

The Weather
From records of Fred Byesty,
Weather Observer.

Wed. 9th	64 46
Thurs. 10th	58 35
Fri. 11th	53 30
Sat. 12th	57 32
Sun. 13th	55 32
Mon. 14th	44 20
Tues. 15th	65 30

Precipitation to date 1965 --- 1.02
Precipitation to date 1966 --- 2.87

**Public School Week
Is March 7 Thru 11th**

Public School Week is March 7 through 11. For fifteen years, public spirited citizens of Texas have sponsored this week. Its purpose is to bring to the attention of everyone the fact that the Public School is "Democracy in Action." All the schools are holding open house this week.

Take advantage of this opportunity to see just what the schools are doing. They are teaching Democracy. Visit the school this week and see Democracy in Action.

**Service Held For
L. N. Hawkins Saturday**

L. N. Hawkins, 64, died at 8 p. m. Thursday in Callan Hospital. He had been hospitalized a week here and prior to that had been in a Houston hospital for several days.

Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Saturday in Weatherbee Chapel with Rev. E. L. Redden of Abilene officiating, assisted by Rev. Billy Hudson. Burial was in Belview Cemetery.

Born Oct. 7, 1901 in Borden County, he had moved to Oklahoma in 1911. He moved to Fisher County in 1913.

Survivors include one son, L. N. Jr., with the U. S. Air Force in Springfield, Mass.; three sisters, Mrs. Tim Fisher and Miss Nannie Hawkins, both of Rotan, and Mrs. Clifford Davis of Harlingen; four brothers, J. W. of Friona, Buford of Sweetwater and five grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ross Burnes, E. T. Warren, Bob Goodrum, Barney Horton, Lester Hardin, Bill Hudson.

**McCaulley 4-H Club
Has Demonstrations**

The McCaulley Community 4-H Club met Feb. 9, in the McCaulley school homeliving building with 6 members and 2 Leaders present.

Sue Smith, Vice-president, presided. The Club's motto, pledge, and prayer was led by Philip Cleveland. Shirley Gann gave a demonstration on salad and served it to the members and leaders.

Annette Cleveland gave a Foods-Nutrition Educational demonstration. Andrew Cox gave a money management Educational demonstration.

Adult Leaders present were Mrs. A. A. Smith and Mrs. W. D. Cleveland.

**Confederate Flag
Will Fly**

The "Dixie Dream," a banquet for the youth of First Baptist Church will rally this coming Saturday night, February 19, at 7:30 p. m. at the new High School Cafeteria. The featured speaker-entertainer is Don Timberlake, a prominent Abilene insurance executive, and widely sought for, "after-dinner" speaker.

Hospital News

Local patients admitted to Callan Hospital Feb. 9 to 16 were: Debra Harrison, Roy Edwards, Mrs. Leonard Cleveland, Clayton Branch, Clint Overby, Patricia Messick, Donald Ray McQueen, Willie Mae Pinkard, Chico Garcia, Mrs. Roy Bateman, Frank Almanza, James Fleming, Tim Fisher, Mrs. Carl Martin, Mrs. Tommy Whitefield, Raymond McKimney.

Out of town patients were: Mrs. J. H. Woods, Hermeleigh; Mrs. R. L. Miers, McCaulley; J. F. Maberry, McCaulley; Mrs. Pearl Cooper, Hamlin; Mrs. M. S. Sandell, Jayton; Mrs. G. W. Drummond, Hamlin; J. W. North, Peacock; Linda Morgan, Roby; Donnie Phillips, Aspermont; W. D. Cave, Clairemont; Mrs. W. L. Howland, Jayton; J. C. Levens, Anson; Mrs. Della Butler, Roby.

P. Phillips

THE ROTAN ADVANCE

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**Harvest Nearing
25,000 Bales For Year**

Farmers have gathered considerable amount of cotton this week with the fair weather prevailing and gins have run fairly steady and into each night for several hours.

At noon Wednesday Rotan gins had reached 24,411 bales with estimates for final gathering to be another 500 to one thousand bales. Hobbs gin had 10,463 and estimates are about 500 more bales.

Most farmers have completed the harvest and many are plowing fields, with some reporting the soil still to wet to work.

Crop prospects for the coming year are very bright, and the snows have given good top moisture and fall rains had supplied a deep season.

**Masons Holding
Annual Affair Saturday**

Rotan Masons are planning their annual George Washington Birthday observance for Feb. 19. The affair will be held in Masonic Hall starting at 6:30 p. m.

Families are invited and a good program is being arranged which includes a supper, music by Cross Roads Quartet and a film "Masonic Education."

Masons and families from the area are invited to the observance.

Regular meeting will be held tonight (Thursday) to complete plans for the affair.

**Baptist Assn. To Meet
In Roby Monday**

Fisher County Baptist Association will meet Monday with First Baptist Church of Roby. Theme for the meeting will be "Let Us Sing."

Executive Board meeting will open the meeting at 6:30 p. m. Appearing on the program will be V. F. Forderhase and Sam Prestidge of the Church Music Dept. of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

Singers from all the churches in the Association are urged to come and participate.

**Jr. Asst. HD Agent
Assumes New Position**

According to Fern Hodge, District Agent, Miss Nancy Brown, Junior Assistant will become home demonstration agent for Dickens County on March 1st.

For the past few months, Miss Brown has trained under Mrs. Alice Ballenger, Fisher County Home Demonstration Agent. While in training Miss Brown received first hand practical training that will help her as she assumes her new position in Dickens County.

Miss Brown is a Stephens County native and a graduate of Texas Woman's University. She completed nine years of excellent 4-H work before she finished high school in Breckenridge. She was also Gold Star Girl for Stephens County while in 4-H work. She was most active in the entire county 4-H program as well.

**Rotan HD Club Met
With Mrs. Terrell**

The Rotan H. D. Club changed their last meeting to the home of Mrs. W. L. Terrell, who gave a very interesting program on individual meat loaf. These can be prepared and wrapped individually and put in the deepfreeze for cooking later. Mrs. Terrell said we should have at least two servings of meat daily in order to get enough protein, protein builds and repairs tissues. Each member was given a recipe for the meat loaf. The next meeting will be Feb. 18th, in the home of Mrs. Dick Edwards. The program will be given by Mr. James Norman, County Agricultural Agent. The program will be a Review of Fisher County Program.

O. R. Clark has been in Callan Hospital for treatment for the past week.

**Housing - Community
Building Work Is
Started This Week**

The general construction contract for Project TEX-182-2, Rotan, Texas, has been awarded to Home Lumber Company, Rotan, Texas, and Rose Construction Company, Abilene, Texas, as announced by Mrs. Jo Tankersley, Executive Director and Contracting Officer for the Housing Authority of the City of Rotan, Texas. Total construction price for this contract is \$482,000.00 and is for the construction of 40 units of low-rent housing and a Community Building. The contract was awarded at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners for the Local Housing Authority held on February 1, 1966.

20 of the units of low-rent housing will be designed for occupancy by the elderly and the remaining 20 units will be designed for general occupancy. This project will be constructed on six sites, with five of the sites being located approximately four blocks from Snyder Avenue in the Northwest portion of Rotan. Thirty of the units will be constructed in this area, including all units designed for elderly occupancy. The Community Building will also be constructed in this area, and will be located on a site which will contain an off-street parking area. The remaining 10 units will be located approximately five blocks to the Northeast of these five sites, and will be in the Northeast portion of Rotan.

