# THE ROPES PLAINSMAN

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ROPESVILLE, HOCKLEY COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 1964

has expired and an invitation to renew.

ATTENDS FUNERAL IN LOS ANGELES

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wynn of on March 17 in the school Shallowater, and Mr. and Mrs. cafeteria. The decorations, Orville Arant of Floydada menu and food were prepared were in Los Angeles, Califor- by the Homemaking III stunia, this past week where dents. they attended the funeral of The theme of the banquet a brother-in-law, Charles was centered around St. Pat- State Degree: Reynolds, who died of a heart rick's Day. The tables bore attack. They flew out and "Irish Potato Men" and the trip was made in three Shamrock Trees, while larger hours and twenty minutes, shamrocks covered the walls. But it was rough and in at- The following girls were tempting to get above the recognized for working toward turbulance the plane climbed their to 3800 feet. However, the Junior Degree: return trip was as smooth as if they had been sitting still. They went up to 29,000 feet and traveled at 595 miles an

--000-ATTEND TWO FUNERALS MONDAY

Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Young were in Lubbock on Monday morning where they attended the funeral of R. S. Ward. In the afternoon they attended the funeral of Fred Freeman at Big Spring.

T. LITTLEFIELD IS RECOVERING

The many friends of Tommy Littlefield were glad to see him in town the last few days. He is making a rapid recovery after surgery several days ago.

-000-CHICKENPOX IS IN EVIDENCE

According to school reports LEGISLATIVE POST some chickenpox cases have DEMOCRATIC PARTY made their appearance, but not enough to affect attendance.

DAN POWELL IS

IN DALLAS plastic surgery.

MEETING TO BE AT LEVELLAND

Hockley County Agriculture

There has been considera-ble progress made in develop-turned to Yoakum County

Time: 8:00 p.m.

Place:

Dr. Allen Wiese who has In school, Edwards held ATTEND AREA I tested most of these chemi-cals in research at the Bush-as 1963 president of the Exclees, application equipment, Chamber of Commerce. and spray systems. Bill Gun- Edwards is married to ter, Extension Agronomist, former Miss Anjie White. will discuss practical chemical weed control from his ex- the state representative's poperience over the Plains.

OUTSIDERS DEFEAT YOUNG HOMEMAKERS

IN BALLGAME 39-43 present a challenge to Out- our district. siders Basketball Team".

10:00 a.m.

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## If there is an X in this box News of Ropesville Future Homemakers

The annual FHA Mother- Chapter Degree: Mrs. Loyd Arant, her sister Daughter Banquet was held

Rosene Davis Jeanie Forbus Mary Lynn Gresham Freda McNabb



ROY EDWARDS FOR

Edwards, a farmer and businessman who has been a resident of Yoakum County 25 years, announces publicly today his candidacy for State the Ropes school system, is in graduated from Denver City Dallas where he is undergoing High School and attended Texas Technological College Davis, Donnie Blackmon, Berin Lubbock and the Freedom rilyn Thomas, Glenda Price, School in Colorado Springs, a school dealing with econ-To: Persons interested in omics and political science, Spivey, Gladys Pinkert, Danstressing the old American idea "each to his own ability"

ing chemicals for weed con- where he engaged in farming trol in cotton and grain sor- with his parents. Hoyt ghum. There will be a coun- (Blackie) and Marie Edwards, ty wide farmers meeting to for two years before entering the school cafeteria. The discuss these developments as the United States Army and | training at Ft. Ord, Calif.

Date: Tuesday night Mar. 31 His military stint completed, Edwards again returned Jeanie Forbus, Sandra Limon, Womens Building at to Denver City and Yoakum Dannie Fewell, Beth Floyd,

research work. Elmer Hud- City High School and has speth of the Lubbock Station served the organidation as an will discuss research at the officer for three years. Ed-Lubbock Station with herba- wards is also a member of the

Edwards is married to the

With his announcement for

"Being associated with the coat as Voting Delegate. oil field and farming, I be- Sarah Cato, as outgoing DOGS TO BE lieve that I can represent the third vice president, gave a VACCINATED The Young Homemakers best interest of all people in report on projects done dur- Dr. Byrd, of Lubbock, will

ders Basketball Team". "My past and future are outs. At the House of Dele-March 31 to vaccinate dogs. The president, Mrs. John tied to West Texas, and to the gates meeting Glenda Price The time will be from 6 to 8 Greeson, called a special 90th district and its people. was elected as incoming third The time will be from 6 to 8 meeting Friday. March 20 at I shall give my very best to vice president of Area I. The P. M. at the city hall. see that this district contin- meeting closed with the in-The Young Homemakers ues to have an honest, fair stallation service. Dr. Ray METHODIST REVIVAL

to play another game, the counsel, your support and one row", and also we the bene- open Sunday night. proceeds to be donated to the of your most precious rights, diction. your vote."

