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felix culpa

—Ted Dotts

I don't read much Latin but felix culpa is a phrase we all can benefit by understanding, whether or not we ever learn any more Latin.

The literal translation of the phrase is "happy fault". Some faults we have are happy faults. This is to mean that some of the things that are us get us into trouble on occasion. This allows two things to happen.

First, we are reminded that we are not God. Our felix culpa calls to remember that we are not infallible. We are only humans with all the possibilities and potentialities for error of all human beings.

Secondly, our felix culpa calls us to humility. It puts us on the right track again. Who has not had the experience of running someone down for a particular fault they have, and then to behold we ourselves are caught with the same fault showing itself in us?

All of us have at least one felix culpa in our make-up which keeps us from being the all-perfect being we sometimes imagine ourselves to be. This is a happy thing, because it always calls upon us to stop short of condemning another person when their felix culpa is showing through in a particular instance.

In this particular season of the Christian year, our felix culpa helps us to recall something else—the resurrection. The resurrection of the Lord Jesus is a way God has of proclaiming that Jesus the Christ lives in our world today helping us to live with our faults. And, not only does He help us to live with them, but He is working to help us do away with them.

Just think, on a Thursday night so many centuries ago, he sat down to a last supper with his disciples. For at least three years they had been together. The Scriptures reveal numerous times when the felix culpa of the disciples had broken through, but Jesus did not desert them. His love for them was stronger than the evil they could do.

This is the meaning of the resurrection for us today. God's love is so great for us, that He will not allow death to conquer us. Our felix culpa cannot conquer us, because God is near. We worship a living Lord not just a Lord of the past or of the future.

Moore Elected Mayor, Martin and Gregg as Councilmen; Bradshaw and Odom for School

A. R. Dean Passes Away

by Troy Morris

You know, tonight, if we did not believe in God and eternal life, we'd be very sad indeed, for it has been but a few days since word of the passing of A. R. Dean, my wife's father, was brought to us over long distance telephone.

While the message did not come unexpected, it was a shock. Mr. Dean had been ill for many weeks and his passing had been expected momentarily—the spirit slipped from the tabernacle of clay to go into the presence of his God whom we know said, "Well done", and blessed him for the work he had done on earth.

Mr. Dean was a retired Assembly of God preacher—he had visited in Ropesville several times, and at one time more than twenty years ago, conducted a revival meeting in Levelland.

He truly believed what he preached—eternal life—he truly believed in Christ as the Son of God, and he walked as nearly as possible in the path followed by the Savior. No one was in want if he knew it; he would take of his own substances and give, give even when it was taking things away from himself.

The Ropes School Board of Trustees met Monday night, and organized. Elections were as follows: president, G. W. Sorebee; vice president, Joe Schwartz; secretary, Charles Shannon.

All class room teachers were re-elected for another year with the exception of Miss Stell, Librarian, who will not be back next year. Miss Robena McCoy, first grade teacher, will be transferred to this position.

The Junior Class of Ropes Senior High School will present their annual play Friday night, April 15, at 8:00 in the High School Auditorium.

The play is entitled "The Sky's The Limit". Admission will be \$1 for adults, and 75c for children under 12. Every one is urged to attend.

A cast of characters will be printed next week.

The Ropes Young Farmers will meet Monday night, April 11, at 8:00 in the School Cafeteria. Speaker of the evening will be Donald Johnson of Plains Cotton Growers.

Everywhere he went he carried the message of God with him and he testified of the love of the Supreme Being when he had an opportunity, never leaving any one guessing as to where he stood. Sin was his enemy and he fought from the time he arose in the morning until he retired for the night.

He was a blessing to those about him.

The last time I saw him I was using a motion picture camera, and as he looked at me, he smiled and said, "You are taking my picture." It wasn't a question but was stated as a fact. That was on a trip to California several years ago and I felt then I would never see him again, for at that time his age was making it impossible for him to make long trips.

He lived a long and useful life and I know that he now rests in peace under the trees on the other side of the Dark River; I know he is now rejoicing with those who have gone on before.

