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THURSDAY, JAN. 15, 1959

# City Amends Building Code--Council To Sit As Board of Equalization Mon.

In the regular meeting erett Wallace, Mansfield foot addition on the east be obtained. mayor and secretary were Bob Whitlock, secretary.

now taking shape.

The auction sale to be other farm machinery, and handling.

T. J. bring in listings.

Lion Auction Taking Shape--Bring in Listings

of the City Council Tuesday Thomas, aldermen; Troy side of the City Hall was A second action by the ty was not open and ask could not get on account of night, three aldermen, the Morris, mayor; and Mrs discussed, but was tabled Council was to instruct the that they be opened. It was the closed alleys. until the next meeting so secretary to write letters to pointed out that in case of

the alley behind the proper- the city where the truck

A third action was to vote present: Tyree Martin, Ev- The idea of adding a 24- that figures on the cost can each property holder where fire there were points in that the City Council members act as board of equalization, and their first meeting to inspect the tax records will be held on Mon-

day of next week.

A fourth action was to "Next week we will set a and distributed over the held by the Lions Club is he requests that others He also said that if there date," he said, "to bring in county, as well as at places amend the building code was any one in the com- the different things you in the adjoining counties. ordinance. Section C was Redman, Jr., told the Plains- T. J. pointed out that munity who desires to give want auctioned off. The We hope to have a big sale. amended to read that only man Tuesday that already where articles are not sold the Lions Club anything to sale will be widely adver- Ernest Whatley will do the frame and stone buildings there had been listed for and are bid in by the owner, auction off, they would ap- tised. Circulars, containing "crying", and is giving his with a dimension of approximately 24x36, could be erected in this district. The ordinance was also amended so as to take in the Nabours Addition, which has not heretofore been regulated. Parts of the ordinance, allowing government type toilets, was struck out, and the ordinance will read "Wamust be to the property be-

Constable Jack Ogle was down defeated Ropes girls must furnish the City with blue prints of their floor

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MRS. A. J. DUNAVANT

#### sale several pickups and there will be no charge for preciate it. the listings, will be printed services free of charge. DISTRICT FFA Mrs. Foster Has School Enrollment BANQUET AT SMYER MONDAY NIGHT Historic Minnieball Holds Near 600 The District FFA Banquet

will be held on Monday, Jan-In company with our son- plug was driven by the ex- uary 19, 1959, at Smyer, in-law, J. C. Whitfield and plosion of the charge to ex- Texas. The sweetheart conand the banquet will follow Bill Fosters on Sunday aft- grooves of the rifle. at 7:30 p.m. The minnieball was used Miss Elaine Humble will

has a collection of rocks of by the U.S. Army during compete as the sweet/eart every description, but he cuts the time they were fighting from the Ropes Chapter. and polishes them, making Indians and was a very She is a freshman in Ropes rings, necklaces, ear rings, vicious bullet, tearing a man High School. Each chapter to pieces when it hit him. in the district will present Mrs. Foster found this a sweetheart to compete for by folks from all over the bullet in perfect condition district honors. The district South Plains who are in- on the Plains about 26 miles winner will compete in the from Truth or Consequences, Spring against all other Mrs. Foster has among New Mexico. It is said that winners in Area I for Area her collection a minnieball. several Indian battles were Sweetheart. This is a conical rifle ball fought on and near this

Elaine is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Humble of Ropesville. She will be escorted and introduced by Gerald Ward, who is sentinel of the Ropes FFA Chap-

Jehue Price will assist with the banquet and the sweetheart contest. He is Turn to Page 2

The schools got off to a nament, which has just endsplendid start following the ed, while not won by Ropes ter Toilets", and approved son, Steve, we visited the pand the lead to fit the test will start at 6:30 p.m. holidays, with the enroll- teams, was a financial sucment holding around 578. cess as it grossed \$675.00 and serve all houses built in the Five hundred and thirty- the expenses for officials future, and the cess pool eight of these are in white and trophies was \$341, leav- and water for connection schools, and forty in the ing a net of \$334.00. colored schools. Two hund- In the tournament Mead- fore a permit is issued.

red and eighty are in the ow won the boys division, elementary schools; 149 in beating Sundown 48 to 58. designated as building injunior high, and 109 in high In the girls division Sun- specter. All future builders A new pupil in the high 45 to 49. school is Maxine Pope, of Consolation was won by plan and before occupancy

Commerce, who is making Loop boys who defeated New is allowed the building must her home in Ropes with her Home. In the girls play stand city inspection. sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Loop girls defeated Meadow. Examinations in the high HERE FROM

school will start next week. Hockley County Teachers Association will hold a banlocal teachers.