Gladys Pinkert

Janet Ream Glenda Price Berrilyn Thomas Jane Spivey Marilyn Chitwood Sue Sosebee

Charlotte Johnson Pam Searsy

bee did a pantomine to the be partial to items made of record, a "Long Tall Texan". cotton. Charlotte Johnson played a Rosene Davis played "Whis-

green corsage by her daught- price for cotton. er. Three mothers, who have

was Mrs. S. L. Bishop from demand cotton goods. Lubbock. Her speech was en- One lady told us of an ex- under construction.

Homemaking III students for a living. their work in helping to make a beautiful banquet.

with their mothers: Mary Lynn Gresham, Rosene during cotton week, but each Southern Division, Lubbock. Electric power has also in Charlotte Johnson, Marilyn Chitwood, Sue Sosebee, Jane nie Fewell, Freda Pointer, Pat Bridwell, Sandra Jeffcoat, Pam Searsy and Geraldine Blair.

FHA GIRLS SERVE AT FFA BANQUET

Qn March 13th the FFA held their annual banquet in following FHA girls served:

Gladys Pinkert, Rosene Da-ATTEND AREA I

third vice president, they attended a dinner - meeting SUNRISE EASTER that night. The other girls SERVICE SUNDAY came the next day. Those The Ropes First who attended were:

we hope you can attend the meeting, as we believe you can gain a good foundation of knowledge which will help you better understand chemical weed control as it develops in future years.

Bill Taylor

Hockley County Agent.

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Hockley

# **National Cotton Week** Is April 5th Thru 11th

Cotton Week in Texas will | week in the year. be celebrated this year from April 5 through-11.

is the second largest producing county in the state, cotton is a most important item -it is the foundation of the economy-the thing which There were four different keeps us going. In the light types of entertainment. Mar- of this, people of this county ilyn Chitwood and Sue Sose- and the South Plains should

It is no disgrace to wear piano solo entitled "Moon cotton goods, instead it should education available to the River"; Berrilyn Thomas sang be an honor, and when a "A Little Song of Life"; and cotton farmer goes to buy shirts and other items he pering Hope" on her accor- should demand cotton. In doing this he is but putt' ; ; Each mother was presented money in his own pocket and with a beautiful white and helping to guarantee a higher

You can step into any large been FHA Chapter Mothers department store and visit for the past three years, were the racks where women's appresented with a long stem parel are displayed and you red rose. These mothers were will find nine dresses of other the might still be just a dream in cotton ginning. Mrs. J. C. Pointer, Mrs. M. E. fiber and one of cotton. This Children would still be play-Jeffcoat and Mrs. H. E. Sear- is a thing which can be changed by the family of the The speaker for the night cotton producer if they will

titled "A Recipe for Happi- perience: She was in a large brought to Ropesville by the The banquet was enjoyed pose of buying a dress and he me Benezit there would mount, and, with the old beit by all who were present. A the saleslady told her this is Carol Wilkinson for her help just as good as cotton. The ketball teams, and none of operation or high quality ginin making this banquet one ladv replied, "Not to me it

their prosperity—and all of educator of the young people automation to the cotton gin-Sarah Cato, Joyce Bevers, us are-would demand cotton of Ropesville."

Janet Ream, Jeanie Forbus, should think over, not only Company, Lubbock District, powered gin could not fill.

