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If there is an X in this box it is notice your subscription has expired, and an invitation to renew.

Jest some thoughts

Time nor tide waits for no man-true. It's here and gone before you know it. Looked around you lately? Time is quickly fleeting and we are heading for, it appears, a hard, cold winter.

Tuesday morning of this week, our windshield was frosted over for the first time -so we presume this is the first visit of Jack Frost to our area.

For some the frost will be welcome - there is more foliage than usual this year on the cotton, and it needs to come off, to prepare for the strippers. For others, a few more days of grace is desperately needed for the late cotton to mature.

Perhaps we will have it who knows.

And, times have not changed in the process of hiring workers - just become "covered up". Once, a long time ago, a farmer who needed some extra hands approached one of the village loafers with an offer of a job. "What'll ye pay?" asked the idler. "I'll pay ye what your wuth," replied the farmer. The loafer thought this over, then shook his head. "Shucks, no," he refused. "Be durned if I'd work fer that!"

If you think the roads in our town haven't become a problem-just try driving down them. We are thinking of parking near the chug holes on Main Street and walking home if we can find a path between the five-foot holes.

So far our car has suffered three broken springs, bent the exhaust pipe from trying to back out of one of them, and the shaking is so rough, the spark plug wires fly off, the license tag has been bent and the ash tray is rattling.

That's what you call a rough

Usually, it is ruts, and you are safe in getting into them, because they will eventually lead you to some settledareabut with the holes, you might not be seen.

Our roads have become so bad, we are thinking of calling them detours.

So, we'd better detour off the page for another week.

Let's stop inflation

Inflation hurts everybody. Yet nobody seems to do much about it. People appear to believe it's almost as inevitable as death and taxes.

The steady rise in prices has many causes, of course. Some of the economic factors are rather complex and difficult to understand. But there is one aspect of inflation which is easy to understand. It is this: If everyone, together, decides to pitch in to stop inflation, it can be stopped.

This means the manufacturer has to decide to hold the line on his prices. Merchants need to decide they're going to be satisfied with what they've been charging. Wage earners need to be willing to forego wage increases. Professional and service people need to hold the line on their fees and rates. Everyone involved in setting prices, in other words, must get together with an anti-inflation psychology.

The problem is: Who starts the ball rolling? Nationally a new organization - Citizens for A New Prosperity - has been formed to do just that. It's backed by leaders from all walks of life and plans to organize state committees to spread its doctrine of cooperation for the common good down to the grass roots.

Why shouldn't all of us want to join the cause? Cooperating for the common welfare is the best way for us to help ourselves. This is one of the greatest opportunities for combining public service with self service that we have had in many years.

We wish great success to the fight against inflation and encourage everyone to take

A nationwide campaign, reaching into every county in the United States, to mobilize the public behind the country's effort to control inflation and create peacetime jobs, is being organized by Citizens for a New Prosperity, a volunteer group with headquarters in Washington, D.C.

Headed by a non-partisan committee representing various segments of society, the citizens group is in the process of developing state committees which will carry the fight inflation campaign into local communities. National chairman is Robert Lewis, president of Reader's Digest, and Henry H. Fowler, secretary of the Treasury in the Johnson administration, is vice chairman.

In his announcement of the plans for statewide organization Mr. Lewis explained that the citizens group recognizes that the public needs the opportunity to understand the issues involved in the country's economic problems, to voice their concerns and to support efforts to achieve economic stability and growth.

"We recognize that problems can be overcome and progress made only if citizen action is added to the directives and decisions of the executive and legislative branches of the federal government,' he said.

He urged all Americans who are concerned about halting spiraling living costs, creating employment opportunities and helping make American goods and services competitive in world markets to join in with the efforts of the Citizens for a New Prosperity.

While state and county groups will encourage local support for the nation's new economic goals, the national headquarters in Washington will serve as a voice for the public with Congress and the administration. The group will welcome public comments and suggestions. The headquarters address is 1627 K Street, N. W. Washington, D. C. 20036.

Pam Ream honored

Pam Ream was honored at a lingerie shower Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. David George of Lubbock. Hostesses included Mrs. David George, Miss Martha Smith and Mrs. Gerald Paulk.

Special guests included the honoree's mother, Mrs. John Ream and Mrs. Linda Stolle, mother of the prospective groom, of Posey.

The bride-elect's chosen colors of white and deep purple were carried out in the centerpiece and refreshments.

Pam and J. L. Talley of Posy will be married November 27 in the First Baptist Church in Ropes.



