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TWO STORIES

—Ted Dotts

About fifteen hundred years ago in Rome the people went to the arena for their entertainment. There they could see men kill one another in the most fiendish of ways. Men were thrown to all kinds of wild beasts and torn to bits. Men were made to fight against one another with different kinds of weapons. Children were killed by the insane. Men and women were forced into all kinds of unnatural relations. All this was for the sport of the crowd.

But, there was a young Christian man—Telemachus—who lived in far, far away Asia. He thought to himself, "These kinds of things are not in keeping with what Jesus the Christ revealed about the life of God would have His children to lead."

So, Telemachus took the long journey to Rome, preaching along the way against the horrors of the Roman arenas. Once at Rome he walked into the arena and began to preach of God's love for and respect of all men—slave or free. Each man, slave or free, is loved by God and therefore ought to be loved by each other man.

Naturally the Roman people did not like this. After all, what was the life of a slave who cared that men died by the thousands for entertainment, after all they were less than human, weren't they?

So, in the midst of the arena, many men, using their heels, stomped Telemachus to death, while the crowd screamed, "You should have stayed at home in Asia. You have no right to preach to us."

The second story is quoted from a sermon by Robert Reed, the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Casper, Wyoming and the home church of the Reverend Mr. James Reeb, who was beaten to death in Alabama a few weeks ago.

"Jim never wanted an ordinary parish in the safety of the suburbs. As a chaplain in the charity wards of a huge hospital, as 'Y' director and inner city minister, he spent his life on the front lines of human need. He worked with the sick, the underprivileged, the delinquent, the friendless and the poor. Going to Selma was simply one expression of a lifelong concern for the suffering and the oppressed. Jim was concerned with much more than the right to vote, basic as that is. He cared about the shame and hopelessness of those who must spend their entire lives in grinding poverty. He cared about world peace in this age of nuclear horror. Most of all he was disturbed by the violence and injustice still so common in our day."

And James Reeb, Christian minister, was beaten to death by white toughs who screamed, "You ought to have stayed home."

NOTICE

The trash haul will be the second week end in May on Saturday morning. We will appreciate it if you would have the trash burned. If the trash is burning when we come we will not be able to empty it. The last time we hauled it we noticed that some of you have holes in the bottom of your cans. We will have trash cans for a dollar if you would like to buy one.

Freshman Class,
Reporter, Louella



GLENDIA PRICE



BERRILYN THOMAS

YOUNG HOMEMAKERS HAVE SALAD LUNCHEON

The Ropes Young Homemakers had a surprise salad luncheon Tuesday, April 20, 1965 in the Home Economics department honoring Glenda Price as Little Sister of the Year. An honorary plaque engraved with Glenda's name on it and a charm, also engraved were presented to Glenda.

Enjoying the salad luncheon were the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Glen Price, and members Mmes. Anita Means, Mary Ann Jones, Vera Ayers, Sandra Smith, Glynda Glenn, Betty Whitehead, Genevieve Ward and Carol Wilkinson.

PRE SCHOOL DAY

Friday, April 30, will be Pre School Day at Ropes Elementary School. All children in the Ropes School District who will be six years old by September 1 of this year should attend. Parents should bring the children and be in the cafeteria for registration by 8:45 a.m. Each child should have a birth certificate to establish age. These certificates will be returned promptly.

After registration, the children will go to the rooms with their teachers and will be left with the teachers until 2:30 p.m. when they may be called for.

If the children are to ride the school bus either to or from school, they must be in the care of older children who will be responsible for their conduct and safety.

The pre-school children will be guests of the school for lunch in the cafeteria at lunch time.

The patrons of the school are urged to assist in getting word to the parents of all eligible children.

SISTER OF PECK ROGERS PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Claude Thompson, 66, Lubbock resident 21 years, passed away April 20 in University Hospital.

Last rites were held at 4:30 April 21 in the Colgate Street Church of Christ, in Lubbock with L. D. McCoy, minister, officiating.

Burial was April 22 in Frederick, Oklahoma, following services there.

Mrs. Thompson came to Lubbock from Frederick, Oklahoma. She was a member of Colgate Street Church of Christ.

Survivors include the husband; two brothers, Floyd Rogers, Muleshoe, and Peck Rogers, Ropesville; and one sister, Mrs. Winnie Ford, of Healdton, Oklahoma.

FATHER SERIOUSLY ILL

Mrs. George Dodson received word this week that her father, L. C. Beaty, is seriously ill in the hospital at Shamrock.

