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THE ROPES PLAINSMAN

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OES OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED THURS. (TONITE)

The Ropesville Order the Eastern Star met May 23rd in a regular meeting with Nelle Dalton, Worthy Matron, and Manton Roberts, Worthy Patron, presid-Thirty-five members ing. were present. As this was the last meeting for this corps of officers, a program was given for the Worthy Matron under direction of Opal Jones. In this program each officer expressed thanks to Nelle for the splendid year's work and presented her gifts from the Chapter. These gifts were seven pieces of Fostoria crystal. A gift also was presented to the Worthy Patron. Gifts were presented to each officer by the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron. Refreshments were served by Billye Murphy and Betty Moss. .

Officers for the next year were elected and Installation will be held tonight rie and Gracie Riojas, con-(June 13th) at 8:30 p.m.

HOCKLEY COUNTY'S OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER ROPESVILLE, HOCKLEY COUNTY, TEXAS

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THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 1957

Paving Association Organized Tuesday of

At a meeting of the citi- of paving at Meadow and Ropes FHA have been namzens of Ropes on Tuesday New Home.

night a Pavement Associaelected.

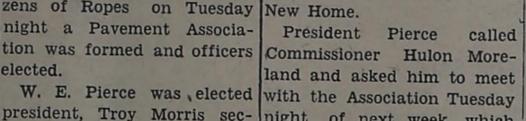
president, Troy Morris sec- night of next week, which retary, and Everett Wallace he agreed to do. vice president.

A committee was appoint- notified that a meeting will ed consisting of J. C. Point- be held in the Fire Depart- was filled. er, J. T. Ayers and Ennis ment room at the City Hall Moore to look into the cost Tuesday night, June 18th.

4-H STARLIGHT CLUB MET LAST THURSDAY

The Ropes 4-H Starlight Club met last Thursday night and members answered the roll call with "safety" things they have done.

morning for the 4-H Roundupup were Wenda Lou Lowtestants, and Tharon Camp-



HATS OFF TO SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE CO.

In years past when even the slightest disturbance in the elements put our lights and power out of commission we have wondered if Those leaving Tuesday this could be overcome. That it could be was forcibly demonstrated Saturday night when one of the most severe electrical storms of children of Seattle, Wash.; He is a Junior student.

TEXAS LONE STAR FARMERS

C. T. McCormick, the Ag the following boys from the

ed Lone Star Farmers:

Area I led the State appointments, submitting 147 rejected because the quota

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BERRYS' HOLD FAMILY REUNION

The J. W. Berry family this past Sunday held a family reunion, at which more than 27 persons were present. The dinner was SUMMER SCHOOL served at noon in the back yard of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Berry, and the table groan- H. Hudson of Ropes, is aed under the weight of the mong more than 425 studelicious food.

Those present were: Mr. session of summer school at and Mrs. Mike Berry and Hardin-Simmons University.

and Mrs. S. B. Pierson of

On another page of the

advertisement of the Melvin

for about three weeks on

Mr. Young told the Plains-

man: "I tried to sell out for

some time, and had the

station sold when the fire

occurred. I have now decid-

have hired a good wash and

grease man and am prepar-

A stock of hardware car-

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

ed to keep the business.

ed to serve the public."

not be replaced.

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terms.

Ropesville.

MELVIN YOUNG

IN BUSINESS

AFTER FIRE

Mrs Clingan Now teacher in Ropes schools, Serving as Co. Clerk

At a meeting of the Com-, the Court empowered Counmissioners Court held June ty Judge Paul Williams to Hal W. Curry, Robbie Joe 3, 1957, a motion made by execute the contract be-Epperson, Gary Grant, Jerry Com. Bryan Hulse and se- tween Hockley County and land and asked him to meet Jeffcoat and Lavoid Lowrie. conded by Com. Hulon More- the Santa Fe Railway Co., in land and which unanimous- covering land across the ly carried, appointed Mrs. railroad along the relocation names, 118 of whom received Harold Clingan, Sr. County of FM 41 in Ropes. All interested parties are the title. Twenty-six were Clerk of Hockley County to This is the east-west pave

fill out the unexpired term ment west from Ropes, of her husband, now de- which will be rerouted to come across the railroad Mrs. Clingan is now in north of the Ed Russell charge of the office. Service Station. Another order passed by

BRILLIANT **ELECTRIC STORM**

One of the most brilliant and noisy electric storms of the year occurred in early evening on Saturday of last week.

