Art Show and Flea Market Set Oct. 26th

Anyone who would like to enter the art show at Ropes, during the Old Settler's Reunion and Fun Day, please contact Steve Kimberlin or Gene Richardson, or call 5623661.

Individuals may display art and not sell it for a \$5.00 fee. If any art is sold, it will be on a 40% cut to the park fund.

Everyone interested in participating in the flea marker may have a booth for \$10.00. This will be a great time to set up a booth because there will be many people passing through Ropes.

Boy Scout Troop 563

The Nakona Lodge of the Order of the Arrow held its ordeal at Camp Post, Texas, over the weekend of September 6, 7, & 8. New ordeal members were accepted into the order, last year's ordeal members were advanced to Brotherhood, and new Vigil members were put through their advancement. About one hundred and ten members were received into the lodge in the ceremonies. In all, over two hundred scouts and scouters were in attendance.

The Order of the Arrow is composed of scouts and scouters who have qualified as honor campers. A scout must be at least first class and have met all the requirements as well as be elected by members of his troop for the

Those who attended from Troop 563 were: Bobby Britton, ordeal member; Mitchell Britton, advanced to Brotherhood; Kenneth Chambers, ordeal member: Dale Kahlich, advanced to Brotherhood; C.T. McCormick, Scoutmaster and Vigil Member, accompanied the group to Camp Post.

Junior High Officers Elected

Officers for the year were elected in Junior High last week. They are:

4A, President, Shannon Lowrie; Vice Pres., Scott Satterwhite; Sec. Treasurer, Jay Briggs; Student Council, Don Valentine.

4B, President, Danny Ochoa; Vice Pres., Lane Jackson; Sec., Tonya Ward; Treas., Bryon Moore; Student Council, Stacy

McNabb. 5A, President, Ramona Melton; Vice Pres., Laura Schoepf; Sec., Elsa Cruz; Treas., Billy Owenby; Student Council, Gerrie Stephen-

son. 5A, President, Bruce Turnipseed; Vice Pres., Karla Watts; Sec., Sherry Smith; Treas., Andrea Glenn; Student Council, Roger Putman.

6A, President, Darrell Thrash; Vice Pres., Gene Valentine; Sec. Treas., Kendra Moore; Student Council, Shane Lowrie.

6B, President, Margarita Cavaros; Vice Pres., Kathy Stegall; Sec. Treas., Jeanne Burk; Student Council, Jamis Bustillos.

7A, President, Gregg Watts; Vice Pres., Ricky Putman; Sec.,

Applications for 1975 Maid of Cotton Being Accepted

Ropesville Eagle Band Working Hard in Early Part of '74 - '75 School Season

The Ropes High School Band has really been working hard to make this year the best yet. Under the direction of Danny Norris, the band has been working on fundamentals of marching the past three weeks.

The Eagle band performed for the Eagle spectators Friday night at Shallowater and will do the same here Friday night against Lorenzo. Everyone is invited to come and see how this band has really improved. We have really dedicated ourselves to Mr. Norris

Voter Registration

Friday, October 4, 1974, will be

and his direction in the band. The band is now in the process of working on parade marching for the South Plains Panhandle Fair parade on Monday, September 23 in Lubbock. The band is also working on half time and marching contest shows. A lot is owed to the new band director and his determination to make this band the best ever.

During the first two weeks of school, officers for the band were elected. They are: President, Karen Arp; Vice President, Dennis Perkins; Secretary, Debbie Johnson; Drum Major, Sue Tonn; Asst. Drum Major, Charles Chambers.

Historic Marker Unveiling Set

The historic marker will be unveiled at the roadside park on Tuesday, September 17, 1974. It will be near the site of the Primrose school, the first public school in Hockley County. The ceremony will be in the Ropes School Auditorium at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday. After the ceremony, the actual unveiling will take place at the site of the marker.

Dean Nathan Tubb of South Plains College will be the principal speaker and he will be answered by Bill Berry of Ropesville. Mr. Fred Satterwhite, Superintendent of Ropes Independent School, invites all who are interested to attend.

The National Cotton Council is now accepting applications for the 1975 Maid of Cotton selection.

Naming of the cotton industry's official goodwill ambassador will climax two days of planned activities in Memphis Dec. 29 -30. Twenty finalists will participate in the selection, including 16 chosen on the basis of applications and four named earlier as state or regional winners.

Now in its 37th year, the selection is open to young women between 19 and 23 who were born in a cotton producing state or who have maintained legal residence in the Cotton Belt since age seven or earlier. Applicants also must be at least five feet five inches tall, and have never been married.

The 1975 Maid, who will succeed Kathy Raskin of Litchfield Park, Arizona, will make a series of public appearances in this country, Canada, and overseas. Her domestic tour will include visits to Washington and other major cities where she will participate in activities designed to increase public understanding of the cotton industry's contributions to the nation. Plans also call for fashion shows and appearances in Europe, and possibly other areas.

Her first official activity will come on New Year's Day at the Cotton Bowl Festival in Dallas where she will be a featured guest. Following completion of her international tour next summer. she will return here to receive a new automobile as a gift from dealers in the fivestate Memphis Ford District.

Application forms for entering the selection may be obtained from the Council, 1918 N. Parkway, Memphis, Tennessee 38112. Deadline for submitting completed applications and required photographs is December 1.

Deadline Noted

the last day to register for the General Election on November 5.

