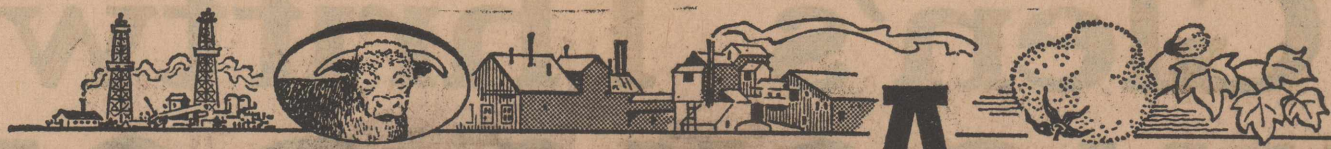


## The Weather

From records of Fred Byerly, Weather Observer.

Wed. 5th	96	68	
Thurs. 6th	85	69	
Fri. 7th	98	69	
Sat. 8th	98	71	
Sun. 9th	99	72	
Mon. 10th	100	70	
Tues. 11th	Tr.	102	73
Total precipitation to date 1966	.....	12.18	
Total precipitation to date 1967	.....	8.98	

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# THE ROTAN ADVANCE

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## Super Bargain Day Is July 22

Saturday week — July 22 will again be Super Bargain Day in Rotan. Merchants sponsoring this monthly event will have your copy for this month in the mail to you next Wednesday.

If you fail to receive one call at any sponsoring merchant or the Advance after next Wednesday. An array of specials are being carried in the circular.

## HD Agt. Attends Bi-Dist. Meeting

Mrs. Alice Ballenger, Fisher County Home Demonstration Agent, attended a two-day bi-district meeting on "Focus in Home Economics in Ft. Worth, July 10-11."

Objectives of this meeting were for County Home Demonstration Agents to understand Focus as a direction for home economics, to develop understanding of Focus as a tool for program planning, to develop understanding of Focus as a force for program implementation, to understand Focus as a channel for communication and to recognize the importance of Focus as a measurement of progress.

Mrs. Ballenger participated with four other agents from the two extension districts on a panel "Packaging Our Educational Products." As a number of this panel, Mrs. Ballenger reported to the 45 other H. D. Agents on the planning, conducting, and evaluation of the Housing Shortcourse conducted in Rotan in March. This shortcourse was the first of this particular type to be conducted in Texas and there fore is of interest to many other H. D. Agents.

Others appearing on the program will be Miss Fern Hodge, District Agent, Claudia Williams, Program Specialist, Mrs. Gladys Kolander, State H. D. Agent, Mrs. Florence Low, Assistant Director for Home Economics.

## CALENDAR CLUB SUMMER PICNIC

Calendar Club will hold their annual Summer Picnic at Snyder Park, Friday night 7 o'clock.

Members who have not contacted social committee are asked to call Mrs. Wayne Harris.

Misses Alice and Annie Yates of Dallas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nash Miers for several days. They will also visit with relatives in Hamlin before returning home.

## Hospital News

Local patients admitted to Callan Hospital from July 5 to July 12 were:

Mrs. W. A. Hancock, Joe Kersh, Mrs. L. D. Parks, Winnie Winston, Paul Garcia, Mrs. J. D. Peel, Mrs. W. D. Hariman, Emma Wallace, Mrs. Frank Medrano, Rodney Paul Pearson, Mrs. Annie Tillotson, Clint Overby, Mrs. A. A. Aaron, C. J. Markham, Sam Hamm.

Out of town patients: Z. H. Anderson, Roby; Bon Blanton, Aspermont; J. A. Fowler, Snyder; C. A. Browning, Girard; Mrs. John G. Davis, Clairmont; Mrs. P. R. Warren, Hermleigh; Brenda Wilson, Girard; Archie Bingham, Brownfield; Mrs. Glen Phillips, Aspermont; Roy Parsons, Roby; and Fred Davis, Snyder.

Births: A boy to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Medrano, July 2, at 11:43 a.m.

## Bank Statement Shows Economy Is Very Good

Statement of condition of First National Bank in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency as of June 30th, showed the bank to be in excellent condition.

The report shows deposits as \$5,934,832.83 and loans of \$2,173,352.34 as of the call date. This is about \$300,000 higher for each over the same time 1966. The report shows a healthy economic condition of the area with several good crop years and good cattle prices.

Assets are listed at \$6,508,097.03.

## Scurry Co. Rodeo Next Week

The annual Scurry Co. Rodeo will begin July 19 and run thru Saturday night July 22. Stock for this year's show will be furnished by Red Whatley of Crosbyton, who promises to have some real mean bulls and good bucking horses. The rodeo will open Wednesday evening with a down-town parade with several floats already entered. With Sheriff Poses and Riding Clubs in attendance. There will be a dance each night with Hoyle Nix of Big Spring furnishing the music.

For an added attraction a clown and bull fighter, George Taylor of Fort Worth will please the crowd with his many specialty acts.

## Bennett Reunion

The Bennett reunion was held Sunday in American Legion Hut with the following attending: Edgar and Mae Bennett, Homer Aaron, Eva Warren, Roy Kingsfield and Hugh Huckaby, Rotan; Lerner Bennett and family, Wilson E. Guest and daughter and Alma McHaney of Sweetwater. Loyd, Geneva and Loyd W. George, Crane; Roy and Inez Perkins, Donald L. Perkins, San Antonio; Edith Coan, Jackie Coan De Leon; Susan Clements, Gorman; Tommie Bennett, Tyne and Edith Perkins, Abilene; Alice Bennett and Ruby Mae Bledsoe, Big Spring; Pauline McHaney, Trinity; Othell Irwin, Odessa; Mrs. Zelma Palmer and Diane, Plainview; Hazel Brashears, Mineral Wells; Docia Phillips, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burselson, Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wyatt, Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Dowell and sons, Tucumcari, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Unnewehr and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Martin, Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Seaton and sons, Hamlin.

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## PIONEER PUBLISHERS WIFE DIES AT POST

Mrs. F. I. Bailey, known to her loved ones and friends as Aunt Ev, passed away Wednesday morning in Post Hospital after a long illness. Mrs. Bailey, with her late husband owned the Post Dispatch and Southland News since beginning of the towns. They had one son, Ed Warren, who followed them in the business until he retired several years ago. He was assisted by Mrs. Bailey and his wife, the former Pauline Tyson. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn went to Post Wednesday in response to the message Mrs. Baileys death. Mrs. Strayhorn and Mrs. Warren are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene L. Reed and Gene Jr. of Odessa spent several days last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCright.

## Local RR Line Not Affected

The release below in regard to dropping train service by Katy from near Waco to Stamford was issued Tuesday in Washington. This caused some apprehension among local citizens of Rotan in regard to the Rotan to Stamford line. Katy officials contacted stated that our local line would not be affected by this and the same freight service would be continued.

WASHINGTON — The dropping of train service between Stamford and Bellmead, outside Waco, was recommended to the Interstate Commerce Commission by one of its examiners Tuesday.

The examiner, John F. Collins, agreed with the Missouri Kansas and Texas Railroad that the 250-mile line is a losing proposition and should be abandoned. Only freight trains now use the tracks.