VISIT DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Childers of Wolforth visited Monday in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Crate Snider and family.

RETURN HOME FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jimison returned home this past Thursday from a month long vacation where they toured seven states, Florida, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia, Tennessee and also Arkansas.

Mrs. Jimison reports that they saw lots of beautiful country, and lots of rain. The states visited were lush and green. They had a wonderful time, but were happy to get back to Texas again.

4-H LEADERS MEETING

Monday night the 4-H Junior Leaders met in Levelland.

Among the demonstrations presented that will also go to district were the "Water Conservation" by Ted Lowrie and Gene Richardson; and Francis Price of Pettit and Danny Rosser gave the Senior "Electric" demonstration.

Adult leaders attending from Ropes were Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lowrie, Mrs. J. C. Pointer and Mrs. L. S. Rosser. Junior leaders attending were Ted Lowrie, Gene Richardson, Lonnie Exum and Danny Rosser.

CUB SCOUT NEWS

Den I of the Cub Scouts No. 736 met last Thursday afternoon, April 15, 1965, at the community building.

Vegetable masks were made from pictures and paper bags. We also learned some new games. Refreshments were served by Alfred Evans.

Those present were Alfred Evans, Mike Moore, Perry Strickland, David and Danny Carpenter, Stanley Shockley, Roy Don Dodson and Den Chief Mark Hardin. Den Mothers present were Mrs. Doc Moore and Mrs. Hugh Strickland.

Reporter,
Roy Don Dodson

ROPES HD CLUB NEWS

The Ropes Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, April 20, in the home of Mrs. Doyle Darby. The club enjoyed a film on hard water and water softeners; also a demonstration of Fashion Two Twenty cosmetics by Mrs. E. J. Abney.

Those present were Mmes. Mansfield Thomas, Ronnie Ayers, Joe Harris, Jimmy Sims, James Chambers, Gerald Ward, J. M. Marcy, D. C. Craig, K. P. Shannon, P. I. Darby, Ronnie Jones, Huey L. Darby, Edwin Whitehead, Bob Thomas, hostess Doyle Darby, and visitor Mrs. E. J. Abney.

The next meeting will be May 4 in the home of Mrs. P. L. Darby.

ON SICK LIST

Mrs. Glen Hewlett was reported to be in the hospital over the weekend.

WEEKEND GUESTS

Guests over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monty McGuire and family were her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Don Carper and family of Sanderson. Mr. Carper is coach at that place.

FOUR GIRLS RECEIVE STATE DEGREES

This past weekend, Dallas was the center of activity, playing host to more than 4,000 FHA girls attending the state meeting. The theme this year was "Home Life Foundation For Peace". Friday morning began the meeting with greetings, talks, talent productions and the awarding of several scholarships. During the afternoon session state degrees were presented and the state chorus sang. Saturday concluded the session with business and the installation of the incoming state officers. Rosene Davis, Jeanie Forbus, Freda McNabb and Kathy McNabb, and Carol Wilkinson, sponsor, chartered a bus with other Hockley County schools.

Four girls from Ropes received their state homemaker degree Friday, the highest degree attainable in Future Homemakers of America. Recipients of this honor were: Kathy McNabb, senior; Berrilyn Thomas, junior; Glenda Price, junior; and Janet Ream, junior. This degree represents years of hard work and determination, for it is an accumulation of the school, community and FHA activities. A girl working toward her state degree must have received her junior degree and chapter degree and have a 85 average in Home making and English, and an overall average of 85. She must also have evidence of all activities. Last year 300 girls received their degree in the state, and 75 of these girls were from Area I. These girls deserve congratulations, for it was an extra undertaking that was not required.

Congratulations this week also go to Mary Gresham, who was named FHA Girl of the Month, and to Glenda Price, who was selected as the Young Homemakers Little Sister. Glenda was honored with a luncheon last Tuesday in the Home Economics Department.

Peck and Faye Rogers

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our appreciation to the people of Ropes for the beautiful floral offerings, cards, and kind words and thoughtful deeds during the passing of my beloved sister. Also to the many friends who attended the funeral. May God bless you.

Peck and Faye Rogers

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jackson on birth of a son Tuesday night at West Texas Hospital. He weighed in at six pounds and four ounces and has been named Landon Lane.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ryals, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson.

LITTLE LEAGUE PLAY

The season for Little League Baseball will start at Ropes on May 7, 1965. The teams are scheduled for 18 games during the course of the play. To be eligible to play: a boy must be at least nine years of age by the time the season starts, and will not be thirteen by August 1, 1965.

