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## National FFA Week February 22 to 26

### RECONCILIATION

—Ted Dotts

In his book ANOTHER COUNTRY, James Baldwin has one of the leading characters, Vivaldo, think this thought, "...the question was not really what he was going to 'get' but how he was to discover his possibilities and become reconciled to them." (page 141)

Reconciliation has to do with harmony. The person who has experienced reconciliation is the person who is able to live in harmony, in peace, in happiness, with the life he or she has been given. Reconciliation does not have to do with some kind of fatalistic attitude which says, "Oh well, I cannot help what I am, therefore I shall just exist as I am." Rather, reconciliation has to do with discovery and creativity. Once we discover what our possibilities are, then we can use all our possibilities in the most creative and satisfying manner.

Baldwin's character, Vivaldo, is wrestling with reconciliation. He is asking, "should I try to be something I am not so as to get ahead or, should I just be me?" He is trying to reconcile what he is with what others think he ought to be.

Vivaldo's problem is also ours. How shall we discover our possibilities? Is it by being something we are not? Or, is it by being ourselves?

The message of the Christian faith is that you discover your possibilities by being your own self. A hundred years ago the great revival preachers used to preach often on reconciliation. They wanted people to reconcile themselves to their Creator. By this they meant that they wanted people to discover the possibilities God has created within the humanness of each and every man and woman and child. This is the message of the theological doctrine of Incarnation. God has created us all with living possibilities for meaning, joy, happiness, fruitfulness. But, if we are to discover our possibilities, we must be ourselves, and not what we think might get us ahead in the eyes of the world.

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### IN DENVER CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs and Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Hobbs of Littlefield, were in Denver City recently visiting Mrs. Emory Hobbs' sisters, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Grace and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jeffcoat; and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Freeman.

They also visited overnight in Seagraves with Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Hobbs and their family.

### BREAKS RIBS

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gregory received word this week that Ike Gregory fell this past week while lighting his pipe, and broke some ribs. He is reported to be doing fine.

### CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Moore on birth of a son weighing five pounds, thirteen and one half ounces Wednesday morning, February 10, in the West Texas Hospital.

### GRADUATES

Mrs. Ralph Riojas received her nurse's pin and diploma Tuesday night, February 9, at graduation ceremonies at South Plains College in Levelland.

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## Area Farmers To Meet February 23rd

There will be a meeting of Area Farmers at the Community Building February 23, at 7:30 p.m. to explain the Farmers Union Policies and to explain how they stand on the present cotton situation.

If you think you need a higher price for your cotton,

be at the meeting February 23rd.

Everyone is urged to come to this meeting.

You can transfer your Blue Cross and Blue Shield at any time. In no case will the person applying for transfer be canceled out by Blue Cross.

### FHA NEWS

by Shirley Edom

The FHA girls, as well as the entire High School, enjoyed Feast Day this last Monday. The girls baked various kinds of pies and cakes over the weekend and then they were sold before and during activity period. Cakes and coffee were also sold. The only trouble with Feast Day is that we tend to "over eat" and become uncomfortable.

The next item on our calendar is Daddy Date Night next Monday night, the 22nd of February. We FHA girls will have dates with our fathers and grandfathers for pie and coffee at the school house. This should be "interesting" and FUN.

We are proud of three of our Junior girls who have been working extra hard on their State Degrees. These girls are Glenda Price, Janet Ream and Berrilyn Thomas. It's the little extra that you are putting forth that will help you to gain your degrees.

### JEST SOME THOUGHTS

In the winter we turn the furnace up to 80 degrees, while in the summer we try to cool the house down to 70 degrees with the air conditioner.

It's a funny world. We move from one extreme to another. The necessities of today are the luxuries of yesterday.

Times do change. Do you remember when milk came in bottles? Our son asked us the other day if we remembered when they served milk in bottles at the school cafeteria. He seemed amazed that we did.

We also remember when the farmers raised chickens, and sold the eggs, and milked cows, and separated the cream, and sold cream. When anything extra was bought, it was with the cream and egg money.

Now if you raise chickens, you are bound to have a chicken farm, and if you milk cows, you have a dairy.

Everything is specialized in farming, but in many other phases of life today. Did you every try to find a family doctor? It is high on to an impossibility.

You had better not have a sore throat and a corn at the same time. If you do, you will have to visit an eye, ear, nose and throat specialist and then see a foot specialist.