WHAT DOES COTTON MEAN TO OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS?

by O. V. Fuller Cotton contributes 55 percent of the school tax dollar. Without cotton the public schools would never have been able to reach the standard of

young people of Ropesville. The physical plant of Ropes Independent Schools is becoming the envy of many of tion. Without cotton the high, As great as was the proschool and junior high school gress in the irrigation end of tudents might still be at- cotton production and protending classes in the old red cessing, it is far overshadowed brick school building, and the by the contributions that efine new elementary building lectric power has made to the minds of area educators. ing in the space now covered by the beautiful, moder in junior high school building now

Without the young people Ropes Eagle football or bas- opportunities for flexibility in the fine Ropes Eagle spirit ning such as is necessary towhich thrives in this comto remember, also to the isn't. I depend on cotton for munity. It would be correct heir work in helping to make If the women folks of the beautiful banquet. South Plains who are actualThe following attended by dependent on cotton for educator of the world be correct it power, which made it possible to have a small motor, sized to the job, at area cotton industry. "Cotton, area cotton industry. "Cotton, area cotton industry."

Dan Powell, employed in Denver City, the candidate Freda and Kathy McNabb, This is something that you Southwestern Public Service day, a role that the engine



land Station will discuss his student Association of Denver Mrs. Carol Wilkinson and Brownfield, making the race elland, candidate for sheriff Sarah Cato left for Amarillo for State Representative. A of Hockley County. This picto attend the Area I FHA full write-up concerning Mr. ture should have been in the meeting. As Sarah is Area George will appear next week. paper some weeks ago but was misplaced. ---000-

The Ropes First Methodist MEET APRIL 13TH Church and the Ropes Church We are requested to state suitable for agricultural de-Mrs. Stanley Spivey and of the Nazarene will hold there will be a meeting of the velopment. sition, Edwards issued a for-Jane, Marilyn Chitwood, Kar-joint sunrise Easter services Cub Scouts in the Community

ing the year on school drop- be, in Ropes on Tuesday,

invitation to attend.

On Friday, March 20, 1964, ABOVE - Jesse T. George, of ABOVE - Bob Norman of Lev-

CUB SCOUTS TO

FOUND

by my home. Owner may ducts a number of programs claim same by paying for this designed to assist the cotton

MRS. WYGAL HOME

The spring revival of the the bedside of her mother, re- ciations, and designed to im-"Outsiders Basketball Team" "I sincerely solicit your ing Today—Seeding Tomormother is critically ill, and conomy of cotton gin opera-The public has a cordial Mrs. Wygal will likely return tion, to Lockney this week,

Following is the first of a gone together on the South eries of articles written by Plains for a long time, with In Hockley County, which different people about cotton electric power making many -more will appear next week. | contributions to progress and modernization in the cotton industry, and cotton playing a major role in many decisions on the location and installation of electric facilities to serve the region.

The development of irrigated cotton would have come at least 20 years later than it did if it hadn't been for electric motors. Motors made irrigation practical, cut the energy cost and introduced many time and manpower saving economics to irriga-

The old gins, driven by either a steam or internal combustion engine, served or perfect examples of acute inefficiency. You always had more or less power than y "1 needed, never the right a-

Electric power, which made ning process and made it possible to turn out the higher Kay Jackson, Mary Jackson, the stores would stock cotton. Gene McDonal, District Mgr. quality cotton demanded to-

troduced some comfort factors to cotton ginning in that electric heat makes it possible to heat the work areas in a gin, something that it was impossible to do with other types of heating equipment because of the fire hazard. Infra-red lamps have been installed in a number of South Plains gins to provide heat, and, in addition, many good lighting applications have improved gin efficiency and operation.

The agricultural economy of the region in general, and cotton, in particular, were taken into consideration when Southwestern Public Service Company located its largest generating station, Plant X.

Plant X, which will have a capability of nearly 500,000 kilowatts by this summer, was located in the sand hills area of Lamb County so that the water necessary for the operation of the generating equipment would not be coming from a land area that was

week, is now much improved. ment of Southwestern Public Service Company, aware of the importance of cotton to Half-inch galvanized pipe the economy of the area, con-W. H. Wilkison industry. The principal effort in this field has been a number of electric ginning Mrs. C. E. Wygal, who had conferences, held in cooperabeen in Lockney attending tion with local ginners' asso-

#### CANDIDATES VISIT

Myrl Brock, candidate for re-election as commissioner

land, candidate for State Re- it. presentative, was a visitor in Ropes Tuesday. He says if he is elected he will give his full TIM GOTCHERS time to the office he is seek- HAVE VISITORS ing, will prosecute hot check law enforcement officers in the county.

advertising of her husband, Floydada. Roy Edwards, who is seeking

the post of State Representa- SCHOOL CAFETERIA live of this district.