The brick for the Community Building were selected in a joint meeting of the Local Housing Authority and the City Council held last week and will be a light color, with bricks in the low-rent housing units to be in three different colors, but all in colors coordinating with the brick in the Community Building. The general construction contract calls for construction to begin on February 14, 1966, and to be concluded by November 25, 1966.

All units, as well as the Community Building, will be of brick veneer construction, and will be different in design to those now in operation in Rotan.

The City of Rotan participated in final planning and in cost of the construction of the Community Building, insofar as the Community Facilities portion of the building is concerned. The Community Facilities portion of the building will contain facilities for large meetings and other group gatherings, a kitchen, a reading lounge, some library space, public bathrooms for the use of the persons using the Community Building, as well as storage space for various items. The Local Housing Authority will also relocate its administrative space and additional maintenance space in the Community Building. The Community Building will contain approximately 4,000 square feet of space, with over half of this space to be contained in the Community Facilities portion of the building. This building is the first in the State of Texas in which the City joined the Local Housing Authority in construction costs, and will be available for use by all citizens of the community. This building is octagonal in shape, and will also feature an outdoor lounge area.

Pierce, Norris, Pace & Associates, Midland, Texas are the Architects and Engineers for Project TEX-182-2, Rotan, Texas.

The Local Housing Authority Board of Commissioners is composed of E. N. Patton, Chairman; R. L. Springer, Vice-Chairman; L. B. Berry, C. B. Kelly and W. R. Brown.

Applications for occupancy in all units of the low-rent housing now under construction are being accepted by the Local Housing Authority. All persons interested in making applications should contact Mrs. Jo Tankersley, Executive Director for the Local Housing Authority, at WI 7-2471 or WI 7-3382.

Additional information will follow as it is available on this construction.

**Three Councilmen To
Be Elected April 5**

In the Advance this week you will find an Amended Election Notice. This is necessary due to the resignation of Councilman J. D. Moore. The Amended notice calls for the election of 2 Councilmen to fill the terms which expire this year, 1966 and will be for a period of two years and also the election of one Councilman to fill the unexpired term of one year, that term being from April 1966 to April 1967.

Candidates may file at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall. At present the city hall is located at the police station due to the remodeling of the old bank building. Reports are the work is progressing nicely and when finished will be a great improvement for the City of Rotan.

As of press time today no candidates have filed for the Council vacancies. Deadline for filing is March 5, 1966. The election will be held on Tuesday, April 5, at the City Hall.

**Fair-Rodeo Directors
To Meet February 24th**

The Fisher County Fair and Rodeo Association Directors will meet Thursday night, February 24, 1966, at 7:30 P. M. in Agriculture Building on the Fair ground in Roby, according to Carl Murff, association president.

Purpose of the meeting is to accept and let bids for the Fair catalogue and the concessions during the fair and rodeo. Also finish appointing committees for this year's fair and rodeo.

Any organization interested in bidding for the catalogue or concessions should have a representative present for this meeting, said Murff.

This year's Fair and Rodeo is set for August 25, 26, and 27. This meeting, as well as all meetings of the directors is open to the public and all persons interested in the county Fair and Rodeo are urged to attend, said Murff.

**SCS Office Moving
To Landes Building**

The Upper Clear Fork Soil Conservation District Supervisors take this opportunity to inform landowners that the Soil Conservation Service office in Rotan is moving from their former location at 106 E. Snyder ave., to the Landes building, located at 119 N. Garfield.

**OES Observes
56th Anniversary**

Rotan Chapter 52 of OES observed their 56th anniversary Tuesday night of last week.

The Chapter was organized in 1910. Also honored were Past Worthy Matrons and Past Worthy Patrons of the Chapter and each talked on highlights in the year they served.

Mrs. Leonora Cleveland asked several to talk who attended the School of Instruction in Abilene recently. Mrs. Josephine Martin talked on the expansion and improvement of the Eastern Star Home in Arlington and Mrs. Edna Morgan stated that the goal this year is one dollar for each member for the Home.

A Valentine motif was used in decorations for the Hall and refreshments of coffee, sandwiches, cake and punch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Underhill are expected to arrive here today from Mize, Miss., to visit his brother, E. C. Underhill who is ill, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hanson and Mrs. Wanda Gallagher of Abilene visited Saturday in Colorado City with Mr. Hanson's sister, Mrs. Pearl Neff who was seriously ill. They received word Tuesday of Mrs. Neff's passing away.

**Four Places Holding
Open House This Week**

Open House is planned Friday and Saturday by Landes' Furniture, Rotan Flower Shop, Soil Conservation Service and Farmer Union Insurance, C. D. Herron, agent.

The businesses are all housed in the Landes building. They have been remodeled and made into modern establishments and are very attractive.

See the ads in this issue for door-prize drawings, etc., and be sure to visit these folks either day.

**First Baptist Church
Kickoff Drive Tuesday**

First Baptist church kick-off drive will begin Tuesday, February 22, at 7:30 p. m. in the new school cafeteria, the First Baptist Church will have a kick-off supper "for a campaign to raise \$20,000."

This money will be used in connection with the current building program.

The speaker for the kick-off supper will be Dr. Lee Hemphill, Vice President of Development for Hardin-Simmons University.

**'69 Club Bridge
Tournament In Rotan**

The '69 Club will host a Bridge Tournament February 26, 27, in the Catholic Parrish Hall. Each session will begin play at 1:30 p. m. The tournament is open to all bridge players in the Rotan area. Admission will be \$1.00 per session. Tickets may be purchased from any club member or at the door. Daily prizes will be awarded, and overall tournament prizes.

Arrangements have also been made for baby-sitters if needed.

For further information, please call 7-3423 and 7-3260.

**Dist. Judge McCloud
Speaks To Lions Club**

District Judge Austin McCloud addressed the Lions Club at Tuesday luncheon, with a very interesting talk, at Clark's Corral.

Bart Strayhorn is program chairman for meeting next Tuesday, and all members are urged to attend.

**Andrew Pearce In
Commissioners Race**

Andrew Pearce is announcing his entering the race for Commissioner, Pre. 4, Fisher County.

Mr. Pearce is well known over the entire Precinct and states he will have statement later and will attempt to see each voter before the Primary.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom House had as their Sunday guests, their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leon House, Hobbs, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Bill House.

Mrs. Roach took Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Shows to Sweetwater Wednesday morning to catch the train to Chicago to visit with their daughter, Jo Ann Shows.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill House Tuesday were Mmes. Albert Hrbacek, Jim Barnes and Frank Bleck of Sweetwater.

Joe Roberts, Mrs. C. C. Bruce, and Mrs. C. C. Roach visited in Lubbock Monday with Mrs. Roach's sister, Mrs. C. L. Sutton and son, Doc.

Mrs. Joe Little visited in Dallas last weekend with her daughter, Miss Gayletta Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Warren, Deryle and Lennie of Ft. Worth visited here over the week end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hendrix, Bob and Max of Hobbs, New Mexico, visited last week end here with relatives.

**Winn's Offering George
Washington Birthday
Specials Tuesday**

Winn's Store is planning a George Washington Birthday One Day Sale, for next Tuesday, Feb. 22.

Mr. Becker has made special shipments of merchandise for this event, and at the store you will find an array of 22c items in keeping with the Feb. 22 theme.

This event causes considerable interest in most towns over the country and will not doubt become an annual event with the Rotan Winn's Store.

**4-H Clubbers Win
At El Paso Show**

Fisher County 4-H Club members did well at the Southwestern International Livestock Show in El Paso last week, according to James S. Norman, County Agricultural Agent.