FRESHMAN FAVORITES-Randy Smith (left) and Hope Cervantez (right) were selected favorites of the freshman class at Ropes High School recently.

Bonds total 71 % of goal

According to a report received from County Bond Chairman R. H. Munsterman, sales of Series E and HUnited States Savings Bonds in Hockley County during September totaled \$5,602. Nine-month sales were \$77,848 for 71 per cent of the 1971 goal of \$110,000.

Sales in Texas during the month were \$15,465,128 compared to \$15,033.393 during September 1970. The January-September sales totaled \$152,382,599 with 84 per cent of the 1971 goal of \$181.9 million achieved.

Nationwide, purchases of Series E and H Savings Bonds totaled \$415 million, 18 per cent above 1970 sales. The January-September sales were the best since 1952, totaling \$4,174 million-19.2 per cent above a year earlier. Exchanges of Series E for Series H Bonds amounting to \$197 million were reported for the first nine months of 1971-8 per cent above those exchanged in 1970.

Ropes Housewives Bowling Standings

Standings as of		
October 28, 1971		
TEAM	Won	Lost
T & M Trucking	24	12
Ropes Co-Op	22	14
Bower's Butane	19	17
Mansfield's Serv.	18	18
Jackson Insurance	13	23
Opdyke Co-Op	12	24

High Team Series: Ropes Co-Op High Team Game: Ropes Co-Op

CLASS A High Series: Lola Marcy (551) High Game: Lola Marcy (211)

CLASS B High Series: Naomi Bullin (463) High Game: Naomi Bullin (186)

Lions hear program

on weather Monday

The Ropes Lions Club met in regular session Monday evening in the school cafeteria.

Harold Frost, director of the Lubbock Weather Bureau, presented the program. His talk was most informative with information of how the weather develops and is forecast on the South Plains.

Pete Pettlet, chairman for the Ropes area in the United Fund drive, stated its intentions, and reminded members the goal is \$750. Businesses will be solicited and for the first time, individual farmers will be contacted. Pete encouraged all Lions Club members to support this worthy cause.

The next scheduled meeting will be November 15, and the regular time has been changed

Anyone in the community interested in the Lions Club and civic work has a cordial invitation to attend these meet-

The Ropes Lions support the Little League, Babe Ruth League, eyeglasses for underprivileged children, the broom sale for the blind, pancake supper, turkey shoot and the annual watermelon supper to welcome teachers.

Don Connors was elected as president of the Little League for 1972.

garage sale

The Ropes Booster Club will sponsor a big garage sale in Ropes Saturday, November 5. Everyone is asked to clean out your closets and bring your items to the Booster Club meetings on Tuesday nights. Laquita Moore and Lavetta Bradshaw are in charge, and may be called if you have any questions.

Plainsman Office Hours

The Ropes Plainsman will be open the following hours, and you are invited and urged to bring mail, or call in your news items and ads. We would remind you that Tuesday noon is now the new deadline for anything to appear in Thursday's paper. This is necessary in order to get the paper to the printers.

On Mondays, the office will be open in the afternoons from 1:30 to 5:30; Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon and 2 to 5 p.m.; Wednesdays, 4 to 6:30 p.m.; and Fridays, 10 to 12 noon

and 2 to 5 p.m.

United Methodist News



FIRST UNITED METHODIST NEWS

Calendar of coming events: Wed., Nov. 3—Family Night in Fellowship Hall.

Nov. 5, 6, and 7-Laboratory Training Enterprise for Lubbock District.

Nov. 11, 12 and 13—Country Store and Auction - Jackson Building in Ropes.

Nov. 21—Covenant Players in School Auditorium Community-wide.

Nov. 23—Charge Conference. Nov. 28—First Sunday in Advent.

Dec. 5-Harvest Festival with Basket Dinner.

YOUTH WEEK EMPHASIS

The youth of our church celebrated Catholic-Protestant Youth Week by conducting morning worship service Sunday, October 31. Those participating from the local church included Becky Braden, Teresa Lindley, Sammy Harris, Pat Bevers, Kayla Odom, Jimmy Kumberlin, Floyd Morrow, Jane Murphy, Jerry White, Charles Chambers and Jerry Drake.

The guest speaker, a sophomore student from Wayland Baptist College of Plainview, was Sherri McMillan. Sherri told of her experiences the past summer as a Christian youth worker in Bible Schools in Rio Grande Valley towns including some good experiences in Mexico.

The entire service was impressive and appreciated by all present. Richard and Ann Parchman are our Youth Coordinators.

