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## COTTON GROWING

### WEATHER CONTINUES 0

Picking up where we left off last week on Wednesday, July 26, we have continued to have what is affectionately known as "cotton growing weather". The temperature has been running around ninety degrees in the afternoon and dropping to around sixty-five in the early morning hours.

During this time there has not been even a threat of rain in this section. Sunday, around 9 o'clock, there was lightning in the southwest, but the cloud did not move this way. Monday was one of those days where the humidity was around sixty per cent and the temperature jumped officially to 93. This gave one of the most unpleasant days of the year. Evaporative air conditioners did not do the job—it was a real East Texas day where the perspiration poured off you and there was no relief.

However, again on Monday evening New Mexico and the Panhandle, but all we saw was a low lying cloud in the northwest which disappeared soon after dark.

Tuesday morning, when this is written, there was a skim of clouds in the northwest, but with no threat of rain to this section. Before noon the sky was completely free of clouds and it appears its going to be another one of those days with high humidity.

## NAZARENE REVIVAL

### CLOSES SUNDAY

The Church of the Nazarene revival, which has been in progress for the past several days, will close Sunday night.

Rev. Cargill is bringing messages each night to large and interested audiences. The pastor of the church, Dan Jones, invites the public to attend these services.

## NEGRO SCHOOL

### OPENS SESSION

The Ropes Negro school opened its 1961-62 session on Monday morning. This school opens a month early so that it can be dismissed during the harvest. Dismissal time depends on when the gathering of crops start.

O. V. Fuller told the Plainman, "The custodians, Robert Hall, O. L. Harrison, J. T. Allen and Earl Owens, are putting in long hours getting the school building and grounds ready for the opening of school, which is scheduled for the 28th of this month."

## TAX OFFICE NOW

### IN SCHOOL BUILDING

The Tax Office of the Ropes Independent School District is now located in the west end of the high school building in the office that was previously used as the superintendents office.

Ruth Braden is the tax-assessor-collector and is ready to serve the public. The telephone number of the office is 4321.

## Want to Make More Money From Your Cotton

# Attend Cotton Producers Meet In Community Bldg. Friday 8 P.M.

## Want to Know Communism? Hear, See Facts at the Nazarene Church Sat. Nite

This Saturday evening, August 5th, at 8:00 P.M. the church will continue over film strip with sound tape, "Communist Encirclement", one of the two pictures most hated by the Communists, will be shown at the Church of the Nazarene in Ropesville. Admission is free, and everybody is welcome.

Weekday morning services at 10:00 A.M. except Saturday. Services each night at 8:00 P.M.

We urge you to attend.

The revival services which

## OPEN HOUSE FOR REV. OLLIE APPLE

We are requested to announce that open house will be held for Rev. and Mrs. Ollie Apple Sunday afternoon, August 6th, in their home in Carlisle.

Rev. Apple recently retired from the ministry, and the ladies of the Wolforth Methodist Church are honoring them with the open house which will be from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., and everyone is invited.

Bro. Apple is a former pastor of the Ropes Methodist Church.

## CITY OFFICE TO OPEN 5 DAYS A WEEK

The City Office, which has heretofore been open only 15 days during the first part of the month will remain open five and a half days during bill-paying time and five days a week during the rest of the month.

The payment office of the Southwestern Public Service Company has been moved to the City Office, and now you can pay your water and light bill at the same place.

Mrs. Bob Whitlock has been appointed collector for the Southwestern Public Service Company.

Riojas Dept. Store is now selling many different kinds of magazines.

## PINK AND BLUE SHOWER AUGUST 11

A pink and blue shower will be held in the home of Mrs. C. D. Bond on Friday, August 11, at 3 o'clock, for Mrs. Laverise Bridwell Staples. Everyone is invited to attend.

## GOOD REPORTS FROM CHURCH OF CHRIST BIBLE SCHOOL

Garnie Atkisson, our local preacher with the Church of Christ, reports they are having the largest Vacation Bible school in the history of the church. Monday evening 133 were present and Tuesday evening 150. There are classes for all ages and almost every room is filled to capacity. The school will close Friday evening with a special program. Classes will begin at 7:30 Friday evening instead of 7:45. Everyone is invited to attend the last two evenings of this Bible school.

This is the first time the Bible school has been conducted in the evening but every one likes the arrangement much better than the day time schedule.