The foot specialist goes no higher than the ankle, and the throat specialist goes no lower than the throat. Anything else requires the services of another specialist.

We suppose this would be called progress.

We have heard all kinds of predictions on the weather, but it still remains dry. About the only moisture is the ice formed on the windshields of a morning.

Besides, no one is ever completely satisfied about the weather. If it rains, it is too muddy and wet, and if it doesn't, it is too dry.

Guess the weather is still about the most important thing around though. Everyone talks about it, and has some hope or other for the future weather.

Guess we'll just have to admit that some pieces of machinery have more brains than we do. Now when a hunk of iron gets the better of you, it is time to do something.

We are speaking of the linotype that is responsible for our near insanity. The thing only works when there



February 22 through 26th has been declared National FFA Week in Texas.

The Ropes Future Farmers of America was established in 1935, and has been in continuous operation since that time. During the war, there were two years when an agriculture teacher was not available, and the Chapter was not active for this time. However, a Chapter is allowed thirty-six months inactivity before its charter is claimed, so these two years did not

affect the Ropes FFA.

The Ropes Chapter has graduates in many fields today. Among the many professions are farmers, doctors, engineers and teachers.

We have an FFA Chapter that we can well be proud of, with four American Farmers and more than sixty Lone Star Farmers to their credit.

Our very able teacher, Mr. McCormick, is largely responsible for the success of our FFA Chapter.

### DR. SHEWBERT TO PREACH SUNDAY

Dr. J. E. Shewbert, District Superintendent of the Plainview District of the Methodist Church, will be preaching at the morning worship service of Ropes Methodist Church this Sunday.

### SENIORS HONORED WITH SWEETHEART BANQUET

Seniors of the Ropes High School and their dates were honored with a Sweetheart Banquet February 11 at the First Baptist Church.

Seniors attending and their dates were Danny Rosser and Linda Seago, Bobby Rowland and Patricia Cornett, Joyce Bevers and Bobby McNabb, Mary Jackson and Tommy Johnson, Mike Timmons and Janice Davis, Dennis Bartlett and Donnie Blackman, Gene Borland and Glenda Price, Kathy McNabb and Charles Shook, Brenda Norrel and Ronald Snider;

Tommy Redford and Shyrle Ann Harris, Ronnie Sedgwick and Sarah Cato, Mickey Smith and Susan Berry, John Bain and Diana Suter, De Lindley, Presley Kinnison, Benny Redman, Dwight Hardin, Ray Witt, and Kay and Vernon Bridwell.

Others attending were Don and Betty Bell, Mrs. Carol Wilkinson, Mrs. Tom Jackson and Rev. Wayne Perry.

Don Bell served as Master of Ceremonies, and Rev. Perry was speaker. Mrs. Bell accompanied Mike Timmons, Benny Redman and Ronnie Sedgwick as they sang several songs.

Serving the banquet were Junior Proms, Iva Hobbs, Susan Redman, Marcia and Pam Ream, Becky Carpenter, Paula McCormick and Rhonda Cole.

The meal was prepared by the Baptist women.

### MOVED TO DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sims were in Lubbock Tuesday helping their son, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sims, Billy Lee, Jr., and Darla Denise prepare to move to Dallas.

Billy works for the Unemployment Office and is being transferred.

### CUB SCOUT NEWS

Den 1 of the Ropes Cub Scouts met February 11 for their weekly den meeting.

The boys played games and had refreshments. Duties were assigned to each boy.

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

Our next meeting will be February 18.

Reporter, Alfred Evans

### RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Green returned home recently from visiting in Fort Worth with Mrs. Irene Beauchant, and also attending the Fat Stock Show.

They also visited his sister in Bonham, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Parker.

Other visits were enjoyed with Mrs. R. B. Bell at Argyre and with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tussey at Kenefic, Oklahoma.

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## Ropes Stage Band Places First in Canyon

The Ropes High School the limited number of students in school and all the work put in on stage band must be done outside school hours.

The Swing Lariats received a first division rating and was selected as Outstanding Band in Class B.

The judges for the contest were Richard Cox, of Tulsa, Oklahoma; Bob Seibert, K. S. M. Publishing Company, Dallas; and Tim Dennis, also of K. S. M. and Dallah.

Many complimentary remarks concerning the stage band were given by the judges, who also offered their congratulations to a school the size of Ropes for doing such outstanding work in the stage band field. Most small schools do not attempt to have a stage band because of

## TO SPONSOR JURACKS

The 1955 Birthday Club will sponsor Mr. and Mrs. Jurack Tuesday, March 2, 1965 at the community building.

