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Now let us take a look at Lyndon Johnson of Whom it is said his brothers in the senate have such great faith—this son of Confederate Texas. Reardless of what his colleagues might think, regardless of what the party might think, Lyndon Johnson is about as popular in the South as a tom cat at a rat convention.

When "Southern" Lyndon made his fight for civil rights legislator with teeth in it—teeth enough that offenders could be slapped in jail for asserting their rights as "white" citizens; and when the presidential bug bit Lyndon he turned his back on the South, and denied any affiliation with his Southern brothers. He declared he was one hundred per cent American, and if some regional label was required, why, he is a westerner.

It was after these assertions that the newspapers in the deep south nut loose with such headlines as these:

"South is Betrayed Again by Johnson for the Sake of His Own Ambitions," was the way the Augusta, Georgia Herald put it; while the Shreveport, Louisiana Journal declared, "He is Despised by the People He Has Betrayed." In Tennessee the Nashville Banner screamed, "He is a Political Charlatan"; In Florida the Jacksonville Times-Union broke loose with "The Southern Benedict Arnold"; In South Carolina the Columbia State termed him, "The Texas Yankee"; and space forbids the mention of a raft of other Southern newspapers who failed to believe in Lyndon.

So, the fact slaps us in the face, if Kennedy is elected president, if he carries the South, it will be in spite of and not because of Lyndon Johnson.

Then we come to Jack Kennedy, who has gone about the country crying "Persecution". Kennedy is the one who injected the religious issue in the campaign—he is using it to get sympathy and to get votes and an unsuspecting public is listening with open mouth.

The Kennedys are trying to buy their way into the White House with millions made mostly from the sale of whiskey, and in speaking of Jack Kennedy before he was nominated by a steam roller greased with money, Ex-President Truman said: "I have no objection to Senator Kennedy's Pope, but I do object to Senator Kennedy's pop—Pop Joe Kennedy—who is trying to buy the White House for his little boy."

The Indianapolis Star, Sunday August 14, 1960, said

"Why won't Jack Kennedy be frank enough to admit publicly that it was his Catholic friends who gave him the nomination? The five big states were for Kennedy. Mayor Wagner, who led the New York delegation, is a Catholic. Governor Lawrence of Pennsylvania, who turned Pennsylvania over to Kennedy, is a Catholic. Governor Mike DiSalle of Ohio, who gave the entire Ohio delegation to Kennedy, is a Catholic. Mayor Daley of Chicago, who controlled the Illinois delegation, is a Catholic."
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PEAK LOAD OF STUDENTS FILL SCHOOL BUILDING TO OVERFLOWING

At the present time the Ropes schools have a near peak in attendance, with the number of pupils being 646 in the white schools and 45 in the colored school, making a total of 691.

It is a capacity load—the grade school has 371, with some rooms having as many as 42 and none under 33. This jams and crams the elementary school building which was designed, at the peak, to house more than 300 pupils.

In the Junior High there are 177 in attendance, which also crams this old and out of date building.

In High School there are 108 students.

This past week the school holidays were set:

Thanksgiving school will turn out on Thursday and remain closed until Monday.

Christmas the schools will turn out on December 21 and will remain closed until January 3rd.

In March the school will be dismissed at least one or more days for the district teachers meeting in Lubbock.

Easter the schools will be closed Friday to Tuesday of the following week.

The school term will end May 19, 1961.

Homecoming will be held Friday night of this week. The Eagle Band will serve a fried chicken supper and a football game will be played between Ropes and Whiteface.

Twis weekend Mr. Sams and Mr. Patterson will attend a meeting of secondary principals in Dallas. The meeting will last through Monday and Tuesday of next week.

In Junior High Principal Pat Patterson told us that the intelligence tests being given in the seventh grade were about completed. It is required by the State that these tests be given first in the seventh grade. In two weeks the tests will be given to the 5th, 6th and 8th grades.

Thursday afternoon the Junior High football team will play Amherst at Am-

Lynual Gibson Of Plains

In Germany

BAD TOLZ, GERMANY (AHTNC) — Specialist Four Lynual H. Gibson, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Q. Gibson, Plains, Texas, graduated from the Seventh U. S. Army Non - Commissioned Officer Academy September 23 in Bad Tolz, Germany.

Specialist Gibson received four weeks of training in map reading, combat tactics and leadership.

He is regularly assigned as a fire-team leader in Combat Support Company of the 3d Division's 15th Infantry in Bamberg, Germany. Gibson entered the Army in March 1958 and arrived overseas in July of this year.