COUNTRY STORE

ACTIVITIES BUZZING

Planning activities for the Country Store are gaining in impetus daily. A half-dozen committees are working, and everybody is busy with one or more supporting projects. A number of items have been contributed and others are coming in regularly. These include: a hog being made into country sausage and bacon, three mattresses, a deluxe model folding table for table tennis, more than a cord of firewood, decorative picket fence for a flower garden, tricycles, beautiful Fall flower and driftwood arrangements and many home canned arti-

Many other items are promised and are being prepared. They include sporting goods, furniture, books, Christmas decorations, hand tools, antiques, electric appliances, quilt scraps, good clothing, camping equipment and all kinds of home baked goodies.

The store will include a snack bar serving coffee and beverages along with home cooked donuts, pie, candy and cake, with lots of food to go.

The Country Store is a part of our Lord's Acre Program and proceeds from it will go into this fund. Donations of all kinds of salable items are welcomed and appreciated.

The Store opens the morning of November 11 in the Jackson Building on Main Street, and closes with a clean-up auction Saturday afternoon of November 13. Billy Wilson will be the auctioneer.

Everybody is invited to join in the fun and excitement of the Country Store. Wilda Snider and Elaine Odom, with a large core of helpers, are in charge of this project.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boyd of Levelland are the proud parents of a new son, Wesley Joe, born October 13 in Lubbock. He weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces. The couple has a daughter, Traci, who is $4\frac{1}{2}$ years old. Mrs. Boys is the former Carolyn Glenn.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Glenn of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boyd of Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry W. Morrow on the birth of a daughter born October 25 at 10:45 p.m. in Laurel, Maryland. She weighed seven pounds and one ounce, was twenty inches long, and has been named Adelle Marie.

Jerry is employed by the department of Health, Education and Welfare in Washington, D. C. in Data Processing. Jerry and Joyce live in Laurel, Md.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Orval Morrow of Meadow. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McPherson of 14 Meadow Drive, Linwood, N.J.

4-H Club to Meet

The Ropes Starlight 4-H Club will meet Monday, November 8, right after school in the cafeteria. There will be an electricity workshop.

Card of Thanks

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to each and everyone for the many kindnesses extended, the cards and lovely floral offering and words of understanding at the passing of our loved one. May God bless each of you.

The family of E. O. Schoenrock

MUSICAL AT MEADOW

Country and western musicals are being held each second Saturday of the month from 8 to midnight at the Baker Building in Meadow. Everyone is invited to attend, and bring the family.



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- FARM TRAILER LIGHTS
- NEW AND USED TRAILER TIRES
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866-4314 WOLFFORTH, TEXAS Mrs. Carolyn Sosebee and children of Lubbock visited Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. Irene Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Crawford of Littlefield visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mayfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dorsett and sons and Lillian Gryder and sons of Brownfield and Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hobbs and family of Ropes visited Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs. They all enjoyed making donuts.

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Russell and Mrs. Myrlene Summerfeld, De'Linda and D'Andra were in El Paso over the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Garrett and family, and had dinner with Lee and Vera Lee Klien. They returned through the Hondo Valley and brought home some apples.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wallace were in Amarillo over the weekend visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wallace and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Willis were in Oklahoma over the weekend visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carter. While there they purchased a registered White Face bull, and picked pecans.

Visitors in the home of Minnie Fewell the first of the week were Mrs. Earl Davis of Canyon, Mrs. Clara Bailey of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burtz of Canyon, owner of Sad Monkey Railroad and concession stand in Palo Duro Canyon.

Clifford Burtz of Amarillo visited later in the week.

To fete Masons

The Ropesville Order of the Eastern Star will entertain the Masons and their wives at the OES Hall in Ropes at 8 p.m. November 11.

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Schedule of Services:

Sunday Bible Classes

Worship Hour:

Evening Services:

Wednesday Ladies Class

Wednesday Bible Classes:

8:00 P.M.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST MISSION

Jesus Sepeda, Pastor

SUNDAY SCHOOL

WORSHIP SERVICES

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EVENING WORSHIP

WEDNESDAY PRAYER SERVICE

9:45 a.m.

11:00 a.m.

5:00 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

8:30 p.m.

North Timmons

Ropesville

Eagles claw Leopards

The New Home Leopards had a case of fumbilitis and the Ropes Eagles took advantage to post a 42-8 District 4-B victory on the New Home gridiron Friday night.