So, let us remember, the Scriptures say, "The day of a man's death is better than that of his birth," and with this, we say fare-the-well to a man we considered as our friend.

Jimmy Sims, president of the Ropes Lions Club, announced this week that there will be a work night at the Little League ball park Tuesday night, April 12, at 8:00.

All interested citizens of the community are invited to come out and bring your shovel and rakes and help prepare the ball park for another big season of baseball.

The Ropes Young Homemakers will meet in the homemaking department on Monday night at 7:30 p.m.

We will be learning how to make hand cream. Anyone interested is invited to join us. We would like to urge all our members to be there, also.

Mrs. W. O. Drake was in Pampa last week on the sad mission of attending funeral services for her brother.

Bobby Rowland, who is attending Houston College of Medical Technology, is home for the Easter holidays, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Rowland.

At the City election last Tuesday there were twenty-five votes cast for each of the candidates, Buford Moore, Mayor; and Ulys Gregg and Billy Ray Martin as Councilmen.

At the election last Saturday for members for the School Board of Trustees, 81 votes were cast, to elect two members out of four candidates.

Votes received were as follows:

Billy Odom - 51
C. E. Bradshaw - 45
Joe D. Harris - 38
Joe Lemon - 28

James Pierce has been on the sick list this week, and visited the doctor Tuesday.

Thanks To Ropes People

The Lubbock Association for Retarded Children would like to express their appreciation to everyone who participated in the recent candy sales held in Ropes for the benefit of this organization.

Especially do we thank the merchants who let us place the candy and literature in their places of business. Without their help, it would not have been the success it was.

A total of \$135. was collected from sale of the candy and from donations.

It is through the generosity

of people like you that life may be made a little easier, and more rewarding for the many mentally retarded in our world today. They are not able to help themselves, but with enough of the right type of schooling, therapy and training, many of them can become self-supporting citizens of their communities.

All of this takes many dollars for facilities, and many hours of work put out by those who must be paid.

Our sincere thanks,
Mrs. F. L. Lowrie,
Corresponding Secretary

Letter About Taliaferro's Grandson

(Following is a very interesting letter handed us by B. M. Taliaferro about his grandson who is serving with the Navy in Viet Nam territory. We found it very informative, and gives us another view of this war that is everyone's concern. Thanks to the Taliaferro's for sharing this letter with us.)

Gerald L. Taliaferro, gunner's mate on the USS KRAUS and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Taliaferro of Ropesville, joined the U. S. Navy in Lubbock in the summer of 1964.

He was sent to San Diego, California for a short while. He was then transferred to Corpus Christi for several months. In June of 1965, he was sent to Great Lakes, Illinois, and returned home for a short liberty Christmas.

Shortly after Christmas, Gerald was transferred to Newport, Rhode Island, where he went on board the USS Richard E. Kraus for a tour of duty. On January 19, the USS Kraus sailed for Viet Nam waters.

He wrote his grandparents from Pearl Harbor about his trip that far.

The following letter from the Commander of the USS Kraus tells the movements of the ship and its crew up until March 21, 1966.

Dear Mr. Taliaferro,

As we of the USS RICHARD E. KRAUS (DD-849) become more and more actively involved in our new theater of operations it seems an excellent time to renew the practice of sending periodic KRAUS GRAMS. The purpose of the KRAUSGRAM is to acquaint you with the general news of the ship and shipboard activities—not a substitute for, but rather, an addition to the letters of your sons and husbands.

Our present operations with the Seventh Fleet really had their start a full month before we sailed from Newport. At that time we started to receive many new men aboard—sufficient to insure that we would have a full and able crew for our entire deployment. To our great satisfaction, we learned during the ensuing month that these newly received personnel were of the highest caliber, technically proficient, and were, to a man, capable shipmates who quickly became loyal and enthusiastic members of the KRAUS team.