Visits Parents

Troy Witherspoon, who is stationed at El Paso, was here over the weekend visiting his parents and other relatives.

herst. So far the team has lost but one game, giving them a three to one record.

SENIOR CLASS NEWS
We want to thank everyone for attending our chicken dinner. Also, we appreciate everyone buying our programs at the football games. We hope you will continue buying as all the money goes toward the senior trip.

SIX WEEKS EXAMS

Six weeks examinations were held in the Junior High this week and report cards will be handed out next week.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWS

Grade 3-A
One group has a new reader, "Finding New Neighbors", and the workbook to accompany it. While studying the review words for our Spelling test we had an oral Spelling match. It was lots of fun to see who stood up the longest. We spelled, not only all the review words, but went on several lessons ahead.

Those children who have not missed a word in Spelling this six weeks, including the six weeks test, are: Billy Tudor, Dwain Davis, Dana Collins, Eva Gutierrez, Keny Thrash, Kyle King, and Mike Allen.

GRADE 3B - Mrs. Dopson

We have had an unusual interest in reading library books. These pupils have read twenty or more books: Octavio Reyna, Linda Cruz, Buster Wright, Ramon Camarillo, Martha Smith, Pam Ream, Janice Ayers, Lynn Searsy, Sylvia Perez, Paul Cruz, and Carmen Garcia.

We are learning some poems and songs about Columbus. Wednesday is October 12, and we will have a short program in our room about Columbus. We drew Columbus' three ships, The Pinta, The Nina and the Santa Maria.

GRADE 1B

We have a new little sister in our room born Monday morning. She is Melvin Rackler's sister. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Horvace Rackler.

Jerry Tate In Abilene

For Weekend

Jerry C. Tate, director of the Ropes Eagle Band, went to Abilene over the weekend to attend the McMurry College Homecoming. One of the largest groups of exes were present. The McMurry Band played a concert for the college exes and many are predicting that the band will be the best in the history of McMurry. Mr. Tate said that plans are being made for the McMurry Band to play a concert in Ropes on the night of December 5th.

Visits Sister Saturday Night

Visitors Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Mayfield were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Thurman, Billie Carlene, Patsy and Gail, and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Means, Dennis and Nina, all of Lubbock.

Raymond Ross To Speak Here

Mr. Raymond Ross, District Chairman of the George White District of Boy Scouts of America, will speak to the Lions Club and their guests on Monday, October 17, 1960, in the school cafeteria. Mr. Ross will show the film he made at the National Boy Scout Jamboree in Colorado Spring last summer. Mr. Ross has been active in scouting for the past 20 years or more. He is an implement dealer in Morton, Texas. He is interested in the Lions Club, Boy Scouts, and many other activities. His film is strictly his own, and made of the scenes he had the opportunity to take. Among other things, it shows about 35,000 boy scouts going to church at the jamboree. This is one of many impressive scenes.

Dwight Hardin and Johnny Snider will receive their promotion to First Class Scouts at the meeting. They are the first members of Troop 173 to earn this promotion. Several other boys are working on this, but have not completed all of it as yet. This is one of the hardest advancements to make. A boy must learn the International Morse Code and be able to send and receive a message in code of not less than twenty words. This is only one of many requirements.

The Boy Scouts of Troop 173 will be guests at the movie and talk by Mr. Ross. Their parents, and any other interested parties, are also invited to attend. The movie is scheduled to begin about 8:00 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Donald Moreland Is Enrolled At Hardin - Simmons

Donald Lynn Moreland, a senior and son of H. B. Moreland, is enrolled at Hardin-Simmons University for the 1960 fall term.

Moreland, a former student at Baylor University, is majoring in psychology and minoring in history. He is working toward the bachelor of arts degree. He is a graduate of Levelland High School.

Young Peoples Class Has Party Tuesday

The young people's class of the Ropes Nazarene Church enjoyed a werner roast and skating party at Lubbock on Tuesday night. There were eleven present, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Whitehead and Mrs. E. W. Cavitt. Everyone reported a nice time.

On Sick List

Debbie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Mayfield, is sick this week with a throat ailment.

Ill This Week

Sheryl Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris, was taken to Lubbock Tuesday for medical treatment. She is suffering with a throat ailment.

For Sale

Duroc weaning pigs. See S. D. Buchanan, Ropesville.