## WOODROW JONES IS RECOVERING

Woodrow Jones, who has been ill for the past several days, is now well on the road to recovery.

Opportunities for greater markets and acreage, and a plan by which cotton growers can achieve them at a profit, will be discussed.

Announcement of the meeting was made by T. J. Redman Jr., Chairman of the Organization Committee, Cotton Producers Institute. Cotton growers are urged to attend this meeting.

"The total market for U.S. cotton can increase five million bales in the next seven or eight years," he said. "Whether we are able to achieve this 25 per cent increase in production at a profit depends on what we, as cotton growers, are willing to do to bring it about."

The committee chairman said interested cotton growers have initiated a business movement to assure success in the endeavor. It will offer a new approach — a business approach based on proved American methods — to cotton's future, he stated.

During a 40 minute slide presentation, speakers will describe the potential market for cotton, the program required to achieve the potential, and grower's role in these efforts. Specific opportunities in research and promotion that need immediate attention if cotton farmers are to expand their markets — and their production and profits — will be spelled out by speakers.

The future of the cotton industry pertinent to the farmer could well be decided by you at this meeting.

Everyone is invited and urged to attend.

## MRS. CLYDE FEWELL HAS OPERATION IN ODESSA

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fewell were in Odessa over the weekend attending the bedside of their daughter-in-law Mrs. Clyde Fewell who underwent an emergency operation at 8:00 o'clock Saturday night. Mrs. Dorothy Fishback is caring for the baby girl, and their three-year old son, Clyde Wayne, returned to Ropes Monday with Mrs. Fewell and Danny. Mr. Fewell remained in Odessa.

## Looking to Successful Season Football Practice to Open on August 14th

Ropes High School football prospects will take the field at 8 o'clock Monday, August 14. They will have three coaches with them this year, Coach Brown, Coach Braden and Coach Hollis Floyd, formerly from Smyer. The spirit is beginning to start in the boys as several have started getting ready for the first week of practice. There will be about 25 players this year, and there are plenty of positions with no returning starter. Except for Monday morning, all other work-outs will be at night.

The schedule follows:  
Sept. 1 - Sands, Ropes  
Sept. 8 - Cooper, Ropes  
Sept. 15 - New Home, New Home  
Sept. 22 - Open  
Sept. 29 - Frenship, There  
Oct. 6 - Trent, Here  
Oct. 13 - Whiteface\*, There  
Oct. 20 - Meadow\*, Here  
Oct. 27 - Amherst\*, There  
Nov. 3 - Anton\*, There  
Nov. 10 - Whitharral\*, Here  
\* Conference Games.

## REV. JESSE YOUNG MOVES TO ROPES

The Methodist Church now has a new pastor. Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Young, of Suedon, moved to Ropes Tuesday and took up residence in the Methodist parsonage. The Plainman, on behalf of the community, wishes to extend a hearty welcome to these fine folks.

## SERVICES FOR CHURCH OF CHRIST SUNDAY:

Bible Study ..... 10:00 A.M.  
Morning Worship..... 10:50 AM  
Evening Worship..... 6:00 P.M.  
Song Practice ..... 7:00 P.M.  
Evening Studies,  
Wednesday ..... 8:00 P.M.

## MRS. JIM MARTIN UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. Jim Martin entered a Lubbock hospital on Tuesday and underwent major surgery Wednesday morning.

Latest information says she is doing as well as could be expected.

## EDWARDS ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards and Huey are in Blue Ridge where they are spending their vacation.

## L. B. ALLEN PASSES AWAY

George Allen received the sad information that his son, L. B. Allen of Marble Falls, had passed away. He is also a brother of Mrs. E. N. Exum. Time of the funeral is pending, but services will be held in Carlisle Baptist Church, and interment will be in the Resthaven Cemetery at Lubbock.

## MRS. J. A. GOTCHER HAS OPERATION

Mrs. Jim Gotcher this past week underwent an operation in a Lubbock hospital. She has been returned home but as yet the bandages have not been removed from her eyes, but from all indications the operation was a success.

Mrs. Harvey Jamison, a daughter who had been visiting the Gotchers, has returned to her home in Victoria.

## HOWARD TIMMONS LEADING SINGING

Howard Timmons is this week leading the singing for the Hodges Baptist Church, northwest of Levelland.

