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If there is an X in this box it is notice your subscription has expired and an invitation to renew.

PERSPECTIVE

Homer Henderson

Harry Golden, noted Jewish news paper editor and author, gives this reason for never bawling out a waitress: "I know there are at least four billion suns in our galaxy the Milky Way. Many of these suns are much larger than our own sun and have many more planets around them. All these planetary systems in our galaxy revolve at the rate of a million miles an hour, like a huge oval pinwheel. And mind you, this is only the Milky Way, our own small corner. How many galaxies are there? Billions. Within the range of our biggest telescope there are at least one hundred million separate galaxies such as our own Milky Way, and this is not all by any means. The scientists have found that the further you go into space with the telescope the thicker the galaxies become. There are billions of billions as yet not discovered by the scientist's cameras. When you think of all this, it seems rather silly to worry whether the waitress brought you string beans instead of limas!"

Sometimes it is very helpful to view matters from a larger perspective than usual in order to be more accurate in our evaluation of things. We are so easily preoccupied with the narrow circumstances of our daily lives that we hardly ever pause and step back to look at the whole picture. Getting angry with a waitress over a mistake may seem tremendously important in the emotion of the specific situation; but viewed as Harry Golden thinks about it, the waitress's mistake hardly makes any difference at all!

In a small community such as ours where there are close-knit ties of family and friendship, the danger of seeing everything from a very limited and rather trivial perspective is always present. In other words, small communities are always living on the edge of isolation. The assumption that as Ropesville goes so goes the world is limiting to a community because it cuts us off from really coming to grips with the way things go on in the larger community of nation and world.

How often have you heard the saying: "Such & such is simply not done here." Well, we may rejoice that some things are not done here and that some things are not done here and that some others are! But that is not the point. We must ask whether such & such is done in Ropesville or not is actually a valid means of judging such & such. Is there anything at all we can learn from the way things are done or not done in other places? How much real courage of conviction would be necessary to suggest at specific points of concern that we could profit from the experiences and practices of others?

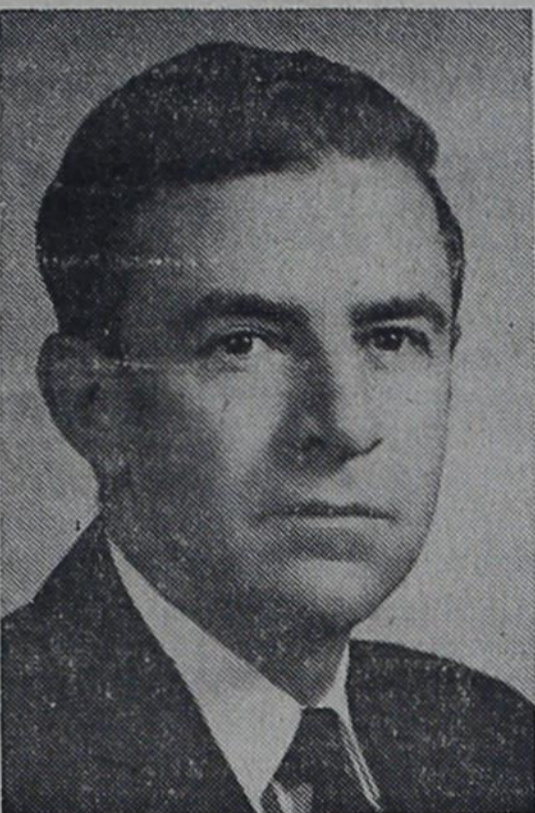
We mortals are always prone to look at our lives and circumstances through the small end of the telescope. So everything is magnified and blown out of portion. Communities and organizations, like persons, can become self-centered. There comes a time when we must turn the telescope on the world around us to inspect and to learn. And when we do so, then we must view ourselves through the large end of that telescope, through which our own circumstances and problems will seem a disconcertingly small puddle.

BAPTIST CHURCH CHOIR TO MEET SATURDAY

The First Baptist Church Choir will meet for practice at 4:00 p.m. Saturday, September 30 at the Church.

All choir members and prospective members are urged to attend this practice.