Jana Jeffrey, McCaulley 4-H member, showed a 2nd place Angus heifer in the Jr. Breeding Heifer Division. She also won a 5th and 7th place, with two Angus steers.

Mike Herron, Rotan 4-H member, exhibited a 3rd place Angus heifer and a 4th place Angus steer. Mike's steer sold in the premium sale for 46c per pound. Sandra Herron, Jr. Leaders 4-H member, won a 5th place with her Angus steer.

Karla Kridel, Jr. Leaders 4-H Member, exhibited a 9th place Hereford steer and a 13th place Angus steer.

These club members were accompanied to the show by their parents.

**PTA Library Meeting
Set For Tonight**

The combined units of the Rotan Parent-Teacher Association will have a very interesting program Thursday night, February 17, at 7:30 p. m. in the High School Auditorium on the possibilities of a public library.

This meeting will be annual Founder's Day program and will also include election of officers for the coming year.

Mrs. Elizabeth Karle, Texas Library Association District Representative, from Abilene, will present a film on the importance of a town or community library. Mayor Joe Burk and Judge Perkins will also appear on the program.

**To The Citizens
Of Fisher County**

After much consideration I have decided to enter the race for District Clerk.

I am a native of this County, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hughey, pioneers of this area, and the granddaughter of a former Fisher County judge and attorney, the late L. B. Allen, Sr.

I feel qualified to perform the duties of the District Clerk having graduated from Roby High School, attended North Texas Teach College and Hardin-Simmons College. I taught school in Fisher Co. and in the Sweetwater school system for ten years after which I entered home service work.

As an Home Economist I was employed by the Lone Star Gas Co., Maytag Southwestern, Dallas, Texas, and International Harvester Co. Later I became Food Broker and Public Relations director for all of West Texas for the Pioneer Flour Mills of San Antonio, Texas. For the last several years I have been in public relations and insurance work.

I have paid poll tax and voted in Fisher Co. each election since reaching voting age.

If elected I promise to carry out the duties of the District Clerk to the very best of my ability. Also I expect to contact each Fisher Co. voter before election in May.

All support given me in this race will be deeply appreciated.
Sincerely,
Pearl Hughey

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New Cafeteria Opened Monday

Students were overcome by the splendor and airiness of the new Rotan Public Schools Cafeteria when served their first meal in the building, February 14.

The completely air conditioned and centrally heated structure features all new stainless steel kitchen equipment, including a huge mixer, dishwasher, garbage disposal, upright deep-freeze and refrigerator, "walk-in" refrigerator, and stoves. Another mixer, stacked ovens, and a combination washer-dryer were moved from the old cafeteria to the new site.

The lunchroom, designed by Lovett & Sellars, San Angelo architects, and built by Home Lumber Co., will seat up to 500 people from banquets and other functions. New formica-top tables and folding chairs have been purchased to accommodate 360. Normally, space for 260 will be provided, with 26 tables seating ten each.

The dining area features white walls broken by orange panelling. The color scheme is completed with blue doors and yellow floors. The floors are of a thin, very durable, non-slip metal coating over a concrete base.

The cafeteria has a hard-surface parking area with space for five automobiles.

K. C. McCasland, Supt., has a new carpeted office in the building. It is adjoined by a reception room and office of Mrs. Paul Heathington, his secretary.

A teachers' workroom, serving all three schools and completely carpeted, has been built. Its furnishings, include typewriters, copy machines, and comfortable chairs for relaxation during a hard day of teaching. This room will also be used for school board meetings.

The public has ample chance to eat in the new cafeteria soon, with

Freshman Pantomimes Entertain Student Body

Eight students from Mrs. Yantis' speech I class gave pantomimes Monday, February 7, before the Rotan High student body.

Each of the eight students gave entirely different pantomimes on subjects from a girl's first work done on the farm, to an annoying woman at the show.

Heading the program was Kevin Wright, master of ceremonies. The pantomimes followed as Alva Mercer-pizza maker; Jerry Edwards-girl on the farm; Paula Heathington-driver in distress; Roy Singley-child at school for the first time; Frances Baugh-man showing pictures; Jimmy Gruben-old man playing golf; Arlin Collins-girl at the beach; and Karen McKimmey, an annoying lady at the show.

—Mike Thornton

Know Your Senior

Name - Clyde McKimmey
Place of birth - Rotan
Date of birth - October 10, 1947
Hair color - brown
Eye color - hazel
Height - 5' 10 1/2"
Weight - 180 lbs.
Favorite sport - baseball
Food-grilled steak
color - red
car - Chevy
pastime - working on my car
subject - science
TV program - "The Virginian"
song - "You're the Reason"
artist - Dean Martin
Political preference - Democrat
Church preference - Baptist
College preference - undecided
Chosen vocation - undecided
Pet peeve - two-faced people
Years in Rotan - 17
Years in Rotan School - 12.

the Lions Club Pancake Supper tonight, the Baptist Church Sweetheart Banquet Saturday, February 19, and the Senior Class Mexican Dinner, Saturday, February 26.

—Raford Hargrove.

Weatherman's Seventh Grade Presents "Pinfeathers"

Mrs. Lawrence Weatherman's 7-III class presented a three act fantasy and comedy entitled "Pinfeathers" in an assembly program Tuesday, February 8. In which Adam, played by Walter Hargrove, learned that feathered wings are "just great"—for birds.

Other characters were: Narrator, Matt Dorman; Hattie, Adam's wife, Sandy Burnes; Ellen Jones, Lou McCombs; Mrs. Yarrick, Lydia Yanez; Mrs. Gantz, Judy Powell; Miss Spencer, Shretta Trout; circus man, Ricky Stanford; reporter, Steve Nowlin; photographer, David McCombs; novelist, Becky SoRelle; mayor and city officials, Richard Tandy and Lee Yanez; maid, Lillie Mae Daniels. —Raford Hargrove

Young Outlook On "Them Fancy Socks"

On cold days, we see girls wearing stockings of every pattern and color. They match the girls' clothes and are part of the "total look." I asked ten high school students, "What do you think of colored stockings?"

Debbie Hayes, freshman - "They look good on some people, but not people with big legs."

Marshall Hariman, sophomore - "I hate them; they are grody-looking."

Carroll Patton, junior - "I like them a lot. They're colorful and very warm on cold days."

Rhonda Kelley, sophomore - "I think they're sick."

Gerald Ashbrook, junior - "Oooh!" in a negative voice. "They just look horrible."

Barbara Neeley, freshman - "I like them on some people."

Vickie Tankersley, junior - "Yuk! I just don't like the total look. I think it's weird."

Charles McCall, junior - "I don't know. I never look at girls' legs."

James Soliz, freshman - "They look good on some girls, not on others, because some girls aren't supposed to wear colored stockings."

From these opinions, it seems that none of the boys and few girls approve of the colored stockings. Actually, the knit stockings are practical, because they are warm.

—Sharron Puryear.

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Washington, D. C. — Like the mariner adrift in the middle of the Ocean said, "Water, water everywhere, and not a drop to drink."

The problem of water, both from the standpoint of quality and quantity, has been discussed in this space at intervals for many years. At one time it was considered a problem only in the more arid areas. Today, it is of nation-wide concern, but with different aspects.

New England, the Eastern Seaboard and the mountains areas have experienced waster shortage, but potability is becoming an even greater problem.

The problems in our own West Texas area are compounded by having a combination of about all difficulties experienced by other sections. Rainfall itself is primary, followed by mineral pollution and suitable places to build resevoirs.