Those persons not previously registered, who will be 18 on or before November 5, 1974, may register by October 4, 1974, prior to their birthday and be eligible to vote November 5.

Ropes Beard Growing Contest Will Be Judged During Old Settler's Reunion

The Ropes Citizens Action Committee has initiated a Beard Growing Contest to be judged October 26 at the Old Settler's Reunion and Fun Day.

Ropesville Area News

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Kimberlin and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kimberlin recently was Doyle Odom of Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Bond of Lubbock visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Bond, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Timmons returned last Wednesday from a vacation in Oklahoma City and Missouri. They came back by way of Dallas.

Jesse Littlefield of Odessa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Littlefield last week. ********

Mrs. Violet Wright and Erma visited in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wright and family of Seagraves, Sunday. All of Mrs. Wright's children were there except one daughter.

******** Mrs. Essie Drake of Levelland spent Sunday night in the home of her sister in law, Mrs. Vera Bridwell.

******* Visitors in the home of Mrs. Vera Bridwell was her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Staples and Rhonda.

********* Sandra Dalton; Treas., Regina Melton; Student Council, Lynn Jackson.

7B, President, Jan Turner; Vice Pres., Glenda Stephenson; Sec., Junior Ybara; Student Council, Bart Bradshaw.

8A, President, David Escondon; Vice Pres., Dale Kahlich; Sec., Sherry Means; Treas., Bethrell Whitehead; Student Council, Beth Satterwhite.

8B, President, Kenneth Chambers; Vice Pres., Elda Quintinilla; Sec., Mary Jane Cruz; Treas., Penny Proffitt; Student Council, Doug Willis.

The J.W. Sosebee ramily met at Lake Brownwood over the weekend for a get together. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Sosebee, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Suter and family, all of Ropesville. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wylie and family of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Troyce Sosebee and family of Austin. They were all there except one daughter and family.

Mrs. Norene Williams and Claude McCormick of Snyder are visiting his sister, Mrs. Irene Martin, this week.

********* Members of the Ropes TOPS Club went to Lubbock Monday night and ate at the Sizzlin Sirloin and then played miniature golf. Those going were Lillian Willis, Mabel Hobbs, Wanda Allen and Tula Mae Roberts.

********* Mrs. Emory Hobbs visited her sister -in -law, Alpha McCarty, last week, who is in a hospital at Littlefield.

Mrs. Lillian Gryder of Brownfield visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs, Saturday.

Kevin and Tammy Glenn spent Friday night in the home of their grandmother, Mrs. Isla Etheridge. **********

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Spray of Hobbs spent Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Suter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Carter visited in the home of some friends, Mr. and Mrs. B.D. Seaton of Brownfield, Saturday.

********* Mrs. Sidney Price was taken to Lubbock Osteopathic Hospital Tuesday morning.

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cents, and if you enter and shave off your beard before the contest, you will pay a penalty fee of \$5.00. All proceeds from the contest will go toward building a city park in To enter the contest, see Larry

Entry fee for the contest is 50

Cox and put your name on the poster in the Ropes Theater. Prizes will be awarded on October

The community is asked to support this effort to raise money for the park. Donations of money and labor will be accepted.

Ropes Falls To Shallowater

The Eagles started off their regular season last Friday against Shallowater. Dicki Arant was back in action, although Randy Smith is still out. We hope to see

The team looked good and was able to hold Shallowater to one touchdown until the fourth quarter. Shallowater then took over and was able to come back and score three more touchdowns to make the final score 26 to 0.

Bobby Trevino was the one to watch on offense, and Joe Allen on defense did a good job of hold this Class A school.

The Eagles did an outstanding job holding the Mustangs and we hope to see them do it again when they take on Lorenzo here Friday night at 8 p.m. Let's all go to the game and back this green team on the move and yell them to victory.

Ropes Needle Club Meets

The Ropes Needle Club met Thursday, September 5, in the home of Mrs. Ruby Drake.

Those present were Tressie Exum, Jessie Thomas, Myrtle Teaff, Faye Rogers, Viedna Darby, Louise Sylvester, Kathleen Armstrong, all of Ropes; Jane Mead, Hixie Tipps of Lubbock; and the hostess.

They quilted a quilt and refreshments were enjoyed by all.

Revival Services to Begin Sunday

Rev. Clifford Trotter, District Superintendent of the United Methodist Churches of the Lubbock District, will hold revival services at Ropes United Methodist Church, beginning Sunday September 15 through 18.

The morning service will be at 7:30 a.m. Monday through Wednesday. The evening service will be at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Sunday there will be a covered dish dinner with all the trimmings.

FHA "Twirp Week" Underway

The Future Homemakers of Ropes High School have officially designated this week of Sept. 9 thru 13th as "Twirp Week". This week is set aside once a year for the girls to have the opportunity to ask the boys out. They are given at least one opportunity at the end of the week on Friday to take their favorite fella to the party after the football game. We urge each and every FHA member to participate in Twirp Week.

This past Friday, Sept. 6, the Continued On Page Eight

Party Line

Mr. and Mrs. Don Casey from Dallas have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Newman Casey and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Williamson of Ft. Worth were here over the weekend, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Williamson, and to be at the bedside of Mrs. Ronnie Williamson's grandmother, Mrs. Mae Albritton, who is critically ill in Highland Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Reed returned home Sunday from a two weeks visit in the Dallas area with their daughter, Mrs. Geneva Ballew and other relatives.