The Ropes basketball tour- Loyd McNabb, Jr.

## ---000---ARTESIA, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Strick-

#### quet in the St. Andre Hotel land and family of Artesia, in Levelland on January 20, New Mexico, were visitors which will be attended by Friday night in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs.

Funeral services for J. L. (Les) Newberry, 58, uncle of Mrs. A. J. Dunavant of Ropes, will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church at Brownfield. The Rev. Curtis Jackson,

UNCLE OF

PASSES AWAY

Lubbock, will officiate, and will be assisted by the Rev. James Tidwell, pastor of the Brownfield First Methodist Church. Burial will be in Terry County Memorial Cemetery under direction of the

Mr. Newberry suffered a was taken to the hospital

A resident of Terry Coun-"The commissioners job in ty 30 years, Mr. Newberry I will continue to live on my and a bookkeeper for an implement company in that

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water tank. Up-storage Good shape. See R. E. Dorsey, or call 3691, Ropesville. \_\_\_\_000\_\_\_\_

### with a hollow base and a sight. METHODIST

terested in rocks.

**NEWS NOTES** Dr. and Mrs. D. D. Denison were guests in the parsonage Sunday afternoon, and find we did not reach our Dr. Denison preached for goals which we set for 1958. the local church Sunday ev- However, there were some message was "Tainted Good- both Sunday School ness', which was very grato emphasize the importance worship with us Sunday. of the ATTENDANCE E- Sunday School .... 9:45 AM perintendent of the Brown- Evangelistic service .... 7 PM

ernoon. Mr. Foster not only

and various other items.

His "rock store" is visited

Auxiliary for the Texas Mis- ers and Christian Workers sion Home and Training Convention convenes School at San Antonio, Tex- Plainview First Church as. This Institution is our the Nazarene January 21 rescue home and adoption 23. General Superintendent agency. The Auxilliary is to Dr. Hardy C. Powers will be help establish a revolving guest speaker. District Sufund whereby the girls may perintendent O. W. Jenkins obtain scholarships for train- will be in charge of all aring in certain areas that will rangements and programs. enable them to be independent when they return to liary. Turn to Page 2

### NAZARENE **NEWS NOTES**

Dan D. Jones, Pastor In checking our records we The theme of his substantial gains made grateful to all who made Hockley County Commissioners Court ciously received by the con- grateful to all who made gregation. The purpose was these gains possible. Come VANGELISM campaign. Dr. Morning Worship .... 11 AM Denison is the District Su- NYPS, Juniors ...... 6:30 PM

Wed. Prayer Meet'g .... 7 PM Mrs. Denison organized an SPECIAL District Preach-

SPECIAL NOTICE Our annual Youth emphanormal life. Fourteen of sis began Tuesday night, our ladies joined the Auxil- the 13th, with a special prayer service. Wednesday. Turn to Page 2

their first regular session tended Levelland schools. He er. since the organization of served in World War II, en-

good of Precinct 4. The two War. old members, Hulon More-Reid of Precinct 3, were pre- lected county treasure

Curtis Epperson, of Lev- good is selling all his farm

The new Commissioners elland, was given the job as machinery, etc., so that he Brownfield Funeral Hoyle. tering the service in 1943 and Plainsman: There were three new fac- receiving his discharge in

Holds First Business Meeting of 1959

Curtis will take the place farm, but will rent the land. land of Precinct 1 and Dale of Dick Cooke, who was e-

The morning session was the Court was adjourned confined to routine business until Thursday morning. It shall be my endeavor to with the exception that a This was done due to the serve all the county." Veterans Officer was hired. fact that Commissioner Hob-

Court of Hockley County Veterans Officer. Curtis has might devote his full time met Monday morning in been raised in Levelland, at- to the office of commission- heart attack Saturday, and

Mr. Hobgood stated to the at that time.

es - County Judge Louis O- 1947. During that time he Hockley County is a full farmed several years. He wens, H. C. (Smokey) Janes served two and a half years time job, and it is my in- subsequently was an emof Precinct 2, and Jim Hob- in the Pacific Theatre of tention to give it full time. ploye of the Texas Company

> "I also think that a commissioner is not only elected After the morning session to serve his precinct, but to FOR SALE serve the county as a whole.