Many ideas abound on ways and means to accomplish adequate water supplies for West Texas. All are costly, but any adequate remedy may prove cheap for the future.

Those of us interested are exploring numerous possibilities for accomplishing this purpose. These explorations range from a diversion of certain rivers far north of us, to a pump-back system on the Colorado River to points which could be tap-

ned by the various communities. The imagination must be exercised to find solutions to guarantee future habitability and prosperity for West Texas.

In conjunction with these efforts, a stepped-up program of research in controlling the elements should have a prominent place in such planning.

Even now the Federal Government is likely to get into the rain-making business in a much larger way. Scientists who have dragged their feet on research on cloud seeding and tapping atmospheric moisture flows now concede and recommend larger outlays for this purpose.

The Federal expenditure which has been around \$5 million annually, is recommended to increase from \$30 million to \$50 million by 1970. It is already proposed that a \$50 million expenditure be made over a three-year period for concentrated studies on possibilities.

Thus far, experimenters find evidence that precipitation can be increased as much as 10 to 20 percent over areas as large as 1,000 square miles, with certain types of storms.

In addition to all the many necessary tests, certain hazards are involved. Proof must exist that no one will create a Frankenstein. It might be possible to open the faucets from a cloud in the sky, but they must also make sure they are able to turn it off. This will involve a colossal undertaking, such as building a computer with 50 times the capacity of anything now existing, specially equipped airplanes with radar and the like. There will have to be regulations to control commercial efforts in the field when cloud dusting is once past the experiment stage. These regulations will be necessary to protect all interests, and a whole new field of legislation will be opened up.

Interest in cloud seeding, once western, is now nation-wide as dry spells and pollution have plagued the Great Lakes and the Northeast. Once upon a time those of us who tried to visualize these developments for the future had little or no support from those parts of Country which had never suffered for the lack of rainfall and an adequate supply of water. It is now beginning to get broad support. This does not mean that successful "rainmaking" is here for significant results in the immediate future. It does mean that the keen awareness evidenced in these very real challenges will result in action.

No wonder the government is proud of its citizens—happy that we have what it takes.

AMA Urges Safety

"Don't be a sport," your friend challenges. Almost before you know it, you're an athlete—member of the local athletic association, the church league, or the neighborhood hunting group.

A new leaflet from the American Medical Association cautions that before rigorous activity begins, shape up—arrange for a health examination, check your diet, plan for sufficient sleep, then begin your conditioning program.

A medical examination, usually required for high school athletes, is recommended for sports-minded adults, too—although athletic organizations may not request it. Before beginning sports activity, says the AMA, see your physician for a thorough checkup with emphasis on your heart, circulatory and respiratory systems and reflexes.

Athletes need the same food as spectators—but more of it. A daily diet should include nutrients found in the four basic food groups—meat and meat substitutes, milk and milk products, vegetables, and fruits, breads and cereals. As you become more active, your appetite and food consumption will probably increase. Endurance sports call for stepped-up (but not excessive) amounts of carbohydrates. No single health food will make you a star performer.

The more active you are, the more sleep you will need. Even if your sport is not a vigorous one, your need for rest will increase slightly. Rest, however, will be more beneficial and easier to come by as a result of greater muscular activity.

The shift from spectator to sportsman must be gradual. Athletes recognize this and practice for two to three weeks before the first game of the season and earlier, train individually. Players should warm up before every practice, and so should the adult sportsman. After a medical checkup, begin your conditioning with brisk walking, mild running, or skipping rope—activities which work up an athletic sweat and increase endurance.

Plan ahead and put yourself in training. You—and your performance, too—will be shaped up.

Mrs. Jack Allen and Karen are visiting her daughter, Mrs. D. L. Knight and family in Bossier City, La.

Lives of great men sometimes remind us that it is much better to remain unknown.

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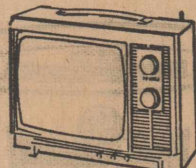
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For Sale or Rent, 30x90 ft. building on main street, next door to Porter Locker -- Pay & Take Food Store.

For Sale, small vacation camper. Bargain for quick sale, phone 7-2514 or 7-2241.

For Sale my home and furniture, all or any part, at 409 N. Garfield, J. D. Moore, phone WI 7-3135. 49-c

For Sale, 4 room house close in to town, 208 E. Burnside. Chester Hartsfield, phone 7-3479.

For Sale upright Piano in good condition, portable clothes closet, J. T. Houghton, phone 4295, Roby. 52-2tp

For Sale, choice 160 acres; good cotton allotment, 1-2 minrals and 1-2 royalty, joining city water line, road on 2 sides, 8 miles SW Rotan, Leon Moore, phone OR 4-7975, Abilene. 1-4tp

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I have for sale 1.49 acre at Sylvester, owner is in Rotan, contact Mrs. Emma Wallace at 433 West Sherman st. I also do washing and ironing in my home, \$1.50 dozen mixed. Also do housework. Thanks. 2-4tp

For Sale, Ford Tractor in good condition on good rubber, phone WI 7-2094, Wayne Morrow. 49-tfc

For Sale, 550 gal. self contained water tank, mounted and 300 gal. water tank not mounted, Stanley Nowlin. 51-tfc

For Sale, trailer, 11 x 5; steel frame, overload springs; high sideboards, good tires. Call WI 7-3257 or WI 7-3094, or see Wm. A. Morris. 1-3tc

For Sale, 1963 half ton International Pickup. Low mileage, positive traction rear end, A-1 condition, see G. W. Rodgers, box 704, ph. WI 7-3475. 42-tfc

For Sale clean Coastal Bermuda Hay 75c bale, Wesley Hardy, phone 4544, Roby. No. 50-4tp

For Sale Ford Tractor and equipment, Dallas Neal. 49-tfc

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Monuments and cemetery carving, 308 4th, phone WI 7-3290, J. B. Smith. 41-tfc

For Sale, Mimose trees, from one to one and half inches in diameter; \$1.00 to \$2.00 each. Z. H. Anderson, Snyder Hiway, Roby, Texas. 2-2tp

For Sale Lake cabin, furnished. Boat house, boat and motor, located at Veda's Camp, Lake Stamford, call 4534, Roby. 2-1tp

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For Sale, Catalina Cook Stove, used 6 months, good as new, priced reasonable, call WI 7-2988. 2-tfc

For Sale, 1 Case tractor, tool bar planter and cultivator, 3-disc breaking plow, 11 ft. tandem, all in good condition, J. D. Gartman, Premier Station, WI 7-8017. 25-tfc

Get your Hunting and Fishing License at White Auto Store. 52-tfc

See me for Monuments and Markers, J. W. Crow, phone 7-3170 or Mrs. Crow at hospital. 34-4tp

For Sale, bundles, L. A. Sparks, phone WI 7-3068. 34-tfc

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FOR RENT
For Rent, Garage apartment, 3 rooms and bath, furnished, 708-8th st. phone 4173, Roby, J. A. Comp-ton. 1-1tp

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Wanted—lady to do housework, steady job. Jack Allen, phone WI 7-3212. 52-tfc

SO YOU WANT TO POLISH A ROCK, EH? Middlebrook Rock Shop, Anson, Texas has Lapaderz equipment. 48-10tp

Wanted—Disc Sharpening, call Pike Middlebrook, Farmers Gin, Rotan. 48-10tp

YOU are invited to listen to the Erimitive Baptist Program each Sunday Morning 9:00 to 9:30 over KDWT, Stamford, 1400 on your dial. 17-tfc

For Income Tax Return work, see Jewell Fancher at Rotan Real Estate, 216 West Snyder Ave. Rotan, call WI 7-2509 or 7-3207. 49-tfc

For Rent, 4 room house and bath, car port, wired for washer and dryer, call or see Vernon Frazier at Frazier Drug Store, NI 7-2272. 44-tfc

Wanted, ironing and baby sitting. Bedroom to rent to working lady or girl. Near hospital, school and downtown. Share kitchen is desired. Phone WI 7-3389, Mrs. Ronie Kersh, 305 E Snyder. 51-3tp

Want to do ironing, Mrs. Wm. Tucker, 609 E Forrest, phone WI 7-2544. 51-4tp

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Help Wanted - Experienced Sales-ladies between 35-50. Applicants must have excellent personality. Good opportunity for right party apply in person. Bea Owens Dress Shop 2503 Ave. S. West Side of Square, Snyder, Texas.