The session will start about 10 a.m. and everyone is invited to attend and bring a sack lunch.

If you wish to turn in a special order, you may write to:

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909 West 12th Street  
Plainview, Texas

### SERVICES HELD FOR MRS. INGLE

Funeral services for Mrs. James A. Ingle, a resident of Shallowater since 1957, were held at the First Baptist Church in Shallowater at 2 p. m. Friday, February 5.

Officiating was Rev. Gordon Smith, pastor. Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park under direction of W. W. Rix Funeral Home of Lubbock.

Mrs. Ingle passed away at her residence February 4.

Pallbearers were Granville Doggett, Cecil Bennett, Earnest Isom, Garland Boozer, B. V. Oldham and Arlie Arnold.

Survivors include her husband; one son, Johnny, of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Juanita Cato, Ropesville, and Mrs. Christine Mills of Springfield, Missouri; four sisters, Mrs. Jewel Walker, Brownfield, Mrs. Ruby Ingle, Sudan, Mrs. Laura Johnson, Portales, and Mrs. Neoma Brewster San Juan, New Mexico; five brothers, Roy and Carl Nixon, both of Long Beach, California, Claude Nixon, Lakeview, Alfred Nixon, Portales; and three grandchildren.

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### MEETING OF THE AGRICULTURE CLUB

The next monthly meeting of the Agriculture Club will be Monday night, February 22 at 7:30 at the Carlo Inn. Coffee will be served.

Are you having trouble figuring how the 1965 ASC Program will affect you?

The program will be presented by Jim Stewart, the Hockley County ASC Office Manager. He will discuss the cotton and feed grain programs for 1965.

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is a mechanic around. It closes its eyes, and sets type like nobody's business.

But, let us come up on Tuesday or Wednesday with a lot of news and act that should go in the paper, and the thing opens its eyes, and sees its only us, and goes to spitting hot metal, and won't produce even one line.

We are beginning to have a mania about this. We can not even get our column in the paper.

While this is a little early in the week, we are going to sneak up on the thing and see if we can't get some type out of it before it realizes what is going on.

**SOPHOMORE CLASS HOBO MONTH**

The Sophomore class of the Ropes High School is having a Hobo Month. We are trying to raise money for the Sophomore class and we will do odd jobs at prices you want to pay.

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**MOVE TO WASHINGTON**

Mrs. Maurice Cain was a pleasant visitor in the Plains man office last week and subscribed for the paper to be sent to her daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Don Crossland, and family who moved recently to Washington.

**RAY MARTIN HOME SUNDAY VISITORS**

Visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin were their daughters, Mrs. Nancy Theodora and Becky of Floydada and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ray Rogers and Ronca of New Home.

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See D. Strickland. 2to

**SUNDAY GUESTS**

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were their children, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dorsett, Mark, and Steve and Bruce, Mrs. Lillian Gryder, Larry, Gary and Billy, all of Brownfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hobbs, Iva, Kathy, Charlotte, Cris and Melody of Ropes.