ROPE EAGLES CONTINUE UNDEFEATED AS IT GRINDS WILSON TEAM INTO DUST

By Don Whitlock
The Ropes Eagles showed their might Friday night as they coasted to a 52-14 victory over the Wilson Mustangs. The Ropesville Eagles, ranked 3rd on the South Plains in Class B, took an early first lead, 24-0, and were never headed.

Ropesville elected to receive the opening kickoff. They received the kickoff and with a dazzling offense marched 65 yards in 6 plays as Larry Witt went the final ten yards to start the scoring. Buford Moore scooted around right end for two points.

Ropesville then kicked off and recovered a fumble on the 45 yard line and a long march started again. It was Buford Moore this time who went four yards for six points. Ronnie Ayers ran around left end for the two points and the score was 16-0 before Wilson had run a play.

Ropesville again kicked and Wilson ran the ball to the 35 yard line. One long pass brought them only 25 yards from a touchdown, but fumbled and Ropesville recovered. Four plays later it was Buford Moore who went 30 yards for 6 points. Moore also added the two points and at the end of the first quarter was 24-0.

Ropesville then kicked off to Wilson. Wilson was unable to move against a strong Ropes defense. Fumbles stopped a Ropesville drive. Later on Wilson fumbled on their own 49 yard line and five plays later Bobby Bevers threw a 23-yard pass to Curtis Don Means who went 14 yards to score. The try for 2 points failed and the score was 30-0.

Ropesville then kicked off to Wilson who was again unable to move the ball. They were forced to punt. Ropes fumbled the punt on the 4-

yard line. They held Wilson there for three plays, but on the fourth down Leroy Schneider for Wilson went 4 yards for the touchdown. Quarterback Surpy Beneviced passed to Larry Petty for 2 points. The half ended with the score, Ropesville 30, Wilson 8.

Ropesville kicked to Wilson to start the second half. They were unable to move and were forced to punt. A few plays later it was Larry Witt who ran 38 yards for the touchdown. Buford Moore went for 2 points.

Ropesville again kicked to Wilson who ran it down to the 14-yard line, but could not move it from there. Ropesville took over on the 20-yard line but fumbled. Four plays later Junior Hewlett went 11 yards for the touchdown for Wilson. The try for 2 points failed. This ended the third quarter with the score 38-14.

Wilson then kicked off to Ropesville. Steady gains by Larry Witt and Ronnie Ayers brought the ball to the 12-yard line. On the next play Bobby Bevers threw a pass to Curtis Means who made it to the seven. As he was being tackled he pitched out to Buford Moore who went into the end zone all alone. The try for 2 points failed. This left the score at 44-14.

Ropesville then kicked to Wilson. A pass interception by Larry Witt started another touchdown drive. From there Ropes took the ball to the 9-yard line. A short pass to Jackie Weatherly brought the ball to the 1-yard line. Ronnie Ayers carried it across for 6 points. Junior Wilson carried for 2 points. The clock then ran out, leaving the score at 54-14, Ropesville's fifth straight triumph with no defeats.

This week, October 14, Ropesville begins district play against Whiteface at Ropesville.

School Cafeteria

Menu For Oct. 17 - 21

Monday - Baked ham, buttered broccoli, ranch style beans, cherry cobbler, buttered hot rolls and milk.

Tuesday - Fried chicken, new potatoes, green beans, congealed salad, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Thursday - Barbecued wieners, baked beans, fresh turnips and greens, ice cream, corn bread and milk.

Friday - Fish portions, blackeye peas, tossed green salad, lemon dessert, light bread and milk.

Skating Rink Still Operating

The skating rink at the Community Center in Ropes is still operating.

Skating starts each Saturday night at 7:30 and continues until 10 o'clock. You can get your skates at the building or you can furnish your own.

Visits In Ropes

Napoleon Jones and family, who live in New Mexico, were here last week visiting friends.

Napoleon is a former citizen of Ropes and is known by many of our people.

Eagle Band

Chicken Dinner

The Ropes Eagle Band is sponsoring a Fried Chicken Dinner this Friday night, October 14th, from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. in the High School Cafeteria.

Proceeds will help send the band to the Sun Bowl in El Paso on December 30 - January 2nd. Adults can eat for only \$1.00 and students for 75c.

Meet your friends at the dinner, then attend the Ropes Homecoming Football game.

Visit Daughter Over Weekend

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lovelless were in Lovington, New Mexico, over the weekend visiting in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn D. Patman and girls. They attended church at that place Sunday morning.

