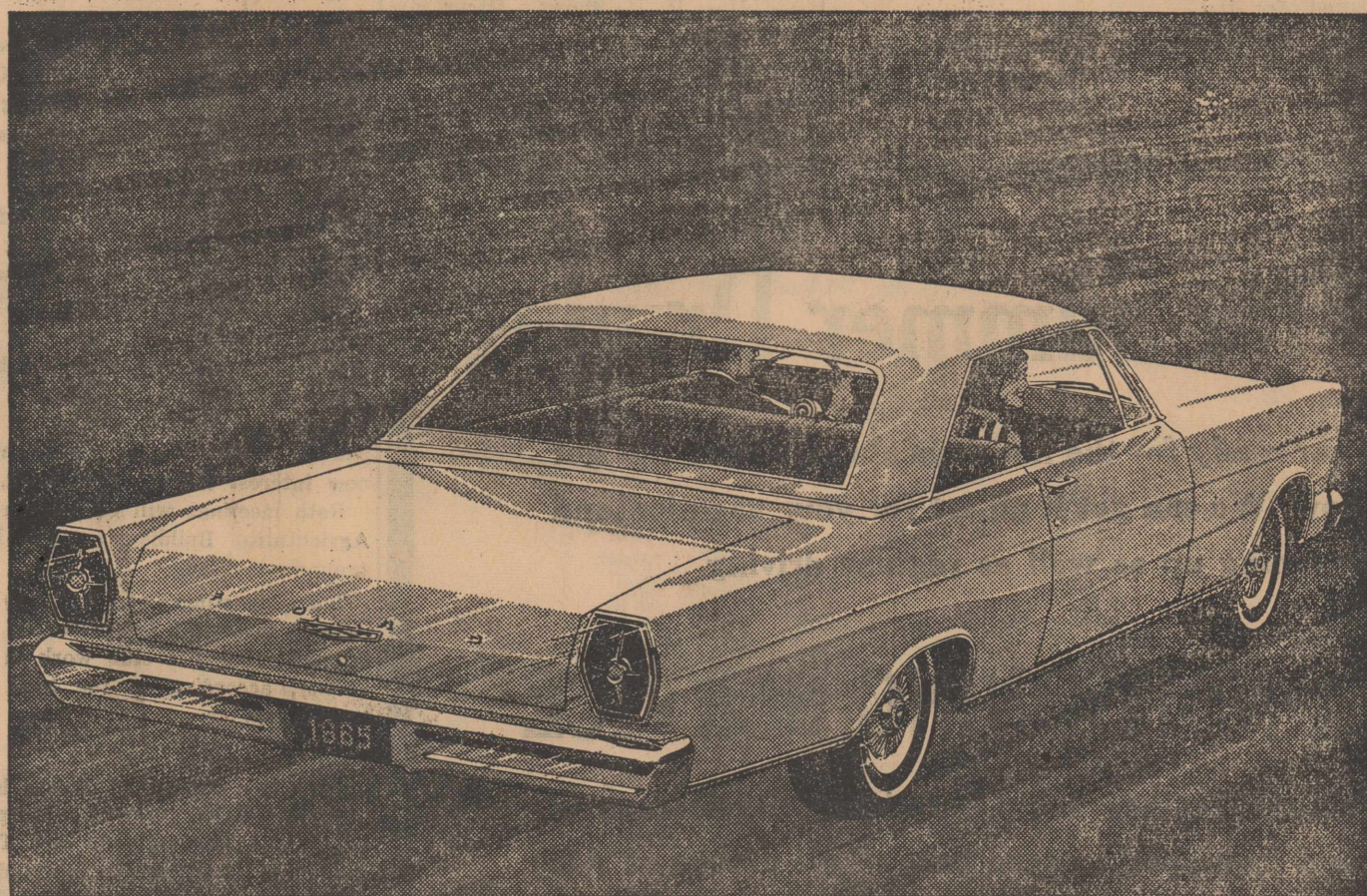
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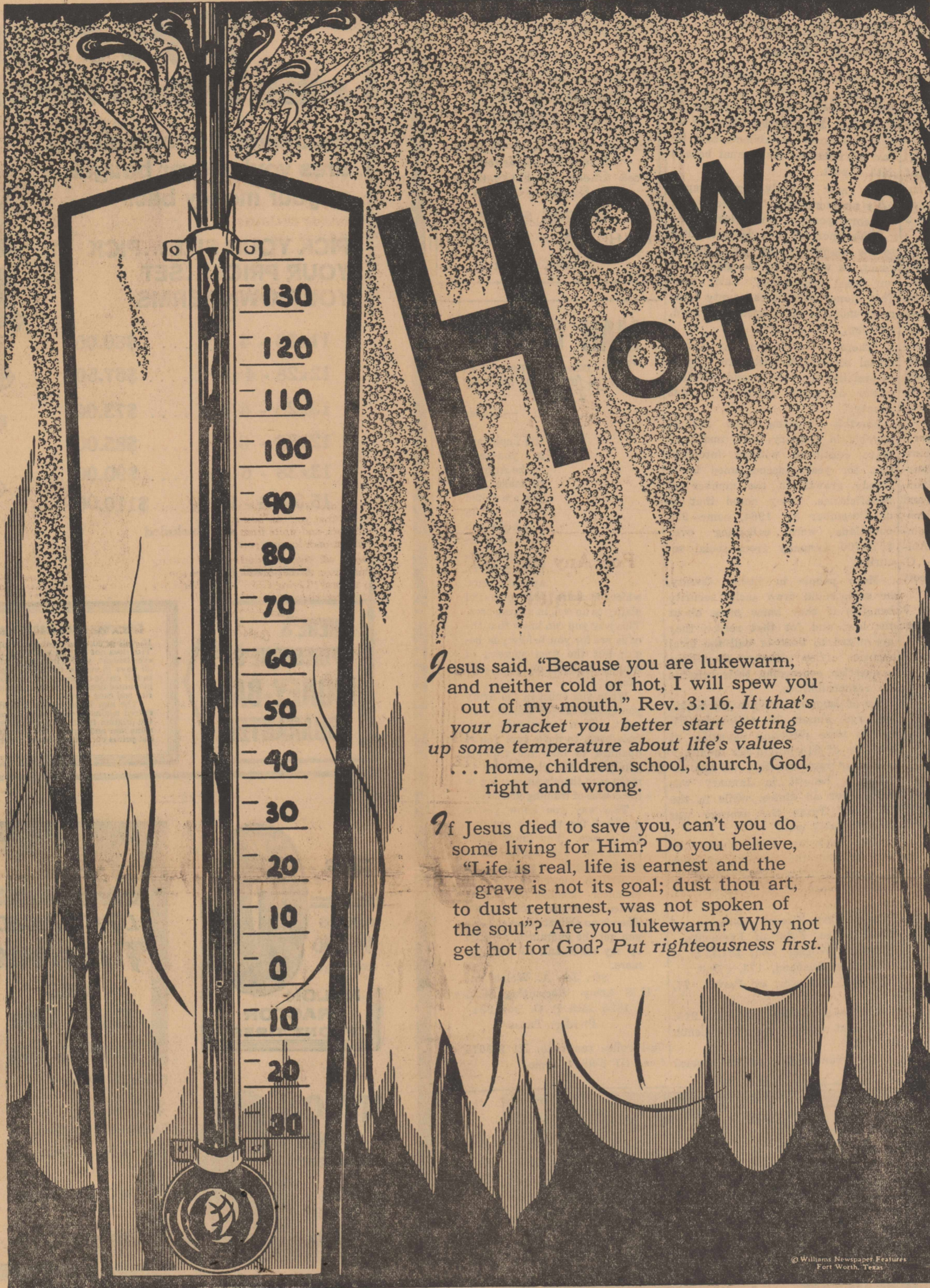
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Jesus said, "Because you are lukewarm, and neither cold or hot, I will spew you out of my mouth," Rev. 3:16. *If that's your bracket you better start getting up some temperature about life's values ... home, children, school, church, God, right and wrong.*