Jesse T. George of Brownof Precinct 1, was a pleasant field, is traveling around this caller in the Ropes commun-part of the country mighty 31 through April 3: ity Tuesday. He said the lack last these days, seeing all the potato salad, buttered peas, of moisture had just about voters possible. He wants to brought his road machinery be our State Representative, and was in Ropes Monday Harold Phelan of Level- letting the folks know about

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gotcher artists, and cooperate with had as visitors Saturday their son, Mr. and Mrs. Garth Gotcher and Dennis Ray. Den-Mrs. Roy Edwards of Den- nis Ray has been in a hospital VISITS IN BATESVILLE ver City was in Ropes Mon- at Lubbock for treatment. day, bringing with her some but is improved. They live at

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MENU MAR. 31 - APR. 3 Following is the menu for the school cafeteria for Mar.

Tuesday: Barbecued ham, pineapple, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Wednesday: Creamed potatoes, meat loaf, blackeye peas, canned peaches, hot rolls,

butter and milk. Thursday: Hot dogs, navy brans, buttered spinach, fruit cobbler and milk.

Friday: Grill cheese sandwiches, potato chips, tossed ,150-1 salad, ice cream, milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Redman and Mrs. Wallace Thrash and children were in Bates-Hie over the weekend where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Robertson.

VISIT MOORES

Rev. and Mrs. Dan Jones, of Lubbock, were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Moore. Rev. Jones is a former pastor of Ropes Church of the Nazarene.

#### TOM REDMANS HAVE VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Redman had as their visitors this past week end their son, Mr. and Mrs. James Redman of Well-

TSITS IN LUBBOCK

John R Popeiov, father of Mrs. Bob Whitlock, visited on the weekend in Lubbock with his son, Reese Popejoy and family.

L CKEUNIALITE HD CLUB MET MAR. 18

The Lockettville HD Club net at the Dalton Redman home March 18, with Mrs. Tack Avers presiding. Mrs. will odom gave the program on "Study of the American Heritage"

Those present were Mmes. Bud Arnwine, Bill Odom, J. C. Armstrong, E. E. Nix, Preston Reeves, James Fierce, Ayers, and Miss Glynda Nix and hostess Mrs. Redman.

The next meeting will be April 1 in the home of Mrs. James Pierce.

Reporter.

FRATO WATSON HOME FROM GERMANY

Gerald Watson, who has een in Germany for the past 25 months, was discharged from the army Monday. He arrived in Ropes Tuesday and

and Mrs. A. T. Watson and

ther relatives. Gerald states he is very ad to be in "the States".

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EVANS FOOD STORE MUTUAL INSURANCE WEEK MAR. 22-28, 1964 printed this last week.)

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HAROLD PHELAN SAYS:

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known as Mutual Insurance Week, proclaimed by members of the National Associa- the business." 1212th anniversary of the es-

"The illustrious Benjamin Franklin was founder of that and to vigorouly prosecute company on March 25, 1752. all "Hot Check" and Liquor It was organized under the mutual plan of operation and

insurance companies of the became known as the Phila-tual Aid Association of which the race". nation will observe Mutual delphia Contributionship for Mr. Schwenke is president (As usual, we should have Insurance Week for the first the Insurance of Houses from was organized in 1897 and has time during 1964, Paul Sch- Loss by Fire. The company \$360 million insurance in elland, but seeking a differ-

> announced today. The Ger- "week" is to increase the pub- SOUTH PLAINS mania Farm Mutual Aid As-lic's understanding of mutual COLLEGE NEWS sociation has its home office insurance, how it functions | March 13 - 15 Phi Theta ritory early and late. We are in Brenham and operates and how the public may de- Kappa from SPC went to Cor- convinced he is serious! throughout the state of Tex- pend upon its expanding ser- ous Unristi for the Regional

Texas Association of Mutual Colonial America," Schwenke Junior college students. The Fire & Storm Insurance Com- added, "the property-liability convention met at Del Mar Mr. Schwenke said, "The to a tremendous size with \$33 attended, including the sponbillion in assets, \$16 billion sor Mrs. Inez Grant and Carweek of March 22-28 will be in annual premium and 1.2 olyn Glenn from the Ropesmillion persons working in ville community. The group

Companies, to observe the ed after the number one com. The weather was beaut pany, now number 2,320, pay and sunny, and after we relosses exceeding \$2 billion a turned we nad a good of My pledge to the citizens of insurance company on this year. Also significant are West Texas sandstorm. mutual insurance dividends and cash savings of \$223 mil- CANDIDATES HERE lion returned to the policy- Bob Norman of L holder resulting from risk se- who hopes to one day soon he lection and loss prevention measure.