But the recommended order provides for continuation of service on the 25-mile portion between Dublin and Gorman, a stretch where freight operation has remained profitable.

The Dublin-Gorman line would be operated by the Texas Central Railroad, which would be reorganized to give control to a local citizens group headed by M. E. Shell. Texas Central owns the right-of-way but has leased it to the MKT Railroad since 1915.

Reorganization would be accomplished by having local residents buy up 2,700 shares of common stock at \$10 a share.

This new stock would be in lieu of 26,750 shares of common stock with a par value of \$100, and cancellation of 13,250 shares of preferred stock with par value of \$100.

MKA in its petition said the trackage is in such poor condition it would cost \$4 million to repair. Because of declining revenues on that line, MKT, said it would rather abandon service than invest in the needed improvements.

After considering testimony presented last Feb. 13 and 14 in Fort Worth the CC examiner found that abandonment is justified because revenues are falling off and because it would permit the Texas Central reorganization to take place. Also, the affected area is served by truck transportation and part by other rail lines, Collins said.

His recommended order is subject to approval by the ICC itself. A spokesman said such approval would normally follow almost automatically if no protests are filed within the 30-day appeals period.

Pfc. Larry Graham, Mrs. Graham and Gary Wayne arrived here from Fort Lewis, Washington Thursday, where he has been stationed several months. They are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Strickland and his mother, Mrs. Ted Loving and Mr. Loving. Larry is being transferred to Germany and while on leave is working at his former place, Hogsett Chevrolet.

Jimmy Ferris and his sister Jeanne of Los Angeles, Calif., spent last week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ferris

Guests of H. T. Fillingim last week were his daughters, Mrs. Stan Gilbert and children, Jan, Stan and Susan of Dallas and Mrs. T. G. Schleiching, Tina and Chip of Uvalde.

## Plans Here For New High School

Completed plans have been received by the School Board for the new high school. These are open for public inspection in work room next to Superintendents office, and everyone interested is invited to view them.

An advertisement for bids appears in this issue, calling for public openings of bids at school cafeteria at 4 p.m. July 27.

The Board expects to let contract shortly after this session.

An inter-league game between Little League All-stars of Rotan will be staged at LL park 7:30 p.m. today.

Come out and see, get ready for tournament play.

## Service Friday For Joe Darden

Funeral service for Joe Darden 31, will be held at 2 p.m. Friday from Weathersbee Chapel. Mr. Darden died at 10:40 p.m. Sunday in Spokane, Washington.

Burial will be in Belvieu cemetery under direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home with Ross Smith, Johnny Norwood, James Mann, Marshall Bennett, James L. Roberts and Hill Smith as pallbearers.

He was born April 23, 1936 in Abilene and lived in Rotan most of his life, attending local schools. He was a member of Methodist Church and a Veteran.

Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Darden, 2 sons, Joe and Martin Jack and two daughters, Belinda and Brinda of Shelton, Washington.

## Turnbull Reunion Held Sun.

The annual Turnbull Reunion was held Saturday, July 9th at the community center east of Snyder. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Turnbull; Jean and Sherri Oney; Mr. Lee Everheart, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Turnbull, Lesa, Jeff and Jason, Hobbs, New Mexico; Mrs. Earl Houston, Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Archie Turnbull, Almodago, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Hones, Tahoka; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Goforth; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Palmer; Mamie Moulton; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Edwards; Alan Goforth, Brena Palmer, Larry Whitfield of Roby; Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Turnbull, Abilene; Gertie Youngblood, Hemet, California; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCullough; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Greenway, Jay, Brian and Lance; Mr. and Mrs. David Klepper and Frank; Mrs. Robert Woodruff and Robin; Mrs. John McCombs, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Cloyce McWhirter, Ronnie, Vickie, Lou Ann, and Malisa, Pairland, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. David Klepper III, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Youngblood, Wayne and Sherrie, San Jacinto, California; and Mrs. Roxie Haggard.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitfield and Carla Sue of Baytown recently visited Mrs. C. E. Whitfield, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Blount and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Puryear and Sharron.

## HELMS REUNION

The Lige Helms family reunion will be July 23 in Community Center in Rotan.

Mrs. Jess Green and Billy carried Mr. Green to Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, Sunday for observation.

## Traffic Signs Being Damaged

Destroying or damaging street and traffic signs in Rotan seems to be a popular sport. Undoubtedly these people have more muscle than brains. People who are not familiar with the signs could be injured or killed as a result of signs being damaged or destroyed.

The signs are placed at intersections for our own protection, so please don't damage them. They are costly to replace. In a recent survey made by the Driver's Education Class of High school, too many people are not heeding the traffic signs. In the survey of 100 cars about 75% of the drivers failed to signal properly or stop legally. Illegal double parking etc. is also a problem downtown.

Students are currently involved in-car training, so let's set a good example for them.

## Hiway 70 To Be Improved

The Texas Highway Department has announced a new highway construction project beginning just inside the Sweetwater North City Limit on State Highway 70 and ending at the North City Limit of Roby, a distance of approximately 19 miles. The construction will consist of grading, structures, base and surfacing existing portions of State Highway 70. The Texas Highway Department and the contractor, R. W. McKinney and T. L. James & Co., Inc. stated that construction will be completed in the summer of 1968.

Ben Wilkinson, Supervising Resident Engineer of the Texas Highway Department in this area, explained that traffic will be routed through the construction area. Wilkinson pointed out that adequate barricades and warning signals will be prominently displayed, but motorists should be extremely cautious in passing through the area as it will be heavily traveled by large highway construction equipment. Cooperation of the public is requested in obeying all traffic signals, warning signs and speed zones, Wilkinson said.

## Local Student Rates High TWU

DENTON, (Spl) — Names of students winning distinction because of excellent grades for the second semester of the 1966-67 regular session at the Texas Woman's University have been announced by Dr. John D. Williams, vice-president for academic affairs at the university.

Students who achieved a 2.3 average out of a possible 3 have been placed on the Vice-President's Honor Roll. Each received a card congratulating them from Dr. Williams.

Included on the list is Ann Klepper Woodruff of 805 East 6th Street in Rotan, a senior Spanish major.

## APPROACHING WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Early are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara to John Rector, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rector.

The wedding will be July 15 at 7:30 p.m. in First Baptist Church. The reception is invited to attend. A celebration will be held in Fellowship Hall following the ceremony.

## New Pastor At Highland Home

Rev. and Mrs. Ray H. Singleton and two daughters moved to Rotan last Friday. He is pastor of Highland Home Baptist Church. They moved here from Fort Worth where he is attending the Seminary a part of each week.

We join the Church in extending welcome to the new pastor and family.

## Boys and Youth Camp at Lueders

Lueders Baptist Encampment is again having a Boys Camp and also a Youth Camp this year. The Boys Camp is for boys from ages 9 - 17 and will be held at the camp grounds in Lueders July 17-20. The emphasis will be on Bible study, Mission study, Royal Ambassador work, Worshi pactivities and sports. All eight associations supporting Lueders Encampment are sponsoring this camp, and the fee for each boy will be \$9.00. Rev. Lewis Markwood of Roscoe will be the Camp Director.