*If Jesus died to save you, can't you do some living for Him? Do you believe, "Life is real, life is earnest and the grave is not its goal; dust thou art, to dust returnest, was not spoken of the soul"? Are you lukewarm? Why not get hot for God? Put righteousness first.*

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### State Historical Survey Met Saturday

Region 3 State Historical Survey Committee met at the White Elephant Restaurant Saturday, from 11:30 A. M. to 3:00 P. M. County Judge Scott Bailey, Regional Coordinator presided at the meeting, with Dr. Rupert N. Richardson of Abilene conducting question and answer period. B. C. Christman of Baird is Secretary of the Region 3 organization.  
Five counties were represented at the meeting. Each representative present gave a report on his respective county and its activities and future plans. Counties represented were: Comanche, Callahan, Taylor, Fisher, Shackelford and Eastland. The Eastland County Historical Survey Committee, headed by Mike Collins, Cashier of the Eastland National Bank served as host for the meeting.

Judge Bailey announced several committee chairmanship appointments as follows: History and Tourist Activities - Mrs. Walter Dixon, Comanche; Historical Marker and Land Mark Committee - Mrs. Charles Jacobs; Albany, Finance Committee - Mr. James M. Binion, Abilene; Historical Preservation - G. H. Carter, Roby; Legislation - Scott Bailey, Cisco.

The next meeting of Region 3 will be held on July 24th in Abilene.

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### Social Security Benefits Many

Monthly old-age, survivors, and disability insurance benefits in Fisher County now top \$47,500, R. R. Tuley, Jr., District Manager of Social Security in Abilene, said today on releasing his annual benefit data report.

The new monthly figure represents an increase of 7 percent over the corresponding period last year.

"This increase can be attributed to the changes in the law in recent years, as well as to the growth of our aged population," Tuley said. This money stimulates county business; most of it is spent for food, clothing, and shelter.

"There is no longer any doubt. Social security benefits are helping to stabilize the income and spending power of many residents in this county."

Monthly benefits first became payable in January 1940, and they have continued without interruption for years, accompanied by a steady growth in the number of beneficiaries. Tuley noted that as of December 31, 1964, some 918 countians were collecting over \$570,700 annually from social security.

More people in Fisher County, he said, could draw social security benefits if they knew more about the law, and for that reason they are urged to visit or call the local security office whenever they have a question concerning their benefits or responsibilities.

As of January 1965, in the nation at large, almost 20 million beneficiaries were receiving payments at the rate of \$16 billion per month.

The average monthly old-age retirement benefit in January was \$77.57 for all states, while in the State of Texas the average was \$69.43, Tuley said.

The following table shows the number and the amount of each type of monthly benefit paid in Fisher County, as of December 31, 1964:

Beneficiary Group	Number of Beneficiaries	Total of Payments
Retired Worker	501	\$31,437
Wife or Husband	173	5,303
Widow, Widower, or Parent	77	4,177
Mothers and Children	106	4,213
Disabled worker and dependents	61	2,429

The year 1965 marks several

milestones in the history of social security. The January 1965 benefit payment marked the 300th month of payment since monthly benefits first became payable in January 1940. The number of monthly benefits currently being paid will reach the 20 million mark in 1965. In addition, August is the 30th anniversary of the signing of the Social Security Act by President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Tuley added.