Visiting over the weekend with Mrs. Sallie Sullivan was her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sullivan.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the W.F. Williamson home was their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore, Tim and Kristi of Olton.

Mrs. L.E. George of Olton spent Thursday visiting in the W.F. Williamson home.

Mr. and Mrs. F.M. Thompson returned home last week after a 3½ month stay in Garland with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lassiter and boys and in Houston with another daughter. Mr. Thompson underwent surgery twice while in Garland and is doing

Mrs. McKowen and son Gene went to Tadona, Texas, last week to visit her sister, Mary Hamlin, who is in the hospital. On the way home, they stopped in Houston to visit the other son, Charles.

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Sally Sullivan was dismissed Sunday from Highland Hospital.

Bobby Blackburn underwent surgery last week at Highland Hospital.

Melven Stewart is in St. Mary's Hospital with double pneumonia.

Mrs. O.L. Lambert underwent eye surgery on Monday at Methodist Hospital.

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Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Conner were her brother Floyd Hogan and friend from Odessa.

Ostomy Association To Meet Thursday

The Lubbock Ostomy Association will meet Thursday, September 19th at 7:30 p.m. in the Staff Meeting Room at St. Mary of the Plains Hospital. All ostomates and any other interested people in the area are urged to attend.

At this meeting the steering committee will present a slate of officers and a proposed constitution and bylaws for the health service organization. There will be various kinds of ostomy supplies on display, and there will be someone to answer questions about them. Other interesting and informative programs are in the planning stage.

Several committees are represented on the steering committee. Members include Barbara Coleman, Bonner Cummings, Addie Hawkins, Janice Larry, and Melville Monte, all of Lubbock; Venita Garnett, Colorado City; Ruth Kulm, Shallowater; Lottie Poer, Slaton; and Ann Sinclair, Bula.

If you know an ostomate, please encourage them to attend this meeting. Anyone wishing additional information may call 832-4238 anytime after 6 p.m.

Homecoming Set At Roosevelt

Roosevelt High School has set Friday, September 20th as Home Coming. They will be honoring the classes of 1944, 1954, 1964 and 1969.

Registration will be from 7 to 8 p.m. preceding the football game with Seagraves at 8 p.m. A reception will follow the game in

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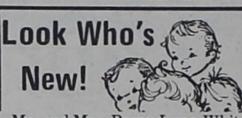
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 the Roosevelt Club House.

During halftime ceremonies a home coming queen and a coming home queen will be crowned. All exes are urged to attend.



Mr. and Mrs. Perry Lynn White are to proud parents of a daughter weighing 6 pounds 7 ounces, born Tuesday at 3:45 p.m. in St. Mary's Hospital. The father is a truck driver for Dekalb Research Co.

First Baptist News

There will be a Regional Sunday School Convention for all Sunday School workers, Thursday, Sept. 19th at Southcrest Baptist Church, Lubbock, 48th Street and Avenue P.

Sessions will be at 9:15 a.m., 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. Attend all three or any one that you can. But plan to attend.

Jr. High Choir has been set for Friday's from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church. All 7th and 8th graders are urged to come.

Wolfforth Fire Fighters to Meet

Wolfforth Fire Chief, Kenneth Clark, encourages all of us to attend the meeting at the fire station Thursday, September 19th at 8 p.m.

This meeting occurs every month on the first and third Thursdays. The Fire Fighters will have a business meeting, and then will practice first aid.

This department now has 4 members registered with the state in EMT (Emergency Medical Team), and has 2 members in training.

Frenship School Lunch Menu

Monday, September 16
Pizza, Tomato Wedges
Carrot, Celery Sticks
Ginger Bread with Lemon Sauce
Milk

Tuesday, September 17
Cold Cuts, Ham
Potato Chips
Pineapple, Cottage Cheese
Rolls, Chocolate Pudding, Milk

Wednesday, September 18
Barbecue Beef on Bun
French Fries, Pickles, Cole Slaw
Rice Krispie Cookie, Mlk

Thursday, September 19
Turkey with Biscuit Topping
Green Beans, Mashed Potatoes
Sugar Cookies, Milk

Friday, September 20 Swiss Steak, Baked Potato Mixed Vegetables, Jello Strawberry Fruit Cocktail, Milk Hot Rolls, Butter

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Homemaker of The Week



Mrs. Truman (Bobbie J) Ellis is our homemaker this week. Bobbie is originally from Smyer, Texas, and also attended school there.

They are a family of five with three darling little girls; Rhonda, age 9, a fourth grader; Traca, age 6, a first grader; and Darla Kae, 3, who is still being taught at home.

Before moving to Shallowater, the Ellis's lived in Arlington for five years, where Truman was an electro plater (the best he says). They now reside at 609 Avenue L in Shallowater.

Truman is currently owner and sole operator of Ranger Dirt Construction. The Ellis's enjoy all kinds of sports activities and most of all enjoy taking the day off for a family picnic.

Bobbie's biggest dislike is buying groceries. The two recipes she shares with us are Mock Filet Mignon and Chocolate Brownie Pie

Mock Filet Mignon 2 cups soft bread crumbs 1 cup milk

2 lbs. ground meat 1 tsp. salt, ¼ tsp. pepper Bacon Strips Thoroughly mix all ingredients except bacon, form into eight patties. Wrap a slice of bacon around each pattie, secure with toothpicks. Slowly brown filet on both sides. When brown pour off fat

Sauce

1 cup tomatoe catsup
1/4 cup vinegar, 1 cup water
1/4 cup worchester sauce

1 Tbsp. prepared mustard Combine sauce ingredients, pour over filet. Cover and simmer for 45 min. turning once. Eight inexpensive but delicious servings.