Visit Levelland On Friday

Mrs. Bob Thomas and Mrs. W. O. Drake were in Levelland Friday of last week to help Mrs. Willie Murphy celebrate her birthday.

olic. Governor Pat Brown of California, another Kennedy state, is a Catholic. The delegations from these five states, led by Catholics, put over Kennedy's nomination.

However, even in the face of this, we are not opposing Kennedy because he is a Catholic—we go along with the Star, which states our position clearly:

"We are opposed to him because he is completely lacking in administration experience to assume the responsibilities of the presidency in the handling of foreign policy and domestic issues.

We are opposed to him because he never has given any indication of deep-down convictions about American freedom or the rights of individual citizens.

"We are opposed to him because as a senator from Massachusetts he has represented minority pressure groups instead of the people of his state. He is the darling of the AFL-CIO (COPE) and the ADA, who boast that he has always voted for them 100 per cent, and his record proves he has. No man who is under such complete obligation to left-wing pressure groups should ever be elected President of the United States.

We are especially opposed to him because he allowed Walter Reuther and his man Friday, Chester Bowles, to write the radical Democratic platform and then he accepted it without a single protest. This platform was a socialist manifesto and the most radical platform ever presented to the American people by either of the two great parties. Walter Reuther is an avowed socialist, but that doesn't seem to make any difference to Jack Kennedy.

AND LAST, we are opposed to having the White House put up for political sale. It is obvious that the Kennedy family intends to get into the White House, no matter what it costs and no matter what concessions have to be made in order to do it. Pop Joe Kennedy will continue to pour out his millions in an all-out attempt to "put his little boy in the White House".

We don't believe the American people will buy. We believe the American people in overwhelming numbers will tell the Kennedys and the world that the White House is not for sale."

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Schedule of

Services for Church of Christ

SUNDAY:
Bible Study 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship...10:50 AM
Evening Worship...6:00 P.M.
Song Practise 7:00 P.M.
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Evening Studies 7:30 p.m.

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Order of Service:
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11:00
NYPS, Juniors 6:30
Evening Service 7:00
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30

Methodist

News Notes

While passing the church during the last week or so, you probably noticed the repainting we are having done on the church. The ceiling and upper walls of the Sanctuary, the vestibule, and the Couples Class room (by the Couples Class) have been repainted. The wood trim and gables of the church are now being repainted. We deeply appreciate this work and the interest shown in the attractiveness of our church.

All of you are cordially invited to attend our services which are as follows:

SUNDAY:
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship 11:00
M. Y. F. 6:45
Evening Worship 7:30
WEDNESDAY:
Bible Study and Prayer meeting7:00 P.M.
Choir practice 8 P.M.

Visitors

From El Paso

Sgt. and Mrs. Charley Halford and sons, Earl and Jimmy, of El Paso, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Watson, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kimberlin, also a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Watson, Donnie and Will, of Lubbock. Mrs. Halford is the former Ella Watson.

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Troy Morris
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of October, 1960.

J. W. Berry
My commission expires June 1st, 1961.

(Seal) —o—

Rex Darby Has Birthday Party

Rex Darby was honored with a birthday party given by his parents on Friday, October 7. Cake and ice cream were enjoyed by all. Those present were Randy Pierce, Alisa and Steven Sims, Jerry, Scotty and Joey Drake, Sherri Collins, Kayla Odom, Larry Dalton, Charles Chambers, Kathy Tussy of Olton, and Charles Darby.

Bridal Shower

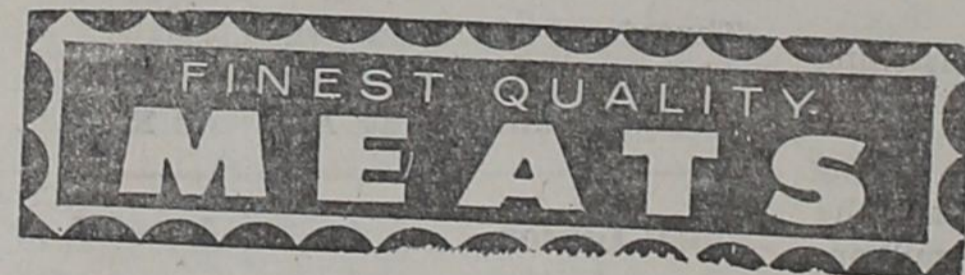
There will be a bridal shower for Mrs. Roger Pettiet, formerly Carol Beth Crawford, in the home of Mrs. C. B. Ward Thursday, October 20, at 3:00 o'clock. The public is invited.