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# Pointer Says \$2,000 Needed to Refinish the Community J. C. Pointer told the side, redecorate the inside, ed in from its original loca- The building, for the past tions to meet; a home for any money you desire to do-

been moved to a permanent skating.

location in the Ropes City The building, which is as a meeting place for the In Ropes it fills a long- has had no such place.

recreational purposes, as well for lack of care.

Plainsman Monday that since and sand and polish the tion about four miles west of several years, has been out Boy Scouts; a place to fcrn- nate can be given to any the Community building has floors so it can be used for Ropes, and is to be used for of use and was deteriating ish recreational activities. Up member of the board: J. W.

to this time the community Berry, James Collins, Marshall Armstrong, Mrs. Kelly Park, at least \$2,000.00 is known as the Ropes Educa- different clubs and civic ac- felt need-a place for the The \$2,000 needed is to Teaff, J. C. Pointer, or Doyle

needed to repaint the out- tional Center, has been mov- tivities of the community. different clubs and organiza- be raised by donations, and Whitener.

#### RETURN FROM DALLAS SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stephenson returned Sunday MRS. WHITEHEAD from Dallas where they had spent the Christmas holi-Leonard.

## HAS CHICKENPOX

Wanda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mayo, is an-

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# ON SICK LIST

dren, E. H. and family, Wel- ple, Mrs. L. E. Whitehead, is where his family plans to City. On Sunday other visdon and family, and Joe reported to be recovering join him later. from a sore throat.

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other of Ropes children who arrived in Ropes this past CHILDREN VISIT is suffering from chicken- week from El Paso to visit with his parents, Mr. and IN MORRIS HOME Mrs. Robert Hall.

days, plus, with their chil- Another of our Ropes peo- he will be sent to Germany ris and children, of Denver

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#### **BRIDAL SHOWER**

We are requested to announce that a bridal shower will be given for Patsy Condra January 21 at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. C. C. Pettiet.

The public is cordially HEREFORD CALVES invited to attend. --000---

MRS. T. COX IS ILL

Mrs. Tommy Cox has been Hereford Farm. confined to her room this week on account of illness. -----

#### MRS. W. WRIGHT IS RECOVERING FROM TONSILITIS

greatly improved.

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TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT Hockley County, Texas

FOURTH QUARTER FROM OCTOBER 1st THROUGH DECEMBER 26th, 1958 Beginning

	Beginning	Receipts &	Expenditures	Ending
	Balances	Transfers	& Transfers	Balances
	Oct. 1st		1 7 1 1 1 1	Dec. 26th
OPERATION FUNDS				
General	\$ 4,813.06	O. D. \$193,382.76	\$127,279.38	\$ 61,290.32
Officers Salary	3,972.90	55,542.59	40,692.13	18,823.36
Jury	209.76	O.D. 5,295.19	2,209.81	2,875.62
Library	25.12	11,289.56	3,630.26	7,684.42
Road & Bridge Precinct No. 1	13,189.25	19,273.39	21,360.07	11,102.57
Road & Bridge Precinct No. 2	759.30	O.D. 38,140.98	10,781.00	26,600.68
Road & Bridge Precinct No. 3	13,377.20	18,964.02	15,628.23	16,712.99
Road & Bridge Precinct No. 4	16,677.47	25,544.73	15,342.25	26,879.95
Road & Bridge Precinct No. 5	7,402.13	6,289.60	2,768.69	10,923.04
Permanent Improvement	2,394.58	O.D. 5,004.97	2,317.40	292.99
Law Library	67.50	53.00	145.00	24.50 O.D.
R.O.W. Hyway No. 62 - No. 84	5,708.17	10,153.9/2	9,618.14	6,243.95
Social Security	4,797.62	-0-	2,498.87	2,298.75
Lateral Road Precinct No. 1	9,368.75	-0-	3,430.00	5,938.75
Lateral Road Precinct No. 2	9,388.89	-0-	5,127.80	4,261.09
Lateral Road Precinct No. 3	14,121.29	-0-	4,326.14	9,795.15
Lateral Road Precinct No. 4	5,993.44	-0-	3,715.05	2,278.39
TOTAL OPERATING FUNDS	\$95.913.03	\$388,934.71	\$270,870.22	\$213,977.52
SINKING FUNDS				