Chocolate Brownie Pie 2 eggs, 1 cup sugar, 1 stick butter Pinch of salt, ½ cup flour 3 -4 Tbsp. cocoa, 1 tsp. vanilla

Combine all ingredients, beat four minutes, bake in pie pan at 325 degrees for 30 minutes.

Icing

1 pkg. chocolate chips

5 Tbsp. milk, 11/2 Tbps. butter

1 teasp. vanilla, powdered sugar Cook until chips are melted, add powdered sugar until mixture is thick. Add vanilla. Pour over cooked brownies.

Wolfforth Area News

Mrs. T.C. James, Mrs. Brady Brooks, Mrs. Ari Apples, and Mrs. W.A. Martin, all visited in Ruidosa last weekend.

The Sherman Nelson's have recently been on a weeks trip to Florida.

O.D. Simons is ill and in Methodist Hospital.

The Tigers will be playing in Lockney this Friday at 8 p.m. Come out and give them your support.

The 7th grade plays Cooper here Tuesday, Sept. 17 at 5:30 p.m. The 9th grade plays at 7 p.m. Freshmen play Cooper there Thursday, Sept. 19 at 5:30 p.m. and the JV at 7 p.m.

Wolfforth Home Demo Club Meets

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Shallowater, Texas

meets Tuesday, September 17th in the home of Mrs. Raymond Coleman, who resides on Route 4, Lubbock. Cohostess is Mrs. Chester Alexander.

The meeting starts at 2 p.m. and the program will be about home cleaning products.

Owls Win
Over Tigers

by Lucy Stokesberry
The Hale Center Owls won over
the Frenship Tigers in Wolfforth
last Friday night.

The game started slowly with no score in the first quarter. The Owls scored ruing the second quarter and the tally stood at 7-0 until the final whistle.

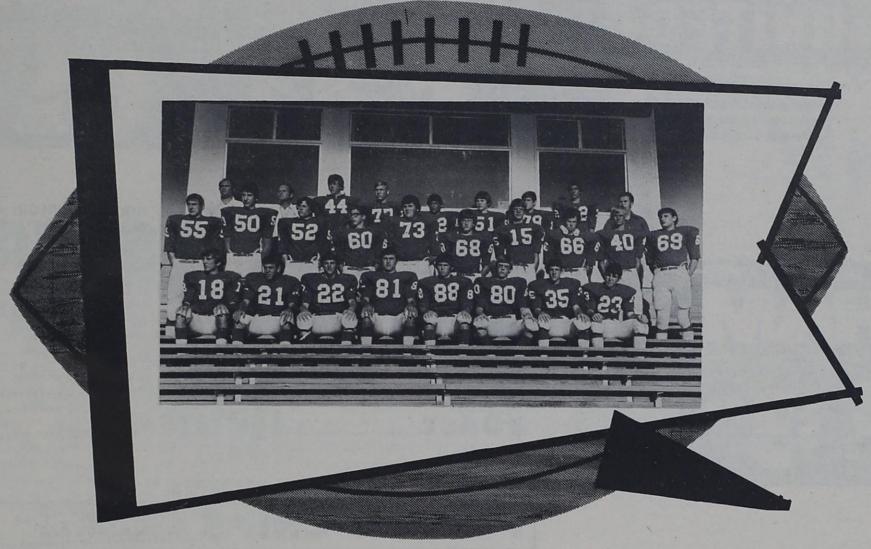
Frenship offense was outpaced by the Owls on first downs throughout the game. The Tigers were hampered by missed passes, penalties and fumbles. Long yardage penalties were a definite factor contributing to the low score.

Defense for the Tigers was sparked by Jay Hart whose timely actions prevented the Owls from getting a higher tally.

The Tigers travel to Lockney Friday, Sept. 13th for the next game.

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				ARG.		September 20	New Deal	There
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Richard Krebbs	No. 21	Brad Simmons	No. 68	Coach McAdams		October 4	Springlake	There
Brantley Adams	No. 22	Kim McMenamy	No. 15	Coach Grimes		October 18	Seagraves	Here
Don Grimes	No. 81	Garry Green	No. 66			October 25	Plains	There
Jerry Harrison	No. 88	Jackie Randolph	No. 40			November 1	O'Donnell	Here
Alex Grice	No. 80	Mike Wolfeden	No. 69			November 8	Anton	There
Bryan Stewart	No. 35	Jon Gates	No. 44			November 15	Stanton	There
Malcom Terry	No. 23	Jay Truelock	No. 77			Movember 19	Otaliton	THOIC
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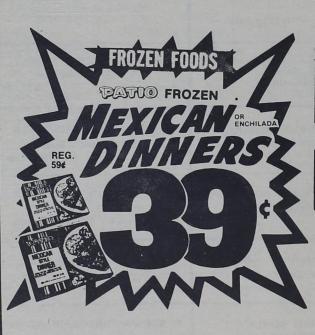
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Cooper School News

Freshmen Cheerleaders Named at Cooper



Suzy Smith is the 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Smith of Route 6, Lubbock. Suzy has been a cheerleader for 2 years, in the 7th grade and now in the 9th grade. She is head cheerleader this year.