For Sale or rent, my home at 910 6th st, 2 bedrooms and large living and dining area, Roland Trout 49-tfc

FOR SALE: Four lots, commercial location, clear title, taxes paid. Write O. L. Pirkle, 1007 West 7th St., Roswell, New Mexico. 50-4tp

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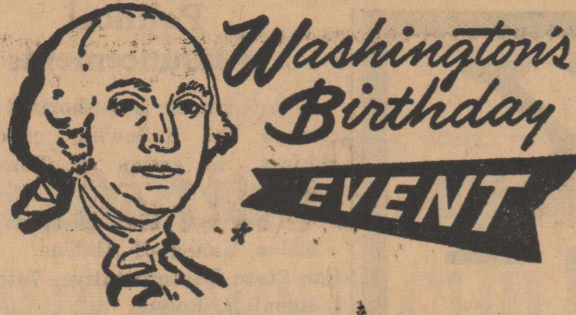
Mrs. W. A. Rives went to Uvalde Monday to visit relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Smith, Stephen, Randall and Susan visited relatives in Loraine Friday night and Saturday.

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Cotton Growers Inc. Plan For Coming Crop

The Directors of the Rolling Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. met in Sweetwater on February 1 and outlined plans for the coming year. Present were 27 men representing 14 of the 31 counties of the Rolling Plains area. Also represented were Texas Agriculture Extension Service of Texas A&M University and the National Cotton Council.

According to Charles W. Stenholm, newly appointed executive vice president of the Cotton Growers, the organization will be working on an educational and informational type program for the coming year. Plans are to begin on community levels and eventually snowball to cover the Rolling Plains with a program dedicated to the improvement of cotton production in the entire area.

The Rolling Plains Cotton Growers is presently working on a definite boll weevil control program in cooperation with the Texas Agriculture Extension Service and Texas A&M University. But before there can be a program of area-wide significance, there must be area-wide cooperation. This poses a tremendous but not impossible task.

Beginning about June 1, there will be ten 2-men insect survey teams working in the 31 counties. Last years there were only four teams working. Coupled with the information from last year and the findings of this year's teams, it will be possible to make a complete study of the Rolling Plains and gain valuable information necessary for a boll weevil control program.

In connection with boll weevil control work, the Rolling Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. is advocating delayed uniform planting dates for the area. A delayed uniform planting date supported by a community, county or area-wide, utilizes clima-

tic data to increase production. It acts as an aid in control of boll weevils, lessens replanting cost and improves quality, all of which reduces cost of production and increases net income for producers.

Local communities interested in a uniform planting date for their communities or information regarding any phase of the Rolling Plains Cotton Growers organization, please contact Charles W. Stenholm, Executive Vice President, Box 1108, Stamford, Texas 79553 or by telephone at Area Code 915 PR 3-2851.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jim Driver and Craig visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Parham in Noodle.

A New Girl Enters Rotan High School

A new student has moved to Rotan. Her name is Angel Morales. She moved from Jayton where she attended high school as a freshman. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morales. Mr. Morales is a farmer.

--Rebekah Crawford

Spanish I Class Prepares Mexican Food

Miss Josie Baird's second period Spanish I class is having a Spanish buffet-style dinner at noon, February 18. They will get to sample various Mexican dishes.

The dishes will be prepared as a Spanish project in the student's homes.

--Sharron Puryear.

YOUNG'S FOOD VALUES



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Margerine Lb.		29c
Wrights Thick Sliced		
Bacon 2 Lbs.		\$1.55
PICNIC HAMS lb.		45c
Peter Pan		
Flour 25 Lbs.		\$1.98

YOUNG'S MARKET

The Flicker-- continued from page 2

Hale and Tillotson Attend Textbook Meet

Mrs. Jewell Tillotson, primary principal, and Mrs. Margie Hale, school secretary, attended a textbook conference on the Cooper High campus in Abilene, February 7.

The conference was held to select textbooks to be used for the next five years. The program lasted from 1:00 P. M. until 5:00 P. M., with periods for discussion of various textbook subjects.

Among the subjects of textbooks were basal readers, trigonometry and related math, Spanish, Spanish TV, supplementary readers, chemistry, economics, and physical and health education.

--Mike Thornton

Five Girls Named Jr. Hi Honor Students

Rotan Junior High has selected eighth grade honor students in five fields of learning, based on their accomplishments in the areas since entering the seventh grade, according to Marshall Hill, principal.

Kathy Allen was chosen outstanding mathematics student; Kaye McKimney, science; Peggy Koffman, social studies; Jeanie Tidwell, English; and Maxine Phillips, reading.

The students are honored with a picture in the yearbook and recognition at the Eighth Grade Banquet in the spring.

--Raford Hargrove

Birthdays

Birthday greetings are extended to those students having a birthday between February 10-17. They are Sammy Burns, Janet Carver, Brenda Donham, Willie Garcia, Charles McCall, and David Smith.

--Rebekah Crawford

Know Your Senior

Name - Don Sexton
Place of birth - Sweetwater
Date of birth - May 15, 1948
Hair color - blonde
Eye color, blue
Height - 5' 11"
Weight - 165
Favorite sport - football

food-chile
color-blue
car-Pontiac
pastime-hunting
subject-history
T. V. program-"I Spy"
song-"Moon River"
Artist-Andy Williams
movie star-James Stewart

Political preference - honest democracy

Church preference-Church of Christ
College preference-Texas Tech
Chosen vocation - big game guide
Pet peeve - Girls who talk like they know everything and won't listen to other ideas.

Annual Pictures Made Tuesday, Feb. 8th

Group pictures of Honor Society and Annual Staff were taken last Tuesday, February 8 for the 1965-66 yearbook.

Class favorite pictures were also taken. The freshman favorites are Jody Helms and Ronnie Tunnell. Sophomores are David Hammit and Jodie Thompson. Frankie SoRelle and Debbie Day are the junior favorites.

--Rebekah Crawford.

Spanish Classes Select Librarians

Three Spanish classes have selected class librarians

The first period Spanish II class elected Brenda Landes. Fourth period Spanish I class elected Juan Montez. Sandra Wynn was elected by the fifth period Spanish II.

--Sharron Puryear

Two Seniors Attend Honor Band and Chorus

Rebekah Crawford and Sharron Puryear are taking a trip to East Texas State University in Commerce this weekend. The two senior girls were selected from senior applicants of four states to participate in the rehearsals and concert.

Rebekah will be singing alto in the ALL SENIOR HONOR CHORUS, and Sharron will play alto saxophone in the ALL-SENIOR HONOR BAND. The two concert bands and the choir will give a joint concert on Saturday night, February 19.

--Sharron Puryear.