J. Kendrick Announces First Bale Of Cotton Ginned For State Representative



Brownfield, Texas — John J. Kendrick, a 48-year old banker of Brownfield, has announced his candidacy for State Representative from District 75, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Jesse T. George of Levelland. The 75th District includes Bailey, Cochran, Hockley, Terry and Yoakum Counties in the Southern High Plains area of West Texas.

In filing for the office, Kendrick said, "Having the knowledge gained from many years working with and for the financial, agricultural, industrial and cultural development of our area, I sincerely believe that I can be an effective representative. And, with the assistance of the people of this district and the West Texas area, plans can be developed to assure the continued expansion of economy, with particular emphasis on the importation of adequate water for all purposes to the High Plains as an early objective."

President of the First National Bank of Brownfield, where he started as a bookkeeper in September, 1938, Kendrick was born in Lubbock, Texas May 12, 1919, son of West Texas pioneers J. J. and Mattie S. Kendrick. He graduated from Lubbock High School and attended Texas Technological College. He is a graduate of various

American Banking Institute and U. S. Air Force Institute courses. He enlisted in the U. S. Air Force in February, 1942, and served in the China, Burma and India actions as a fighter pilot. Separated from the Air Force in 1946 as a Captain, he now holds a rating of Major in the USAF Reserve.

Kendrick long active in civic affairs, currently is President of Water, Inc., a recently-organized non-profit corporation that is working to bring additional water supplies to West Texas, Eastern New Mexico and Western Oklahoma. He is also President of the South Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 4, a political subdivision in the Terry, Yoakum and Gaines County areas. In making the decision to enter the race for State Representative, Kendrick stated that he would resign from this job if elected. "I will resign this latter office," Kendrick said, "Prior to qualifying for the new office to avoid conflict of interest but will continue to work for conservation of water resources."

Kendrick is also President of the Terry County United Fund, a Director of the Plains State Bank of Plains, Texas, a National Council Member of the Boy Scouts of America. He has served as President of the South Plains Bankers Association, President of the Brownfield Rotary Club, President of the Brownfield Junior Chamber of Commerce, Commander of Howard-Henson Post No. 269 of the American Legion, and as a Director of the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce.

He and his wife, Irma, make their home at 1609 East Buckley Street in Brownfield. They have three children: John J. Jr., a senior law student at SMU in Dallas; Jean, now Mrs. Jerry K. Phillips of Dallas; and Jimmy, a freshman in Brownfield High School. The Kendricks have two grandchildren. He and his wife are members of the First Methodist Church of Brownfield.

National 4-H Week Fair Winners Given

National 4-H Week is September 30 through October 6th. The Ropes 4-H Club will take part in a parade at Levelland September 30 at 2:00 p.m. Our float will have demonstrations as our theme.

Those meeting at the home of Mrs. John Ream to work on the float were Tony and Ricky Streety, Jerry and Scott Drake, John Mac Hewlett, Becky and Denise and Mrs. Roy Carpenter, Paula McCormick, Pam and Marcia Ream, Janet Pollet and Mrs. Ream.

All Ropes 4-H Club members will be in the parade. If you need a ride to Levelland, get in touch with Mrs. Carpenter or Mrs. Ream. Come see our parade.

4-H winners at the South Plains Panhandle Fair were: Marcia Ream — 1st on Gown; 1st on Muffins 3rd on Ginger Bread; 3rd - Green Beans. Pam Ream — 3rd on Corn. Becky Carpenter — 3rd - Throw Pillow. Denise Carpenter — 1st-Brownies 1st - Blouse.

Next Wednesday, October 5th, David Carpenter will speak over KLVT Radio in Levelland at 12:50 p.m. on what the Ropes Starlight 4-H Club has done in conjunction with National 4-H Week. Mrs. John Ream will speak on the same topic October 5th over KLVT at 12:50 p.m.

Reporter, Marcia Ream

National 4-H Week to be observed in the United States, September 30 - October 7, will salute 4-Hers everywhere. With its theme — 4-H, A World of Opportunity, activities will focus on local, state, na-

tional, and international achievements of the head, heart, hands and health program.

