# THE ROPES PLAINSMAN 

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## A LOVER'S QUARREL <br> Homer Henderso <br> In one of Robert Frost': last poems, he proposed his own epitaph: "I had a lovers quarrel wit for we know F=ost as a man who was free to question and who was free to question and even to critize the world and its ideas, but always with un- derstanding and with love for derstand the worl so fully. world is ane tude toward us can profit. I believe quarrel with the world. Now note that the important thing about a lover's quarrel is love. The parties involved are indeed lovers. Every marriage every romance, every friendship of any lasting nature in- volves a lover's quarrel at one time or anther. Yet the quar rel never becomes more impoes such a quarrel ever pose a serious threat to the relationship which is grounded in genuine love. So if we are to have a lover's quarrel with the world, we mu <br> If the idea of loving the world seems strange, then we need only recall the familiar verse from scripture: "Good so his only Son.."' (John $3: 16$ ) God's love for the world is clear enough in both the Old and the New Testament. "And had made, and behold, it was very good." (Genesis $1: 31$ ) We who profess faith in God are called to love the world. Our denying the world or of labelHow world as basically How often we reduce our lationship with the world a quarrel without love. We in- sist on condemning the world sist on condemning the world and worldly things. We forget that "God sent the Son into that "God sent the Son into world, but that the world (John 3:17)

 wo are called to quarrel with it. We are to question a its ideas with the world and ing that comes only from love And when we do so, we are really quarreling with ourwhom God loves, and it is
with us that the trouble with the world begins. The world is not the problem. What $w$ make of the world is the problem. Sin is never found in the world outside us. "This is the judgment, that light has loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds
were evil." (John $3: 19$ ) $\operatorname{Sin}$ is we make of it. Sin is not al we make of it. Sin is not al Sin is not sex; it's how we dancing; it's how we approach it. If we insist upon identifying sin and evil with al
these things, then we offur as our solution to the problem world. We reduce our relat orid. with the world to quarrel without love. Only when we get involve
in the world as God has a ways been involved in th
world do we discover that th problem is not with the wor here, in me and in you. The Turn to Page 3

## Letters to the Editor

The Plainsman received tained dead puppies, rabbits
the following letters this week and chickens, not to mention
in response to our editoral on maggots. Dumping animals in response to our we urge you was unlawful, but we did
 As a former trash hauler $\begin{aligned} & \text { We never carried any off with } \\ & \text { out permission }\end{aligned}$ with the senior class of 1968, All these things are hard to I know how hard the work is.
I remember extremely cold
mornings in the but not as hard as mornings in the winter when ped. The work wore us out got up at 5:00; dressed in really lowered our spirits. W heavy clothes and several tried so hard to please th pair $_{\text {s }}$ of socks; ate a skimpy $/$ city. What thanks did we re reakfast, if any at all; theil dashed off to meet the other perfect, but we are human classmates to work about eight we are capable of doing onl
hours in freezing weather for so much without errors a scant sixty dollars. I also, Why waste breath griping recall mornings in the sum- about something ass trifle as mer when we got up as early trash haul when there is ad and perhaps beat the heat.
ed
suffering all over the world
Have you ever heard of Vie Nonetheless, we all went home / Nam? Now the
sunburned, filthy, and parti-| to talk about,
cularly smelly. A few people. This letter is not directed to orfered us welcomed Cokes or any one person, but to the when barrels were especially it is a long letter, and wil
difficult to lift. I can remem. probably not even be read. ber working in several inches But I, at least, expressed my
of mud and lifting heavy bar- feelings from the side I've rels full of stagnant water
after a rain. I remember after a rai
working in
vision was and we all went home with stinging eyes and faces from
wind burn. I recall times when the boys of the class
would be gone and we girls would be gone and we girls ves, often as few as three girls
to a group working eight

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I remember the difficulty
``` we had trying to get enough pickups or trailers to put the
trash in, not to mention the trouble we had in finding drivers who could back up a trail
er or drive a standard pickup er or drive a standard pickup bruised and cut by wire and clean an entire alley before I Ithink the City should pay driving down it to empty the for trash barrels for the
barrels. I remember having times we have paid for the to stop at a house a little way trash to be hauled and didn'
out of town, on the way to get it hauled. the dumping grounds, to pot get it hauled. back of a pickup as a result stop some of this hot rodding of smoldering ashes. I realmost biting. I remember all this and more.