TUESDAY IS DOUBLE STAMP DAY

SPECIALS

For Friday and Saturday

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FLOUR		.39
TWIN HARBOR	TALL CAN	
SALMON		.49
SUN MAID	15 OZ. BOX	
RAISINS		.19
BURLESON EXTRACT	2 LB. JAR	
HONEY		.69
FOLGERS	POUND	
COFFEE		.69
VAN CAMP	300 SIZE	
PORK and BEANS, 8 cans		\$1



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English Teachers
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Highlights of the luncheon at 12:30 in the Student Union Building on the Texas Tech campus will be the address given by Dr. Powell Stewart. Dr. Stewart is an

associate professor of English at the University of Texas and is state director of the Interscholastic League Reading Writing Competition. He is a noted author and an entertaining lecturer. He has chosen as a title for his speech, "The Importance of teaching Exposition".

Dr. Lola Beth Green, general chairman of the Workshop - Conference, has extended an invitation to all English teachers from the elementary grades through college, all interested school administrators and future English teachers. "We hope to have representatives from each of the schools in our 13 county district," she stated.

Registration fees of \$2.00 per school unit and luncheon

contribution of \$1.75 per unit which should be mailed to Mrs. William J. Voss, 3008 40th St., Lubbock.

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**Post Scripts
 On Athletics**

By Dr. Rhea H. Williams
 (Published by Request)
 With the advent of the 1960 football season, there needs again to be a re-emphasis of the values and merits of the game of football as it is related to our educational system. In this age where there is a growing tendency for our youth to become physically softer, we need the help of all in encouraging students to devote themselves to a program which requires rigid discipline and control of their attitudes, emotions and physical habits. There is no greater opportunity offered by the public school curriculum for improving the physical, mental and emotional discipline than is found in the game of football.

We need during this time of world tension to develop young citizens who have the ability to discipline themselves, to think in times of emergencies and to learn the value of developing and maintaining strong and healthy bodies. If we are not careful, we will develop a "pot plant" generation of youth that will not be able to meet the stress and strain of modern day society.

Favor to "Whom"?
 It should always be kept in mind that the school and the community are rendering a most worthwhile serv-

ice by providing a sound, educational, competitive interschool football program. Unfortunately, there are some parents who feel that they are doing the school and the community a favor by allowing their sons to participate in football. Any parent or any boy who has such an idea is completely "missing the boat", as just the reverse is true.

The parents should be eternally thankful that there is still some type of program in the school which requires such rigid discipline in order to achieve success. Where else in the school or community can you find any other program with better organized supervision and trained personnel than you have in football? Where else in the community can you find any more equipment and facilities available for the protection and welfare of your child than is provided for football?

It is essential that parents realize that they have a prime responsibility in the training, guidance and direction of their son's mental, physical and social attitude towards football. They can make a great contribution to the boy's education and to the school's football program by indoctrinating their offspring to the effect that it is a privilege and an honor to be a member of the local high school team.

Apron Strings
 There is a growing "pro-

tectiveness" on the part of some parents relative to participation in football competition. This is especially true in the case of many mothers who want to "spread their wings" excessively over their children—many times until they are over 21 years of age. This attitude on the part of some parents encourages a boy not to participate in football because it is too rough or because he may get injured.

Certainly, there may be an occasional injury to a boy engaged in a contact sport; but the important question is, "What is the average boy doing when he is not engaged in some worthwhile, outside, supervised activity?" It is a proven fact by statistics that a boy is much safer in supervised football practice than he is when he is not supervised.

Car versus Football
 Paradoxically, in some cases, the same parents who will not let a boy go out for football because it is too dangerous will buy him an automobile or a "hot rod" and think nothing of it. From the viewpoint of the boy's scholastic achievements and his safety, statistics prove conclusively that the most dangerous thing the parent can do is

to give him uninhibited freedom with an automobile. It is a strange set of values on which some of our parents operate as regards allowing their sons to participate in football. Some of the parents abhor the idea of perspiration, physical exertion and bodily contact. This once again is typical of the softness which is permeating our society. With air conditioning, cars and the other luxuries which exist today, there is an even greater challenge on the part of the parents and school personnel to see that our young people participate in vigorous, competitive athletic activities.

The coach and the school have a great responsibility when parents permit their boys to participate in interschool football. The coach and the school should always keep in mind that the parents by so doing are entrusting to the coach the most precious possession they have. Therefore, it is imperative that the coach take every precaution to insure the health and welfare of each individual participant.

This means requiring physical examinations before participating, issuing adequate equipment which fits the player, teaching techniques and skills which are educationally sound, employing officials who are able to conduct the game properly, and providing the proper emotional, educational and social background for the participants.