The Youth Camp will be held July 25 - 27 and is for all youth 13 - 17 years of age. There will be seminars for all age groups under the leadership of Winona Holt, First Baptist Church in Abilene, Rev. G. W. Turner, North Park Baptist Church in Abilene, Rev. Morgan Thompson, Elmwood Baptist Church in Abilene, Rev. Dan Oglesby, Caps Baptist Church. The Camp Pastor will be Frank Moore, professor of Chair of Bible, Oklahoma State University and the Bible teacher will be Rev. Max Brown, First Baptist Church, Hamlin. The Camp Music Director will be Dalton Steward of Abilene. There will be planned recreation in the form of swimming tournaments in softball, volleyball, archery, table cricket and ping-pong. There will be guest choirs on Tuesday and Wednesday and other planned entertainment. Registration will begin at 2:00 p.m. July 24 and the fee for the camp is \$10.00 per person. All youths 13 - 17 from the eight Associations supporting Lueders Baptist Encampment are urged to attend this camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hunsaker and Suzanna visited with his parents in Mena, Ark., last week. Visiting there at the same time were his two brothers, Capt. and Mrs. A. W. Hunsaker, who has flown for Air America in Siagon for 20 months and Mr. and Mrs. P. I. Hunsaker and family of Borger, Texas. Capt. Hunsaker returned to Siagon July 6 for another 18 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Bennett of Snyder are announcing the arrival of a new daughter, Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bennett are paternal grandparents and Mrs. Ulmer of Hamlin is maternal grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. David Swearingen and daughters of Duncanville spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Swearingen and Dwight.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill House and Mr. and Mrs. Tom House visited Mrs. J. W. House Sr. in Rice Springs Rest Home at Haskell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin of Roby, Mrs. Billy Carter, Odessa visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cooper Monday afternoon.

## Field To Attend WTCC Meeting

George E. Field, local director of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, has been notified by District Vice-President J. J. Crim, Jr., Abilene, of a meeting next Thursday, July 20 at 10 a. m. for all directors in District V.

Sessions will begin at 10 a.m. and will be held in the Jade Room of the Starlite Motor Hotel. Luncheon will be held at noon and an early afternoon adjournment is planned.

Other WTCC officers who will take part in the program include Don Wooten, WTCC president; Jack G. Springer, executive vice-president, Lubbock.

Purpose of the meeting is indoctrination of new directors and the development of membership and finance plans for the 1967 - '68 year.

## 4-H Girls Ready For Revue

Six 4-H girls, participated in a clothing workshop July 3-7 in the meeting room of Midwest Electric Cooperative in Roby.

Each girl constructed a dress she will model in the County Dress Revue July 28 at the Community Center in Rotan.

Participating in the workshop were the following: Audrey Carey, Jennifer Holcomb, Dana Sue Anderson, Lynn Bankhead, Cindy Mash, and Susan Knox.

The workshop was conducted by adult leaders, Mrs. Alford Carey, Mrs. Zanna Anderson, Jr. Leader Kay Schubert, and Mrs. Alice Ballenger, County Home Demonstration Agent.

## Landes New Stocks Arriving

Landes Furniture has begun to receive new furniture which Mr. and Mrs. Landes recently purchased at market.

These arrivals are expected daily for the next two weeks, so if you have been waiting for 'something' different drop by and see their new stocks.

Sam Donham of Pirma, Ariz., is spending two weeks here with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Donham and other relatives in the area. Also visiting the Donhams Monday morning were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Meeks of Cross Plains, parents of Mrs. Donham.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Crawford, Shelia and Barry visited her mother, Mrs. Deel Monday. They were enroute to their home in Abilene, after visiting their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Phil Aldridge in Lubbock.

Ronny Loyd of Whittier, Calif., is visiting his aunt Mrs. Hooper Shelton.

## HARDIN-JOHNSON WEDDING JULY 22

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hardin of Bellville announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sandra to Mr. Craig Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Johnson of Bellville. The wedding will be solemnized at First Baptist Church, Rotan, July 22 at eight-thirty in the evening.

Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to the ceremony and reception to follow, invitation extended through the Advance only.

# Glen's Thriftway! KNOCKS DOWN PRICES

New Store Hours  
Mon. to Fri. 8:00-7:00  
Sat., 8:00-8:00

Frontier Savings  
Stamps  
Double on  
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HONEY BOY — TALL CAN

**Salmon 58<sup>c</sup>**

3LB. CAN

**Snowdrift 66<sup>c</sup>**

BLUE BONNET

**OLEO 24<sup>c</sup>**

FOOD KING 2½ ELBERTA

**Peaches  
3 for 88c**

SKINNER — 7 OZ. ELBOW

**MACARONI 2 for 29c**

**COOKIES 28c**

HAVE FULL LINE  
**CANNING SUPPLIES**

COMSTOCK  
**Peach Pie Filling 38c**

FOOD KING — 24 OZ.  
**CATSUP 3 for 89c**

28 OZ.  
**MR. CLEAN 49c**

25 LB. PILLSBURY or GOLD MEDAL  
**Flour 25 lb. \$2.19**

FOOD KING  
**PINTO BEANS 300 CAN 10c**

GIANT BOX

**Tide 66<sup>c</sup>**

5 LB. SHURFINE

**Flour 42<sup>c</sup>**

SEA STAR 10 OZ.

**FISH STICKS  
4<sup>10 Oz. Pkg.</sup> for 88c**

HI-C FROZEN  
**ORANGE DRINK**

**4<sup>9 OZ.</sup> For 99c**

PATIO MEXICAN  
**DINNERS**

**39c**

WITH PURCHASE OF ½ GALLON GANDY'S ICE CREAM

**FREE COOKIES**

6  
Bottle  
Carton  
Plus  
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COMPARE! **LOW** COMPARE!  
EVERYDAY PRICES