Suzy has attended Cooper for 6 years. She has 3 sisters and 1 brother; Karen 25, Diane 23, Cindy 17, and Don 21.

Suzy is backing the football team 100 percent. She thinks Cooper is the best school she has ever attended.



Lynette Martin, age 14, has been at Cooper only 2 years, but thinks it is the best school around, and the people are very friendly.

Lynettes favorite food is seafood, she likes the color red, and also likes basketball and track.

She enjoys watching the football team in practice as well as games and things they will go a long way.

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Brenda Mote, age 14, lives on Route 6, Lubbock. She has been at Coper for 2 years. She thinks it is the greatest school there is.

Her favorite food is Pizza and she likes the colors baby blue and yellow. She things the football team is the greatest.



Shari Hagens, age 14, has attended Cooper schools all her life and really loves it. She says "I wouldn't go to a different school for anything".

Shari likes the color blue, hamburgers, playing the guitar, swimming, and cheerleading. This is her second year to be a cheerleader and is looking forward to a teriffic season.

Twirler Spotlight



Renee Flournoy is the 14 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Flournoy of Route 4, Lubbock. She has one brother, Ricky, age 16. Renee is a freshman and has attended Cooper for all 9 years. She plays basketball and was in the band for 3 years.

Renee is 100% behind the Cooper Pirates and thinks that they will go all the day. You will see Renee every Friday night on the football field with the band. We invite everyone to come see the Fighting Pirates. We know Renee will do a fantastic job out there.

Football Spotlight



David Martinez, age 15, is the son of Rosa and John Martinez of Route 1, Lubbock. He has attended Cooper 9 years.

David's favorites are Mexican food, the color green, and a Malibu SS. His most admired person is Pancho Villa.

When asked his opinion of this year's football team, he replied "Great".

Kelly Choban is 16 years old and in the 11th grade. He plays quarterback and safety on the team. He has been at Cooper for 5 years.

Kelly has made lots of friends at Cooper and we know he will be a fantastic football player, and help the team to the district championship and farther.

Good luck to Kelly and the rest of the team.

Coaches Corner

Coach Harry Brewer, 32, has been at Cooper for 2 years as a coach and teacher. "Cooper is the best school there is, great students and great attitude both", says the coach.

Friday night was the first game for the Cooper Pirates. They played Littlefield. The coaches are Coach Graves, Coach Brewer, Coach Hurst, and Coach Hugett.

This year is going to be Cooper's best. All the boys are working hard and doing a good job. Everyone is supporting the team. The Booster Club is bigger this year. If everyone would get together we could really do a teriffic job. GO RED!

Shallowater School Lunch Menu

Monday, September 16 Hot dogs with chili Cream style corn Lettuce and Tomato Salad Coconut Cake Squares, Mlk

Tuesday, September 17
Fried chicken and cream gravy
Buttered Rice, Glazed carrots
Hot Rolls, Butter
Plain jello with topping, Milk

Wednesday, September 18
Pizza, Meat and cheese
Seasoned Green Beans, Cole Slaw
Banana Pudding, Milk

Thursday, September 19
Hamburgers on Toasted Bun
Pickles, onions, tomatoes, lettuce
Macaroni and Tomatoes
Potato Chips, Cookies, Milk

Friday, September 20
Tamalie Pie
Pinto Beans with Bacon
Corn bread squares, butter
Cherry peppers and sliced onion
Fruit Cobbler, Milk

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by Joe Kelly

"When they turn on the lights and there are 40,000 fans in the stands, the adrenalin will start flowing and we'll look a lot better," Richard Bell said following Saturday's Texas Tech scrimmage. "At least the adrenalin had better start flowing," he added with a smile.

Richard was calm about the scrimmage, as were Tom Wilson and Jerry Sullivan. They had just watched the Red Raiders all but wind up heavy preparations for an intensive 11 game season.

Of the three, Wilson may have been the most worried. At least he wasn't smiling and he talked about the lack of cohesion in the offense. He and Richard both thought the players lacked zip, as indeed they did in the final dress rehearsal.

Saturday night the Raiders tee the ball up for keeps, against a good Iowa State team. The Cyclones, rated well in the Big 8, should provide Tech with plenty of test for an opener.

Despite the fact that Tech, frankly, didn't look good throughout the scrimmage Saturday, you'd have been worried if they had looked good. Football dress rehearsals are like those for a play; if they're good, the actual performance probably won't be.

Still, there were flashes of the Raiders looking sharp. Some of the blocking was crisp. Some of the tackling was superb. Some of the running was brilliant. Some of the passing was good.

Then there were times when not much of anything looked real good. The timing was off enough to upset good plays. The passing, particularly in the opening stages, was off.

What the Raiders did show was a team larger than usual, occasional flashes of brilliance, good pass patterns and hope for the rest of the season. There appears to be far more than the normal number of backs with above average ability.

The work has been hard and it's been going on for a long time now. What the Raiders need is time to heal, to get their timing down and work on polish. They'll get that this week.

Then, when the season opens this Saturday, fans will see a team that has bounce in its legs and, as Richard Bell observed, with the adrenalin flowing. There's nothing like an opening game at home to bring out the best—and that's what fans should see.

Credit Jim Carlen with another good selling job. He obviously convinced visiting SWC writers that the Raiders had suffered far too many losses to be a contender.