Little Hammers Enter Hobbs Tourney

Rotan Jr. Hi. girls' and boys' basketball teams will participate in an eight-school tournament at Hobbs tonight and tomorrow night. The tourney guarantees each team entered two games, with one bracket playing for the championship and the other reaching a consolation winner.

Everyone is urged to go to Hobbs and back the Little-Hammers in their efforts.

--Raford Hargrove

Senior Class To Host Mexican Dinner

The Senior Class will host a Mexican dinner in the new cafeteria, Saturday, February 26. The menu includes such foods as enchiladas, tamales, beans, and salad. A dessert and tea or coffee will be served also.

This dinner is a project to raise money for the forthcoming civics trip. Tickets, 75c for children and \$1.00 for adults, will be available from any senior or at the door.

--Rebekah Crawford.

Schedule

February 17, PTA meeting
February 17-19, Hobbs Junior High BB Tournament
February 26, Senior Class Mexican Dinner
February 26, Ft. Stockton track meet

March 1, National Merit Scholarship Test
March 5, Iowa Park track meet
March 11, Holiday - Teachers' Meeting

March 12, Solo and Ensemble Contest. Knox City track meet
March 19, Double Mountain Relays track meet-here
March 21, PTA banquet
March 22, District PTA meeting
March 26, District Literary Events at Merkel

April 2, District track
April 4-6, District tennis
April 8-11, Easter holidays
April 15, District Junior High track
April 15-16, Band Concert and Sightreading Contest
April 30, Junior-Senior Banquet
May 3, Eighth Grade Banquet
May 4, Spacemobile Program

Big 'Y' Band Orders Jackets and Blankets

The Rotan High big "Y" Band has ordered band jackets and blankets February 8.

Solid orange jackets were ordered by the band members, and four year seniors were given blankets. The blankets are solid black with orange borders. In the center of the blanket is a large black "R" shaded with orange.

The seniors to be given blankets were Mike Thornton, Sharron Puryear, Rebekah Crawford, Cyndy Berry, and Byrde Thomas.

--Mike Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn visited in Post Sunday.

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FLOUR 49c
 5 lb. box

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Meal 39c
 5 Pound Sack

Brillo 10 Count 2 boxes
Pads 45c

Hormel Quarters
Oleo 3lbs. 59c

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Sugar 15c
 lb. box

Foremost Big Dip
Ice Cream
 1/2 Gallon **49c**

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	Ribs 29c
Tender Lean Club	Armours Pure Pork
STEAK	Sausage
lb. 69c	lb. 49c
Pork	Bonless Stew
STEAK MEAT	
lb. 69c	lb. 49c
Armour Star	
BOLOGNA	lb. 49c

FRUITS VEGETABLES

Choice Russet	
Potatoes 10	Lb. Sack 39c
Fancy Red Delicious	Large
APPLES	Avacados
lb. 19c	ea. 15c
Yellow	East Texas Sweet
ONIONS	Potatoes
lb. 5c	lb. 10c
Golden Ripe	
Bananas	2 Pounds 25c
Texas	
Oranges	5 Lb. Sack 39c

Kraft Grapefruit quart jar
Sections 45c

Blue Save 20c Giant Box
CHEER 59c

Political Announcements

The Advance is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to action of Democratic Primary:
 For Congress, 17th District:
 Eldon Mahon of Abilene
 For State Representative, 74th Dist:
 Renal B. Rosson
 Gene Newton
 For County Judge:
 E. G. Perkins (re-election)
 James V. Carter
 For County Clerk:
 John W. Ashley (re-election)
 For County Treasurer:
 Ina Goodwin (re-election)
 For District Clerk:
 Nealy A. Morton (re-election)
 R. L. (Red) Miers
 Pearl Hughey
 For Commissioner, Pre. 2:
 Frank B. Houghton
 Frank Allen
 For Commissioner Pre. 4:
 Thurman Terry
 Andrew Pearce
 For Justice of Peace, Pre. 3:
 Lon R. Adams

AMENDED ELECTION NOTICE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER CITY OF ROTAN

Whereas, the terms of Councilmen George Field, and Dr. C. M. Callan expire on the first Tuesday in April, the same being April 5, 1966; and article 978 of the Revised Civil Statutes of The State of Texas requires that an election shall be held on the first Tuesday in April of each year to elect members of the Council for the ensuing two years, and requires that thirty (30) days' notice shall be given of such election, and Whereas; Councilman J. D. Moore has resigned from the City Council and an election needs to be held to fill his term of office, which expires on April 4th, 1967:

Now Therefore, under the powers vested in me as Mayor, under article 2951 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, I, Joe D. Burk, Mayor of the City of Rotan, hereby Order and Direct that an election be held on the first Tuesday in April, same being the fifth day of April, 1966, as aforesaid, for the election of two (2) Councilmen to fill the places now filled by George Field and Dr. C. M. Callan, and one (1) Councilman to fill the unexpired term of J. D. Moore.

It is further directed that this official notice of such election be published in the Rotan Advance, and that a copy of this order be posted in the City Office at the City Hall in the City of Rotan, Texas.

Given Under My Hand, this the 14th day of February, 1966.

Joe D. Burk, Mayor, City of Rotan.

ATTEST:
 Frances Hariman, City Secretary

Tip Tops Club Meets Each Thursday

The Tip Tops Club met last Thursday at the Parrish Hall and elected Rheta Thompson as leader to replace La Joyce Bailey, who is moving to Abilene.

Reducing pals were chosen, to keep each other on the straight and narrow pathway to the Tops goal, the Josephine Martin received the prize for losing the most weight.

The club meets at 7:00 P. M. each Thursday and visitors are welcome.

LANCE THEATRE OPENS 7:00 P. M. SHOW STARTS 7:15

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, February 17-18-19

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FRESH CLUB

Steak lb. 69c

FRESH GROUND

HAMBURGER MEAT POUND 39c

HOME MADE WHOLE HOG

Sausage POUND 59c

Senior Girls Honored At Sweetwater Tea

The American Association of University Women, Sweetwater Branch, honored senior girls Saturday at a seated Tea at Sweetwater Country Club. Mrs. J. Frank Davis, branch president, presided. Mrs. Davis welcomed the group, gave them some information concerning the organization, and introduced Mrs. E. J. Yates who in turn introduced the guest speaker, Rev. Bill Henning, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Sweetwater.

Rev. Henning addressed the group on the importance of higher education for women. He discussed the topic from the angle of earning a livelihood and living a full and successful life as a wife, mother, and member of the community. He stressed the importance of an education in order to understand the complexities of modern times in which we live.

Rev. Henning also stressed the availability of higher education for all young people who are willing to sacrifice some of the luxuries of our times in order to be financially able to attend college. Expenses, choice of school, and available scholarships were noted. Scholars who need financial assistance should inquire about scholarships and loans which are available.

Seniors girls from Rotan who attended the Tea were Sharron Puryear, Byrdie Thomas, Sharon White, Sandra Herron, and Mary Donham.

Members of AAUW from Rotan were Mes. Empress Day, J. R. Strayhorn, Robert Witherspoon, and Miss Delila Baird.

Cross Roads Baptists Sweetheart Banquet

Saturday, February 12, the members of Crossroads Baptist Church gathered for their annual Sweetheart Banquet. This year the theme was "Moonlight and Roses." Every year we think the banquet is better than the last one and this time was no different. Wilbur Lee Gruben of Sweetwater was Master of Ceremonies and Bro. L. L. Trott, Area Missionary of Stamford was guest speaker. He brought a very interesting message with many good points to remember on "Remember Who You Are."