Folger, Maxwell House, Maryland Club  
**COFFEE ..... lb. 79c**

Shurfine  
**COFFEE ..... lb. 69c**

Hi-C — 46 Oz.  
**Fruit Drinks . 3 for \$1.00**

**CRISCO ..... 3 Lbs. 89c**

Florida Frozen 6 Oz.  
**Orange Juice .. 3 for 49c**

Florida Frozen 12 Oz.  
**Orange Juice .. 3 for 89c**

Wright  
**LARD ..... 3 Lb. 43c**

ENERGY — Giant Size  
**Detergent ..... 59c**

Strained  
**Baby Food ..... 4 for 49c**

Hunt's — 2½ Can  
**Peaches ..... 3 for 89c**

Shurfine Canned  
**Milk ..... 3 for 53c**

Shurfine  
**Tuna ..... flat can 36c**

High Plains — 303  
**Tomatoes ..... 2 for 33c**

Compliment  
**Cooking Sauce ..... 39c**

½ Gallon ENERGY  
**BLEACH ..... 35c**

46 Oz. Can  
**Apple Juice ..... 39c**

Shurfine  
**Salt ..... 2 for 25c**

Pint  
**Fruit Jars ..... \$1.29**

200 Count  
**Facial Tissue .. 2 for 49c**

200 Count  
**Napkin ..... 33c**

Shurfine  
**Cake Mixes ..... 33c**

28 Oz.  
**Apple Butter . . . . . 37c**

10 Pak  
**Hershey Bar ..... 39c**

Melrose  
**Hand Lotion ..... 22c**

Hunt's 8 Oz.  
**Tomato Sauce . 3 for 39c**

Roxey — 15 Oz.  
**Dog Food ..... .09c**

White Karo — Qt.  
**Syrup ..... 69c**

100% Pure Corn Oil  
**OLEO ..... 2 for 69c**

**Farm Fresh Produce**

**RED GRAPES 25c lb. CARROTS 2 bags for 19c**

We feature only Graded Beef---U.S.D.A. Grade "A" Fryers

ARMOUR STAR — 3 LB. CAN

**Hams 269**

**Beef Liver 39c lb. Round Steak 89c lb.**

**VELVEETA 89c**

Prices good Thurs. July 13th thru Wed July 19th

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Phone WI 2525  
R. D. Harris, Pastor  
Corner Greneviene and  
Stonewall  
Sunday School .. 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union .. 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . 7:00 p.m.  
Midweek Prayer Service  
Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

**CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
(6 Miles SW of Rotan)  
D. S. (Bud) Moore, Pastor  
Phone WI 7-2097 Rotan  
Sunday School .. 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union .. 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . 7:00 p.m.  
Midweek Prayer Service  
Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

**FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
Rev. W. D. Adams, Pastor  
I was not disobedient unto  
the heavenly vision. Acts  
26:19. The vision of God's  
work and the desire to help  
others should always char-  
acterize the Christian.  
Sunday School .. 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship . 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Night

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
201 N. McKinley WI 7-3471  
Rev. Billy Hudnall, Pastor  
Sunday School .. 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union .. 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday .... 7:30 p.m.  
Midweek Prayer Service  
A Complete Program for All  
Fully Air Conditioned  
Nursery Open

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
209 N. McKinley  
Ph. WI 7-2334  
Robert D. Ford, Pastor  
Parsonage 405 Johnston  
Phone WI 7-2352  
Sunday School .. 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
MYF ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Service . 7:00 p.m.  
Monday Circle .. 3:00 p.m.  
Joy Circle 1st and 3rd  
Tuesday .... 9:30 a.m.  
Wed. Prayer Circle 9:30 a.m.  
Choir Practice Wed.  
7:30 p.m.  
Official Board Meeting 1st  
Wednesday of Month

**HIGHLAND HOME BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Ray H. Singleton, Pastor  
Sunday School .. 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union .. 7:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship .. 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Prayer  
Service - 8:00 p.m.  
Worship with us and you  
will feel at home - Welcome

The length of a man's legs need not frustrate  
the strength of his purpose. By crawling one day,  
we are able to climb another.

There may have been spiritual giants like  
Saul of Tarsus who, in one overpowering  
experience, turned from violent resistance  
to fruitful service for Christ.

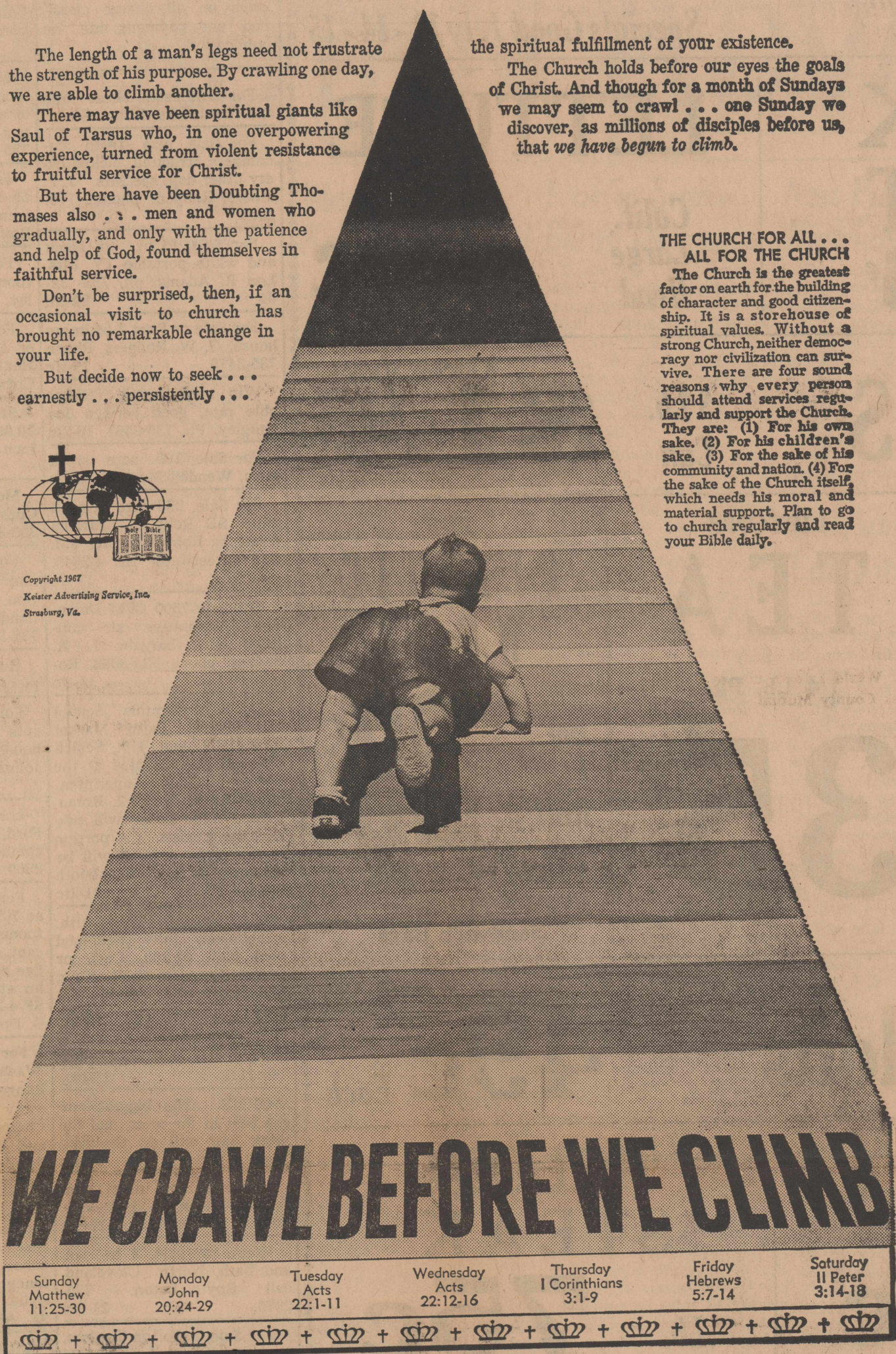
But there have been Doubting Tho-  
mases also . . . men and women who  
gradually, and only with the patience  
and help of God, found themselves in  
faithful service.

Don't be surprised, then, if an  
occasional visit to church has  
brought no remarkable change in  
your life.

But decide now to seek . . .  
earnestly . . . persistently . . .