During that busy pre-arrival month, many men worked long hard hours loading the multitude of stores, supplies and food that are so essential to prolonged operations. Others labored far into the night to ensure that each and every item of machinery and

electronics equipment was in perfect working order. Still others braved the Newport cold to be certain that all exposed areas of the ship were carefully and properly painted and preserved against the rigors of the sea. It was this busy effort which unhappily prevented some of us from getting as much leave as we would have liked. However, every effort was made to ensure that as many of us as possible got at least some time with our families before sailing.

As you know, we left Newport on the 19th of January. Our trip south was a busy one. A ship is only as good as the teamwork of its crew and we had many new men to incorporate in the "at sea" team of the KRAUS. We exercised at gunnery, fire drills, seamanship, communications, anti-submarine warfare, engineering, and a multitude of other shipboard functions. This effort, while not much fun for anyone, was highly productive. We soon developed a clockwork like proficiency, was most gratifying to me. By the time we reached Panama, I was able to aruly tell our Commodore "KRAUS is ready for any job you choose to give us."

Panama, our first stop, was perhaps our most interesting. The Panama Canal is indeed an inspiring engineering feat. The greatest part of the Canal lies about 100 ft. above sea level in a body of fresh water called Gatun Lake. The lake was formed by the damming action of the locks at either end. The locks themselves are just a series of "water stairs" which raise and lower the ships the required distances. KRAUS entered the locks and was pulled and steadied by cog wheel locomotives called "mules". The mules towed the ship into the locks. The gates were closed and water spilled in. The ship rose quickly, as if she were in a water borne elevator, until she was at the level of the water ahead. The forward gates were then opened. The mules dragged the ship into the next lock, and the process was repeated. It was a unique experience to look ahead and see the sister ships of our squadron floating above our heads.

After transiting the canal, we stayed one day at the U. S. Naval Station at Rodman, on the outskirts of Balboa. This provided a nice, but all too short, break in the trip. We next went up the coast to San Diego where we stayed only eight hours to load fuel and stores for the remainder of the trip. Five days more of steaming took us to hist-

oric Pearl Harbor and a few days rest.

I believe just about all of us enjoyed Pearl Harbor and found it highly interesting. Those of us who had not been there before went to Ford Island to see the USS ARIZONA memorial, and took the fine Navy tour of Oahu Island. Others enjoyed the beach at Waikiki or simply went to the fine base swimming pool to relax. The first of what promises to be a vast quantity of souvenirs also made their appearance in the hands of some of our returning sightseers. In all, Pearl Harbor proved to be a pleasant interlude in a long transit.

After leaving Pearl, many more days of steaming were required to carry us to our next port of call, Kaohsiung, Taiwan. During this trip we had an opportunity to fire our big guns in a difficult exercise. Again our constant training paid dividends as our fine gunners scored 100 points out of a possible 100. During this period we also conducted an Operational Readiness test—the final exam before joining the front line forces—and passed with flying colors.

Kaohsiung is a fascinating port. It is a large teeming city of the Far East, the first that many of us had seen. Although we were busy doing repair and maintenance work, we had plenty of time for liberty too. Kaohsiung abounds in souvenir shops, book stores and gift shops. All provided fine sightseeing and an ample supply of gifts to bring home. One of the high lights of our visit was a luncheon we gave on board KRAUS for eighteen high ranking officials. Thanks to the exceptional efforts of all hands, the ship glistened and gleamed like a new sports car. The cooks and stewards came through with an outstanding meal and the whole affair went off without a flaw. The luncheon was a real asset to international relations and our Commodore who was the official host, was extremely pleased with the efforts of all KRAUSMEN.

Upon leaving Kaohsiung, we got down to work performing the job that had warranted the long trip out here. We were assigned to operate with USS KITTY HAWK, one of the Navy's largest and finest carriers. Our job was to provide anti-submarine and anti-aircraft protection and to act as a rescue ship in the event that a plane should go into the water. I assure you understand that portions of our activities are sometimes cla-

4-H'ers Place Tops in District Eliminations

Junior County Division winners are as follows:

Junior Boys Electric Demonstration, David and Danny Carpenter, Blue Ribbon, will go to District.