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Bolts of lightning, aimed at the earth, bounced off light, power and telephone lines, and had the sound of

All members are urged to bell as a delegate. They will attend.

are: Worthy Patron Marshall Armstrong Associate Matron Louise Sylvester Associate Patron

..... Billy Townsen Sec'y Joyce Shannon Treasurer Lalia Fuller Conductress....Gladys Russell Associate Conductress

	Inez Grant
Chaplin	Viedna Darby
Marshal V	era Lee Tudor
Organist	Nelle Dalton
Adah	
Ruth	Joy Lindley
Esther	Billye Murphy
	Betty Moss
	Glenda Tussy
Warder	. Lillian Willis
Sentinel	Haskell Grant

FIVE SUFFER FOOD POISONING

At a dinner held last Sunday by the Church of Christ folks, it is said that five partaking of the dinner sufto the extent they had to be hospitalized. It is said others were ill who did not require the services of doctor.

Those most seriously ill were Melba Jean Gregg, Connie Witherspoon, Mrs. Gene Newsom, Kay McAteer and Doug Conatser.

They have all been returned home and are reported almost fully recovered.

STREET IN FRONT **OF POST OFFICE TO BE PAVED**

return home about 6:30 Officers to be installed Thursday afternoon.

This Roundup is being Worthy Matron Opal Jones held at A & M College at College Station. Wednesday was the big day as state winners were determined in 21 different judging and team demonstration contests. Registration was scheduled for 1 to 6 p.m. June 11th, with the first general as-

sembly at 8 p.m. Extension Director G. G. Gibson was the keynote speaker. The Share-The-Fun Festival was presented as part of the opening program.

On Wednesday delegates and leaders participated in a general assembly and later in discussion groups developing ideas for use in launching the People to People Program among the 4-H clubs of the state. All judging team demonstration team

members vied for state honors and the right in several instances to represent Texas in national contests.

The Chuckwagon Barbecue, sponsored by the Texas 4-H Recognition Committee folfered from food poisoning lowed the completion of all JIM MARTIN contests. The final program SUFFERS A will be held today in the G. Rollie White Coliseum BROKEN ARM

> Roebuck Foundation and the members.

VISIT PARENTS IN BLUE RIDGE

week from Blue Ridge where through the harvest.

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The street in front of the they visited his parents, Mr. at which time bids will be post office will be paved by and Mrs. G. H. Edwards, and publicly opened and read aother relatives. **AUBREY MAYFIELD** the county. loud. One Adams Motor It was pointed out by Hu- Mrs. Edwards reports they NOW EMPLOYED BY Grader Serial No. 5166 to lon Moreland, commissioner saw plenty of water and in be traded. The Commissionfrom this precinct, that it one place had to detour sev- PAYMASTER GIN ers' Court reserves the right is possible for the county to eral miles. She also said Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey May- to accept or reject any and pave this portion of the there had been so much field and children have re- all bids. street, which is one block, rain the folks had not been turned to Ropes, and he is Paul A. Williams, because it is used by the en- able to plant crops, and the employed by the Paymaster County Judge, tire community. fields are still under water. Gin as ginner. . _____000_____ (Seal)

For most of the town there was only momentary darkness, with the lights flipping right back on.

the season visited Ropes.

A transformer was knocked out in the north part of town, and due to the fact that the information relayed to the Light Co. was not clear, it remained out until Sunday morning.

The telephone system was out, which is not unusual, and the static was so bad over the two-way radio service that in relaying the information to Lubbock it was understood that the entire town was in darkness. So, when a utility man pas-

sed through Ropes and saw the street lights burning and lights in several residences, he reported back that the Plainsman will be found the lights were okay.

It was not until Sunday Young Serivce Station morning that it was learned that lights in the north part of town, including the account of fire damage, Clyde Loveless home, were now open for business. out. 1 in dail

a following the barbecue and A communication received will feature Chancelor M. T. from Jim Martin, by Mrs. Harrington of the A & M Martin, stated that he had College System; entertain- fallen from a ladder and ried by Mr. Young was dement provided by the Sears- suffered a broken arm. Jim and his son, James,

Heart H by the 4-H club were in California helping with the fruit harvest, and were preparing to go on to Oregon. " a lat - id man & maint He stated that he was sore from head to toe, having fallen some ten or fifteen

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards feet, but that he was doing and son, Huey, returned this akoy and would continue on

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Berry and Raymond Patterson, son daughters of Levelland; Mr. of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Patterand Mrs. Dan Berry and son of Ropesville, has also sons of Eunice, N. M.; Mr. enrolled in summer school and Mrs. Clay Barger of at the University. He is a Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Shelgraduate student. ton Berry and son of Lub-

ceased.