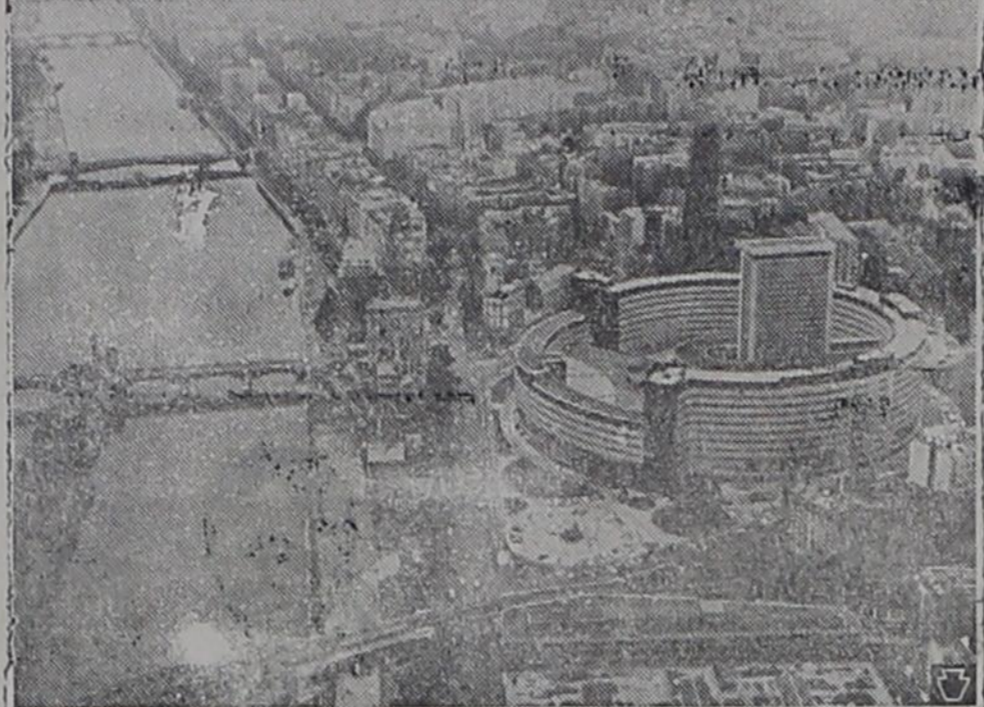
**ON SICK LIST**

Mr. Watts, history teacher in Ropes High School, is reported on the sick list.

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**PARIS BROADCASTS WELCOME**



In the shadow of the Eiffel Tower, which is topped by a transmitting antenna used since 1918 by the French Broadcasting System, rises the new circular-shaped Maison de la Radio located at 116 Avenue du President Kennedy in Paris.

A welcoming landmark for Americans and other visitors to the capital, it is appropriately situated only two hundred yards from the Pont de Grenelle on which stands a 30-foot tall replica of the Statue of Liberty, France's gift to America located in New York's harbor. The public entrance to the Maison de la Radio faces the Rue Raynouard on which Benjamin Franklin lived during his stay in Paris as the American Envoy to France.

The new broadcasting center in Paris is a major tourist attraction, according to Air France, because of its architectural concept, art works, and public performances. The Maison de la Radio is made up of five concentric rings of buildings and covers an area of 215,380 square feet. It houses a 1,000-seat concert hall, an 820-seat concert hall, a major music auditorium, a major television studio, 56 other

sound studios and 974 offices. The decorative furnishings, Air France points out, include many contemporary art works. There are important paintings, mosaics, and frescos by Soulage, Mathieu, Singier, Bezombes, Manessier and Leygue, as well as sculptural pieces by Martin, Bazaine and Mategor.

Visitors to Paris interested in inexpensive attractions can enjoy not only the art, but free comprehensive tours of the installations, and excellent concerts open to the public without charge. A further aid to sight-seeing in Paris is the brochure entitled, "Paris a Pied", which contains a map and seven suggested promenade itineraries. It is available free by writing to Air France, Department DX, 689 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10022.

**DWIGHT HARDIN CHOSEN DRUMMER**

One Ropes High School Band musician was named to a position in the 128 member Interscholastic League Region 1 Band in competitions held recently at Texas Tech.

Dwight Hardin, bass drummer was selected.

Approximately 1,500 youngsters from high schools over the 14 counties comprising Region 1 participated in the competitions.

**IMPROVED**

Mrs. T. J. Redman, Jr., who has been suffering from a severe cold, is much improved.

**SISTER VISITS C. M. GREGORYS**

Visiting last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gregory was his sister, Mrs. Eunice McFarland of Long Beach, California.

Tyree Martin, Jr., is undergoing treatments for sinus in Lubbock.

**VISIT IN LUBBOCK**

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gregory spent a few days recently in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Andrews.

Mr. Norman, seventh grade teacher in the Ropes schools was ill the first part of this week.

**FOR RENT**

Two modern houses located on farms; two bedroom, hard wood floors; two bedroom, carpet and central heating. See Roy Blair, phone 539-2310 Meadow. 218.110

**IN ATLANTIC CITY**

Superintendent O. V. Fuller Thursday morning by plane for Atlantic City where he is attending a Superintendent's meeting.

**FOR SALE**

Six 25 foot lots, located across from the First Baptist Church. Contact Roy Blair. 562-4541, Ropes. 2t

**METHODIST MEN WILL HAVE BREAKFAST**

On Wednesday, February 24, at 7:00 a.m. the Methodist Men will meet for breakfast. The speaker for the breakfast is Mr. Cotton James, Mr. James, a Lubbock businessman, will speak about Alcoholics Anonymous and its work.