Good for Boy
 There is an equal responsibility on the part of the school, the coaches and the parents to see that every effort is made to provide each player who participates in football the proper educational background in which to develop those specific citizenship traits which can come out of football. There should be less "protectiveness" on the part of parents and more encouragement by

parents of boys to participate in vigorous activities. The parents should stress to the boy that it is a privilege for him to participate and represent the local high school team, thereby negating the viewpoint that he is doing the school a favor by playing.

The coach and the school should do everything possible to insure that what they do is for the welfare of the individual boy and not for the glory of the coach or the school. The individual boy should be the focus and anything to the contrary should not be permitted. With the cooperation of the parents, the coaches and the school, there is no reason why each boy who voluntarily elects to participate this year in our Texas high schools should not come out at the end of the season a better citizen and a better individual.

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Freedom in Truth

"Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free"

Jno. 8:32
 The apostle Paul, in quoting from Isa. 45:23, recorded in Rom. 14:11, "For it is written, As I live, saith the Lord, to me every knee shall bow, and every tongue shall confess to God. So then each one of us shall give account of himself to God." Every individual will give account of himself unto God. In the final day it will be each individual standing on his own merits before the Supreme Judge. In Matt. 25: we have the record of the passing out of talents. Later a reckoning was made. Each one had to give account unto the Master concerning how he had used his own talents. Too many men are relying on the goodness of their wives to get them to heaven. Too many people are relying on

the goodness of their parents to help them gain an eternal home. Others who are members of the church are relying on what the congregation is doing for their reward. But the Bible explains, we are not going to be judged as a congregation but as individuals. Paul wrote again, "For we must all be made manifest before the judgment seat of Christ; that each one may receive the things done in the body, according to what he hath done, whether it be good or bad." II Cor. 5:10. If no one else obeys the gospel, that does not mean you cannot and be pleasing to God. You MUST answer for yourself. Your wife, husband or parents will not be standing by your side at God's judgment bar. You obey God regardless of what others think, say or do. **THINK** on these things.

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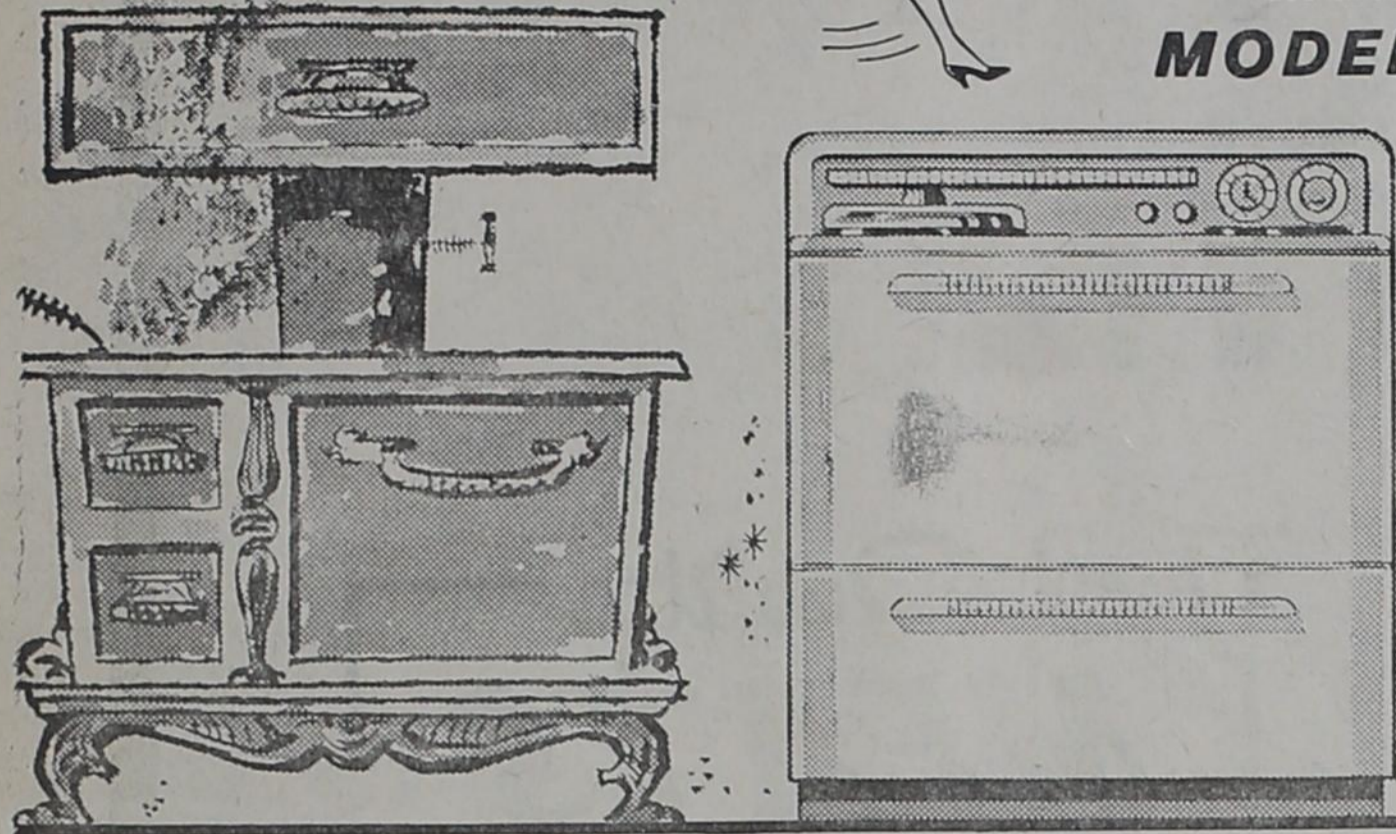
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FFA Boys Going To State Fair