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Sunday Matthew 11:25-30	Monday John 20:24-29	Tuesday Acts 22:1-11	Wednesday Acts 22:12-16	Thursday I Corinthians 3:1-9	Friday Hebrews 5:7-14	Saturday II Peter 3:14-18
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**HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Bob Doss, Pastor  
Sunday School .. 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union .. 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . 7:00 p.m.  
Midweek Prayer Service  
Wednesday .. 7:00 p.m.

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

**LATIN AMERICAN CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Lincoln and Sherman, Ave.  
SUNDAY  
Bible Classes for all ages  
10 to 11 a.m.  
Worship Service, 11 to 12..  
Worship Service —  
11 to 12 a.m.  
Evening Service 7:00 to 8:00  
Wednesday: 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.  
Jesse Salazar, Minister

**NAZARENE CHURCH**  
Lee and McKinley St.  
F. P. Bozman, Pastor  
Parsonage-Phone WI 7-3256  
Church Phone - WI 7-3094  
Sunday School .. 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:40 a.m.  
NYPS ..... 6:30 p. m.  
Evening ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Midweek Prayer Service  
Wednesday .... 7:00 p. m.

**ROTAN CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Scott Mitchell, Minister  
SUNDAY  
Bible Study, 9:45 a.m. and  
5:30 p.m.  
Worship, 10:30 a.m. and  
6:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY  
Bible Study for all age  
8:00 p. m.  
THURSDAY  
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5:30 p.m.

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Wednesday Nite  
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us go into the house of the  
Lord.

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union .. 7:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship . 7:45 p.m.  
Midweek Prayer Service  
Wednesday .. 7:30 p.m.

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Dr. Albert Lunday, Pastor  
Sunday School .... 10: a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 11 a.m.  
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Midweek Prayer Service  
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Lost, wheel cover for '66 Ford, west of town. Please contact Roy Roberson, 735-2560. 20-2tc

For Rent House in Rotan at 707 E. Beauregard St. Six rooms and bath, will be vacant soon, its in good shape. See me at my home in Hamlin at 25 NE Ave. A or call SP 4-2394 in Hamlin, Mrs. W. B. Dobbins Box 83. 15-2tp

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For Rent, 2 bedroom house, modern conveniences, located 502 E. Johnson, call Mrs. Birdsong, 735-3200. 23-tfc

Would like to do sewing in my home. Will do Reg. Size Hems for \$1.00 this month. Mrs. Joe Taggart. 103 Burnside. 23-tfc

CARD OF THANKS  
We wish to thank everyone for their prayers and for every nice thing you did for us during Kenneth's recent stay in hospital at Temple. Kenneth Vannand family

CARD OF THANKS  
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Yanez and family wish to show their deepest appreciation to everyone who joined them and sent food and flowers in their time of sorrow. Thank you.

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## Cotton Insect Report No. 3

(from A&M Extension Ser.)  
Situation at a Glance—  
A large amount of cotton in the Rolling Plains Area is squaring and fleahoppers are beginning to show up in damaging numbers in many of these fields. Overwintered boll weevils have been found in many fields in the area during the past week.

Thrips—  
Light infestations of fleahoppers have been observed in many fields in this area. Infestations ranging from 6 to 10 fleahoppers per 100 terminals were reported in Knox, Wichita, and Mitchell counties.

The fleahoppers causes most of its damage to the cotton plant during the first three weeks of fruiting. Producers should inspect their fields regularly to detect fleahopper populations before these insects damage the small squares and cause them to fall from the plant.

Boll Weevils—  
During the past week, overwintered boll weevils were reported in Wilbarger, Fisher, Nolan, Mitchell, Knox and Wichita counties. These infestations ranged from 65 to 196 weevils per acre. The heaviest population was observed in Fisher County.

Bollworms—  
Spotted infestations of bollworms have been reported in Wilbarger, Foard, Knox and Mitchell counties. The heaviest infestation reported was from one field in Wilbarger County, which had 8 bollworms per 100 plants.

Bollworms usually do not build up populations that are of economic importance until later in the season. Producers should inspect their field for this insect and its damage.

Other Insects—  
Light infestations of aphids have been reported in many fields in this area.

Garden Webworms (careless weed worms) caused heavy damage in several fields in Young County.

For control recommendations, please refer to L-508 Texas Guide for Controlling Cotton Insects in the High Plains, Rolling Plains and Trans-Pecos Areas of Texas. Copies of this guide may be picked up at the office of your county agricultural agent.

The information used in this Cotton Insect Report was compiled from reports received from County Agricultural Agents, Rolling Plains Survey Teams, and others. We hope that everyone who does any field checking will send us a report of the situation as he finds it.

Mrs. Ann Nitsch, Kate and Robert of Snyder visited Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark Tuesday. Her husband who has just returned to Tripoli has advised her that their home was not molested while they were visiting in Rotan, and the dogs and horse had done well during their absence

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3 cans

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Big. 14 Oz. Bottle

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Lb. **49c** 2 Lb. Bag **\$1.19**

Fresh Ground **MEAT** Armour Star **BACON**  
3 Lbs. **89c** Lb. **69c**



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lb. **10c** lb. **5c**

Home Grown **Cucumbers** Cello **CARROTS**  
lb. **10c** Lb. Bag **10c**

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## SS Class Has Luncheon

The Alethean Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a nice luncheon at the Rotanna Corral.

Members attending were: Miss Josie Baird, Mmes. Amos Bostick, Walter Cave, Emmet Cave, L. C. J. Cross, C. J. Dalton, W. S. Cleveland, Ruth Denton, C. E. Leon, J. H. Thompson, Hub Taggart, Herman Wallace, J. R. Strayhorn, Lon Adams, C. E. Whitfield, Bernice Stockton and C. C. Roach.

Visitors attending were Mrs. Maurice Canten of Snyder; Mrs. Ivey of Hale Center; Kay Kennedy, Jodie Thompson and Mr. C. J. Dalton.

Mrs. Ruth Denton, social chairman, assisted by the group captains decorated the tables with lovely spring flowers.

Miss Josie Baird, the class teacher placed a sweet little book of prayers and poems at each of the plates.

A short program directed by Mrs. Strayhorn, class president included a very appropriate devotional by Mr. Dalton, a short talk by Miss Josie which contained many words of praise for the class.

Closing the program was a solo by Miss Jodie Thompson, accompanied by Miss Kay Kennedy at the piano.

## Sylvester Man Married At Levelland

Frances Lucille Lindsey and David Lee Brown exchanged marriage vows Saturday in Fifth Street Baptist Church in Levelland.

The Rev. Donald L. White officiated. Mrs. Bill Thoman was organist, Mrs. Ruth Ballard soloist. Mr. Lindsey gave his daughter in marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Lindsey are the bride's parents. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Brown of Sylvester.

Attending the bride were Mrs. Joy Lewis, matron of honor, and her sister, Shirley Ann Lindsey.

They wore empire gowns of pink satin brocade with A-line skirts and cap sleeves. Head-dresses were pearl crowns with pink veils, and flowers were variegated roses.

The bride chose a gown of chiffon overlaid with lace and designed with scooped neckline.