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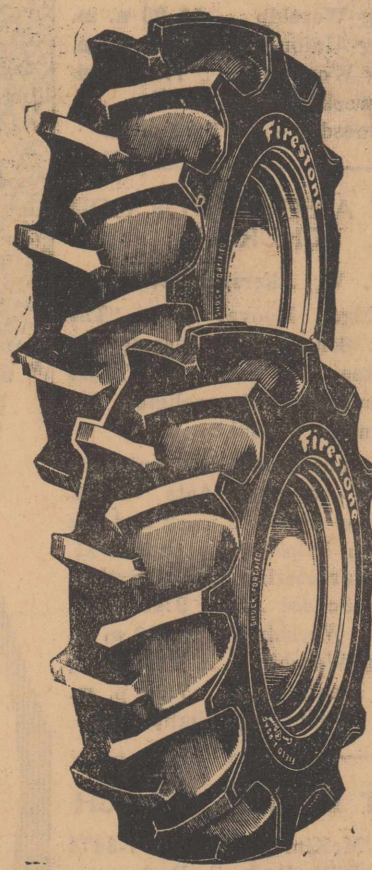
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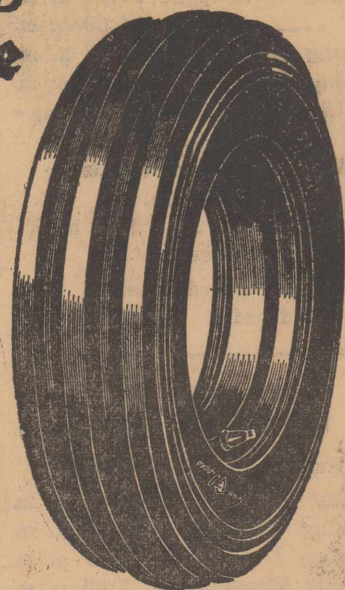
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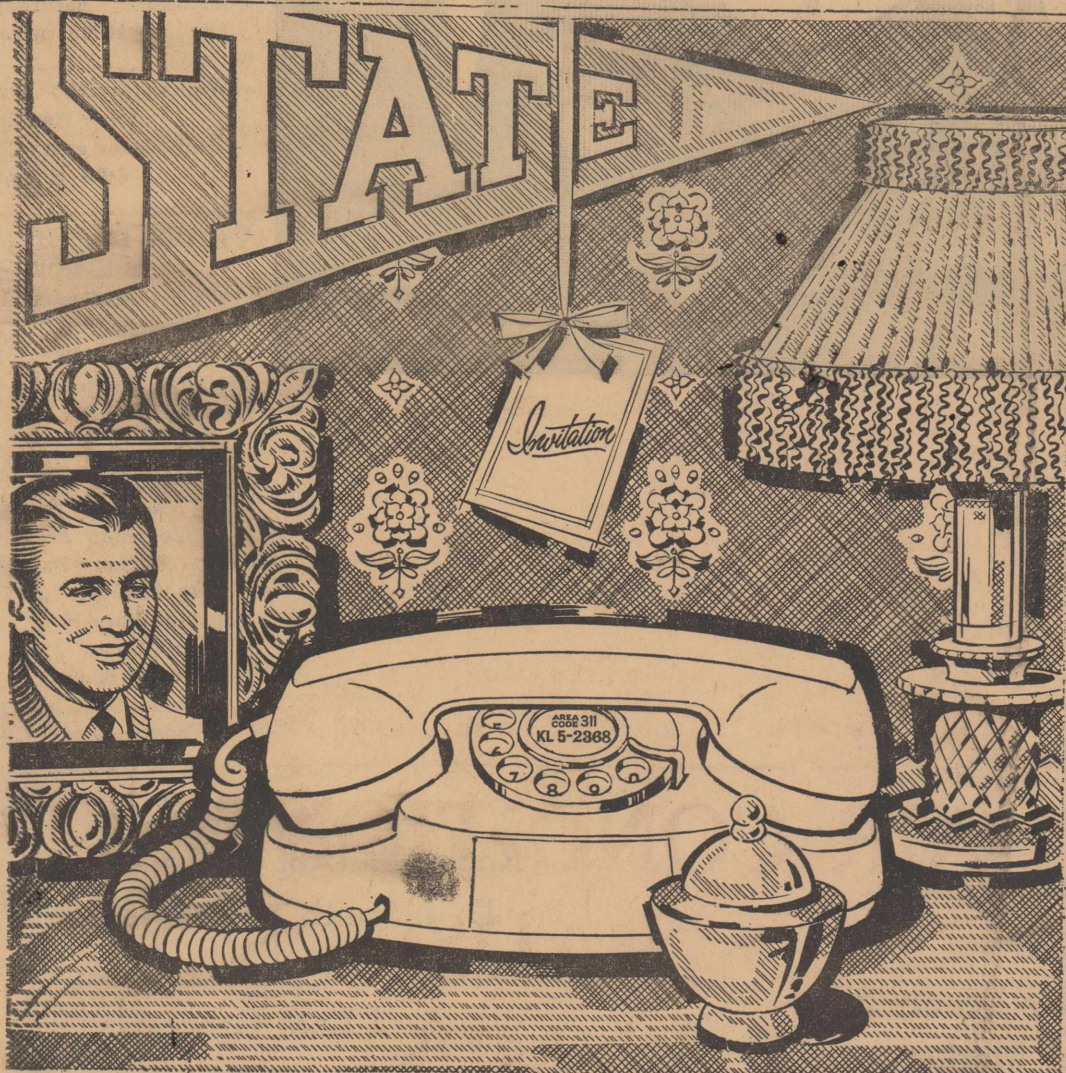
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