Even with all these problems, we tried so hard to keep
peace, do a good job, and keep peace, do a good job, and keep
smiling. It wasn't easy. We
just closed our eyes and held stop some of this hot rodding one that will treat everyone and say, well I can't give .... or a so-called big shot of
Ropesville. (Name Withhel

\section*{VISITS HERE}

Mrs. Nina Hayslip had as
her visitors last week her er visitors last week her monstration Club will have randchildren from Odessa, |their annual Family Night on nonda and Mark Fishback Friday, August 5 at the hom
and Timmy Stroope. Their of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ayers at troope came after them ovwere her grandchildren from Collins, and her daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Ken Coffman Mr. and Mrs. Ken Coffman o

\section*{OR SALE-}

Air conitioner in good conlavatory and stand, See Mrs.
W. O. Drake, or call \(562-4784\).

\section*{IN LUBBOCK SUNDAY}

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobss

\section*{New Teachers Named}

Superintenednt O. V. Fuller Texas Tech, Band Teacher.
this week announced the fol- Mr Fuller this week announced the fol-1 Mr. Fuller stated that the Ropes Public Schools: leton State College, First Mr. Fuller also stated that
Grade; Mrs. Edna Oakes, Tex_ the Ropes Independent Schoal Grade; Mrs. Edna Oakes, Tex- the Ropes Independent School as Tech, Second Grade; Mrs. Board of Trustees will hold a
Pamela Coleman, Texas Tech, Board House meeting August Third Grade; Miss Judy Buck- 15, 1966 at \(8: 00\) p.m. in the Board Room


LOUELLA MEANS
\(\qquad\) Bureau will present its Queen
Contest at 8:00 p.m. August 4 Contest at 8:00 p.m. Augus
at South Plains College. at South Plains College,
At present 12 lovely youn ladies have registered to co pete in the annual event. A-
mong them is Miss Louella mong them is Miss Louella
Means, who will be a junior Means, who will be a junior
at Ropes High. She is a mem ber of the Eagle band, on the basketball team, feature twirl er. Last year she was sopho-
more nominee for Football more nomine
The purpose of this contest is to give recognition to the arm and ranch girls of Tex n appearance, poise, and per onality.
YOUNG HOMEMAKERS
The Ropes Young Home-
makers met Monday night, makers met Monday night,
July 18, to hear Mrs. Jenkins, instructor in Child Develop-
ment, in the Home Economics
Department at Texas Tech,
discuss "Sex and Your Child" Following her talk, there was
a question and answer period a question and answer period served by Mary Ann Jones and
Genelle Ward. This was one one of the most informative
and enlightening programs of
our year and was enjoyed by
our year and was enjoyed by
everyone present. Those present were Mary Ann Jones,
Genell Ward. Anita Genell Ward, Anita Means,
Sandra Smith, Von Ayers,
Shirley Streety, and Rosemary Shirley Streety, and Rosemary
Henderson, the Methodist preacher's wife, a visitor.
The Ropes Young Hom


Means, petty Whitehead and

and Young Farmer's picnic will be held Thursday, Au 11 at 7:00 p.m. near the
Kenzle Park swimming Each family is to bring a pool Each family is to bring a pic
nic lunch and drinks for their
family family. All visitors are
dially invited to come.

\section*{GLEESTS OVER SUNDAY}

\section*{Sunday dinner guests
the home of Mr. and Mrs.}
the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.
N. Willis were Mr. and Mrs.
Bob Walling and Mr. and Mrs
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walling

\section*{To Eagle Band Members} Miss Mildred Cannon, Tar- the exception of lish; and Mr. Benton Fly

Mrs. Myrna Wright is ac-
cepting piano and voice stu-
dents in her home, \(11-2\) mile dents in her home, 1 1-2 mile to J. N. Willis home. Phon \(12 \mathrm{R}-3581\), Ropes.