Some of the suits issued last year have not been turned in. If you are in possession of one of these suits, you are asked to please leave it at the Ropes Food Store.

First Little League workout will be April 29 at 7:00 p.m. All players and their parents are urged to be present. Managers for the teams selected so far are Dennis Rasberry, Charles Thomas, Roy Carpenter, Dan Carter and Jarred Shockley.

Sponsors for the teams are Buster's Gin, Center Gin, C. and C. Gin and Farm Center Gin.



KATHY McNABB



JANET REAM

A FISH STORY

As the fishing season progresses, so do the fish stories, and so follows another—This past Sunday night J. R. Smith, John Smith, Mansfield Thomas and John Turner of New Home left for a few days of fishing on the Rio Grande River. They caught about 65 pounds of dressed fish—now comes the fish story—this one was such a whopper, he latched onto a hook tied to a swish cans sticking in the riverbank and pulled it down river a good ways, and when the men found it, it took two of them to land it—How 'bout that!

TICKETS TO BE ISSUED

City Marshal Dub Riney informed the Plainsman on Tuesday morning that the small traffic violations, such as running stop signs, and turning across the stripes in the center of Main Street are becoming numerous. Dub reminds us that these signs are just as important in Ropes as they are in a city. He asks your cooperation. For your own protection tickets will be issued for these violations. Everyone should take care, and observe these things. Dub stated that when he does stop anyone for this purpose the say, "Well, so and so does it." So do not be guilty of setting such an example for the younger drivers, or others either. The City Council has asked Dub to crack down on these violations.

Dub also reported Monday night David Moore of Lubbock parked his car south of the community building, and went riding with a group of boys. While he was gone his car was broken into through a small vent window, and a sweater and personal papers were taken. His drums in the back seat were not bothered.

BAPTIST WMS MEETS

The Woman's Missionary met at 3:46 Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church for a Mission study.

Mrs. John Ream was in charge of the program.

Those present were Mmes. Clyde Rhodes, Bert Dean, Gene Lewis, Roy Dobson, Marvin Awbrey, Harry Marrett and Mrs. John Ream.

Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Dean and Mrs. Dobson are new members.

Attention is called to the fact that the G.A.'s, R.A.'s and Sunbeam Band meet at the same time that the W.M.S. meets.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitlock had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hart and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lamb, Susan and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Whitlock, David, Wendell and Ann, all of Lubbock; S/Sgt. and Mrs. Bobby J. Whitlock, Debbie, Lori and Cindy from Lincoln, Nebraska; Don Whitlock; and Mrs. John N. Bayne of Big Spring.

Mrs. Clyde Loveless has been on the sick list this week and visited the doctor

TALENT SHOW

The Ropes PTA will sponsor a talent show in the High School Auditorium Friday, April 30 at 8:00 p.m. Deadline for entries is April 26.

There will be four divisions pre school and elementary, Junior high, High school and adults. M. C. will be Hoss Banns. There will be three judges from KSEL. Cokes and pie and coffee will be sold in the cafeteria after the program. All homemade pies will be donated. Many door prizes will be given away.

Three trophies will be presented in each of the first three divisions. Prizes will be presented to the adults. One large trophy will be presented to the best of the talent show. As we understand it, all the first place winners will perform a second time and the large trophy will be given to the winner.

Following are the members of the Womanless Wedding cast, and talent show entries.

WOMANLESS WEDDING
Father - John Smith
Mother - Monty McGuire
Baby - G. C. Bevers
Twins - girl, Newt Green, boy, Winston Jones
Groom - Bill Polasek
Bride - Dub Derington
Minister - John Greeson
Miss Orpha Key - Charlie Jordan
Grandmother - Edsel Hule
Grandfather - Doc Moore
Aunt Jemima - Richard Burns

Ushers - Benny Redman, Dee Lindley, Ronnie Hule, Tommy Redford, Dwight Hardin
Miss Ina Brokenheart - Merlin Hobbs
Miss Drysdale - Gene McKee
Miss Burke - Leon Young
Aunt Minnie Pearl - T. J. Redman

Uncle - John Ream
Best Man - James Means
Flower Girl - J. R. Clemens
Ring Bearer - Keith Streeby
Maid of Honor - J. R. Smith
Train Bearer - Gerald Smith
Bridesmaid's - David Burks
Donnie Suter