A revival meeting is now in progress there.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS TO SOMEONE FREE AUGUST 5TH.

# School Faculty is Completed

## FACULTY FOR 1961-62 HIGH SCHOOL:

R. K. Sams, Principal  
Mrs. Ruth Allbritton, Commercial  
Mrs. Jane Gamble, Home Economics  
C. G. Braden, Boys Basketball, Social Science, Driver Training  
Mrs. Carolyn Brown, English, Chorus  
Paul Brown, Football, Science, Girls Basketball


J. W. Tidwell, Math and World History  
C. T. McCormick, Agriculture  
Mrs. Mary Satterwhite, English and Spanish  
Mrs. Wanda Patterson, Itinerant, Bookkeeping  
Mrs. Paul Lovett, Band  
R. D. (Pat) Patterson, Principal  
Mrs. Ellen Branson, Fifth

Grade  
Mrs. Linnie Flesher, Fifth Grade  
Grade  
Maurice Norman, Seventh and Eighth Grades, Girls Coach  
Mrs. R. H. Brough, Sixth Grade and Junior High English  
Hollis Loyd, Seventh and Eighth Grade Boys Coach  
Everett Wallace, Sixth Grade  
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL:

Terry Redford, Principal  
Mrs. Sarah Pettiet, First Grade  
Grade  
Mrs. Georgia Mae Gambill, First Grade  
Mrs. Ann Gilmore, First Grade  
Mrs. Veola Norman, Second Grade  
Mrs. Terry Redford, Second Grade  
Mrs. Vivian Dopson, Third Grade

Mrs. Everett Wallace, Third Grade  
Mrs. Mae McKenzie, Fourth Grade  
Mrs. Dan Jones, Fourth Grade  
ROPES NEGRO SCHOOL:  
Mr. Jim Loud  
Mrs. Jim Loud  
Mrs. Anna B. Odell  
Guidance and Counseling (CO-OP)

Magazines now for sale at Riojas Dept. Store.

 One Hundred Dollars Free in Ropes Saturday at 4 P.M.



**JIMMY RANKIN VISITS ROPES**

Jimmy Rankin, of Ralls, was a pleasant caller at the Plainsman office Tuesday.

It is rather painful for us to count the years since we first saw Jimmy. Something over forty years ago he walked into the office of the Ralls Banner, of which we were at that time editor, introduced himself and announced that he had accepted a position in the Ralls school system. He taught there for more than eighteen years. The last seven years he was superintendent of the schools.

During World War I Jimmy served in the Medical Corps, 1st Division. He was discharged from the army in 1918 with Victory Medal, Purple Heart Medal and Silver Star Medal for gallantry in Action.

In 1938 the newspaper bug bit Jimmy and he bought the Slaton Slatonite, and operated the newspaper for three years when he sold the enterprise and returned to Ralls to develop his farm holdings which now comprise 960 acres of fertile farm land, on which he and his wife reside.

Jimmy is now seeking a place on the Board of Education, to fill the place made vacant by the late Mr. E. H. Boulter. Knowing Jimmy Rankin as we do, we know he is fully qualified to fill the position he seeks. In fact, he would be a valued addition to the Board, bringing to it experience that can only be gained by working in the field of education. Although he has retired as a teacher, he has never lost interest in education, keeping abreast of the times and the trend of improving the school systems throughout the state.

In meeting Jimmy many events of the past were recalled. Our wife is one of his former students. We enjoyed his visit very much.

**BOB THOMAS' HAVE COMPANY**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thomas had as their guests this past week their daughter in law, Mrs. R. K. Thomas and children, Martha, Diane and Gregory. They live in San Antonio.

Mrs. Thomas told the Plainsman they had just received the sad information that her aunt, Mrs. Sally Whitten, age 85, had passed away at her home in Knox City. The funeral was held on Tuesday and attending from here was George Whitten, a brother of Mrs. Thomas.

**MAYFIELDS VISIT IN AMARILLO**

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mayfield spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting in the home of her sister.

Mrs. Mayfield said that just before they arrived in Amarillo a brother of her brother-in-law, Coy Moore, died of a heart attack. Mr. Moore had suffered one such attack but was thought to have recovered. The second attack was fatal.