Members and sponsors of the Ropes FFA Chapter will leave on Friday night of this week immediately after the football game with Whiteface for the State Fair of Texas. They will be going to Lubbock by school bus, and the rest of the way by chartered bus. They plan to get out of Lubbock about 11:30 p.m. and arrive in Dallas early the next morning. They will visit the State Fair on Youth Day, Saturday, October 15, 1960. They will return on Sunday. They expect to leave Dallas about 9:00 a.m. on Sunday and arrive at Ropesville around 6:00 p.m.

Members going are: Harold Abney, Gary Awbrey, Sammy Berry, Vernon Bridwell, Michael Cato, Johnny Epperson, Leon Cook, Ronnie Jeffcoat, Bobby McNabb, Allen Robertson, Curtis Don Means, Terry Jack Rucker, Troyce Sosebee, Donnie Suter, and Marshall Taylor.

Sponsors for the boys are: Don Bell, Gordon Graves, and C. T. McCormick.

The FFA boys will stay at the Hotel Southland in downtown Dallas.

Shrinks Hemorrhoids Without Surgery Stops Itch—Relieves Pain

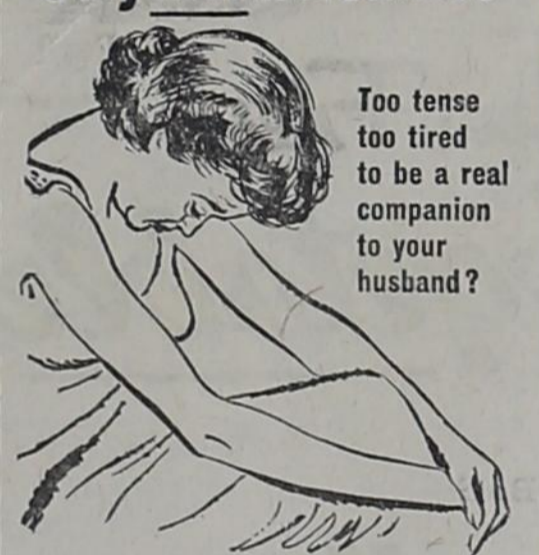
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FHA Girls To State Fair

Twenty-one FHA members and eight sponsors will leave Friday night, October 14, for Dallas to attend the State Fair on Rural Youth Day October 15. The group will go by chartered bus. Those attending will be:

Mary Morrow, Roseva Lewis, Beverly Bartlett, Janette Jackson, Sue Redford, Geraldine Blair, Sandra Ward, Ida Miller, Sandra Jeffcoat, Pat Bridwell, Frances Littlefield, Diane Nix, Charlotte Curry, Linda Whitten, Pat Ferguson, Judy Gregg, Linda

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The girls will stay at the Whitmore Hotel, in downtown Dallas.

SPC Instructors Are Candidates For 1960 Award

Three outstanding instructors of South Plains Junior College have been nominated as candidates for the awards of "Piper Professor

of 1960", Dr. Thomas Spencer announced last week.