**IN HOSPITAL**

Haskell Grant, former resident of Ropes, but now residing in Levelland, was admitted to a hospital at that place on Wednesday, February 10.

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 Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
 Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.  
 Training Union ..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.  
 Midweek Prayer Service ..... 7:00 p.m.  
 W.M.U. Tuesday after first and third Sundays - 3 p.m.  
 Sunbeams, G. A.'s and R. A.'s ..... 3:45 p.m.

**SPANISH MISSION**

Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
 Morning worship ..... 11:00 a.m.  
 Evening worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
 Classes ..... 7:30 p.m.

**Church of the Nazarene**

Sunday Services:  
 Sunday School ..... 9:45  
 Morning worship ..... 11:00  
 N.Y.P.S. ..... 6:30 p.m.  
 Evening Service ..... 7 p.m.  
 Wednesday Evening:  
 Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m.

**Methodist Church**

Sunday:  
 Church School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
 Morning Worship ..... 11 a.m.  
 Evening Worship ..... 6:00  
 Wednesday:  
 Prayer meeting ..... 6:00 PM

**Church of Christ**

John L. Greeson, Minister  
 Services Sunday:  
 Classes ..... 10:00 A.M.  
 Morning Worship ..... 10:00 A.M.  
 Evening Worship ..... 6:00 P.M.  
 Services Wednesday:

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**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
 TO: Amos C. Nelson and if Amos C. Nelson is deceased the unknown heirs and the unknown legal representatives of Amos C. Nelson, and all the unknown parties owning or claiming any interest in land under deed heretofore given to Amos C. Nelson of Hockley County, Texas, as Grantee, said Deed recorded in Volume 110, Page 300,

Deed Records of Hockley (Seal) County, Texas

**GREETING:**

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 15th day of March, A.D., 1965, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable 121st District Court of Hockley County, at the Court House in Levelland, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 26th day of January, 1965. The file number of said suit being No. 5149.

The names of the parties in said suit are J. W. HARRELL as Plaintiff, and AMOS C. NELSON, ET AL as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: That the Plaintiff J. W. Harrell, on the 1st day of January, 1965, was and still is the owner in fee simple of the following described lands and premises located in Hockley County, Texas, to-wit:

Lot Fourteen (14), Block Fifty-seven (57), of the Original Town of Anton, Hockley County, Texas; That heretofore on or about January 1, 1965, the Defendants entered said premises, ejected Plaintiff therefrom and now wrongfully and unlawfully withhold possession to Plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$1,000.00.

That Plaintiff have judgment for title and possession with right of restitution and for decree removing cloud from title as alleged.

Issued this the 26th day of January, 1965.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Levelland, Texas, this the 26th day of January A.D., 1965.

(Mrs.) Ruby Beebe, Clerk  
 121st District Court  
 Hockley County, Texas  
 By O'Foy Lewis, Deputy.

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**BIDS WANTED**

Ropesville City Council will receive sealed bids for the next two weeks for the office of City Judge and for the City Trash Haul. Bring your sealed bids to the City Hall. The Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

City Council  
 City of Ropesville  
 By Mrs. Bob Whitlock,  
 Secretary

**WANT TO BE A CANDIDATE?**

Anyone desiring to make the race for Councilman of the City of Ropes is advised to file with the city secretary, Mrs. Bob Whitlock.

Three councilmen will be selected, the term of Mansfield Thomas, place number 3, and Tommy Littlefield, place number 4, and Boots Moore, place number 2, expiring.

**SUNDAY VISITORS**

Visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stephenson were Rev. and Mrs. Claude Northcutt from Levelland and Mrs. Joe Harris.

**IT'S WARMER NOW ITS UP TO ZERO**

In a letter to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin this past week from their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin, they state that weather in Madison Wisconsin is much warmer now. The thermometer has risen from 25 degrees below zero to zero.

**FFA HAS ASSEMBLY**

The Ropes FFA had an assembly this past Wednesday morning, and passed out the symbols of office, the officers pins.

Officers of the Chapter are: Dee Lindly, president; Ray Witt, vice president; Mickey Smith, secretary; John Bain, treasurer; Sammy Means, reporter; Dennis Bartlett, sentinel; Sarah Cato, Chapter Sweetheart for the year, was presented with a white cordroy jacket.

Tuesday of this week, a meeting was held at Levelland, where entries were made for the Fat Stock show. Entered from Ropes were 36 hogs, and one lamb.