SINKING FUNDS	The state of the s			110
		S. L I'		1-1-4
Road & Bridge Sinking	1939 \$ 1,079.	30 \$ 2,370.6	1 \$ 126.24	3,323.67
Road & Bridge Sinking	1940 386.	30 1,016.4	0 95.40	1,307.30
C.H. & Jail Bond 'B' Sk.	1938 993.	75 3,215.4	6 449.40	3,759.81
C.H. Annex Sinking	1949 2,024.	14,488.4	798.92	15,713.95
Exhibition Bldg. Sink.	1955 1,823.	55 19,288.3	7 13,464.80	7,647.12
CH Improving Bldg. Sk.	1955 3,136.	64 6,894.6	3 2,731.36	7,299.91
Road Bond Sinking	1955 6,094.	82 18,030.6	7 3,867.04	20,258.45
C.H. Improving Ava'l	1955 112.	51 -0-	112.51	-0-
TOTAL SINKING FUNI	DS \$15,651.	33 \$65,304.5	5 \$21,645.67	\$59,310.21

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TIME DEPOSITS	· 医医院医的 医医门及		Eline Eli	
General	\$ 75,000.00	\$75,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$125,000.00
Jury	12,000.00	-0-	1,000.00	11,000.00
Library	5,000.00	-0-	1,000.00	4,000.00
Road & Bridge Precinct No	. 2 20,000.00	-0-	20,000.00	-0-
Lateral Road Precinct No.	3 10,000.00	-0-	-0-	10,000.00
Perm. Improvem't Sk. 19	25,000.00	-0-	5,000.00	20,000.00
Exhibition Bldg. Sinking 19	7,500.00	13,000.00	-0-	20,500.00
C.H. Imp. Sinking 19	20,000.00	1,800.00	-0-	21,800.00
Road Bond Sinking 19	35,500.00	2,000.00	-0-	37,500.00
TOTAL TIME DEPOSITS	\$210,000.00	\$91,800.00	\$52,000.00	\$249,800.00

Mary Meek, Hockley County Treasurer.

W. G. Tabor, Notary Public, Hockley County, Tex.

\$546.039.26 \$344,515.89

Sworn and subscribed to me this 30th day of December, A.D. 1958.

\$321,564.36

The foregoing report having been examined and found correct, it is ordered approved and recorded in the minutes of the Commissioner's Court, and published.

Witness our hands this 31st day of December, 1958.

PAUL A. WILLIAMS County Judge

HULON L. MORELAND Commissioner Precinct No. 1

TOTAL ALL FUNDS

J. A. PREUIT, Commissioner Precinct No. 2 DALE REID, Commissioner Precinct No. 3 BRYAN HULSE, Commissioner Precinct No. 4

\$523,087.73

Delbert stated that he is Mrs. Troy Morris had as in for a stretch of foreign their visitors their children, duty, and he thinks perhaps Mr. and Mrs. Donald Moritors were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whitfield and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shanklin and children, of Lubbock; and Mrs. James Thomas and children of Ropes, also Mrs. J. R. Gailey and niece, Lynelle Etheridge, of Ropes. ---000---

# ROPES BOYS BUY

C. T. McCormick, Ropes Ag teacher, Sammy Berry, and R. C. Lewis were in Ft. Worth this past week where they visited the Andrews

While there they bought two calves which will be shown in 1960.

#### \_\_\_\_000-\_\_\_ MR. AND MRS. JOE HARRIS IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris Mrs. Warner Wright, who were in Lubbock this week has been confined due to where they attended the tonsilitis, is reported to be bedsides of Mrs. Harris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Moore.

> Mrs. Moore fell and broke her arm and Mr. Moore was in the hospital threatened with a heart attack.

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### NOTICE

If you purchased magazines from the Ropes FFA Chapter last October and have not received your magazines, please contact C. T. McCormick. All magazines should be delivered by now. If they are not, complaints will be sent in immediately. If they still are not delivered, your money will be refunded.

Please let us know if yours has not arrived.