Mr. Henry Lucke, Mrs. Inez Grant and Mr. Charles Sylvester, the latter two being former teachers in the

ROPES EAGLES 1960 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Oct. 14 Whiteface, H (Homecoming)

Oct. 21 Meadow, T*
Oct. 28 Amherst, H*
Nov. 4 Anton, H*
Nov. 11 Whitharral, T* (Afternoon)

*Conference Games
Game Time—8 p.m.

Ropesville school, have been named as candidates for the Minnie Stevens Piper Honorarium which will honor ten professors during the current year for outstanding academic, scientific and scholarly achievement.

The winners will receive the award of certificates naming them "Piper Professors of 1960" together with a cash honorarium of \$1000 each. Nominations will be state-wide.

The purpose of these awards is to give recognition specifically to the teaching profession rather than to research or other such related activity.

News Of Boy Scout Troop 173

The Boy Scouts have been meeting at 6:00 p.m. Wednesdays to avoid conflict with Junior High football and prayer meeting of the churches. This gives time for the meeting and allows dismissal in time for prayer meeting. Meetings are held at the Community Building.

The Beaver Patrol has camped out one night in each of the last two week ends. They have been camping in the James L Means pasture. Several members have been working on the requirements for advancement during these camp outs. A boy must be able to camp, cook, use a compass, read a map, and do several things well before he can advance in rank.

The Troop has added six new boys in the past few weeks. We are glad to have new members. The other members have been coaching the new members to help them acquire the skills required of a Boy Scout. Recent additions to the Troop are Chuck Braden, Lonnie Exum, Joe Gonzales, James Owens, Benny Redman, and Gary Rucker. Each member who joins before December 15, 1960, will receive a free neckerchief slide commemorating the 50th anniversary of Scouting.

The leaders of the Troop will go to Lubbock on November 19th to a leader's training school. They will be served lunch and go to see the Texas Tech-Arkansas football game. All of our boy leaders plan to attend. We want to make Troop 173 the best in the South Plains Council.

Attends Funeral

Mrs. F. E. Weatherly was in Littlefield Tuesday where she attended the funeral services of Lon Campbell.

Audit Of City Books Ordered

At a regular meeting of the City Council on Tuesday night with Troy Morris, mayor, and Aldermen T. F. Redman, Ralph Riojas, Shelby Evans and Tommy Littlefield, an audit of the city books and tax records were ordered.

Also, at this meeting the setting up of an equalization board was discussed and will be further discussed in a called meeting on Friday night of this week.

Meeting with the Council was a bond man from Lubbock who told the Council that before bonds for a sewer system could be issued that the valuation in the city would have to reach above \$500,000. At the present time the valuation is over \$376,000. It was pointed out that property values had not been equalized in ten or more years and, perhaps, if they were equalized, our valuation would be higher than we think.

At this meeting the Pioneer Gas Company was granted an increase of ten per cent above their present rate. In a similar petition presented by the General Telephone Company of the Southwest, a raise in rates was not granted. It is the opinion of the Council that they are acting on a mandate from the people not to grant higher rates until better service is provided. It is likely the telephone company will contest this decision.

New Grandchild

Ralph Riojas received the information from his son, Ralph Jr. that he and his wife are the proud parents of a new boy, born in Tucson, Arizona on the 7th of October, the little one weighing in at 7 pounds and 8 ounces. While not fully decided, it is thought he will be christened under the name of Michael.

Carried To Doctor

Danny Young's small son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Young, was carried to a doctor Sunday for examination and treatment. He is improved.

Raymond Dennis Visits Ropes

Raymond Dennis, candidate for county clerk, was among those in Ropes this week.

Betty Martin Visits Parents

Betty Martin, who is a teacher in the Kress school system, was in Ropes over the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin.

Ropes OES To Have Friendship Night Thursday (Tonight)

The Ropesville Chapter Order of the Eastern Star will hold "Friendship Night" tonight (Thursday).

A salad supper will be served at 7:00 o'clock in the school cafeteria. Twenty-three chapters have been invited.

Advertisement for Gillette Super Blue Blade razors, featuring an illustration of a man shaving and a box of razors.

Advertisement for Riojas Dept. Store, featuring "NEW ARRIVALS" including beautiful fall prints, men's western pants and slacks, and beautiful cowboy boots.

Advertisement for the Kennedy-Johnson Democratic Campaign, featuring portraits of John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson and the slogan "ACCEPT NO SUBSTITUTES".

Advertisement for the Texas Democrats for Nixon Lodge, featuring a portrait of Allan Shivers and the slogan "Which Democratic Platform?".



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