**MRS. STRICKLAND RETURNS HOME**

Mrs. D. E. Strickland returned to her home in Repes Sunday after spending a few days in Lubbock with her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Coy, and Mr. and Mrs. Slim Coy. Mrs. Strickland happened to the misfortune of burning her arm recently when she lit the oven on her gas range.

**RETURNS HOME FROM MCKINNEY**

Mrs. Mary Conger, who has been visiting with two daughters, Mrs. Walter Lorange and Mrs. G. Preston, returned to Ropes this past Sunday. She was accompanied on the return trip by her daughter and family who visited in the home of her sisters, Mrs. E. W. Cavitt and Mrs. Dock Whitehead.

**ODELL MOORES VISIT HERE**

Rev. Odell Moore and family, of California, were recent visitors in Ropes. Odell is a Ropes boy and lived in this community for many years.

Odell told the Plainsman, "We enjoy living in California and I am well satisfied with the work I am doing there." He is a minister of the Baptist Church.

**CHILDREN VISIT THE WHITLOCKS**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitlock have as their guests this week their grandchildren, David Whitlock, Charles Hart, Janice and Susan Lamb, all grandchildren; Kathy and Pamilee Eves and Joe Popejoy, all of Lubbock.

The children are attending the Bible school being conducted at the Church of Christ.

**CELEBRATE FORTY-FIRST WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Evans celebrated their 41st wedding anniversary Sunday with a picnic lunch in the Mackenzie Park in Lubbock.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Evans and children and Lavoun Evans of Ropes, and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McGahey and children of Lubbock.

**MRS. HOWARD BRADSHAW IS MUCH IMPROVED**

Mrs. Howard Bradshaw, who has been ill during the past several weeks, is now much improved and will be back in her beauty salon with in the next few days.

**PIERCES HAVE VISITORS RECENTLY**

Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce had as their visitors Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Simpson and sons, John and Mike.

**MCCOYS HAVE COMPANY SUNDAY**

Rev. and Mrs. Roy McCoy had as their visitors this past Sunday, Mrs. Mary Lou Sawyers and daughter, Mrs. Linda Bose and Mary Bell, all of Lubbock. Also visiting the McCoys was Mrs. Estell Barton and daughter, Joy Dee, of Odessa.

**FISHING AT POSSUM KINGDOM DAM**

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Price, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jordan and children and Mrs. Howard Bradshaw and children spent this past weekend at Possum Kingdom Dam fishing. Mrs. Price said the fish were not very hungry, therefore they caught very few of them.

**LAVOUN EVANS RETURNS HOME**

Lavoun Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Evans, who has been employed in Lubbock during the summer, has returned home to prepare for school which starts on August 28th. She will be a junior this year.

**VISITING HERE FROM FARWELL**

Misses Doyleene and LeEtta Moore, of Farwell, Tex., are visiting in the Garnie Atkisson home and attending the Bible School at the church of Christ. They are neices of Mrs. Atkisson.

**CLUB PICNIC ON AUGUST 10TH**

The Lockettville Home Demonstration Club will hold its annual picnic on August 11 at the Community Building, starting at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

**SULLIVANS VISIT IN PLAINVIEW**

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Sullivan were in Plainview Monday where they visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Dykes, and his sister, Mrs. J. D. Bratcher.

**MRS. CAVITT BREAKS FOOT IN DELEON**

E. W. Cavitt and Mrs. E. G. Moore received word Tuesday that their mother, who lives in DeLeon, broke her foot in a fall and was taken to a hospital.

# SPECIALS

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SHURFRESH	2 POUND BOX	
<b>CHEESE</b>		<b>.69</b>
LOTUS PIE	NO. 2 CAN	
<b>APPLES</b>	<b>2 FOR</b>	<b>.29</b>
SHURFINE	303 SIZE CAN	
<b>APRICOTS, 5 FOR</b>		<b>\$1</b>
H-C	46 OUNCE CAN	
<b>ORANGE 'ADE</b>	<b>3 FOR</b>	<b>\$1</b>
SHURFINE	303 SIZE CAN	
<b>CORN,</b>	<b>2 FOR</b>	<b>.35</b>
SHURFINE EARLY HARVEST	303 SIZE CAN	
<b>PEAS</b>	<b>2 FOR</b>	<b>.35</b>
SHURFINE CORNED	12 OUNCE CAN	
<b>BEEF</b>		<b>.51</b>
MAXWELL HOUSE INSTANT	16 OUNCES	
<b>COFFEE</b>		<b>\$1.29</b>
FLUFFO	THREE POUND CAN	
<b>SHORTENING</b>		<b>.79</b>
BAMA PINEAPPLE	18 OUNCE JAR	
<b>PRESERVES</b>	<b>3 FOR</b>	<b>\$1</b>