Junior Girl Public Speaking, Kathy Hobbs, Blue Ribbon, will go to District.

Junior Share The Fun, Archie and Cookie Jordan, Blue Ribbon, alternate to District.

Junior Girl Clothing Demonstration, Denise Carpenter, Red Ribbon, goes to District.

Junior Girl Safety Team, Paula McCormick and Pam Ream, Red Ribbon, will go to District.

Senior Division County Winners:

Senior Girl Clothing, Iva Hobbs, Red Ribbon, will go to District.

Senior Share The Fun, Louella Means, Red Ribbon, Alternate to District.

Senior Girl Safety Team,

Marcia Ream and Becky Carpenter, Blue Ribbon, will go to District.

Senior Boys Division County Winners:

Co-Op Team, Lonnie Exum and Sammie Means, Blue Ribbon, will go to District.

The Tractor Demonstration will be held Thursday, April 7, Gary Rucker will be the Ropes entry.

Reporter, Pam Ream

The 4-H County Eliminations were held in Levelland on Tuesday, April 5.

Members of the Ropes 4-H Club had nine demonstrations at the Elimination and we want to congratulate each one on their hard work the past two weeks, and the rewards that were received.

To each of you, remember District competition will be much larger than County, but you have two weeks to

re-work your demonstrations. Also on April 19, at 3:15, each of you will give your demonstration for the Ropes Home Demonstration Club at the Community Building.

We are proud of you and the good work you are doing, and trust you have learned much in this type work.

To receive a blue ribbon, one must have a score of 90 or over, and there can be several blue ribbon winners in each demonstration, and only the highest blue ribbon score goes to district.

A boy or girl is eligible to go to district with a red ribbon if they score 80-90, and still not be a blue ribbon winner, and there can be several in the red ribbon group, but the highest red ribbon goes to district.

We hope each of you will have a rewarding day when

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Nola Knows

By Nola White

Dear Nola - I'm 23 and my wife is 21. I love her and I'd be perfectly happy except she's the worse housekeeper you ever saw. She leaves the dishes unwashed and the beds unmade. Really, you can't believe how bad it is unless you see it. I've told her how much I hate this, but it does no good. What should I do?

The Janitor.

Dear Janitor - Sometimes it is necessary for the mature partner in the marriage to set standards and make demands just as you would do with a child. It's up to you not to let your wife get by with this behaviour, otherwise she'll make no effort to change. My suggestions are three-fold: 1) Give your wife a list of chores that she must do each day. Hold daily inspection to see that the work is done. If this fails (and well it may) then try my second suggestion; 2) If you have no small children, hire a maid and get your wife a job with the understanding that her salary goes to pay the maid. 3) If you do have small children, your wife's place is at home with them. In that case, hire a maid and pay her yourself with the best grace you can muster.

Dear Nola - My problem is that I have an older sister who has never had a date and Mom says it would be disloyal for me to date until my sister is married. I am 16. This sounds screwy to me because boys are always asking me out and I have to say "No". I can't help it because nobody asks my sister. I sometimes meet boys at my

girl friend's, but I don't like to deceive Mom. What should I do? .

Second Daughter

Dear Second - Tell your mother I said she is dead wrong. Keeping you home isn't helping the older girl and a husband. It's only making her feel guilty and inferior. It's creating resentment in you and establishing a climate in which you are tempted to lie and practice deception. Show your mother this letter in which I strongly urge her to reconsider.

Dear Nola - It seems like there are more old maids than ever and it seems like some of the most attractive intelligent, happy women I know are old maids. Are men getting allergic to marriage? That would you say is the reason for the increase in old maids?