Locally, Hockley County 4-Hers led by the 4-H Council and Junior Leaders Organizations have planned many activities for the week. The first of which will be a 4-H parade Saturday, September 30. The parade, which will begin at 2:30 and proceed around the square in Levelland, will start 4-H week in Hockley County. All 4-H clubs in the county plan to bring a float exhibiting one project or activity that 4-H members participate in, also the Rawhide Riders and their horses will be there. 4-H members marching in the parade will hand out buttons and literature concerning 4-H. A booth located on the square will offer 4-H pamphlets and information about joining a 4-H club.

Everyone is encouraged to watch the parade and see what these fine Hockley County youngsters are doing. During the week, youngsters will be given special opportunities to join 4-H. Watch this paper for pictures and articles about 4-H activities, and special radio broadcasts will be aired during this time. Above all, anyone who is interested in joining 4-H is urged to contact the extension office located in the Courthouse Annex, phone 894-3159.

There are over two and a half million American boys and girls who are in 4-H and would like to have you as a member, so if you are between the ages of 9 and 19, and like plenty of action, give it a thought.

Gene McKee, manager of the Ropes Farmers Co-Op Gin reported that they ginned their first bale of cotton for this season Thursday, September 21.

The cotton was Paymaster, and was brought in by A. R. Ryals. Out of 1990 pounds of seed cotton 530 pounds of lint and 860 pounds of seed were produced.

GAME NIGHT

You are invited to attend Game Night Saturday, September 30, at 8:00 p.m. at the Community Center, sponsored by the Ropes Booster Club.

Bridge and 42 will be played and trophies will be awarded. Entry fee is \$1 per person.

The Ropes Booster Club met on Tuesday night for a regular meeting. The film of the Ropes - Meadow game was shown.

Members of this club are urged to attend these meetings each Tuesday evening.

SENIORS TO SPONSOR HOMECOMING SUPPER

The Ropes Senior Class is sponsoring the Homecoming Supper. It will be held in the school cafeteria on October 13, 1967. We will serve from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. The tickets are \$1.00 for adults and 75c for children.

Contact any Senior to purchase a ticket.

Karen McKee

REFRESHMENTS SERVED EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT

The Seniors will serve coffee and refreshments after all home ball games. This will be held in the cafeteria. Everyone is invited to attend.

Karen McKee

POWDER PUFF FOOTBALL GAME OCTOBER 3

The Ropes Junior Class is sponsoring a Powder Puff Football game at the Ropes Football Field Tuesday October 3, 1967. The kick-off will be at 7:00.

The admission is adults, \$1.00; children, 50c; and pre-school free.

Be sure to come and see the action.

CUB SCOUT PACK MEETING

There will be a Cub Scout Pack Meeting Monday, October 2nd at the Community Building at 7:30 p.m. Any boy between the age of 8 and 11 who is interested in joining the Cub Scouts is asked to come and bring their parents.

ESCAPED RUSSIAN PRISONER SPEAKS AT LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

Vladimir Petrov, escaped Russian prisoner and currently Associate Professor of International Affairs at George Washington University, has accepted an invitation to speak at Lubbock Christian College on September 29. His topic is to be "Is Friendship between Russia and America Possible", and will begin a series of lectures on national and international affairs. The series will continue through January 5, 1968 and speakers will include: Dr. Warren Nutter, in October; Dr. Arthur Kemp, November; Dr. Ben Rogge, in December; and Richard Allan, January.

FHA NEWS

The FHA girls are having a membership drive this week and a lot of the high school girls are joining. We are also selling B-tags for every game. We think B-tags help boost the spirit of our school and boys.

We plan to make this year a fine one for FHA.

Reporter, Paula McCormick

Read the ads. Almost everything you need is in Ropes!

Eagles Lose First Conference Game Fri.

The Ropes Eagles suffered a defeat Friday night when they met the Meadow Bronchos in the first conference game of the season.

Final score was 26 to 0 with the Bronchos scoring in every period. Meadow ran for 244 yards to amass a total of 315 yards for the night. Ropes rushed and passed for 283 yards.