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<b>BEEF LIVER</b>	<b>POUND</b>	<b>.39</b>
<b>PORK CHOPS</b>	<b>POUND</b>	<b>.63</b>
<b>SLAB BACON, LB.</b>		<b>.53</b>
<b>BOLOGNA ' ALL MEAT ' LB.</b>		<b>.39</b>
<b>FRYERS</b>	<b>POUND</b>	<b>.35</b>

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Slippers, Sizes 3 to 8  
8 1-2 to 3 from \$2.98 to \$5.95
- Work Shoes for Men and Boys Sizes  
2 1-2 to 6 and 6 to 12 from \$3.98 to \$10.95
- Laced Work Boots, Some Insulated, sizes  
6 to 12 from \$10.95 to \$19.95
- Wellingtons for Men, Black Cape or Kid  
Leather, sizes 6 to 12 \$10.95 to \$14.95
- Wellingtons for Men, Rough Side Out,  
Sizes 6 to 12 \$10.95 and \$12.95
- Boys Lace Up Boots, Sizes 10 to 3  
Priced at \$5.98 and \$6.98
- Wellingtons Rough Side Out Sizes 10 to 3  
and 3 1-2 to 6 at \$5.95 and \$7.95

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**ROBERT HUDSONS  
HAVE VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudson had as their visitors Sunday his neices, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Williams and children, Michael, Sharon, Melvin and Rodney, and Mrs. Melba Fay Welch and girls, Kerrie Jean and Linda Lee, all of Lubbock; also his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Smith, who stopped in for a visit on their way home from Montana where they visited their son and family. The Smiths live in Winters, Texas.

**J. W. BERRYS  
HAVE VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berry have as their visitors this week their son, Dan Berry and family, from Eunice, N. Mex.

**VISITORS IN THE  
MORRIS HOME**

Mrs. Rena Lambert, of Foydada, visited Friday night of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Morris. Mrs. Lambert and Mrs. Morris attended a meeting in the Rerry Room at Southwestern Public Service Company that night.

Riojas Dept. Store invites you to look over their magazine rack.

**CARD OF THANKS**

The family of T. K. Markham wishes to acknowledge the kind expressions of sympathy extended to us by the Ropesville community during the illness and loss of our loved one.

Mrs. T. K. Markham and family.

**BAILEYS VISIT  
IN ROPESVILLE**

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bailey, of Knox City, accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Johnny Lewis and her daughter, Barbara of Arkansas, to Ropes on Thursday night of last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey spent the night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stephenson, and Mrs. Lewis and Barbara visited in Seminole in the home of Johnny's parents.

They are former residents of Ropes, and have many friends here.

**OWENS ATTEND  
FAMILY REUNION**

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Owens

and children, of Ropes, accompanied by his neice, Janice Jenkins of Lubbock, attended a reunion of the Owens family in Abilene on Sunday. A cousin from Tennessee attended, also his mother and other relatives from DeLeon, and others. There were about 50 present. Dinner was served in the park, and a nice time reported.

Want a LOOK magazine? You can find this, and many of the other popular magazines now on display at the Riojas Dept. Store.

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**NOTICE**

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**ANNOUNCEMENT OF  
WEDDING PLANS**

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Kirk of Sundown announce the en-

gagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carolejean to Gary L. Grant. Grant is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Grant of Level-land. The ceremony will be conducted at 8 p.m. August 25th at the Sundown Church of Christ. The Grants are former residents of the Ropes community.

Read the ads in the Plainsman, and trade at home.