TALENT SHOW ENTRIES

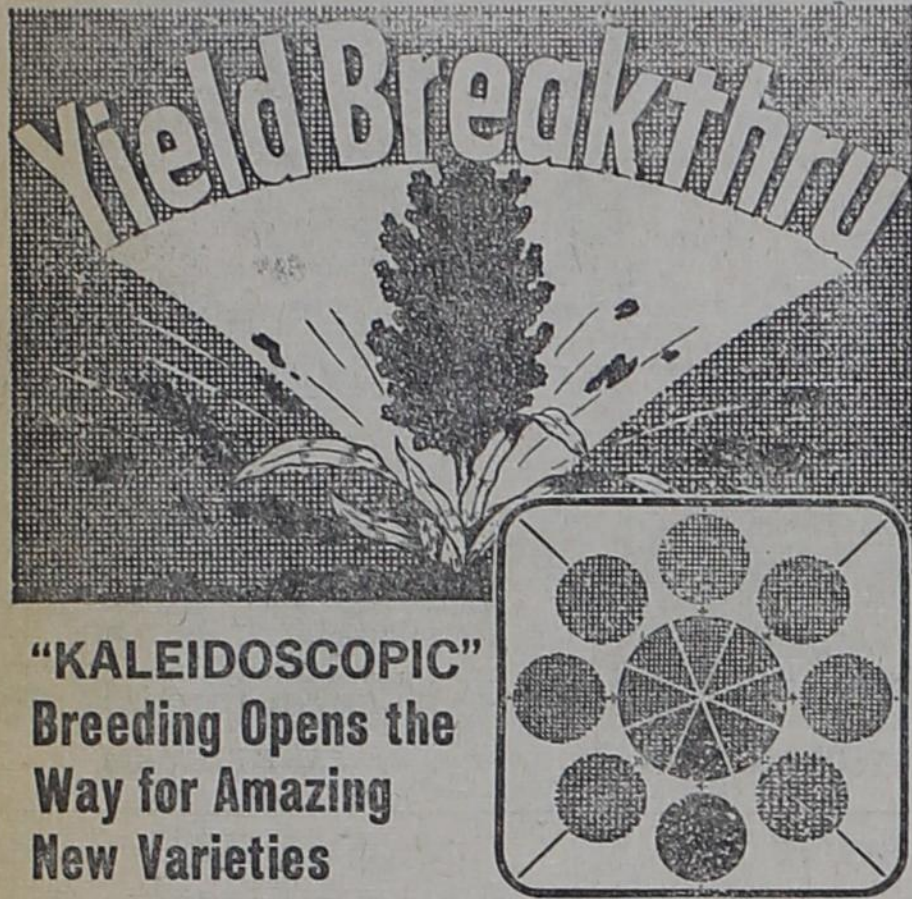
Pre School and Elementary:
Lisa Sims, Solo
Combo Band, Astros
Glenda Marcy, Dance
Kathy Derington, Twirl
Buddy Payne, Piano
Irene Thomas, Solo
Debbie and Dickie Arant
and Teresa Lindley, Pantomime

JUNIOR HIGH:
Teresa Hule, Piano
Electro's, Combo Band
Sammy Harris, Piano
Cookie and Archie Jordan, Duet
Cathy Hobbs, Solo
The Bugs, Beverly McGuire
Floyd Morrow, Danny Young,
Royce Sedgwick, Denise Carpenter, Kirk Lewis, Mark Derington, Randy Clemens
Travis and Carolyn White, Duet

The Dreamers, Pantomime
Noel Floyd, Mark Hardin,
Johnny Martin, Travis White
HIGH SCHOOL:
The Futeras
Loree Jonas, Solo
Hamlet Skit
Louella Means, Solo
The Elusions

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LATE EASTER ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sranon and family went fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bradshaw and family and Louella Means were at Possum Kingdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Price and Mr. and Mrs. Jehue Price of Lubbock went fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Young and boys were at Big Bend Park.

Mrs. Mansfield Thomas was in Ruidoso a couple of days last week.

MENU FOR ROPES SCHOOL CAFETERIA

Following is the menu for the Ropes school cafeteria May 3rd through 7th:

Monday - Baked ham, and buttered blackeyed peas, buttered corn, canned prunes, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Tuesday - Meat balls and spaghetti and tomato sauce, green beans, spiced cooked apples, hot rolls, butter, milk.

Wednesday - Chili Mac, pinto beans, tossed green salad, cherry cobbler, light bread and milk.

Thursday - Fried chicken, buttered creamed potatoes, English pea salad, cheese wedge, ice cream, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Friday - Turkey and dressing, cream gravy, sweet potatoes, jello with apple sauce, light bread and milk.