The Eagles will meet the Sundown Roughnecks Friday night at 7:30 on the home field.

Ropes B Squad will play Lorezo there at 7:30 Thursday (tonight); and Junior High will play Sundown there at 6:30 this evening.

Varsity team members this week are:

- Dennis Baxter, Junior
- Rick Braden, Sophomore
- Larry Parchman, Sophomore
- Roy Rowland, Senior
- Terry Bradshaw, Senior
- Harlan Cain, Junior
- Octavio Reyna, Sophomore
- John Roberson, Senior
- Royce Borland, Freshman
- Gary Butner, Senior
- Harold Schwartz, Junior
- Mike Blackmon, Senior
- Larry Borland, Senior
- Kyle Lewis, Junior
- Russell Arp, Junior
- David Bradshaw, Junior
- Mike Flowers, Junior
- Abnam Lara, Senior
- Rosario Lara, Sophomore

Ted Lowrie, Junior Wayne Morgan, Freshman Members of the B roster for this week are:

- Randy Martin, Sophomore
- Charles Darby, Junior
- Andy Perez, Freshman
- Lynn Searcy, Sophomore
- Bill Tudor, Sophomore
- Louis Womack, Sophomore
- Steve Kimberlin, Freshman
- Jim Martin, Sophomore
- Artie Thomas, Sophomore
- Daryl Young, Junior
- Gerald Jackson, Senior
- Steve Wright, Sophomore
- Charles Blair, Junior
- Rick Bevers, Sophomore
- John Martin, Freshman
- Stan Awbrey, Sophomore
- Gene Richardson, Sophomore
- Travis White, Freshman
- Rick Blackmon, Sophomore

ROPS HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

PLAINS 41 — EAGLES 6	EAGLES - 16; O'Donnell - 0	*MEADOW 26 — EAGLES 0
9-29 *Sundown H	7:30	
10-6 *New Home T	7:30	
10-13 *Cooper, Homecoming	7:30	
10-20 *Whiteface T	7:30	
10-27 *Anton H	7:30	
11-3 Open		
11-10 *Amherst H	7:30	
11-17 *Wilson T	7:30	

*Denotes Conference Games

Pioneer Natural Gas Raise Is Approved

With Tulsa, Friona and Muleshoe officials appeared before the commissioning of the various towns to explain the company's position in detail. These meetings resulted in a better understanding of the necessity for a rate increase. Even with the increase, rates will still be among the lowest in the State.

The cities and towns served by Pioneer's West Texas Distribution Division are in the area from Canyon and Hereford on the north to Midland and Odessa on the south.

RESTORE SERVICE AFTER HURRICANE BEULAH

In south Texas establishing emergency telephone service and re-establishing normal service following Hurricane Beulah were General Telephone construction crews and emergency equipment from various points in the northern and western divisions of General Telephone Company.

Crews from Brownfield, Memphis, Seymour, Littlefield and Hobbs were among those from throughout the company who waited in San Antonio until winds subsided enough to permit travel and work in the Valley area to restore service in General Telephone exchanges that were struck by Beulah.

Emergency power units, trucks and cars with mobile telephones—much of which came from this area—moved in ahead of construction crews to establish emergency service until normal service is completely restored.

General Telephone serves 30 exchanges in the south Texas and Valley area between Brownsville and Palacios.

BIRTHDAY CLUB MET FRIDAY

The Ropes Birthday Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. Myrtle Teaff to honor Mrs. Lowetta Abney on her birthday.

Present were Mes. Lillian Willis, Odessa Walling, Nina Brown Jewel Shannon, Jewel Whitener, Tressie Exum, Elva Thompson, a guest Faye Rogers, the honoree and hostess.

IN LEVELLAND THURSDAY

Mrs. Emory Hobbs visited in Levelland Thursday with Mrs. Jack Jenkins and Mrs. Howard Shafer.

LAST RITES FOR CHARLIE GOSSETT WED.

Services for Charlie Preston Gossett, 80, were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Wheeler Starlight Chapel in Portales, New Mexico. Burial was in the Portales Cemetery.