\section*{NOTICE-}

The Ropes, Barber Shop through August 23rd for va-

MOVE TO LEVELLAND
Mr. and Mrs. Joy A
family moved this past Fri

\section*{VISITS HERE}

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Drake d briefly Monday with his mother, Mrs. W. O. Drake, They were enroute home from
El Paso.

\section*{CARD OF THANKS}

This week we would like to say thanks to the R. M. Mayfields, the John Reams, fresh produce
We enjoyed blackeyed peas
We enjoyed blackeyed peas
corn, squash, okra and canta-
loupes. When we sat down This is what you call a fresh picked dinner." Sure was NOTICE
We are in the market for green blackeyed peas. We
will harvest them ourselves will harvest them ret in contact with:
TODD PRODUCE CO
Phone \(872-2380\) Lamesa Goodpasture Grain in Ropes,

\section*{VISISS PARENTS}

We failed to state last week that Mr. and Mrs. Garth
Gotcher and family of Floyada visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gotcher

\section*{HAVE VISITORS}

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Johnson of Brownfield visited in her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.

\section*{NOW AT HOME}

Aubrey Mayfield, who has
been in a Lubbock hospital uffering from a blood clot, has been returned to his home much improved.
VISIT HERK
Visitors last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pointer were Mr. and Mrs. W.
B. Pointer of Muleshoe, and Jerry Holt and Karol Kuyken dall of Lubbock.

\section*{NOTICE-}

Dub Riney asked \(u_{\text {s }}\) to anbeen hired week that he has been hired by the City as
night watchman only, and will
be be on duty from 11:00 p.m. call during the daytime un

\section*{TO HOLD DRAWING}

Cyanamid Farm Supply of drawing Wednesday, August a drawing Wednesday, August
10th at \(5: 00\) p.m. in front of he Plainsman office where they will give some lucky
customer a 30.06 rifle. Not ad on pag SHOWER
a 7 Attention Eagle Bandsmen: no problem. Don't be on the ored with a lingerie shower

\section*{Nola Knows}

\author{
By Nola White
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D ar Nola - I'm a pharma- to my son. I've denied mycist and hate it. I have al-self everything in order to
ways hated it. I'd like to provide him the best. He s chuck the whole thing and in college now, doing well, go into the cattle business but and is a handsome young
I'm married and have two man. The problem is that a I'm married and have two man. The pho has been very children and I don't feel it gentieman who has been very
would be fair to them. What attentive these past two years would be fair to
do you think?

Pill Pusher has asked me to marry him. My son says he'll never speak to me again if I do. I couldn \(t\) Dear Pill - I don't think it's bear that. What should I do' fair to go on hating yoursalf this and chances are feel a Dear Mom - Make up your little guilty because they know mind about the gentlema you're unhappy. Do whatever without regard to your son makes you most content. Your He's acting like a spoile contentment will pervade the brat, but he'll come around
whole atmosphere of your regardless of what you decid whole atmosphere of your regardess of what you decide richer no matter how little years, he'll have a family o you make. Good luck. his own and you'll decrease Dear Nola - I'm in love with a young woman who has all the qualifications for being a Dear Nola - I lost one boy
wonderful wife-she's beautiful, a good housekeeper and him kiss and in wouldn't le loves children. Trouble is, him kiss and paw me, so she's so dumb. I'm a profes- the next boy because I did. I sional man and like some in- don't get it, do you? tellectual response from a
woman, but Betty is just plain woman, but Betty is just plain
stupid. Considering Dear Confused - Men er virtues, do you think I'd ways complain because worngo wroong if I married her? en are so hard to understand! Dear Brain. The Brains to lose him regardless of what as she'd go if she married you do and do as you please. you. I can't imagine any two policy.