Her tiered illusion veil was caught to a seed pearl crown. She carried gardenias and ivory rosebuds on a Bible.

Jack Porter of Brownfield was best man. Groomsman and ushers were Ronnie E. Ogle and Gene Woodall of Sundown.

Lyna Lindsey, the bride's sister, and Debbie Kirksey lighted candles.

The bride was graduated from Levelland High School and is a sophomore at South Plains College.

A graduate of Roby High School, Brown received a BS degree from Sul Ross State College. He is employed by Soil Conservation Service.

The couple will live in Levelland at 1203 Ave. L.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Floyd and children of Midland spent the weekend here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Crawford and John Floyd and other relatives.

Mrs. Dan Robnison and children of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn visited with members of the Strayhorn family in Snyder and then went to Post to see Mr. and Mrs. Ed Warren Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Acker were in 'Old Abilene' Sunday, sightseeing.

Sports and games should not be taken too seriously, or they lose their value.

Mrs. Miles Galloway of Big Spring visited her sister, Mrs. Roy Kingsfield and Mr. Kingsfield last weekend.

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### Vet. Ad. Speeds Check Issue

Checks for more than two hundred thousand veterans who will attend college next fall under the new GI Bill for Vietnam veterans will arrive about ten days earlier each month because of an improved system adopted by the Veterans Administration.

Future checks will normally arrive about the 10th of the month, according to Jack Coker, manager of the VA Regional Office in Waco. The 10-day speed-up re-

sults from dropping the requirements for monthly certification, Coker said. Now a veteran who is attending a regular course at an approved college or university certifies his attendance at the beginning of the school year.

Checks continue as long as he continues in regular attendance or until his eligibility expires, the VA Manager said. The additional certifications required are handled independently of the checks.

Mr and Mrs. Glen Noles and children of Midland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bowen last week.

Call No. 462

Charter No. 8693

National Bank Region No. 11

### REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE First National Bank OF ROTAN

In the State of Texas, at the Close of Business on June 30, 1967 Published in Response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, Under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,124,676.18
United States Government obligations	1595,125.76
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	256,238.92
Securities of Federal agencies and Corporations	1,250,000.00
Other Securities	9,000.00
Loans and discounts	2,065,229.83
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	82,046.70
Other assets	13,157.13
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$6,395,474.52</b>

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$3,222,334.77
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,751,936.36
Deposits of United States Government	26,647.19
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	860,706.25
Certified and officers' checks etc.	13,853.11
Total Deposits	\$5,875,477.68
(a) Total demand deposits	\$3,704,263.97
(b) Total time and savings deposits	\$2,171,213.71
Other liabilities including none mortgages and other liens on bank premises and other real estate	69,355.15
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$5,944,832.83</b>

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Common stock—total par value	\$ 100,000.00
No. shares authorized — 1000	
Surplus	200,000.00
Undivided profits	140,641.69
Reserves	10,000.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$ 450,641.69</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$6,395,474.52</b>

**MEMORANDA**  
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date ..... \$5,666,423.51  
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date ..... 2,152,172.69  
Loans as shown above after deduction of valuation reserves of ..... 112,622.51  
I, Dan Park, Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DAN PARK

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

R. L. Springer - Wayne Harris - James Springer, Directors

### Thompson-Spinks Wedding

—Canyon News.

Double ring marriage vows for Miss Janice Carol Thompson and Louie Preston Spinks III were solemnized Saturday in Joseph A. Hill Chapel on the campus of West Texas State University.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Thompson of Rotan. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Spinks, Jr. of DeKalb, Mississippi.

Vows were read by Rev. Strauss Atkinson, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Canyon. Organist for the ceremony was Linda Jo Allison of Happy and vocalist, Carolyn Kite, sang "Wedding Prayer", "Walk Hand in Hand" and "Bless This House."

The chapel was decorated with large floor brackets of pink gladioli with the traditional seven bract candelabra. The satin covered kneeling bench was used for the closing prayer and the traditional white aisle runner was used.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal floor length gown of angel skin peau de soie, trimmed with lace and hand clipped medallions. The bateau neckline accented the fitted bodice. The long sleeves were enhanced with pearl embroidery and the gown was accented with a wateau effect chapel train.

Her fingertip veil of English silk illusion was held to a crown of seed pearls and sequins. She carried a white prayer book with a cascade arrangement of stephanotis and white butterfly roses accented with garlands of English ivy foliage.

Miss Marilyn Thompson of Rotan served as her sister's maid of honor and Miss Jan Pearce of Fort Worth was the bridesmaid. They were gowned in long pink formals and carried nosegays of light pink majestic daisies accented with green fern.

Jimmy Spinks of DeKalb Mississippi served as best man for his brother's wedding. Doug Kriewald of Canyon was groomsmen. Ushering for the occasion were Ronnie Welty of Hereford and Stan Liles of Thrackmorton.

A reception honoring the couple was held in the Baptist Student Union Building on campus. Presiding at the refreshment table were Miss Karen Doughten of Panhandle and Sharon Kowell of Borger.

For a wedding trip to points in New Mexico, the bride traveled in a blue tweed suit with blue straw hat and black patent accessories.

The couple will make their home in Canyon.

A graduate of Rotan High School, the bride is a senior speech therapy major at West Texas State University where she is also associated with Delta Zeta social sorority.

The bridegroom graduated from DeKalb, Mississippi High School and attended East Mississippi Junior College. He is a senior business administration major at WTSU and is a varsity member of the Buffalo football team.

Rehearsal dinner honoring the couple was held at the Caison House in Hereford with the bridegroom's parents as hosts for the occasion. A wedding breakfast for the couple and their families was held Saturday morning at the Trail Motor Hotel and Restaurant in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams of Rotan as hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Youngblood and children of San Jacinto, Calif., have returned home after spending several days here visiting their mother, Mrs. Lois Deel and other relatives, Mrs. Gerlie Youngblood of Hemet, Calif., also returned home with them after visiting relatives here and Roby for several days. Her sister is Mrs. Mamie Moulton

Mrs Earl Keese of Stamford visited her sister, Mrs. Jas. B. Day Saturday night and Sunday.

### HD Club Enjoys Program

The Rotan H.D. Club met in the home of Mrs. Barney Bigham July 6th with the County H.D. Agent giving the program on 'The New Look in Table Settings' This was a very interesting program. Mrs. Ballinger showed slides on the different type dishes, silver and linens to be used for different occasions. There were eight club members present.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Dick Edwards July 20th at three p.m. Plans are to be made for the Exhibits for County Fair.