ROPES BOYS

ABILENE - Carrol Hud-

son, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.

dents enrolled in the first

ENROLL IN

The first six week term of bock; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. summer school got underway Berry and children of Ropes; June 5 with registration. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Berry of Classes, which are one and Lovington, N. M.; Mr. and a half hours in length, be-Mrs. J. E. Reeves of Mungan Junee 6 at 7 a.m. Courday; Mrs. Lillian Little of ses of instruction are being Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. offered in 23 major univer-Tom Barger of Ropes; Miss sity departments. Nancy Swafford of Lubbock;

Registration for the 2nd summer session will be held July 15. Summer baccalaureate is set for 8 p.m. August 21 and commeence- TO VISIT ment at 8 p.m. August 23. President Evan Allard Reiff announced that the en-

during the summer to teach Berriman Ray and children. during the two six-week

MR. AND MRS. HALE **VISIT IN ROPES**

While we were away Saturday afternoon looking after business in Anton, Mr. of and Mrs. W. J. Hale, stroyed by the fire and will Plains, were callers at our home. We sincerely regret we were away when they arrived, and cordially invite Sealed bids addressed to them to visit us again.

the Commissioners' Court of ATTEND MEETING Hockley County, Texas, for 115 H. P. or better Diesel AT MORTON powered motor grader will

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story attended a sub-district meeting of District Intermediate work at Morton Monday night.

intense bombardment. an Grounded electric switches gave off a frying sound and fire could be seen running through them into the outside ground.

The only damage we have been able to learn of was a television set belonging to Tommy Peterson, which was badly damaged, and a radio in the writer's home which suddenly went out of commission.

The rain was light, onetenth of an inch, and did no damage to the newly planted crops. 1 1

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IN EL PASO

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Natire recreational facilities of bours and their daughter, the university will be open Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall to summer students. They and daughter, Thelma, left include athletic fields, gym- this week for El Paso where Wolfforth, which was closed nasium, riding stables, swim they will visit in the home ming pool and tennis courts. of the Nabours' children, is Fourty-four H-SU professors Mr. and Mrs. D. Nabours and will remain on the campus children, and Mr. and Mrs.

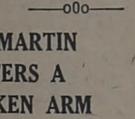
Enroute they stopped over at Denver City where they visited in the home of a, daughter, Mr. and Mrs. V. Bates and children.

RETURN FROM TENNESSEE

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mayfield returned this week from a visit in Tennesse with relatives. While there they attended the funeral of her uncle, R. E. Martin, 91, who passed away.

Also, a cousin of Mrs. Mayfield, Levon Walker, was seriously injured in a car wreck.

be received at the Commis-Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Maysioners' Courtroom in Levelfield went to Tennessee, and land, Texas, until 10 o'clock they all returned home to-A. M. Monday, June 24, 1957, gether. Accompanying the Mayfields home were her of the Ropes Methodist twin nieces, Misses Nadean Church, coming here from and Nadell Cantrell of Minn-Sundown. He is the District ville, Tenn., who is visiting Director of Intermediate in their home. The girls graduated from High School Work. this spring. ___000____ ___000____ GONE TO MELVIN FOR SALE-Ford Tractor, good shape. Ralph Riojas is in Melvin Hockley County, Texas. this week where he is look-Reasonably priced. Phone 3676. R. M. Mayfield. ing after business.