The church quartet sang, "Will There Be Any Stars In My Crown." Glen Copeland played the guitar and sang "Don't Let the Stars Get In Your Eyes." Robert Carter sang "Moonlight and Roses", and Donna Gruben and Reba Carter sang "Rambling Rose."

An enjoyable evening was spent by everyone with good food, pleasant surroundings and good fellowship.

We take this opportunity to invite anyone looking for a church home to come visit us. Our doors are always open to you.

Baptist Ladies SS Class Hold Luncheon

The Vera Morrow Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met February 9th at the Rotan Hotel for a delicious luncheon.

Mrs. Walter Cleveland, class president had charge of the business meeting. Mrs. Ruple Morrow gave the blessings.

The class members attending the luncheon were: Mrs. Ernest Shipp, Mrs. Walter Cleveland, Mrs. J. D. Burk, Mrs. Vernon Frazier, Mrs. T. W. Rector, Mrs. Oral Sparks, Mrs. J. M. Long and Mrs. Ruple Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fritz and her father Alvin Clark of Arlington visited and attended to business here Saturday. They also moved the household goods of Mr. and Mrs. Clark to Arlington where they have bought a home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Lotief of Canton, Miss., are announcing the birth of a little daughter, Saturday morning. They lived in Rotan until about a year ago.

Mrs. C. E. Whitfield is reported to be recovering nicely from an injury she received when she fell and broke her hip, recently. Mrs. is in Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene.

Mrs. Morris Watson and Mrs. J. Frank Johnson visited in Haskell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Campbell are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Truman Vittitow and Mr. Vittitow in California.

Mrs. Cecil Lotief entered St. Paul Hospital in Dallas Wednesday for treatment.

Daniel-Glending Wedding Saturday

Linda Beth Daniel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Daniel of Roby, became the bride of Roy Glending son of Mrs. Glending of Sweetwater Texas.

Vows were exchanged in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Early, Saturday, Feb. 12, at 6 p. m. Mrs. Early is sister of the bride.

Bridesmaid was Miss Barbara Ann Early, niece of the bride, and best man was Bill Glending, brother of the Groom.

The bride wore a pale blue suit fashioned of brocade, with white accessories. Her corsage was white chrysanthemums. Miss Early wore a white wool suit with blue accessories. The ceremony was performed by D. S. Moore, pastor of Cross Roads Baptist Church.

A reception following the wedding

was hosted by Mrs. Early. The tiered cake and punch were served by Mrs. Reggie Stinson, Miss Margaret Hicks, and Miss Barbara Early. The table was laid with a white lace cloth, with cut crystal, and with a center piece of pink roses.

Forty guests were present with several being from out of town.

CORRECTION

In last weeks Advance we made an error in a correction article on Chris McCasland winning 1st place in the recent Art Show at Sweetwater. We listed him as Kenny. In the article making our error we were correcting one made by publicity chairman of the women's organization when she listed him as third place instead of first.

We join the chairman in apology to Chris.

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Mr. Bob Clark of Grandview

spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark, Vickie, June, and J. R. visited over the weekend here and visited with Mr. Clark who is in the hospital here.

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FB Urges Private Research For Cotton

WACO--(Spl)--Texas Farm Bureau President C. H. DeVaney was among farm leaders asking Congress Feb. 9 to reject proposed legislation to establish a government-directed cotton research and promotion program financed by a "largely compulsory check-off" of farmers' money.

DeVaney appeared before the House Agriculture Committee with American Farm Bureau Federation President Charles B. Shuman and other Farm Bureau leaders from cotton-producing states.

In a prepared statement, Shuman said the proposed check-off program "clearly provides for the creation of what amounts to a governmental organization of producers.

"The amount of authority that would be given to the Secretary of Agriculture by the enactment of H. R. 12322 is unprecedented," he asserted. He added that the bill, if enacted, would make the program largely compulsory rather than voluntary.

"The thing that is most needed in the present situation with respect to research and promotion for cotton is for the Congress to make it clear it does not intend to torpedo present voluntary promotion efforts," the Farm Bureau spokesman said.

Shuman told the committee that all of the groups interested in the survival of cotton as a healthy and dynamic industry will find ways and means of launching and financing needed research and promotion programs for cotton.

In behalf of Farm Bureau members throughout the country -- and especially in the cotton belt -- I want to reassure this committee, and the proponents of this legislation, that we continue to stand ready to lend our full assistance to such an effort," Shuman said.

He reminded the Committee that Farm Bureau "has been in the thick

of every major effort to strengthen agricultural research." He said Farm Bureau leaders took part in the organization of the National Cotton Council "and have continued to take an active part in this organization throughout its history."

The national farm leader added that Farm Bureau leaders have been among the strongest advocates of increased funds for the Council, and were leaders in the movement which established the Cotton Producers Institute a few years ago to raise additional funds from producers for cotton research and promotion.

The Farm Bureau national president recalled in 1957 there was a drive on to get a legislated check-off program for livestock to raise funds to promote red meat.

"You were told--and we were told--that there absolutely had to be check-off legislation, and that the whole promotion program for red meat would be lost if legislation weren't passed immediately," he said. "As a member of the board of directors and executive committee of the National Live Stock and Meat Board, I know something of what has happened in the interim period," he said. "Progress continues to be made in perfecting a comprehensive, voluntary, and non-governmental promotion program."

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Gilbert and children of Dallas, Mrs. Doyle McSpadden and children visited relatives here last weekend.

HD Women Plan For District Meeting

Purpose of the meeting was to train County THDA Chairman in their duties, to plan the District spring meeting and to bring information to the District from the State Board.

Mrs. Byrd announced that the Spring District meeting is to be in Breckenridge March 29. Plans were made for counties to make reports on the State THDA Program of Work recommendations. Fisher County will be responsible for reporting on the 4-H section of the Program of Work for 1966.

Accompanying the women to the Benjamin meeting were Mrs. Alice Ballenger, County H. D. Agent and Nancy Brown, Jr. Assistant Extension Agent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ashton visited Saturday in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ashton.

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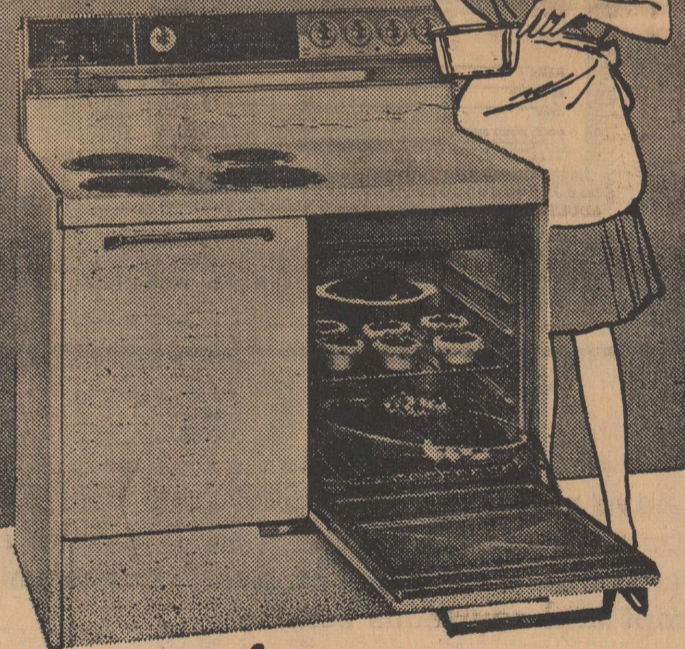
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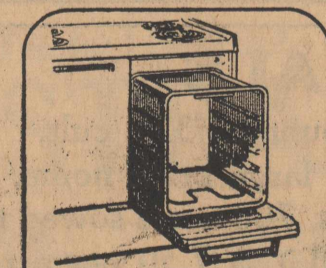
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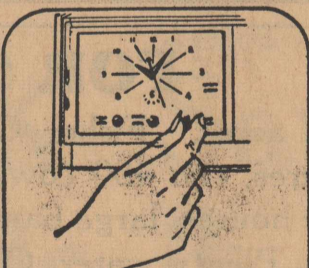
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Safety Responsibility Act Now Has Teeth

Austin—The Texas Department of Public Safety said today a new amendment to the Safety Responsibility Act clearly states that a person who willfully refuses to surrender within 10 days licenses suspended under the Act subject to criminal charges carrying a penalty of up to a \$200 fine.