Mr. Gossett was a retired farmer and passed away at 3:05 Monday at the Retirement Ranch at Clovis after a long illness. He farmed in the Floyd, New Mexico community area from 1934 until his retirement 16 years ago when he moved to Portales.

Survivors are his wife Ida; one daughter, Mrs. Bertha Odom, Ropesville; six sons, Virgil and E. J. of Floyd, New Mexico, Preston and Travis of Portales, New Mexico, Clifton of Tucuman, New Mexico, and Roy of Amarillo; one brother, Joe Gossett of Ontario, California; 21 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons and grandsons-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Odom and Shirley left Monday evening for Portales to attend the services for her father.

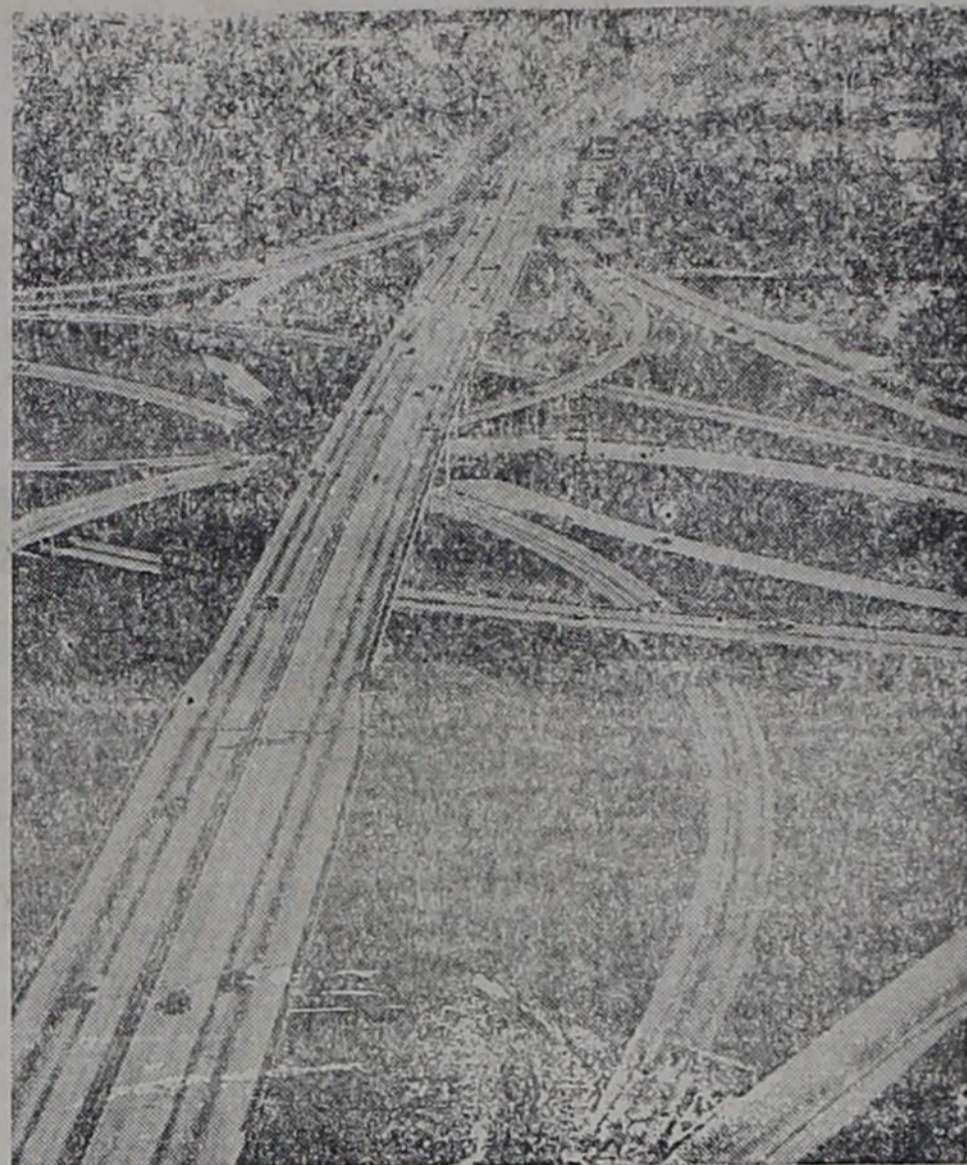
Also attending the services of their grandfather were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Odom and family of Ropes and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Carothers and family of Lubbock.