**Freedom in Truth**

"Ye shall know the truth, go into Damascus; and there and the truth shall make it shall be told thee of all you free" Jno. 8:32 things which are appointed for thee to do. Acts 22:19. The apostle John, as he penned the Revelation letter Saul recognized the Lord and on Patmos island, gave hon- obeyed him. He went into or, "Unto him that loved us, the city and spent three days and washed us from our sins without sight, and neither in his own blood". Rev. 1:5. did eat or drink, Acts 9:9. By No doubt all are agreed that the instruction of the Lord, the blood of Christ was shed Ananias spoke to Saul, "Why that people may be free from tarry, arise and be baptized their sins. In Matt. 26:27-28, and wash away thy sins." Jesus took the cup, the fruit But what about the blood of of the vine," and gave Christ? It was shed in his thanks, and gave it to them, death, Jno. 19:34. Paul later saying, Drink ye all of it; wrote that we are "baptized For this is my blood of the into his death". Rom. 6:3-4. new testament, which is shed Jesus' blood was shed for the for many for the remission remission of sins, Acts 2:38. of sins." Jesus' blood was Therefore they are baptized shed for the remission of sins into his blood. Jesus' blood and John said, "he washed was shed in his death, for the us from our sins in his own remission of sins. Therefore blood." How and when did when we are baptized into this take place? In Acts his death, we receive the re- 22:16 Ananias said to Saul, mission of sins. We are wash- "And now why tarriest thou? ed from our sins by his blood. arise, and be baptized, and We are told to be "baptized wash away thy sins, calling and wash away thy sins". on the name of the Lord." Therefore when we are bap- Here was a man the Lord tized we contact the blood of had appeared to on the road Christ and receive the remis- to Damascus. The Lord in- sion of sins. THINK on these structioned him to, "Arise, and things.

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FUND	Beginning Balance	Receipts and Transfers	Disb. and Transfers	Closing Balance
<b>OPERATING FUNDS</b>				
General .....	\$122,856.18	\$ 6,201.85	\$91,842.13	\$37,215.90
Time Deposit .....	20,000.00	30,000.00	-0-	50,000.00
Jury .....	11,576.81	585.35	1,827.35	10,334.81
Time Deposit .....	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
R & B No. 1 .....	26,872.44	21,654.49	15,484.34	33,042.59
R & B No. 2 .....	42,028.17	20,533.49	21,095.85	41,465.81
R & B No. 3 .....	28,939.57	22,213.50	18,642.47	32,510.60
R & B No. 4 .....	12,388.34	20,773.47	19,945.42	13,216.39
R & B No. 5 .....	4,183.81	2,215.98	2,743.15	3,656.64
Lat. Rd. Prec. No. 1 .....	96.59	-0-	-0-	96.59
Lat. Rd. Prec. No. 2 .....	6,541.17	-0-	6,541.17	-0-
Lat. Rd. Prec. No. 3 .....	750.99	-0-	716.95	34.04
Lat. Rd. Prec. No. 4 .....	7,917.83	-0-	3,938.68	3,979.15
ROW US HY. 62-84 .....	420.39	-0-	-0-	420.39
Officers Salary .....	14,529.37	45,178.61	40,614.52	19,093.46
Library .....	6,026.65	281.24	2,441.42	3,866.47
Time Deposit .....	4,000.00	-0-	-0-	4,000.00
Perm. Imp. .....	257.02	-0-	-0-	257.02
Time Deposit .....	13,650.00	-0-	-0-	13,650.00
Law Library .....	177.50	555.00	248.25	484.25
Social Security .....	16,473.48	-0-	4,553.56	11,919.92
Time Deposit .....	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
<b>SINKING FUNDS</b>				
R & B 1939 .....	\$ 4,138.09	\$ 24.49	\$ 3,199.69	\$ 962.89
R & B 1940 .....	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
C H & J 1938 .....	3,687.25	26.13	3,202.50	510.88
Exhib. Bldg. '55 .....	368.83	5,289.91	5,300.00	358.74
Time Deposit .....	5,285.00	-0-	5,285.00	-0-
C H Imp. '55 .....	16,512.67	143.55	16,580.00	76.22
Time Deposit .....	570.00	1,200.00	-0-	1,770.00
Road Bd. 1955 .....	17,684.91	3,156.60	20,800.00	41.51
Time Deposit .....	4,700.00	-0-	3,000.00	1,700.00
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>\$392,633.06</b>	<b>\$180,033.66</b>	<b>\$288,002.45</b>	<b>\$284,664.27</b>

The above is a true and correct report of the funds handled through my office for the quarter indicated.

A. S. Cooke, Treasurer, Hockley County

Sworn and subscribed to before me, a Notary Public in and for Hockley County, Texas, this the 10th day of July, 1961.