Instead, the writers fell back on old reliable, Texas, as the favorite. A&M drew the runner up slot and Arkansas came in third. The Raiders held down fourth and what a beautiful spot to be in! The pressure is on the other three clubs with championship hopes.

No one will argue with Tech's losses. The Raiders did lose a number of top ranked players—which happens every year. The difference this time is that they appear to have the quality replacements necessary to compete for the title.

The biggest question mark is Tommy Duniven, at least on paper. He has a big challenge, but those who know him say that he's capable of meeting it. And if he should falter, Tech has a pair of back up quarterbacks who have, at times, looked brilliant.

There should be 40,000 fans in Jones Stadium for the opener. Indeed, there should be standing room only. The Raiders deserve that kind of support every time they play, no matter the opposition.

Capacity crowds make it possible for Tech to get the top teams on its schedule. When the crowds tail off, so does the interest at other schools. And Iowa State is no patsy. It will be a tough game for the young Raiders and it should be an exciting battle. Be there!

The baseball races, generally pretty loose for a larger part of the season, have tightened up in the closing weeks. Now, with about a month left, even Oakland doesn't have a cinch.

Boster's collapse, with both Baltimore and New York getting hot, has opened up the American League East. Texas' surge has cut into Oakland's apparently secure bulge in the West. Both races could go down to the closing days of the season.

Los Angeles took a major step towards a title in the National League West when it downed Cincinnati in the Reds' park, two out of three. The next threegame set is in LA and that might be the race.

Meanwhile, Pittsburgh also heated up its machine and started to pull away from the St. Louis Cardinals. But again, no team really has a stranglehold on the titles and fans are being treated to the type of garrison finish that fills the stands—and owners' pockets.

I'm glad that Evel disappointed thousands and came throug his impossible leap unscathed. I didn't think he'd soar up, up and away safely across that distance. Machines can defy gravity only so much before they fall into its grasp.

Oh, well, the feat made Evel a wealthy young man, proving that even in these days of inflation there are plenty of folks willing to toss their money away. Hooray!

Houston, which had high hopes of making a challenge for the national title, didn't even get started. The Cougars sagged under Arizona State's attack and now it's all uphill. But it's not the type of showing one expects from a team rated "possibly the best in the SWC," as some observers stated.

One defeat doesn't make a season, of course, and the Cougars could come back strong. They battle Rice this week and that game will be eyed with more than passing notice around the league.

I'm writing this Sunday night and I'm still waiting for word on why Tennessee didn't go for two points against UCLA. The Vols tied up the game, late, and could have gone for a win. Instead, they kicked the extra point and settled for a tie.

That doesn't sould like Tennessee, even in a nonconference game. Sure, a tie is better than a loss and a tie will help in the national standings. But it would have been interesting to see the Vols try to win.

Saturday, 7:30 p.m., Jones Stadium, Iowa State vs Texas Tech. Be

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Holy Spirit Conference to Begin At Shallowater's Methodist Church Sunday

The Shallowater First United and controversy within the local Methodist Church will host a four day Holy Spirit Conference beginning Sunday, September 15 at 7 p.m. The conference will feature three outstanding speakers in David du Plessis, World Pentecostal Leader; Dr. Edmund Robb, former nationally known evangelist and current minister of St. Luke United Methodist Church in Lubbock; and Ted Dotts, District Superintendent of the Pampa District of the United Methodist Church.



David du Plessis

According to Bro. Max Browning, Pastor of the local church, the conference was called due to the rising wide spread interest in the Holy Spirit. "There is probably no single issue in christian Theology that has generated the interest, confusion

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church like the doctrine of the Holy Spirit and the Spiritfilled life," said Browning. We are having the conference "in order to help our people better understand the issues and make a more intelligent and less emotional response."

Shortly after being ordained into the ministry in 1928, David du Plessis rose quickly to a position of leadership within the Pentecostal movement. He organized the Second, Third and Fifth Pentecostal World Conferences. In 1951, du Plessis felt called to begin presenting the doctrine of the Holy Spirit to virtually every major Protestant denomination. He is the only Pentecostal to ever serve as an official observer at the Vatican Council. He has participated in international assemblies of the World Council of Churches, Presbyterian World Alliance Convention, and International Missionary Council Meetings. He has lectured on Pentecostal issues at Yale, Union Theological Seminary, Perkins School of Theology, Evangelical Congregational School of Theology as well as many other leading colleges and universities. He has also lectured at the Ecumenical Institute of the United Presbyterian Church and the Ecumenical Institute of the

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World Council of Churches in Switzerland. He has preached in over 45 countries of the world.

A dynamic speaker, Dr. Robb is regarded as one of the outstanding preachers in United Methodism. He has led many citywide interdenominational crusades, has been the evangelist for some of the historic and largest camp meetings in the nation, held hundreds of local church evangelistic missions, and has preached in Japan, Indonesia, India, and South America. Prior to going into evangelism, he received over 800 members into his church during a four year tenure at St. Paul's in Midland. In his first seven months at St. Lukes he has received over 230 members.

In 1970 Ted Dotts received the almost unheard of distinction of being appointed a District Superintendent only six years after graduation from seminary. A man of unusual ability, Ted was elected by his fellow ministers of the Northwest Texas annual conference as a delegate to the General Conference meeting in Atlanta in 1972. He is a gifted scholar and a highly disciplined student of Weslyan Theology.

Night services Monday through Wednesday will begin at 7:30 p.m. with morning services at 7 a.m.