who'd be more miserable af-
ter the sex attraction wore off Dear Nola - I don't make a COCKROACHES - Rats, mice, ter the sex attraction wore off Dear Nola - I don't make a COCKROACHES - Rats, mice,
than a man who feels his lot of moey but it would be termites, gophers and other wife is inferior or a woman enough to support my wife ed. GUARANTEED. Davidson
who knows he does. Forget it. and our children if it weren't who knows he does. Forget it. |for her free-loading relatives. Pest Control, 501 3rd St, or Dear Nola HI'm a widow For five years I've supported phone 894-3824. Levelland. and I've devoted my whole life her mother and a sister and


We Would Like To Say

\section*{THANKS}

\section*{To The People of Ropes and Surrounding Territory For The} Patronage Given Us

\section*{During Our First Six Months In Business}

In Appreciation We Are Giving Away A

\subsection*{30.06 RIFLE}

> To Some Lucky Patron. Drawing Will Be Held Wednesday, August 10 th at \(5: 00\) p.m.

In Front of the Plainsman Office. You Do Not Have to Be Present To Win. anyone who has made a purchase at our place of business has a card in the drawing

\section*{CYANAMID FARM SUPPLY}
A LOVER'S QUARREI
                        the world in here. May it
From rage 1
we fi-d a new freedom to love \(\left|\begin{array}{l}\text { written on your stone and } \\ \text { mine: "I had a lover's quar }\end{array}\right|\)
the world out there and
\(\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered}\text { VIS } \\ \text { M } \\ \text { over }\end{gathered}\right.\)




4-H RALLY DAY
-4-H Rally Day 1or 1966 is
going to be held on August 6
at the Leveland City Park.
Plan now to be there for a

National Cemetery at Murfers ed.
bore where Federal soldiers
They returned home by way
the Civil War are burried, of Springfield, Missouri, Olva and an old cemetery at Mur- homa City Oklahoma, Okla and an old cemetery at Mur- homa City Oklahoma, and
feesboro where it it believed report every place they went Tyree's great-grandfather is was in need of rain. Tennesburied. The Confederate see had just suffered a severe
soldiers graves were unmarkgood time. . for Rally Day is:
Schedule for
2-2:3 p.m... Register (si.00)
2.30-2:45, General Assmbly 2-2:30 p.m., Register. (\$1.00)
2:30-2:45, General Assembly
3-4:30, Swimming (pay for 3-4:30, Swimming (pay for
swimming in City Pool.) 4:30-6, Games 7:7:00, Supper, (furnished)
7alent Show Following supper, the Tal-
ent Show will begin and Rally
Day will be over when the ent Show will begin and Rally
Day will be over when the
Taient show ends.
The Junior Leaders have
俍 The Junior Leaders have
planned the Rally Day and it
is going to be a lot of fun for is going to be a lot of fun for
the 4 -H members who atcend.
Make your planh now to go. Make your planh now to go.
A 4-H Project Day was held
in Levelland \(\begin{aligned} & \text { July } \\ & \text { 30. }\end{aligned}\)
The ollowing flom Ropes Star-
lighters attended iohters attended classes. on
forestery, electric. monn....
nagement, rifle safety, leader ship and home and
ity improvement: Paula Mc-
万omimi \(k\) Danny, David, Denise
and
Decky Carpenter, Marcia
and Becky Carpenter, Marcia
and Pam Ream, Lonnie Exum, and Pam Ream, Lonn Samm and Lonnie taught
the clas on forestry Marcia nd Becky registered guests. Here are some dates tha
2opes 4-H members will wan. pes \(4-\mathrm{H}\) members will wan
remember: August \(9-4-\mathrm{H}\) Records due District Office.

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Pam Ream
RETURN FROM TRIP
Mr. and Mrs. Tyree Martin
\(\boldsymbol{c}\)
hnve
from a vacation trip where
they visited their daughter
Pvt. and Mrs. Jerry Bradley in
ew Providence, Tennessee.
Te is stationed at Fort Camp.
Kentucky. Enroute they
ent by Texarkana, Little
ock, Arkansas and Memphis
ennessee.
while there they visited
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\begin{aligned}
& \text { relatives in McMinnville. Th } \\
& \text { nessee. They also visited }
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\section*{Specialsfor Friday \& Saturday}

\section*{PLUS GOLD BOND STAMPS}
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