Joan Bowen,  
Notary Public in and for Hockley County, Texas.

Examined and Approved,  
M. B. Lee,  
County Auditor

Approved,  
L. T. Owens,  
County Judge

Approved,  
V. M. Brock,  
Commissioner Prec. 1

Approved,  
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**THIS WEEK IN AUSTIN**

By Senator Preston Smith  
 Hottest debate of this special session erupted in the Senate last week with discussion of the Sunday closing bill.

Exponents of the legislation to close businesses on Sundays, led by Author of the bill, Sen. William Moore of Bryan, say the bill is an economic bill.

"It is designed to close the discount houses that stay open on Sunday," Moore said. Another supporter of the bill, Sen. George Parkhouse said, "It's not fair for a group of Northerners to come down here and take business away from old and established business—to take it away from people who have been here a long time, who pay

taxes and support their churches."

The bill, which would permit religious groups who observe religious days other than Sunday, to stay open, Sundays, was denounced as giving "an unfair economic advantage to groups which do not observe Sunday."

Sen. Crawford Martin of Hillsboro said he believed the bill would be unconstitutional under U.S. Supreme Court rulings if the bill were made to cover all religions and businesses.

Other provisions to control the Sunday opening law involved setting up lists of certain goods that could not be sold on Sunday. Such items enumerated in the bill included clothing, furniture, automobiles, kitchen utensils, home appliances, air conditioners, radios and television sets, cameras, hardware, jewelry, luggage and many other items.

Mrs. Peterson said there were 116 present and that two of the oldest were 89 years old.

Mrs. Peterson also told us that the Mayberrys had traced their family back for seven generations.

They saw people at the reunion they had not seen in 19 years.

The reunion is to be an annual affair, and will be held next year at Snyder or Sweetwater.

Mrs. Peterson spoke of many people that the writer knew in that dim yesterday when he was a small boy, as we lived in McCaulley, in Fisher County, for 7 years, or until we were nine or ten years old. We came out with the Orient railroad. The town, a thriving little city at one time, suffered two disastrous fires which destroyed most of the business district, and was never rebuilt. Now it is little more than a ghost town.

**ATTEND FAMILY REUNION AT ROBY**

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Peterson returned this week from Roby where they attended a family reunion of the Mayberry fam-

**ROPES CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**

Dan D. Jones, Pastor  
 Schedule of services:  
 Sunday School .... 9:45 a.m.  
 Morning worship .... 11 a.m.  
 NYPs, Juniors ..... 7:15 p.m.  
 Evangelistic Serv. .... 8:00 p.m.

The church is enjoying the excellent Bible messages of Rev. A. L. Cargill both morning and evening. We invite you to come worship with us.

Sunday, August 6th, will be the closing date. We covet your prayers, and want your presence for this campaign.

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**THE METHODIST BIBLE CLASS MEETS**

The Methodist Bible Class met in the home of Mrs. J. P. Tarleton on July 27th for their luncheon. Those present were Mrs. Eula Honsinger, Mrs. Bessie Curry, Mrs. Ruby Drake, Rev. and Mrs. Allen Forbis, Elizabeth and Curtis, Mrs. Lola Hughes, Mrs. Nina Hayslip, Mrs. Nina Brown, Mrs. Tarleton's sister, Mrs. Inma Woodson, and Delores Brown.

All enjoyed a nice lunch. Mrs. Drake.

**CHARLES RUSSELLS MOVE TO SEMINOLE THIS WEEK**

Charles Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Russell, with his family is moving to Seminole this week.

Charles, a former member of the Lubbock police force and a former city marshal of Ropes, has accepted a position on the police force of that city.

We wish for Charles and family every success and contentment in their new location.

**BOY SCOUT MEETINGS ARE CANCELED**

C. T. McCormick wishes to announce there will be no Boy Scout meetings on August 9th and 16th, but there definitely will be a meeting on August 23rd. Mr. McCormick will be gone to Fort Hood for two weeks.

**Methodist Church**

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

Sunday:  
 Church School .... 10:00 a.m.  
 Morning Worship .... 11 a.m.  
 Evening worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
 MYF .... After Evening Worship  
 Wednesday:  
 Prayer meeting and  
 Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.  
 (Junior Classroom)  
 Choir practice ..... 8:00 p.m.

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