The Plainsman, along with the Ropes community extend their deepest sympathy to the survivors.

IN NEW MEXICO FOR TREATMENT

Mrs. Sidney Price and Gert Brown left Monday morning for Truth or Consequences, New Mexico, where Mrs. Price will undergo treatments.

Eagles vs.



TEXAS HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT CELEBRATES 50th ANNIVERSARY -- Liquid mud in wet weather, iron furrows in dry -- that was the state of most roads when the Texas Highway Department was born 50 years ago. The picture at left shows a "road" in Falls County about 1917. Now, every part of the State is linked by bright ribbons of convenience like those at the interchange of Interstate Highways 45 and 610 in Houston, shown at right. -- Texas Highway Department Photos.

Sundown 7:30

Here

Local News

FROM WARNER WRIGHTS

We received a note recently from the Warner Wrights stating that they are now settled and doing fine. They moved to Salinas, California a few weeks ago.

VISIT RELATIVES IN SNYDER SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hobbs, and Charlotte, Chris and Melody, and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were in Snyder Sunday where they visited Mrs. Emory Hobb's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jeffcoat, and a niece, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Criswell.

Enroute home they stopped in Brownfield and visited Mrs. Lillian Gryder and boys.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank each and every one for the beautiful floral offerings, the cards, food and visits at the time of the death of our loved one.

Especially do we thank those who operated the cafe last week. Quite a bit of food was brought in to the house when no one was there, or else just the children, and several names were not written down, so we could not send cards to these. If you do not receive a card this is what happened.

Your prayers and expressions of sympathy were deeply appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rasberry and family

Mrs. Henry Floyd and children, Beth, Charlene, Noel and Bradley Mr. and Mrs. Howard Floyd Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Floyd Mrs. Leta Smith.

ULYS GREGG HAS SURGERY

Ulysses Gregg underwent lung surgery Monday at Highland Hospital.

Like to get things clean without effort? Try SWIPE Cleans everything that you can use soap and water on with no scrubbing. May be purchased from any Tops Club member, or at the Plainsman office. Three dollars including tax.



GILLETTE Foamy
SHAVING CREAM
79¢
SO MOIST, SO RICH, SO CREAMY!

CITY COUNCIL HAS CALLED MEETING

The City Dads had a called meeting Tuesday to attend to some business concerning a sewer system for Ropes. It's looking better 'n better!

VISITS PARENTS FROM NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Olimb of Las Cruces, New Mexico visited a few days last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stephens.

THANKS--

To the Robert Mayfields, Grove Blankenship and the Emory Hobbs for the delicious tomatoes.

VISITS IN BEATY HOME

Mrs. Betty Beaty and daughter have been visiting for the past two weeks in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Beaty and Brady.

VISIT SISTER IN HASKELL

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Walling were in Haskell over Tuesday night visiting his sister, Mrs. Lufie Layne.

VISITS WITH DAUGHTER IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Bessie Curry spent last week in Lubbock visiting in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Godwin and family.

NOTICE --

Dishes left at the Dennis Rasberry home last week may be picked up at the Ropes Food Store.

IN DALLAS

Mrs. J. N. Willis is in Dallas this week attending a convention of the Eastern Star.

GIN CAFE TO BE OPEN ON SUNDAYS

Mayme's Gin Cafe is now open on Sundays from 7:00 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Now Possible To Shrink Hemorrhoids

And Promptly Stop Itching, Relieve Pain In Most Cases.

Science has found a medication with the ability, in most cases-- to relieve pain, itching and shrink hemorrhoids. In case after case doctors proved, while gently relieving pain, actual reduction took place. The secret is Preparation H. It also soothes irritated tissues and helps prevent further infection. Just ask for Preparation H Ointment or Suppositories.