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Ropes FFA Chapter.

#### SCHOOL MENU

FOR JAN. 19 - 23

Monday: Barbecued weiners, buttered corn, English pea salad, applesauce, light bread and milk.

Tuesday: Meat balls, spaghetti and tomato sauce, green lima beans, peaches, hot holls, butter and milk.

Wednesday: Chili mac, spinach, pinto beans, blackberry cobbler, cornbread,

Taken at bedtime, Blac':-Draught\* is "timed" to relieve constipation first thing in morning—without harsh griping or urgency! This amazing "overnight" laxative helps sweeten sour stomach too. Then life looks sunny again! Made from pure vegetable herbs, thorough but gentle. Get Black-Draught. \*In Powder or Granulated form . . . and now in new, easy-to-take Tablets, too.

CHILDREN: When constipation sours young digestions, get Syrup of Black-Draught. Tastes honey-sweet!

without interrupting sleep or work! When constipation sours your when constipation sours your stomach, you feel logy, headachy. Taken at bedtime, Black-Draught\* is "timed" to relieve constipation first thing in morning—without harsh griping or urgency! This amazing "overnight" laxative helps sweeten sour stomach too. Then life looks sunny again! Made from pure vegetable herbs, thorough but gentle. Get Black-Draught. \*In Powder or Granulated form . . . and now in new, easy-to-take Tablets, too.

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Thursday: Pork chops, buttered potatoes, green peas, Over the weekend Mr. and peaches, hot holls, butter and milk.

> Friday: Turkey, dressing and gravy, green beans, celery strips, cranberry sauce, light bread and milk.

MR. & MRS. J. MARTIN IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin were looking after business in Lobbock Tuesday.

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ROPESVILLE, TEXAS

### ANNUAL BOY SCOUT BANQUET FEB. 5, 1959

The Annual Boy Scout Banquet will be held in the Women's Building at the Hockley County Fairgrounds on February 5, 1959. The banquet will start at 7:30 p.m. All persons interestea in Boy Scouts will enjoy attending.

Tickets may be purchased HOME IN S. C. from C. T. MCormick any time this week. The price is \$2.00 per person.

The purpose of this banquet is to honor the boys who have made outstanding achievements during the past twelve months. It is for the entire district.

While Ropes will have no NOTICE boys up for advancement, we hope to have next year. that the City Council, con-ing. The Ropes troop is just be- sisting of Troy Morris, mayginning and will start work- or; Everett Wallace, Mansing on its advancements in field Thomas, Tyree Martin, Hall declaring he was going the near future.

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#### HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

Royce Lee, son of Mr. and ATTEND 4-H PARTY Mrs. E. W. Cavitt, was honored with a party on his 11th IN LEVELLAND birthday this past Thursday. The guests and honoree 4-H party at Levelland Sat- stable Jack Ogle complainwere taken to Lubbock for a

skating party and then re- urday night were Peggy Tu-ing that the "action" on his of air to the surface of the grasp the immensity of IL for cake and hot chocolate.

Johnson, Glenda Price, Tyree Martin, Jr., Charles Cesare, Harold Whitehead, Charles Cavitt, Artie Thomas and the honoree, Royce Lee.

## RETURN TO

Mrs. Morris Goad and son, Mike, left last week for their home in South Carolina, after spending the Christmas holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitlock.

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Ralph Riojas, aldermen, will to have to get him a big hat on Monday, January 20, 1959, if he is to stay in style at sit as board of equalization the school house. . . Tony for the City of Ropesville. ---000---

## VISIT IN

Lubbock Saturday night in the gasoline is frozen in the the home of her brother, tank and the oil in the Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Thur-crankcase". . . John Proctor man.