Curious Observer

Dear Curious - I think attractive, intelligent, happy women deserve a better appellation than "old maid" regardless of their marital status. There are more single women for several reasons. One, of course, is the unbalanced ratio of men and women; however, it is my firm belief that any woman who really wants to get married can find a husband, but sometimes she has to look pretty far down in the barrel. Another reason is simply that there is no longer the compelling economic or social need for a woman to get married that there once was. Many women plan careers and pursue their own goals feeling

hat for them greater happiness and personal fulfillment can be had in that manner than in marriages. And those who feel that way should be respected for their choice. Who knows, maybe that's why they're so attractive, intelligent, and happy. Dear Nola - What bugs me is people always telling me their troubles. I've got troubles of my own but everybody I meet wants to unload their latest woes. What can I do to stop this?

Double Troubled

Dear Double - Tell 'em to write Nola Knows.

Send your letters to Nola Knows, Box 411, Terrell, Texas. For a personal reply, enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs, Merlin Hobbs, Mrs. Joyce Dorsett and Bruce visited in Seagraves Monday with her niece, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Renzelman. Also present was Mrs. Hobbs sister of Modesto, California, Dora Lewallen and her daughter, Beverly Pizzerilla.

Winfield Fry is in Room 108 of Lubbock Osteopathic Hospital. He underwent surgery Tuesday morning for the removal of 70 percent of his stomach, which contained ear tissue from ulcers. He is reported doing as well as can be expected.

The Ropes Tops Club met Monday night, April 4th with eleven members present. The meeting was opened by Co-leader Nell Hobbs.

The opening prayer was given by Charlotte Smith. The group joined in the pledge and opening song. Betty Whitehead won the basket for the most weight lost last week.

Wanda Allen was crowned Queen for the month of March. Runner-up was Iva Ree Young.

Members attending were Nell Hobbs, Ina Watson, Lillian Willis, Wanda Allen, Celeste Thomas, Odessa Wallace, Charlotte Smith, Iva Ree Young, Betty Whitehead and Mable Hobbs, Loma Clemens.

Visitors Wednesday night in the Emory Hobbs home were Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hobbs and family, Lillian Gryder and boys of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dorsett and boys, and Wayne and Marie Dorsett, of Brownfield. Everyone enjoyed celebrating Joyce Dorsett and Merlin Hobbs' birthdays by eating cake and fresh strawberries and peaches, coffee and cokes. 84 was enjoyed by all.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abb Russell this past weekend were her mother, Mrs. Hattie Pointer of Lubbock, her sister, Mrs. Jack Bennett of Levelland, niece, Freda Pointer of Terrell and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pointer of Ropes.

4-H CLUB NEWS

Here are some dates that Ropes 4-H members will want to remember:

April 23 - 4-H Demonstration District Elimination at Teer.

June 6-10 - 4-H Round-Up Week of July 18 - Electric Camp at Scott - Able, New Mexico.

August 1 - County Records to be judged.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs visited Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Burran in Brownfield. Others present and enjoying an evening of singing were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dorsett and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Burran.