The Germania Farm Ma-



ALTON LOGSDON Will Appreciate Your Vote For

County Commissioner Prec. 1, Hockley County

I am making an effort to see each voter in the precinct. If I should fail to see you please consider this a personal solictation for your vote and in. fluence.

force in Texas.

Convention. Phi Theta Kap-"From a modest start in pa is the honor society for insurance industry has grown College. Fourteen members traveled fourteen hours by Mutual companies pattern. bus to reach Corpus Christi.

Bob Norman of Levelland, our sheriff, was in town last Thursday jogging the voters' memories that he is still "in

#### POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following political announcements are made subject to the Democratic Pri-

STATE REPRESENTATIVE: W. A. "Judge" BYNUM HOWARD E. RAGLAND A. B. (Alf) CARPENTER JESSE T. GEORGE

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY: HAROLD PHELAN FOR SHERIFF:

WEIR CLEM (Re-election) **BOB NORMAN** 

Tax ASSESSOR-COLLECTCR: FRANK BURNETT

(Re-election 2nd Term) COMMISSIONER, PREC. 1:

MYRL BROCK (Re-election 2nd term) ALTON LOGSDON



VOTE FUN

WEIR CLEM For Re-election

### SHERIFF HOCKLEY CO.

While I am gong to try and meet each of you personally the duties of my office may prevent me seeing you, if so, please consider this a personal solictation for your vote on May 2.



**MYRL BROCK** Solicites Your Vote for Re-election

### COMMISSIONER PREC. 1

Hockley County

I will endeavor to contact each of you -should I fail to do so please consider this a personal solicitation of your vote on May 2.

Alton Logsdon, also of Levent office-that of Commissioner of this precinct-Precinct One, was here Friday. Alton is getting over the ter-

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BLUE SHOWER

A PINK AND

A pink and blue shower will be held for Mrs. Johnny Epperson on Friday, April 3rd, in the home of Mrs. J. H. Gregg at 3:00 P.M.

Everyone is invited.

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# state Representative

Democratic Party

### ROPES FARMERS COOP GIN

# Annual Meeting

**MARCH 31, 1963** 

Bar-B-Que Suppor 6 to 8 p. m. SCHOOL CAFETERIA

### ENTERTAINMENT **Tollie Stephenson Band**

7-00 to 8:00 HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Business Meeting in Auditorium 1 Director to be Elected

Total Dividends in Cash Allocated \$78,783.14

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Statement of Conditions and Operations for the

12 Months Period, Jan. 1, 1963 to Dec. 31, 1963

#### RECEIPTS

	-
Membership Dues	\$ 11,310.00
Assessments on New Enrollments	90,079.56
Annual Assessment Levy	1,028,597.12
Securities Matured or Sold	433,102.50
Interest on Securities Owned	
Sunary Receipts	561.76
Loss Refunds & Subrogation	44.85
Cash on Hand January 1, 1963	400,619,92
	\$2,172,110.45

### ASSETS

Cash in Banks	313,323.94
U.S. and Other Bonds (Cost)	5,5- 057.21
Accrued Interest on Securities	60,018.18
Home office Building, Land,	
Furniture, Fixtures & Autos	- 126,031.11
Market value of Bonds Over Book Value	144,200.15
	6,167,590.59

### LESS NON-ADMITTED ASSETS

Furniture, Fixtures and Autos	44,824.31
Total Lot Admitted Assets	\$6,122,766.28
DISBURSEMENTS	
Fire Losses	\$ 427,304.17
Storm Losses	70,792.71
Hail Losses	99,079.44
Lightning Losses	10,118.50
Salaries and Retainer Fees	94,274.41
Taxes, Dues, Insurance and Audit	
Directors & Dist. Meeting Fall	44,114.93
Educational and Minutes Printed	12 202 0.1
Securities Purchased and Accruals	
Assessments Refunded	
Operating Expenses, (Utilities	15,123.00
Repairs Supplies, Office Exp.	20,982.15
Re-imbursed Exp. (Inspections	
and Loss Adjustments	6,063.05
Equipment and Autos Purchas	1 P P 05 11
Cash on Hand December 31, 363	. 313.323 94
	\$2,172,110.45
LIABILITIES AND NET WORT	н
Claims Pending and Unpaid	\$ 30 780 06

Current Bills Payable .....