Col. Homer Garrison Jr., DPS Director, explained that the amendment, effective January 1, 1966, was enacted by the last Legislature after an Attorney General's opinion held the "surrender provision" of the Act unconstitutional because it required the suspended licensee to surrender his licenses "immediately." The opinion held this wording was too indefinite.

Garrison said that with the new amendment now in effect, the following action is taken when a person involved in an accident coming under the provisions of the Safety Responsibility Act and does not report liability insurance coverage:

1. An original notice is sent by first class mail requesting the person to deposit security or otherwise comply with the law.

2. After a period of some four weeks, if he has not complied, an order of suspension and demand for surrender of his driver's license and vehicle registration plates is sent by first class mail.

3. After a reasonable period of time, if the suspended items have not been surrendered, an order is sent out to file criminal charges against him, to obtain a warrant for his arrest, and to secure possession of the suspended licenses.

The DPS Director explained further that basically, the Safety Responsibility Act is designed to en-

courage motorists to be financially able to cover any damage they might do to others.

Under the law, the Department is required to suspend the driver licenses and all motor vehicle registration plates of both the operator and owner of vehicles involved in an accident coming under the SR law, unless:

1. Evidence of liability insurance coverage in the minimum amounts of \$10,000 where one person was injured or killed, \$20,000 where more than one, and \$5,000 for property damage is reported to the Department of Public Safety.

3. A signed agreement to pay damages in installments is accepted by the damaged or injured persons, and filed with the Department.

The operator and owner are found to be not liable in a civil suit for damages by a court of competent jurisdiction, and a copy of such findings is filed with the Department.

5. The operator and owner deposit with the Department cash or bond security in an amount sufficient to cover any judgment or damages resulting from the accident that might be obtained by damaged or injured persons, which in no case shall be less than \$200. In addition, the operator and owner must file proof of financial responsibility for the future and maintain it for five years.

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Commissioners Court Invited To Brenham

Austin—County Judge E. G. Perkins and members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court have been invited to attend the dedication of the "Texas Confederate County Commissioners Courts" historical marker in Brenham on Feb. 18, at 2:00 P. M. on the Washington County Courthouse lawn.

This announcement was made by John Ben Sheppard of Odessa, president of the Texas State Historical Survey Committee.

A history of the Commissioners Courts in Texas during the Civil War years to the present time will be made by Sheppard.

Harold Green, president of the County Judges and Commissioners Association, of Water Valley (Tom Green County) will accept the official marker on behalf of the association.

County Judge Odis Temachevsky of Brenham will be master of ceremonies with Washington County Commissioners participating. Open House for visitors will be held in the Courthouse under the auspices of the Washington County Historical Survey Committee.

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Missions: Sacred Heart (near
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Sacred Heart Asperment - Sun-
days, 11:00 A. M.

SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH

(9 miles SW of Rotan)
Dr. Albert Lunday, Pastor
Sunday School ---- 10 A. M.
Morning Worship ---- 11 A. M.
Training Union ---- 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship -- 7:30 P. M.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday, 7:30 P. M.

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First Mexican Baptist Church
W. Johnston & N. Garfield
Henry Medina, Pastor
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.

★ STOP-CAUTION-GO

Protection

The signal light is man's guide to safer travel. However, they protect only as they are obeyed.

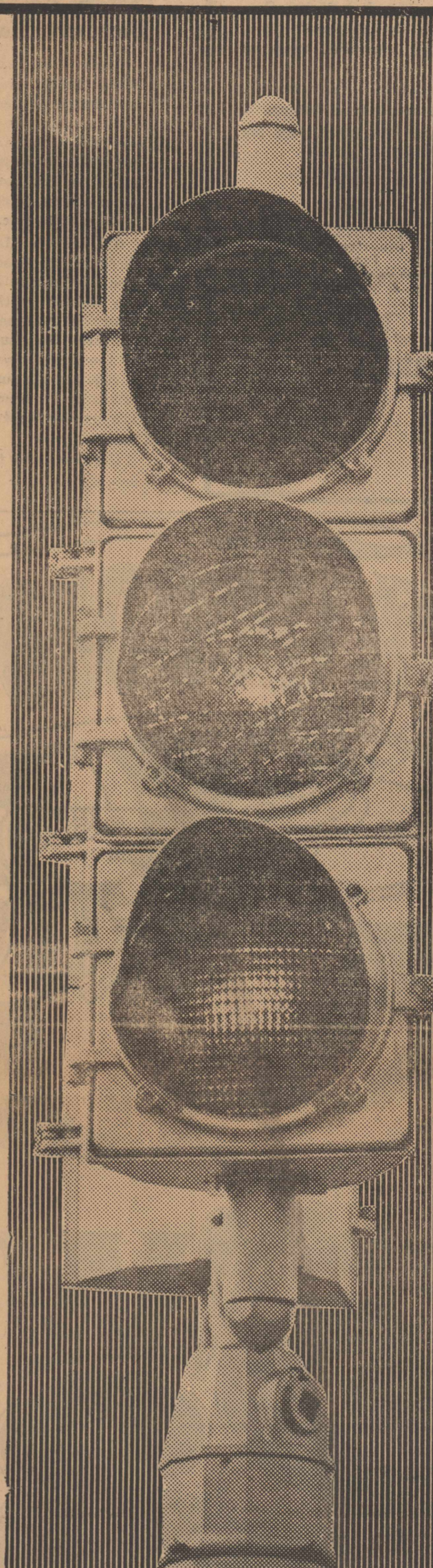
The Bible is God's Signal Light and guide for man's path through life.

"Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path."

Through study of God's word, we learn His will for our life, and He will lead in paths of righteousness. ATTEND CHURCH THIS SUNDAY, SEEK GOD'S WAY.



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.



First National Bank
Campbell Department Store
Fisher County Farm Bureau
Landes' Furniture
Home Lumber Co.
Bill Simmons Texaco Station
Farmers Gin
Rotan Seed Delinting Co., Inc.
Price Grocery
Rotan Paint & Body Shop
Gandy's--Bill Henderson

Winn's Variety Store
Rotan Cotton Oil Mill
Weathersbee Funeral Home
Rotan Gin
Clark's Beauty Shop
Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark
Thriftway Super Market
H. R. Puryear--Contractor
Rotan Motor Company
Smith & Cyphers Gulf Station
R. L. Young Insurance

Mac' Burger Bar
Rockwell Bro. & Company
D. J. Smith & Company
Heleman & Neeley Garage
8 til Late Grocery
Farm Tractor & Service, Inc.
Martin Butane Company
H. L. Davis & Company
Rotan Insurance Agency