**BOY SCOUTS ATTEND MEETING IN LUBBOCK**

The Southwestern Public Service Company entertained area Boy Scouts at the Reddy Room in Lubbock this past Thursday night with a meeting about electricity, its uses, and safety precautions, and artificial respiration.

Nolan Swain, assistant manager at Lubbock, was in charge of the program.

About three hundred were in attendance. Attending from Ropes were Bill McCormick, Lonnie Exum, and Scout Master, C. T. McCormick.

**NEW CAR**

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Buchanan are sporting a new Buick.

**VISIT STOCK SHOW IN FORT WORTH**

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. McCormick and Bill attended the Fat Stock Show held in Fort Worth recently.

**ROPES HD CLUB MEETS**

The Ropes Home Demonstration Club met February 16th in the home of Mrs. Claude Brown.

Mrs. K. P. Shannon and Mrs. Floyd Hester brought the program on HOUSE PLANTS AND THEIR CARE.

Those present were Mrs. James Chambers, Joe Harris, Nell Smith, K. P. Shannon, Floyd Hester, Bob Thomas, Mansfield Thomas, P. L. Darby, C. B. Ward, Ronnie Ayr, Ronnie Jones, Gerald Ward, Jimmy Sims and the hostess, Mrs. Brown.

The next meeting will be March 8 in the home of Mrs. James Chambers. County Agent Mrs. Robinson will bring the program.

Houston — The 14th annual Salt Grass Trail ride will leave Brenham, Texas on Saturday, February 20, announced Reese B. Lockett, Trail Boss.

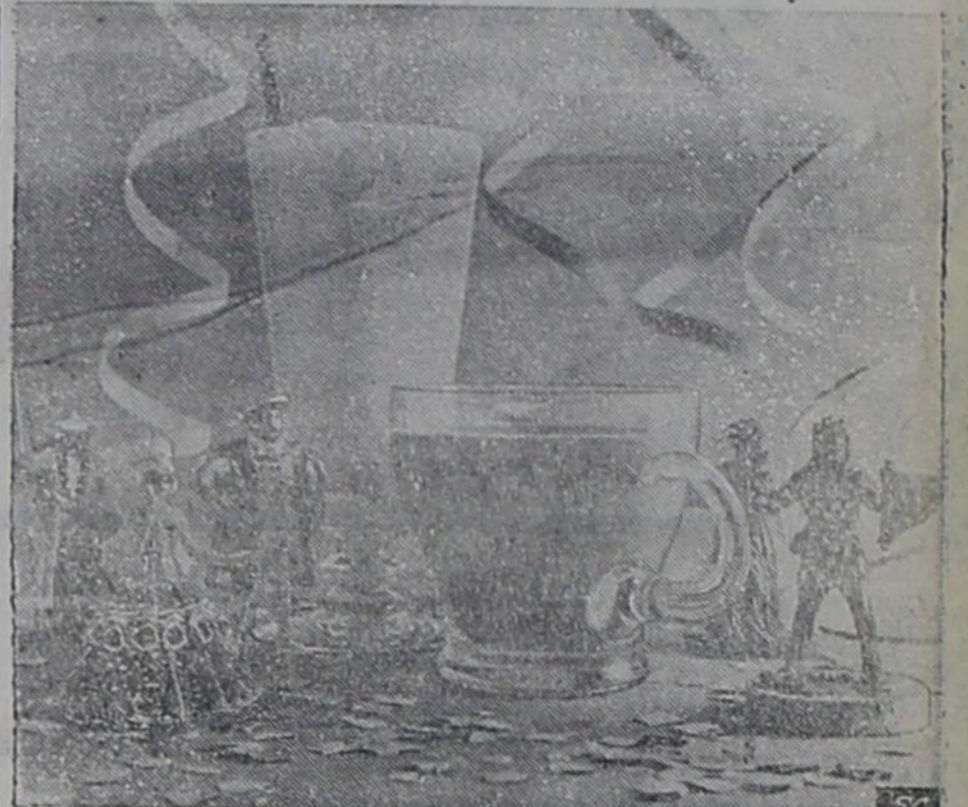
The 1965 ride will arrive in Houston on February 23 and all trail riders will participate in the gigantic western parade in downtown Houston on February 24. The parade officially opens the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

Applications and information pertaining to the Salt Grass Trail may be obtained by writing the Salt Grass Trail office, 3005 Louisiana St., Houston, Texas.

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