In anticipation of large overflowing crowds, closed circuit television will be provided in the Fellowship Hall and the Chapel.

Rays of Hope

by Pat Stanton

(Daniel 1:8) But Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank.

Daniel was a man that gained much favor with God and man because he purposed within himself to stay in God's walk.

Many Christians lack purpose and therefore are defeated in many areas. The need to purpose within our hearts and minds as to the direction that we want to go.

When Barnabas visited in Antioch he exhorted the believers that "with purpose of heart" they would cleave unto the Lord. (Acts

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Paul also admonished the Corinthians in regard to giving. "Every man according as he purposeth in his heart so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity; for God loveth a cheerful giver." (II Cor. 9:7).

At one point in time, God the great and only creator, purposed some tremendous truths in his heart. These he issued forth in an abundance and we today are still being blessed by the things he purposed and did.

Many people are miserable because they have not purposed in their heart to follow peace and righteousness no matter what the cost.

It is true that some have purposed within, but it is for the wrong reason. Some have purposed to get even, to destroy another, to average, to hate, etc. The Bible definitely states that the one pushing the boulder down on someone else will be the one who is eventually, crushed.

We as individuals must purpose within for good and as we do this, it will affect our families and others.

Some Christians may wonder why God isn't answering their prayers concerning their children and others. It is very possible that God's hands are tied because they will not purpose within to do what they know is honorable and pure. God will never step over the boundry of your heart. You must open the way.

Proverbs 18:21 says that death and life are in the power of the tongue. Use your tongue to issue forth purposes and intents for good. Do this and you will "eat the fruit of your labor".

Services Held for A. J. Brown

Services for A.J. Brown, 55, of 6801 19th Street, Lubbock, were at 4 p.m. Tuesday in the Shallowater United Methodist Church. Dr. Clifford Trotter, superintendent of the Lubbock District of the United Methodist Conference, officiated. The Rev. Wayne R. Williams,

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pastor of the Parkway Drive Baptist Church, assisted.

Burial was in City of Lubbock Cemetery under direction of FranklinBartley Funeral Home.

Brown died at 7:00 p.m. Sunday in Methodist Hospital following a short illness.

A native of Eastland County, he moved to Shallowater in 1923 where he farmed for 33 years. He was also a resident of Dumas for four years. He owned the International Harvester dealership there prior to moving to Lubbock.

He was a Mason and Shriner in the El Paso Temple.

Survivors include his wife, Billie, his daughter, Mrs. Ann Ashcraft of Fort Worth; his son, Adrian of Kearney, Nebraska; his mother, Mrs. Katie Brown of Shallowater; three sisters, Mrs. Glen Blackmon of Shallowater; Mrs. A.C. Henderson and Mrs. Clyde Fowler, both of Shallowater; a brother, Cyrus of Vernon and two grandchildren.

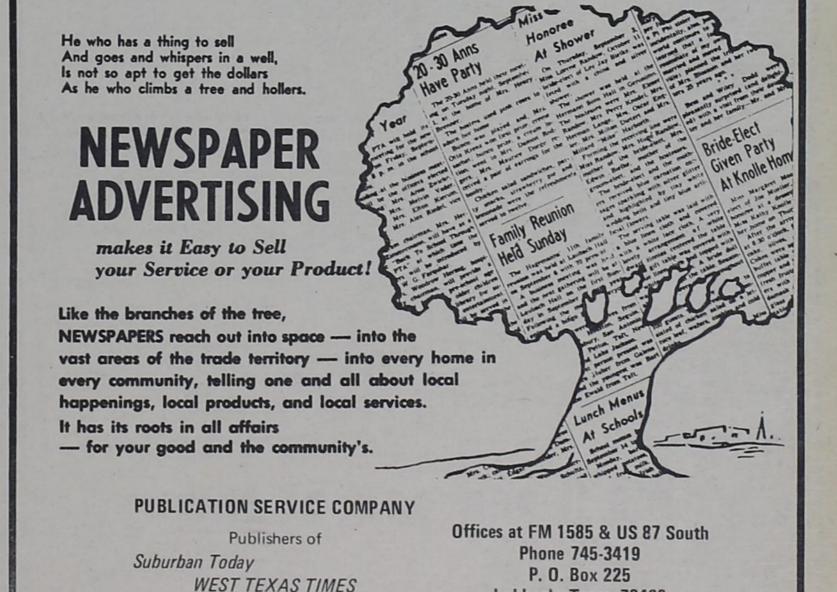
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Criminal Justice Grant Approved for Police Cadet Project in Levelland

approved a criminal justice grant of \$7,890 for a police cadet project in the city of Levelland.

The Levelland Police Depart- Control Act of 1973. ment will recruit and employ three young people to be police cadets. Cadets will be required to work 20 hours per week at the police department and to be enrolled at a local college.

The training program is designed to encourage young educated people to enter into the police profession as fulltime law enforcement officers upon graduation from college.

Project director is Chief Les Johnson of the Levelland Police Department.

The money comes from the Criminal Justice Division of the

TWIRP Week . . . Continued From Page One

senior girls initiated the freshman girls. They started the day off with a kidnap breakfast. Later the freshmen were dressed and sold at the slave sale in initiation apparel. The Slave Sale was the first money making project for the FHA and was a great success.

Governor Dolph Briscoe has Governor's office. CJD administers the state's block grant from the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration under the Crime

> The local grant was among 42 totaling \$2,860,898 which the governor approved.