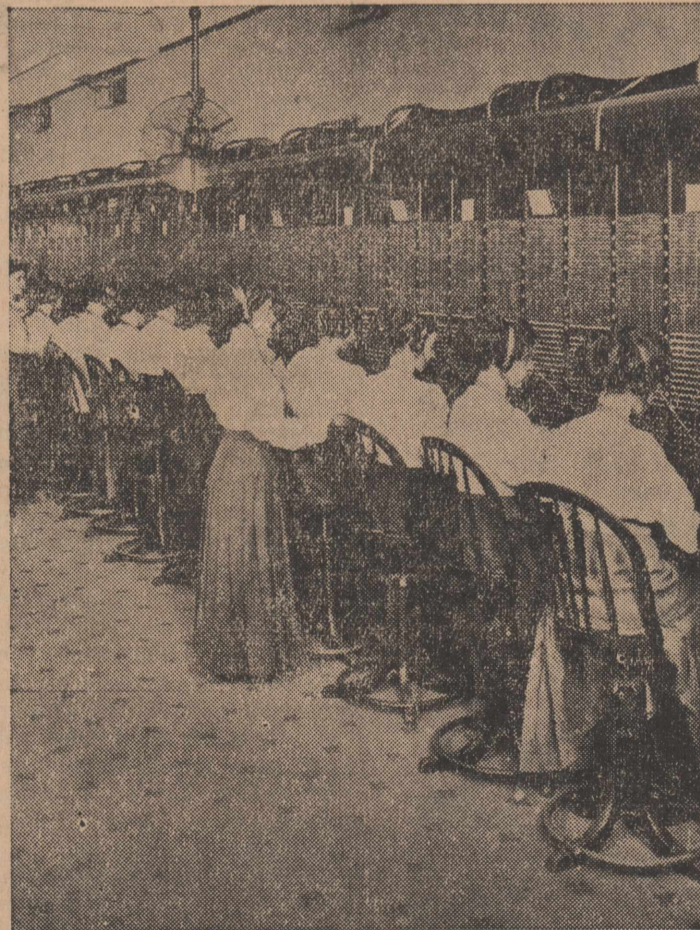
### Tax Man Sam sez

If you are worried about your heirs owing an estate tax on your property when you die, here are the rules: An estate tax return must be filed if the fair market value of your property is more than \$60,000 on the date of your death. However, the community property laws usually allow the estate to be worth \$120,000 in community property since each spouse is entitled to a \$60,000 exemption. Remember these rules apply only to Federal estate tax and not to Texas State Inheritance Taxes.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hardin last weekend were, Mrs Wesley Hardin, Sandy and Westdeene, and Craig Johnson of Bellville; Bob Hardin, Bryan and Laura Lynn of Lake Jackson; Mrs. Sara Elder, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Walthen, Denver City; also Vickie and Todd Hardin of Lubbock who are visiting here while their mother is in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock They are also visiting their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Barnes

Mr. and Mrs. David Hellums and sons, Mark, Jay and Robert of Houston; Mrs. Margaret Cooper and David of Big Spring visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. V. Hellums last weekend.

Mrs. P. A. Smith of Dallas, Mrs. R. P. Posey of El Paso visited their mother, Mrs. E. E. Patterson over the weekend.



### Bride-Elect Is Honored

Barbara Early, bride-elect of John Rector was honored with a gift tea in the home of Mrs. Mac Weathersbee.

Dee Ann Weathersbee opened the door for arriving guests.

Receiving guests were Miss Early, Mrs. W. D. Early, mother of the bride elect and Mrs. J. A. Rector, mother of the groom-to-be.

Blue stock was on the registry where Geneva Gable registered guests. Mrs. Bill Graham and Mrs. E. B. Hull presided at the tea table appointed in crystal and silver. The table laid in an embroidered linen cloth was centered with a silver basket of blue and white flowers, the bride's chosen colors.

Assisting Mrs. Weathersbee were Geneva Gable, Vicki Tankersley, Mrs. Richard Floyd, Mrs. E. B. Hull, Mrs. Carroll Murphree, Mrs. S. G. Murphree, Mrs. Bill Parker, Mrs. W. E. Hale, Mrs. Bill Graham.

The couple are to be married July 15th in the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny F. Woody of Ashdown, Arkansas visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Burch. They report a nice trip, but weather about the same at home as we are having in Fisher County.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Howell, Juddie and Terri of Abilene, visited their daughter and family the Billy Sparks, over the Fourth and also visited Mrs. Howell's sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McClain.

Mrs. Joe Taggart visited in Adah, Okla., last week with her two sisters, Mrs. Coleman and Mrs. Blevins and other relatives.

Miss Bessie Cleveland and her mother, Mrs. Sam Cleveland have just returned from an extensive trip through six Southern states, visiting a niece, Miss Helen Mash in the Army at Fort Rucker. They report a wonderful trip.

Sandra Taggart visited in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Joe Taggart last week.

### Study Group Met Tuesday

The Bible and Mission Study Group met with Mrs. C. E. Leon, Tuesday July 11th. Fifteen women were present to hear the Mission Study brought by Mrs. A. B. Harrel. The next study will be from the Bible taught by Mrs. Lon Adams, July 25th in the home of Mrs. Lee Heifner.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Deel of Milsap visited his mother, Mrs. Lois Deel and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Youngblood of California, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Burton and Karen of Snyder, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Youngblood in the Deel home Sunday night. Mrs. Burton is the former Evelyn Rushing.

Clois Bennet of Austin visited his mother Mrs. Dono Darden and Mrs. Darden over the weekend, also Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bennett of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Era Boen, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Pullig of Roby were in Comanche Sunday to attend a reunion of the family of Mrs Pullig's mother.

### H-H Bible School

Highland Home Church is holding Bible School this week. We have two Invincibles working with us. We are really having a good school. We would urge you to come and bring your children, we feel this is very important teaching and training for all from Intermediate age on down.

The Pastor and Workers.

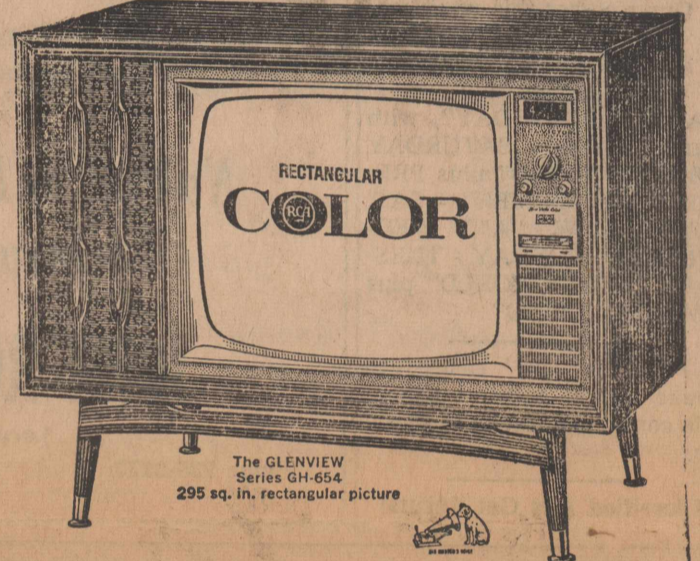
Miss Diana Enger, Miss Jan Jones of Lubbock and Bob Collet of El Paso, all students at Texas Tech enjoyed a birthday picnic honoring Miss Enger. They spent Saturday here as guests of Dwight Swaringen and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Swaringen.

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Some things just don't need changing.



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## Showtime--

by Oscar Dietz

Well I believe this column is a lost cause. Having missed last issue by a few hours, only one person mentioned it to me. Therefore I'm going to put it to a test. Hooper Shelton says he has a 1500 plus circulation. Of this number I figure 750 people read the paper. 375 read my column. 187 might go to the show this month. 47 might go to the show this week. 24 will remember reading this column. 12 WILL BRING THE PAPER TO THE THEATRE FOR A FREE SAMPLE OF OUR HARP - APPROVED POP-CORN.