Sammy Belew and Wes Bradshaw led the onslaught for the Eagles. Bradshaw opened the scoring with a five-yarder in the first period and Belew ran the extras. Belew then ran for a TD in the second and passed to Archie Jordan for another.

Belew ran over another TD in the final period and Bradshaw hit Larry Shannon for a 35-yard TD pass. Shannon scored earlier in the period from five-yards out.

New Home's lone score came on a 35-yard passplay from Brad Smith to Rodney Overman.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hale of Waco, Mrs. Roy Bell Weiner of Dallas and Herman Shropshire of Brownfield were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dalton.

Ropes Eagle Varsity

11-5 Whiteface T 7:30 11-12 Meadow T 7:30 11-19 Sundown H 7:30 Conference games begin October 22, which is also Homecoming for Ropes.

Whistler, the painter, used a butterfly as his signature.

(8) FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS

TEXAS REFINERY CORP. offers high income opportunity to mature man in Ropesville area. PLUS regular cash and vacation bonuses, abundant fringe benefits. Regardless of experience airmail A. N. Pate, Pres., Texas Refinery Corp., Box 711, Fort Worth, Texas 76101.

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Former teacher's services Monday

Mrs. A. B. Reese, 87, of Lubbock died about 8:05 a.m. Friday in Methodist Hospital.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Monday in Ford Memorial Chapel of the First Baptist Church with the Rev. J. T. Bolding, associate minister, officiating.

Graveside services were held at 4 o'clock Monday in Knox City Cemetery in Knox City under direction of Sanders Funeral Home.

A native of Chester, Mrs. Reese had lived in Lubbock 29 years. She was a school teacher in Ropesville, Pep, Pettit and Union.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Lorena Curry and Mrs. Maye Murray, both of Lubbock, and Mrs. Alice Kidd of Austin; and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Charles Roberson, Latimore Swing, W. E. Lowrance, Daniel Bryan, David Armstrong, Henry Winfrey, J. P. Tackett and Horace Woodward.

Ropes School Cafeteria Menu

Nov. 8-12
MONDAY—
Burritos
Green Beans
Scalloped Potatoes
Sliced Peaches
Combread, Milk

TUESDAY—
Meat Balls, Spaghetti
Green Peas
Fruit Cobbler
Hot Rolls and Butter
Milk

WEDNESDAY—
Enchiladas
Pinto Beans
Tossed Salad
with Oil Dressing
Fruit Jello, Milk
Cornbread
THURSDAY—
Beef-Vegetable Soup
Crackers, Cornbread
Peanut Butter Cookies
Fruit, Milk

FRIDAY—
Hamburgers
Potato Chips
Pork & Beans
Lettuce and Tomato
Picles, Mustard, Onion
Fruit Cup, Milk

To elect director

Hockley County cotton producers and agribusiness men will elect a businessman director and a producer director to Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. at a 7 a.m. breakfast meeting on Wednesday, Nov. 10, at the Chat & Chew Restaurant, 411 College Ave., Levelland.

Announcement of the election comes from Bill Thompson of Shallowater, current Hockley County businessman director to the 25-county commodity organization. Each of the counties in PCG territory has two directors, one a businessman and the other a cotton producer. serve two-year terms, with businessmen normally elected on odd years and producers on even years. However, the death of producer director Chester Borders of Levelland makes it necessary for Hockley County to elect both directors this year.

All county farmers and businessmen are invited, and all are eligible to participate in the election, Thompson said.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Dalton spent Sunday in Tahoka visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor.



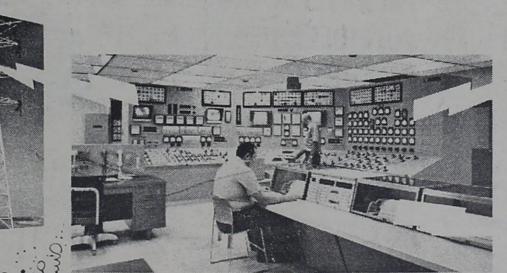
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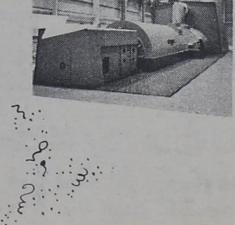
Saturday, November 6 — 11 a. m.-7 p. m.
Sunday, November 7 — 1 p. m.-7 p. m.

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CAKE MIX SHURFINE, D/L W/Y 3 for 89c
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SPINACH SHURFINE 16 - OZ	6	for	\$100	SP
SOUP SHURFINE, CHICKEN NOODLE, 101/2 - OZ			6	for

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