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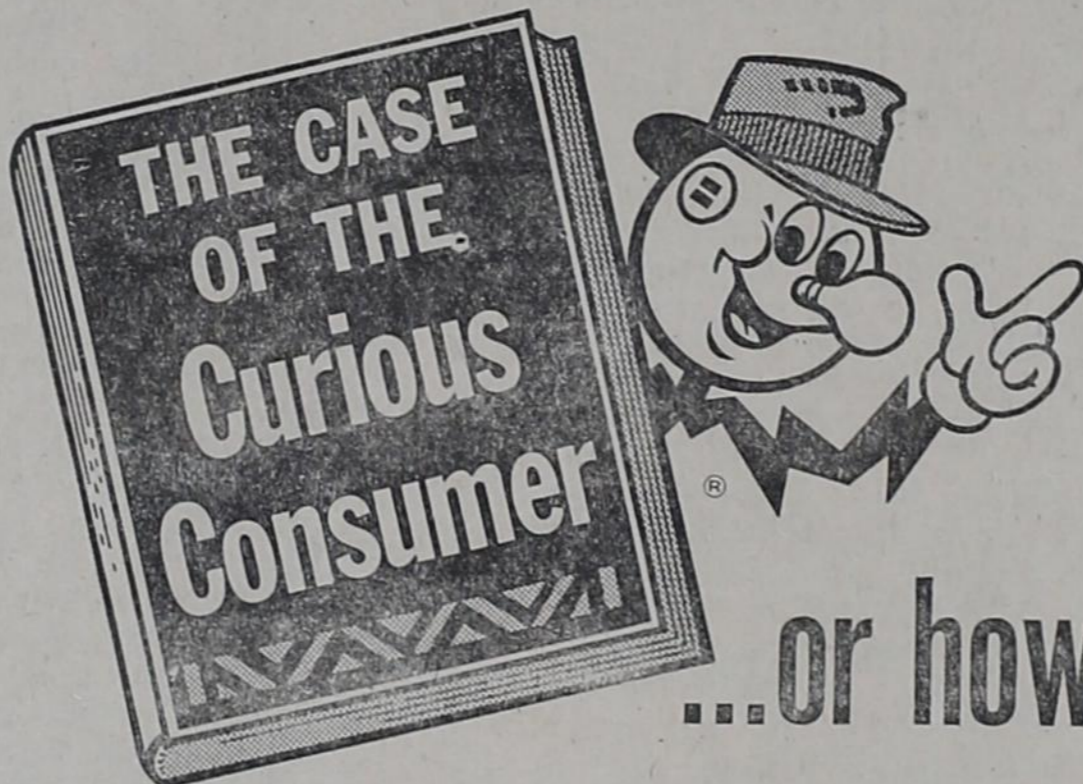
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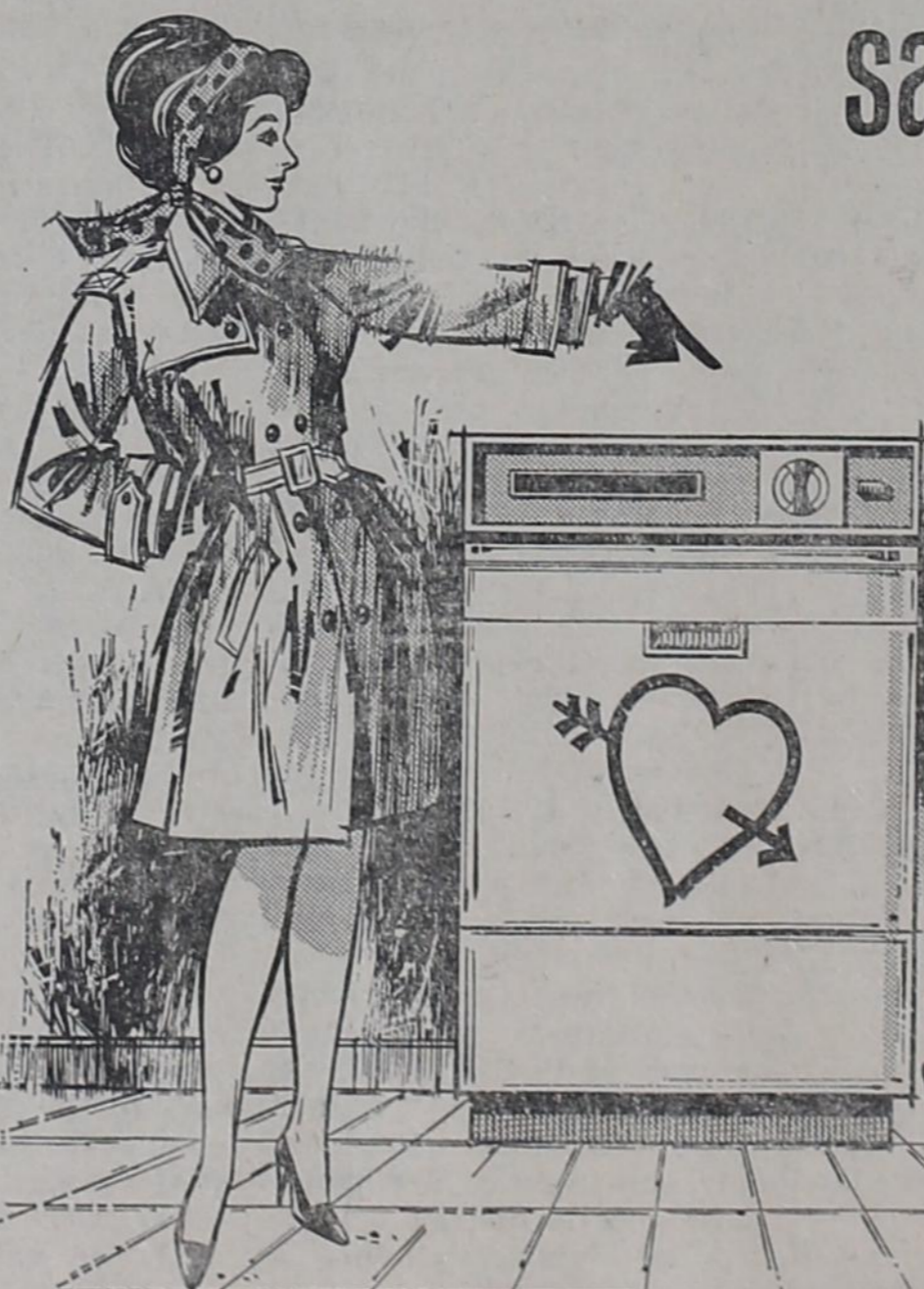
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sified so that we cannot always provide you with all the details. Suffice to say, our time with the KITTY HAWK was busy for every man on board. The hours were long and the work hard, but we had and have the satisfaction of doing the job we were trained to do, and doing it well.