Home Highlights

by Jewel Robinson **Hockley County Extension Agent** First Steps In A Big World Part II

This is the second part of a twopart story concerning children's emotional adjustment to first separation from their parents, usually occurring when they begin school.

A child's first experience of being separated from his parents often occurs when he begins school. Parents can help their children master the emotional feelings resulting from this separation.

Children need their parents' help to understand and cope with the new experience of being away from home.

Parents can help by:

-acknowledging their own feelings about being separated from the child;

-recognizing their feelings about their child approaching the milestone of entering school;

-preparing their child realistically by talking about how the child may feel, that he may feel lonesome or afraid or sad sometimes;

—helping the child to know that there are many adults besides parents who care about him and will take care of him. Teachers are not substitute parents, but they do care for children.

-gradually presenting major changes to the child. Visit the school, go to the first grade rooms if possible, talk with the teacher, attend the orientation, play on the playground.

-telling the child what will happen during the day at school, about recess, going to the bathroom, having lunch, taking turns, having a lesson; and

-helping him understand that he won't learn to read and write the first day.

Although complete naturity is far from being reached in the first separation from mother, achieving mastery over the separation experience is one step toward the adult goal of interdependence with others.

Governor Briscoe, Lt. Gov. Hobby to Speak to Water for Texas Conference

The 1974 Water for Texas Conference will deal with many important aspects of the state's water resources when it is held on the Texas A&M University campus, September 19 - 20.

This word comes from the general chairman, Dr. J.R. Runkles, director of the Texas Water Resources Institute and a researcher with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, the state's agricultural research agency.

Theme for the conference will be "Ground Water Management -Current Issues."

Gov. Dolph Briscoe is scheduled to address the conference at the 6:30 p.m. banquet Sept. 19 at the Aggieland Inn.

Earlier that day at the J. Earl Rudder Center, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby will serve as keynote speaker at 9:30 a.m. and discuss "Ground Water Issues Facing Texas."

State Rep. Bill Clayton of Springlake, chairman of the House Interim Committee on Water, will speak at 10 a.m. on "Legislative Perspective on Ground Water Issues." Dr. Jack K. Williams,

president of the Texas A&M University System, will welcome conferees. Moderator for the opening session will be Joe D. Carter of Austin, chairman of the Texas Water Rights Commission.

Other opening morning speakers will be Bill Waddle, Austin, general manager of the Texas Water Conservation Association, who will discuss "Approaches to Ground Water Management," and Frank R. Booth, an Austin attorney, who will speak on "Alternative Ground Water Laws for Texas."

Afternoon speakers will include Harry P. Burleigh of Austin, executive director, Texas Water Development Board; Don Owen, an engineer from Newport Beach, Calif.; William F. Guyton of Austin, with Guyton and Associates: Mrs. Jean Williams of the Division of Planning Coordination, Office of the Governor.

Also, Robert Van Dyke, general manager, San Antonio City Water Board: J.W. Buchanan of Dumas. general manager, North Plains Ground Water District; and Frank A. Rayner of Lubbock, general manager, High Plains Underground Water District.

The Singing Cadets of Texas A&M University will provide banquet entertainment.

Ropes School Lunch Menu

Monday, September 16 Chef Salad, Pinto Beans Hot Tamalies, Buttered Corn Corn Bread, Butter Cobbler Pie, Milk

Tuesday, September 17 Fried Chicken and Gravy Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans Lettuce with French Dressing Plain Jello, Peanut Butter & Crackers, Rolls, Butter, Milk

Wednesday, September 18 Chalupas and Salad English Peas Macaroni and Tomatoes Rolls, Butter Fruit Cup, Milk

Thursday, September 19 Beef Patty with Gravy Blackeyed Peas Football Potatoes Rolls, Butter Banana Pudding, Milk

Friday, September 20 Fish Portions, Tartar Sauce French Fries with Catsup Buttered Spinach, Corn Meal Rolls Cake, Peanut Butter Icing, Milk

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Area News . . .

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Tom Durham was taken to Methodist Hospital last Thursday night. At this time we do not know how he is getting along.

Mrs. Vera Bridwell visited in the homes of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Staples and Rhonda, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bridwell and daughters, last week.

Welcome To Ropes

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gee and family. And Mr. and Mrs. Don W. Parker and family.

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COLLEGE & MILITARY DAY . Friday, September 27, 1974 All College Students and Military Personnel Will be Admitted on I. D. Card.

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(Breed with largest number of entries) Barrows 6 p.m., Swine Judging Arena

(Breed with second largest number of entries) Tuesday, September 24

Jersey Cattle 9 a.m., Livestock Pavilion Crossbred Barrows 1 p.m., Swine Judging Arena All other Purebred Barrows . 6 p.m., Swine Judging Arena

Nednesday, September 25 Angus Cattle 9 a.m., Livestock Pavilion Holstein Cattle 9 a.m., Livestock Pavilion Junior Breeding Beef Cattle . . . 11 a.m., Livestock Pavilion

Brown Swiss 2 p.m., Livestock Pavilion Thursday, September 26 Rabbits 8:30 a.m., Rabbit & Poultry Bldg.

Milking Shorthorn Cattle 9 a.m., Livestock Pavilion Friday, September 27 Rabbits 8:30 a.m., Rabbit & Poultry Bldg. Sheep- 9 a.m., Swine Judging Arena

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