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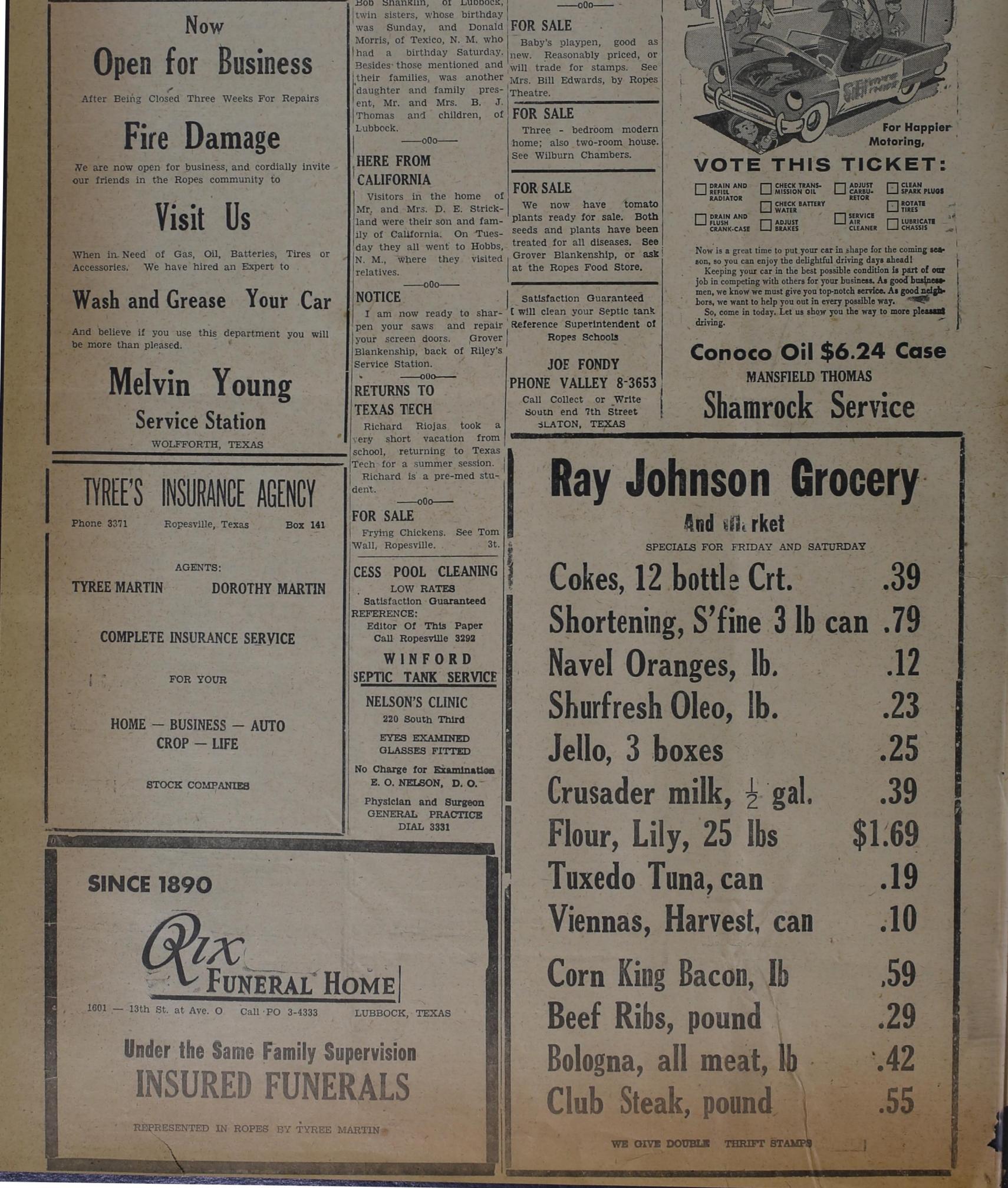
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"We Hew to the Line-Let the Chips Fall Where They May".



MOVED BACK TO TEXAS

vant and children, who have on the streets, up for the and son, of Pasadena, were been living in California, first time since he was taken have returned to Texas, and ill several days ago. future home. Mrs. Dunavant is the BRIDAL SHOWER

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. | The public is invited to M. Collins, and Ray is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dunavant.

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ENJOYS BIRTHDAY DINNER SUNDAY

A birthday dinner was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Morris Sunday for three of their children:

Mrs. J. C. Whitfield and Mrs. Bob Shanklin, of Lubbock,

SHELBY EVANS RECOVERING

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duna- Tuesday Shelby Evans was

are now living in Lubbock Shelby spent several days Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ivy, where they will make their in a Brownfield hospital.

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attend a Bridal Shower honoring Mrs. Margie (Gallagher) Ramsey to be held in the home of Wanda Collins at 3 P.M. Wednesday, June 19th.

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IN ARKANSAS

Mrs. Clyde Fewell left this week for Arkansas where she is visiting her parents.

VISITS IN ね な (法対応が ROPESVILLE

Mrs. Charles D. Thomas here this past week visit,ng in the home of her parents,

and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas.

ON SICK LIST

Mrs. W. H. Wilkison is re-

ported to be ill this week, suffering from a severe case of pleurisy.

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DIGS CELLARS AND CESS POOLS

In this week's issue will be found the advertisement of Ken Evans, who is now engaged in digging storm cellars and cess pools with machinery.



THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Hockley Texas follows:

To:

Claude S. Lee, whose residence is unknown, J. A. Henderson, whose residence is unknown, the heirs and legal representatives of Claude S. Lee and J. A. Henderson, if deceased, whose name and residence are unknown, and the respective unknown heirs and legal representatives of all the above named parties, and their heirs and legal representatives, the unknown es, and expenses of suit owner or owners of the hereinafter described property and their heirs and thereon. legal representatives, whose names and places of residence are unknown, and any and all other persons, is as follows: including adverse claimants, State of Texas \$ 9.05 owning, or having, or claim- Hockley County, Texas 13.32 ing any legal or equitable High Plains Underground interest in or lien upon the hereinafter described property delinquent to plaintiffs Hockley County County herein for taxes.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTI-FIED that suit has been City of Ropesville brought and is now pending Ropesville Independent in the Honorable District Court, 72nd Judicial District, Hockley County, Texas, wherein Ropesville Inde- units which assess and colpendent School District, the lect taxes on said property City of Ropesville, the State not made party to this suit of Texas, acting in behalf are none. of itself and Hockley County,

lien in the property describ- establishment and foreclosure W. S. Brown and wife, Hockley County, Texas 7.21 tervene herein and set up ed herein, the unknown of liens, if any, securing the Katheryn Brown, whose re- High Plains Underground In the Name and by the heirs and legal representa- payment of same, as provid- sidence is unknown, George Authority of The State of tives of Claude S. Lee and ed by law. J. A. Henderson, if deceased,

Notice is hereby given as are defendants, by the filing cluding plaintiff, defendants, Arnett Hill, whose residence, by said plaintiffs of a petition on the 3rd day of August, 1956, and the file number of said suit being No. 113 and the nature of which is a suit to collect delinquent ad valorem taxes on the following described property,

> Lot 15, Block 9, Original Town, to the City of Ropesville, Hockley County, Texas, together with inwhich have accrued and which may legally accrue

to-wit:

The amount of taxes due each plaintiff, exclusive of interest, penalties and costs

Water Conservation .04 Dist. No. 1

Wide Equalization

School Dist.

9.05 School District \$41.70 TOTAL The names of all taxing

Plaintiff and all other tax-Texas, High Plains Under- ing units who may set up ground Water Conservation their tax claims herein seek District No. 1 and Hockley recovery of delinquent ad County County Wide Equal- valorem taxes on the proization School District are perty hereinabove described,

All parties to this suit, in- dence is unknown, Ruby Hockley County County and intervenors, shall take is unknown, the heirs and School Dist. notice that claims not only legal representatives of W. City of Ropesville for any taxes which were S. Brown, Katheryn Brown, Ropesville Independent delinquent on said property George M. Arnett, Jr., and at the time this suit was Ruby Arnett Hill, if deceased, filed but all taxes becoming whose name and residence

time thereafter up to the spective unknown heirs and lect taxes on said property day of judgment, including legal representatives of all not made party to this suit all interest, penalties, and the above named parties, and are none. costs allowed by law there- their heirs and legal reon, may, upon request there- presentatives, the unknown for, be recovered herein owner or owners of the hereterest, penalties, costs, charg- without further citation or inafter described property notice to any parties herein, and their heirs and legal and all said parties shall representatives, whose names take notice of and plead and and places of residence are answer to all claims and unknown, and any and all pleadings now on file and other persons, including adwhich may hereafter be filed verse claimants, owning, or in said cause by all other having, or claiming any parties herein, and all of legal or equitable interest in those taxing units above or lien upon the hereinafter named who may intervene described property delinquent spective tax claims against les. said property.

> You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer and defend .36 such suit on the first Mon-9.90 day after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 22nd day of July, A.D. 1957 which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Hockley County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the plaintiff and the taxing units parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgnent herein, and all costs of this suit. Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court in the City of Levelland, Hockley County, Texas, this 4th day of June, A. D. 1957. Mrs. Ruby Beebe Clerk of the District Court. Hockley County, Texas, 72nd Judicial District. SEAL)