As I write this KRAUSGRAM we are moored in Subic Bay, Philippines, reloading supplies and checking our equipment preparatory to returning to the operating area. We are getting a little well earned rest, and having fun too. We have a softball league going full swing—we don't play well, but we are enthusiastic and have fun.

Within a few days, we'll be back at sea, and carrying our full share of the heavy U. S. Navy responsibility in this important area of operations. Each of us will have our loved ones at home constantly in mind. If the place of operations does not permit us to write as often as you would like, be patient and understanding. And remember, there is no event in shipboard life as important as mail call. Write the sailor in your life often; he appreciates it more than you realize.

R. L. Scott

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you go to District and may each of you, win or lose, come back to your home and Club a better 4-H'er, for having had this experience.

Mrs. L. S. Rosser
Three Ropes girls represented Hockley County in the District 4-H Food Show on the Tech Campus.

Kathy Hobbs received a Red Ribbon in the Fruits and Vegetables Division.

Pam Ream received a Blue

POLITICAL

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Plainsman is authorized to make the following announcements for public office subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries:

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(28th Senatorial District)

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(Re-Election)

For County Judge:
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For County Clerk:
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(Re-Election)

For District Clerk:
RUBY BEEBE WILLIAMS
(Re-Election)

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For Justice of Peace, Prec. 1:
M. L. ROBERTS
(Re-Election)

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Ribbon in the Meat Group.

Paula McCormick received a Blue Ribbon in the Breads and Cereal Division.

All those girls are in the Junior Division of 4-H work.

The Ropes 4-H Club met Monday night, April 4. Louella Means presided over the business meeting.

Kathy Hobbs gave a report on the Sears Gilt Contest and District Food Show.

There were sixteen members present. The following presented demonstrations for the Club:

Lonnie Exum and Sammy Means - Co-Op.

Danny and David Carpenter - Junior Electric.

Cookie and Archie Jordan - Share-the-Load.

Iva Hobbs - Junior Clothing.

Denise Carpenter - Junior Clothing.

Kathy Hobbs - Public Speaking.

Pam Ream and Paula McCormick - Vegetable Preparation.

Becky Carpenter and Marcia Ream - Safety.