That's right, to each and everyone who brings me their paper for this week I will give absolutely FREE a sample of our delicious popcorn. And don't forget, we still serve those good hotdogs with home-made chili sauce. Even Vera Decker Hudnall said our hotdogs were 'so good.' And if you object to a man doing the cooking, well Mrs. Lang cooked the last few batches, with Brenda's assistance, so I guess they don't need me in the concession anymore. That is until something goes wrong.

Anyone who missed the shows on Thursday, Friday, or Saturday late, missed all the excitement. My operator had a girl in the booth. However, Mrs. Allen could never seem to catch her up there.

Our pictures this week are: THURSDAY - FRIDAY "PREHISTORIC WOMEN" plus "ANY WEDNESDAY" with Jane Fonda - SATURDAY "BIKINI WORLD" plus "PREHISTORIC WOMEN" - SAT. LATE SHOW "ANY WEDNESDAY" SUNDAY - TUESDAY "BIKINI WORLD" plus "MONDO TEENO"

Promises are easier to make than to fulfill, but people continue to make carelessly.

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## Price Family Holds Reunion

42 decendants and friends of the late Samuel Thomas Price and Mary Anne Agnes Price met at the Dublin Community Building in Dublin, July 8 and 9th. Those attending were: Marie Blankenship; Hugh Sharpe; Ruby Lane; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilkes, Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Locke, Dublin; Mrs. Della Wilkes; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Harkins; Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilkes, and son, Kevin; Mr. and Mrs. Stoney M. Cayce, Dallas; R. L. Price, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Kilkes; Monk Clendonnon, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Harold

W. Price, and children, Stacey and Stephanie, Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Price, Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hedgpeth, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald T. Hendrix and daughters, Beth and Patricia, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Price, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Waynick, Graham; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ott, Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Ott, Strawn; Mrs. Edith McCollister, Bisbee, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Grogan, De Leon.

The Price family will hold their family reunion in Dublin again in July 1968. Samuel Thomas and Mary Anne Agnes (Mitcham) Price moved to Erath County in 1849.

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## As It Looks From Here

Washington, D.C. — There was scheduled but later cancelled, an "International Seminar" to be held in Tanzania on July 15 to the 28, on the matter of sanctions against the governments of Rhodesia and South Africa. The United Nations was a part of the sponsoring authority and was to assist in its financing. The U. S. was to participate and of course to foot a goodly part of the bill. Just what business it is of the United States to dip its oar into the affairs of South Africa and Rhodesia is not easy to understand.

Speaking for our government in the United Nations, Ambassador Arthur Goldberg joined in support of the British in calling for sanctions against Rhodesia when the Government of Ian Smith refused to accept joint control with the Africans to govern Rhodesia.

This is not a question of economics, the form of government or its character, but, rather, social.

"Apartheid" simply means a separation of the races, and these two countries are the only places in the world it is applied.

South Africa and Rhodesia say that the word means "apart" but equal development of the blacks and whites. Many of those with an intimate knowledge of this area of the world, by first-hand observation, are convinced that there is less discrimination, as the term is ordinarily applied, than in many parts of our own Country, but the do-gooders have world sway and are going to reform all those who do not share their view.

While the United States continues to back the British on the Rhodesian embargo, British flagships continue to carry goods to Communist Viet Nam. They are less than they were a few months ago, but the double standard of England is plainly visible in its willingness to trade with Communist countries, but not with Rhodesia. Rhodesia and South Africa are not recipients of America's foreign aid, but we joined in sanctions against them while talking of "building bridges" to trade with Communist nations.

The national council of churches says that the battle concerning sanctions against Rhodesia is actually being fought in Washington, and in this they are correct to considerable degree. Well organized lobbying is bringing pressure to bear in Congress to quiet criticisms for our official support of sanctions against what they call the illegal regime of Ian Smith. On the other hand, there are influential pressure to encourage Congress to declare null and void the Executive Order approving the United Nations action for selective mandatory trade sanctions.

Many of the same people who want to see the Government of Rhodesia and South Africa overthrown are for treating North Viet Nam as a friendly enemy or either withdrawing from all of Southeast Asia and turn it over to Communist aggression.

While our own men are dying in Viet Nam, while millions are suffering from malnutrition, while uncontrolled population growth breeds misery, frustrations and future aggressions, the United Nations has decided the real danger to the peace of the world is in a Government in Salisbury which no longer accepts instructions from London. But with the kind of irony which is becoming the hallmark of the United Nations, the very nations which so pride themselves on their anti-colonialism are trying to

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punish Rhodesia for refusing to behave like a colony.

Before we lend our own power to the support of such actions, we would do well to ask whether they might not be a greater threat to the peace than the policies of the Government they are designed to punish.

As was called to the attention of the department of state and Mr. Goldberg on December 7, 1966, at the time of our approval of the United Nations action against Rhodesia, should we not ask ourselves whether we would be willing to tolerate this kind of intervention in our own internal affairs.

### For Results Use Classifieds

Advertisement for Bids: For A New High School Building  
Owner: Rotan Independent School District, Rotan, Texas

Sealed proposals for the construction of a new High School Building, Rotan, Texas, will be received by the Board of Trustees of the Rotan Independent School District, opened and read publicly at 4:00 P.M., July 27, 1967, in the Cafeteria Building of the Rotan High School.

A deposit of \$50.00 is required for each set of plans and specifications. Proposals, plans and specifications may be obtained from the Architects, Tittle, Luther Loving & Lee, 542 Butternut, Abilene, Texas.

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Attention to bidders is particularly called to the requirements of the laws of the State of Texas regarding the conditions of employment and the minimum wage rate to be paid.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a Bid Bond or Cashier's Check in the amount of not less than 5% of the proposal. The Contractors shall be required to provide a Performance and a Labor Material Payment Bond in the amount equal to 100% of the contract price.

July, 1967  
Clay Fowler, President  
Rotan Independent School District  
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## California Man Discovers Way to Hold False Teeth

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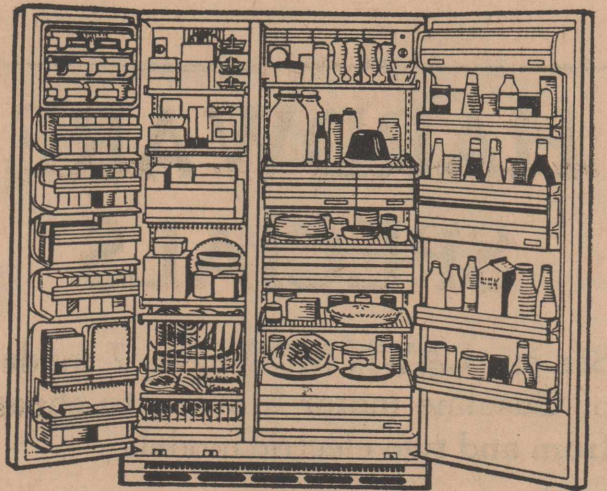
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