M. Arnett, Jr., whose resi-

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTI- including plaintiff, defend- to and including the day of FIED that suit has been ants, and intervenors, shall judgment herein, and all brought and is now pending take notice that claims not costs of this suit. in the Honorable District only for any taxes which Court, 72nd Judicial Dis- were delinquent on said pro- hand and seal of said court trict, Hockley County, Tex- perty at the time this suit in the City of Levelland, as, wherein Ropesville In- was filed but all taxes be- Hockley County, Texas, this dependent School District, coming delinquent thereon 4th day of June, A. D. 1957. City of Ropesville, The State at any time thereafter up of Texas acting in behalf of to the day of judgment, itself and Hockley County, including all interest, penal-Texas, High Plains Under- ties, and costs allowed by ground Water Conservation law thereon, may, upon re- (SEAL) District No. 1 and Hockley quest therefor, be recovered County County Wide Equal- herein without further citaization School District are tion or notice to any parties plaintiffs; and Roland Ev- herein, and all said parties ans, W. B. Evans, W. S. shall take notice of and Brown, Katheryn Brown, plead and answer to all

Water Conservation Dist. No. 108 Wide Equalization .56

4.80 School District 9.92 TOTAL \$27.09 The names of all taxing delinquent thereon at any are unknown, and the re- units which assess and col-

taxing units who may set up courthouse thereof, then and their tax claims herein seek there to show cause why recovery of delinquent ad judgment shall not be renvalorem taxes on the pro- dered for such taxes, penalperty hereinabove described, ties, interest and costs, and and in addition to the taxes condemning said property all interest, penalties, and and ordering foreclosure for costs allowed by law thereon the constitutional and staof judgment herein, and the taxes due the plaintiff and establishment and foreclosure the taxing units parties of liens, if any, securing the hereto, and those who may herein and set up their re- to plaintiffs herein for tax- payment of same, as pro- intervene herein, together vided by law.

their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing written answer and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date ' of issuance hereof, the same being the 22nd day of July. A. D. 1957 (which is the return day of such citation). before the honorable District Court of Hockley Coun-Plaintiffs and all other ty, Texas, to be held at the up to and including the day tutory tax liens thereon for with all interest, penalties, All parties to this suit, and costs allowed by law up

Issued and given under my

Mrs. Ruby Beebe

Clerk of the District Court. Hockley County, Texas 72nd Judicial District.

CESS POOLS AND STORM CELLARS DONE WITH MACHINERY Will Contract Completed Job Or We Will Dig the Hole And You Finish It CALL 3641, ROPES OR SEE **KEN EVANS**

plaintiffs; and Claude S. and in addition to the taxes Lee, J. S. Henderson, W. B. all interest, penalties, and Evans, and all unknown per- costs allowed by law thereon sons owning, having or up to and including the day claiming any interest or of judgment herein, and the

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persons owning, claiming or after be filed in said cause having any interest or lien by all other parties herein, in the property described and all of those taxing units heirs and legal representatives of W. S. Brown, Katheryn Brown, George M. Arnett. Jr. and Ruby Arnett Hill are defendants, by the filing by said plaintiffs of a petition on the 21st day of

June, 1956 and the file number of said suit being No. 106 and the nature of which is a suit to collect delinquent ad valorem taxes on the following described property, to-wit:

Lot Nine (9), Block Thirty (30) Evans Addition to the City of Ropesville, Hockley County, Texas, together with interest, penalties, costs, charges, and expenses of suit which have accrued and which may legally accrue thereon. The amount of taxes due

each plaintiff, exclusive of Notice is hereby given as interest, penalties and costs is as follows: State of Texas \$ 4.52

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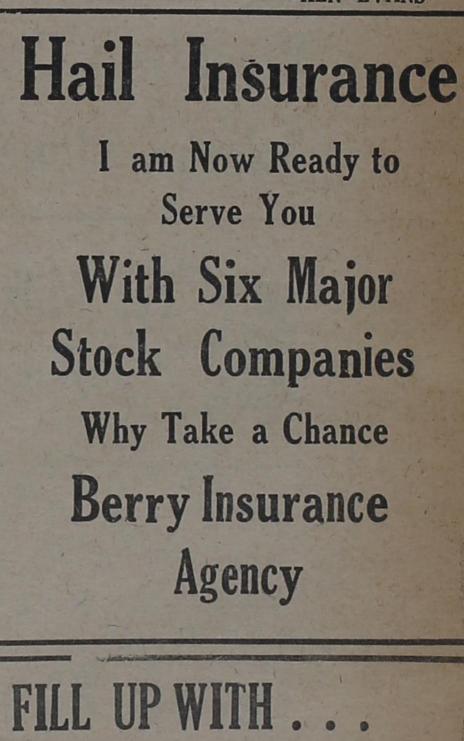
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