The County Sears Gilt Elimination Contest was held March 26 in Levelland. Pam Ream won 3rd place, and Louella Means won First, and represented Hockley County at District in Lubbock April 2nd. Louella's gilt placed 10th in this contest. The Sear's Foundation held a luncheon for all contestants and their leaders.

Reporter,
Pam Ream.

Mrs. Robert Hudson underwent surgery Monday morning at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, and is reported seriously ill.

Menu for the Ropes School Cafeteria April 12 - 15:

Tuesday - Fried steak, frozen buttered broccoli, macaroni and cheese, canned peaches, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Wednesday - Fried chicken, buttered corn, butter black-eyed peas, blackberry cobbler, ght bread and milk.

Thursday - Meat loaf, creamed potatoes, green beans, pineapple pudding, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Friday - Barbecue on bun, green vegetable salad, potato chips, fruit salad and milk.

Mrs. Monty McGuire was in Lubbock Tuesday for medical care.

Mrs. Robert Zachary underwent surgery last week in the Brownfield Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Berriman Ray of El Paso were here last week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Nabours.

Boy Scouts Planning to attend camp this June at Camp Fort are Mike Allen, Sammp Joe Harris, John and Joe Bert Roberson, Larry Shannon, Stanley Shockley, and Bobby and Glen Jones.

Harry Marrett returned to Galveston Monday by bus, where he entered the hospital for tests and treatment.

Mrs. Delbert Hall and children of E. Paso will spend the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall.

Mrs. Robert Hall reports that in a recent letter from Delbert, who is stationed in Viet Nam, he stated the temprature has already reached 116 degrees, and the rats are really thriving.

Among those from Ropes spending the Easter holidays at Possum Kingdom are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bradshaw and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Odom and family.

Visitors over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall were Mr. Monty Fowler, Randall and Cheryl of Friona, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hall, Carece and Lemoyne of Plainview. Kenneth is holding a revival at Challis Baptist Church.



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In the Literary Events held at Ropes Schools last Saturday, the following students placed.

JUNIOR HIGH DIVISION:

Beth Gresham, 2nd place, Declamation.

Susan Womack and Travis White, 3rd, 7th-8th Spelling.

Charles Chambers, 3rd, in Story Telling.

HIGH SCHOOL DIVISION:

Randy Cole, 3rd, Science.

Karen McKee, 2nd, Typing.

Following are the Ropes Housewives Bowling League standings for this week:

Mansfield's Service Sta.

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Ropes Grain

G and A Grain

Robinson Cleaners

Ropes Food Store

Jackson Electric

Pierce Farm Supply

Bowers Butane

Means Flying Service

Bishop Shamrock

Competing for Bowler of the Week were Anita Means, Annice Willis, Peggy Means, Lavoy Arant, and alternate, Opal Jones.

Mr. and Ms. Dennis Rasberry were in Levelland Monday night where they met her sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don English of Sacramento, California, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gallofay.

The Ropes PTA will meet Thursday, April 14, instead of the 7th, due to the Easter holidays. The meeting will begin after school is placed.

Mrs. Herman Timmons, is a member of this choir.

Mrs. Julia Hendon, sister of Mrs. Ollie Howard, is seriously ill in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock suffering from a heart attack.

We would like to welcome to our community the Rev. and Mrs. Ivy Bohannon, new pastor of the Ropes Church of the Nazarene. They moved here last week from San

Antonio. We hope they find their stay in Ropesville a long and pleasant one.

The Church of the Nazarene will have a home revival April 17 through the 24th. Rev. Ivy Bohannon, pastor, will bring the Gospel messages, and local members will be in charge of the singing. Services will begin each evening at 7:30. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend.

Among those attending the Ginner's Convention in Dallas this week from Ropes are Mr. and Mrs. Gene McKee, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Price, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. McKee and Mr. and Mrs. Price returned to Possum Kingdom to spend the remainder of the week.

Mrs. W. J. Shockley is in West Texas Hospital in Lubbock where she underwent surgery last week.

Abilene-The Concert Choir of Hardin-Simmons University presented programs of varied vocal music during its three-state tour March 25 through April 1.

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