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LUBBOCK

(Delayed)

The weather — busted water pipes, frozen water lines, busted engines, frostbiteen toes - you guess what Notice is hereby given kind of weather we're hav-

> Seen and heard - Robert replied Hank, as he contin-Sims wishing his undershirts were longer and heavier. . J. W. Berry wishing some

one would fix his gas stove . . . Woodrow Jones saying, Among those attending the "Whew, but it's cold. . . Con-

turned to the Cavitt home dor, Doris Martin, Berrilyn gun was all froze up. . . earth; there are none who Even if this earth exploded Thomas, Royce Cavitt, Mike Clyde Loveless requesting can actually tell you why into a million pieces, and Those attending were Peg- Timmons and Tyree Martin, that the water be cut off at the earth spins; why man sank into oblivion, there gy Tudor, Donnie Blackmon, Jr. The group was taken to the water tower so he could operates on thought and would still be Space and Berrilyn Thomas, Charlotte Levelland by Mrs. B. J. Tho- fix his frozen and busted memory, and animals on in- Time. Did you ever think water pipes. . . Bill Chand- stinct. ler saying, "This is as cold as it ever gets in this coun-

ped three degrees lower. . .

saying, "I'd shave myself,

but I'm afraid my face will

When two neighbors came

ued to hammer and saw.

asked the neighbor.

about the same.

coop," answered Hank.

lots of folks who made re-

trash barrel and is again

smelling up the living room. Of course, there are other resolutions made on New Years, but as in the case of the cigarettes and pipe, they

A lot of us older birds

quit making resolutions a

long time ago. We were so forgetful about those reso-

lutions that when it was

brought to our attention we had broken one we'd feel real upset about it - but,

being as we had broken it,

what was there to do about

We mark our time with seconds, minutes, hours, days

and weeks, months and years and we live in the middle of eternity—eternity behind us and eternity in front of us. Scientists can calculate

the age of the earth, but can they calculate eternity

before the earth was tossed

into space; can they calculate the eternity that lies ahead. Actual history goes back but a few thousand years, which is barely a second in time, both past and future. Scientists can tell

us what they think has hap-

pened on this earth back to the beginning, but can

they tell us what lays be-

Time is as much a mystery as life. It is very baffling when you are asked,

"How long have we had Time?" Can it be counted

in the millions of years, or is the figure so large that we cannot write it? We, little people, are placed on a tiny sphere in the midst of cosmos waste; on a sphere

which holds only a few miles

of ozone that will support

life around its surface and, while through the years the

human brain has increased its capacity for knowledge by building on the knowledge acquired by those who have passed this way in former generations, there are none who can explain what holds this thin layer,

yond the stars?

are made to be broken.

freeze."

sick."

try"-but the mercury dropimaginations create myster- world, where would we drop ies for us to read, the great to? If the earth should go Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey May- Tyree Martin hoping his car mystery if all, the unslov- out of orbit, where would it field and daughters were in would start: "I think that able mystery, lays all a- land? We can tell you with round us, lays in Time a certainty, regardless of Then, we very humbly ask, moon rockets and space "Would there be Time it ships, this mystery will nevthere was no time to count er be solved, for beyond its passing?"

Time is eternity. Try to -

about space? It is all about us-if we were to drop While writers with vivio from the surface of the space there is more spacemore worlds, more stars.



IF YOU DON'T THINK ROPES, READ THE ADS AND BE CONVINCED.

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## Specials for Friday & Saturday

CELLO BAG

WE ARE PROUD TO ANNOUNCE THAT WE ARE ABLE TO OFFER YOU THE FULL LINE OF LIBBY PRODUCTS WHICH WE HAVE BEEN UNABLE TO DO FOR SEVERAL MONTHS. THOSE OF YOU WHO HAVE USED THE LIBBY PRODUCTS KNOW THEY ARE SECOND TO NONE, AND WE ASK YOU WHO HAVEN'T USED THEM TO TRY THEM AND COMPARE THEM WITH OTHER NATIONALLY AD VERTISED LINES.



SHURFRESH, QUART

Cooking Oil .49

TURNIP OR MUSTARD,

Greens, 2 for .29

LIBBYS, 303 CAN

Sweet Peas .19

KRAFT, 46 OZ.

Orange Drink .25

DURAND CUT, SWEET, NO. 2 CAN

Potatoes .27



CHASE AND SANBORN, 6 OZ. JAR

Instant Coffee.99



Pet Milk Tall Can .16

Carrots	.10
Celery Hearts	.25
ZESTEE, PEACH, 18 OZ.  Preserves	.37
Pineapple, 2 for SHURFINE, 12 OZ. CAN	.35
<b>Corned Beef</b>	.49



GRADE A, POUND

Fryers	.29

HORMEL MINNESOTA BRAND, POUND

Bacon .49
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3 POUNDS

Hamburger	Meat	\$1
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SHURFRESH

Biscuits, 3 for .25



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