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VISIT HERE SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Durham and Charles of Lubbock were in Ropes Sunday evening.

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visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Whitehead, and with friends.

IN SPEECH EVENT

Diane Collins of Lubbock was among the more than 300 students who attended the Teras State Sunday School Conference Thursday and Friday in Tyler. She competed in the speech contest, for youths from 17 to 24 years of age.

Diane is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Myles Collins of Lubbock, formerly of Ropes.

WINS FIRST

Linda Jordan won first in poetry at the Interscholastic League Literary Events held at Lech Saturday.

Linda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jordan of Meadow, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Price of Ropes.

WANTED —

Babysitting. Call or see Lynell Etheridge, 562-4232, Ropes.

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Mrs. J. C. Whitfield of Lubbock was in Ropes Tuesday for lunch with her sisters, Lela Shanklin, and Mrs. B. J. Thomas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stephenson who have been in Dallas visiting relatives for the past few weeks were called home Monday due to the serious illness of his brother, Woodrow Stephenson, who is Method Hospital in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Russell visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pointer this past weekend.

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Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dorsett and boys, and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dorsett, Mrs. Lillian Gryder and boys, all of Brownfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hobbs and family of Ropes.

Mrs. E. E. Terry was in Lubbock Monday.

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LETTER TO EDITOR

Dear Mrs. Thomas:

We came to Plains Thursday evening, and went to the post office Friday morning, and found why we were not getting the Plainsman at Henryetta, Oklahoma. It was going to Plains. We were missing it in Henryetta, but thought you had possibly stopped it, when we found it was coming to Plains I was vexed. The post office must have changed our address while we were out here in December, as they had several other of our papers in the same lot here.

I am enclosing an article you might think worthwhile to print.

We do thank you for the Plainsman and enjoy it, I always think of Troy Morris when I get the paper.

Sincerely,
A. L. Wildman.

(Sorry the paper has been going to the wrong place, but we did receive a change of address. We might add that when we think of Mr. Wildman, we think of our big printing press, so we have taken our Father to Plains many times for the expert work of Mr. Wildman. Following is

the article he sent.)

CATS AND DOGS
READ DISEASE
A DANGEROUS ENEMY

Cats and dogs not only communicate disease, but frequently do. It is quite certain hydrophobia, smallpox, chickenpox, relapsing fever—a fifth disease, tapeworm, typhoid and typhus, cholera, mumps, measles and scarlet fever, ringworm, lockjaw, asthma, common cold, grippe or even pneumonia and many other germ diseases have been contracted from animals. The germs find lodgment in the nostrils, mouths, throats or furs of our pets, especially of those permitted to roam sweetwilled among garbage cans and refuse piles.

Animals may convey diseases to their owners by harboring germ carrying insects, the bite of which causes disease to man. Or germs may find entrance into our bodies through abrasions in the skin made by the teeth or claws of illtempered or rough playing pets.

Of the two great family of pets or pests, depending upon the viewpoint, which enliven mankind, the canine is less to be feared than the feline. Indeed the chief objection to dogs is they are sanitary nuisances—especially in the city. Also that swarms of germs and entire colonies of the eggs of parasites, capable of conveying disease if they find lodgment in food or drink are distributed from

cast.

Yet all that applies objectionably to dogs applies equally to cats, with the additional charge that the cats are perfect hosts for diphtheria germs, owing to the excellent mobilizing quarters the microbes find in their rough, jagged roofs of their mouth, and around the soft palate, where the bugs increase and multiply without harming Mr. or Mrs. Cat.

CATS EVEN MORE LIKELY TO CARRY GERMS THAN DOGS

But from these coigns of vantage the bacilli can be sneezed or expectorated all over the neighborhood or be most advantageously distributed over the cats fur during the "cleansing" process. The consequences to a child handling a cat thus infected may be readily surmised.

The bulletin of the New York Health Department tells us that dogs and cats frequently have been responsible for conveying "Foot and Mouth disease" from one farm to another. Cats especially, have been seen with the blisters and sores characteristic of the disease on the inside of their mouths and lips. In several instances the disorder was communicated by them to children.

Ringworm is another disease contracted frequently from "batchy" pets. And if a school child gets it he may communicate it to his companions.

called, and before the germ can be killed. Most medical school inspectors will have little or no difficulty in placing their fingers and thumbs upon epidemics that had their origin in someone's mangy cat.