Net Worth ...... 6 092.510.60

Total Liabilities and Net Worth ...... \$6,122,766.28

Local Chapters ...... 243

Insurance in Force ...... 356,309,459.00

Current Annual Rate ....30c. Per \$100.00 Insurance

Locally served through Local Chapter No. -

Bud Rucker, President

We have been awaiting an explanation about the Young Homemakers and Outsiders basketball game, due to the fact the pictures that were taken of the game have not yet been received. The Young Homemakers were defeated 39 to 45. Those who were not!

Those attending the meet- SCHOOL TRUSTEES ing were Orheana Greeson. Anita Means, Von Ayers, Kay Nobles, Betty Whitehead, Genell Ward and Gwenelle Cuilimore.

FASTER SUNDAY DATES FROM 1950

other.

Mrs. Virgil Wright was kind enough to copy the following dates of Easter Sunday from 1950 to 2000 which she found in her Bible:

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### CUTSIDERS

From Page 1 Hockley County Cancer Drive. 11 you, I'ne Outsiders, are willing to play another game,

1988 ..... April 3 1000 ...... March 26 1990 ..... April 15 please contact Peggy Means, 1001 ...... March 31 5(12-3523, by March 31st. | ..... April 19 1993 ..... April 11 1994 ..... April 3 1995 ..... April 16 1996 ..... April 7 1997 ...... March 30 1998 ..... April 12 1999 ..... April 4 2000 ..... April 23 there missed a good game but So now you know! will have a chance to see an-

CANDIDATES FOR

The following have been selected as candidates for school trustees of Ropesville school district:

1985 ..... April 7

1986 ...... March 30

G. C. Bevers Charles Shannon H. Joe Schwartz Glenn Price

Dee H. Lindley Slim Weatherly Three are to be elected.

---000---April 12 - 28: Absentee voting period for May Primary. April 22 - 24: Sworn statement of campaign account filed not more than 10 nor less than 7 days preceding May Primary.

April 28: Absentee voting Last day for May Primary. May 2: FIRST PRIMARY

ELECTION. May 9: COUNTY CONVEN-

TION. May 12: Sworn supplemental Statement of account filed not more than 10 days af-

ter May Primary. May 26 - 28: Sworn state ment of campaign account filed not more than 10 nor less than 7 days preceding

June Primary. May 27 - June 2: Absented voting period for June Pri-

June 2: Absentee voting. Last day for June Primary. June 6: SECOND PRIMARY

June 16: Sworn supplemental Statement of account filed not more than 10 days after June Primary.

September 15: STATE CON-VENTION MEETS. November 3: GENERAL E

LECTION. ---000---

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Wayne Perry, Pastor Order of Services: Sunday School ...... 9:45 an Worship Service .... 11:00 a.m. Training Union .... 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship .... 7:00 p.m Midweek Prayer

Service ..... 7:00 p.m W.M.U. Tuesday after first and third Sundays - 3 p.m Sunbeams, G. A.'s and

R. A.'s ...... 3:45 p.m. -----

Methodist Church Sunday: Church School .... 10:00 a.m

Morning Worship ... 11 a.m Wednesday: Prayer meeting .... 6:00 PM \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

### Church of Christ

Jonn L. Greeson, Minister Services Sunday:

Classes ..... 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship....10:50 A.M. Even'g Worship ... 5:00 P.M Services Wednesday: Classes ..... 7:30 p.m.

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# Church of the Nazarene

Rev. W.	O. JOI.	mson, Pa	astor
Sunday .	Services	:	
Sunc' av	cohool		9:45
Morning	worshi	p	11:00

NYPS ..... 6:30 p.m. Evening Service ...... 7 p.m. Wednesday Evening: Prayer Meeting ...... 7:30 pm ----

### NOTICE

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SCHOOL OUT THURSDAY FOR EASTER HOLIDAYS

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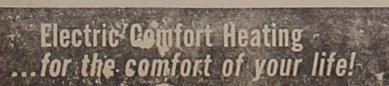
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