Indeed, the Veterinary Institute of Berlin, some time ago, found that five and nine tenths percent of cats have cancer of the skin. It may be just as well to keep on the safe side of anything so dangerous and formidable as cancer.

The above should be warning enough for all parents—and others as well.

A. L. W.

DEAN'S HONOR ROLL

and B Honor Rolls for the past six weeks period in the Ropes, High School are:

SENIORS

A Honor Roll
Glen Borland
Kathy McNabb

B Honor Roll
Ronald Snider
Presley Kinnison
Dee Lindley
Dwight Hardin
Dorothy Simmons

Sarah Cato

Phil Price

A Honor Roll
Lynda Snider
Shirley Odom

B Honor Roll
Glen Cato
Berrilyn Thomas

Janice Hickman
Chuck Braden
Deanna Cluck

SOPHOMORES

A Honor Roll
None

B Honor Roll
Rosene Davis
Jeannie Forbus
Mary Lynn Gresham
Freda McNabb
Bill McCormick
Ronnie Price
Gary Rucker

FRESHMAN

A Honor Roll
None

B Honor Roll
Barbara Burks
Janice Bradshaw
Terry Bradshaw
Brenda Cole
Shyrle Ann Harris
Judy Hardin
Gerald Jackson
Dennis McNabb
Karen McKee
Roy Rowland
Brenda Thomas

DEAN'S HONOR ROLL

Don Whitlock, a Senior at Tech, is on the Dean's Honor Roll.

IN ESTILENE

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Russell and his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Wright and daughter Ester, and his mother, Mrs. Reba Russell of Lovelland to Esteline over the weekend. They had been visiting in the Russell home.

IN BROWNFIELD MONDAY

Mrs. Emory Hobbs was in Brownfield Monday visiting her daughters, Mrs. Joyce Dorsett and Mrs. Lillian Gryder.

SUNDAY GUESTS

Guests for Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Russell were his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. John Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Eldon Wright of Houston, and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Abb Russell.

ATTEND 42 PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Travis White and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Ream and family, and Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Thomas and family and Wiley Shanklin were guests Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gillit and family of Lubbock for supper and 42.

IN SILVERTON SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Robertson, John and Joe visited in Silvertown Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Robinson.

ISITS PARENTS

Johnny Snider and a friend Joe Coachman, who are students at Oklahoma Military Academy, visited this past weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crate Snider and Georgana.

VISITING HERE

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Bobby J. Whitlock and family are here for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitlock. They are enroute to a new assignment at Bergstrom AFB in Austin.

LEFT OUT

The article about the Cub Scout Pack meeting is being left out this week, due to space and time. It will appear in next week's edition.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Dunavant are here this week making the acquaintance of a new grandson born to Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dunavant last week.

DELAYED

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Russell visited in Eden last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Moore. Mr. Moore is seriously ill in the hospital there.

The Moores are former residents of Ropes, living on the farm now occupied by the J. R. Smiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Sims were in Kingsland over the weekend visiting her brother Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gotcher. They also visited in Eden with the D. E. Moores.

Mrs. Sidney Price along with 26 members from other area Tops Clubs left Lubbock Friday by chartered bus for Dallas. Clubs from Lubbock, Plainview, Littlefield and Brownfield were represented. Ten members from Brownfield made the trip. Queen, Billie Sandage, Princess Mae Busbee, Lona Gorman, Nedda Love, Norma Sims, Margie Elkins, Doris Warren, Zoe Brittain, Al Fugit, and Inez Price.

Friday nights program was skits from clubs, a dress parade, bathing beauty contest and group singing. Saturday morning session City Secretary Harold Shanks gave the welcome address. Group singing was led by Ottye Courtney of the Lubbock Club. A business meeting of all leaders and officers was then held.

Saturday afternoon opened with group singing, and door prizes were awarded. Kops ceremonies (keep off pounds sensibly) for those who have reached their desired weight were held. The coronation of royalty followed. Tiny Tots Princess and King and Queen Tiny tot was Radonia Gideon of Lubbock, Princess from Plainview, King was Dr. Selik of Houston (lost 42 lbs.) and the Queen was Eula Lawrence of Mesquite with a loss of 119 1-2 pounds. El Paso won the Walking Stick Award (over 600 miles). These losses are for 1964.

There are 3,795 chapters in the U.S. with 100,000 members. The weight loss in Texas last year was 19,470 pounds in 1,950 clubs. Evelyn Ward of the Wichita Weight Wranglers gave her success story. She has lost 152 pounds.

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