The Hockley County office of the Farmers Home Administration has financed two water supply corporations in providing sanitary water for 143 rural families in this county.

Over 13,000 miles of pipe has been installed through financing of the Farmers Home Administration to provide rural areas of Texas with an adequate and sanitary water supply.

There are 369 such facilities in operation in Texas serving more than 36,900 families.

\$63,334,910 has been loaned for such water supply corporations since 1960. In fiscal year 1967, the Farmers Home Administration in Texas financed 139 of these facilities for \$17,086,250.

TOPS CLUB NEWS

The Tops Kalarie Killers had four meetings during the month of September. Two meetings were presided over by Leader Celeste Thoman and two by Co-leader Nell Hobbs in the absence of the leader.

Weekly winners for the most weight lost were Lillian Wiltis, Betty Whitehead, Nell Hobbs and Skeeter Shafer.

Nell Hobbs won the Surprise Box contest and the Apron Contest.

Another Surprise Box contest was started and will run for 6 weeks.

Members will meet at the home of Odessa Walling Saturday morning to attend a meeting in Lubbock.

CANDIDATES FOR

STATE REPRESENTATIVE

TED WEAVER

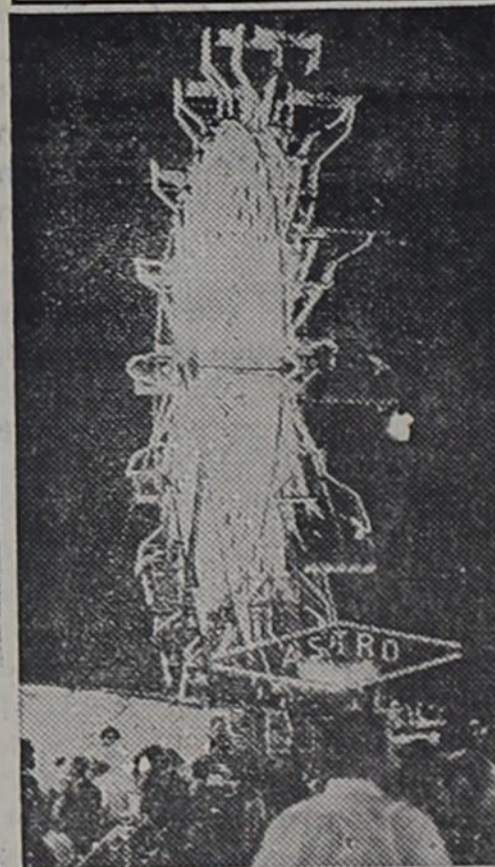
JOHN J. KENDRICK

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Now remove corns the fast, easy way with Freezone. Liquid Freezone relieves pain instantly, works below the skin line to dissolve corns away in just days. Get Freezone...at all drug counters.

GIANT BAGEL AT THE FAIR



The Astro Wheel, the only ride of its kind in the country, will make its debut on the Million Dollar Midway Oct. 7-22 at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas. The huge wheel provides a thrilling ride in addition to a breathtaking panoramic view of the fair and downtown Dallas.

ROPES HOUSEWIVES BOWLING LEAGUE RESULTS

Following are the standings for the Ropes Housewives Bowling League this week:

- C & C Gin
- G & S Grain
- Means Flying Service
- Ropes Farmers Co-Op Gin
- Ropes Food Store
- Bowers Butane
- Ropes Plainsman
- Mansfields Shell Service

FOR SALE--

Five Pickup Campers; three Pickup Covers; Wholesale Prices; Will Finance Cab-Over Campers. S. B. Berry, Ropesville, Texas.

Nola Knows

By Nola White

Dear Nola — You obviously don't smoke. You told "Puffer" that if you just keep on quitting, the law of averages says it'll stick. I've quit smoking a thousand times at least and it hasn't stuck yet. I doubt that it ever will. Besides, I don't think cigarettes are as dangerous as they say. They can pick you up when you feel low, or settle you down when you are upset. If you ever smoked, you'd understand more about how to advise smokers.

Pack A. Day

Dear P. A. D. — You're right; I don't smoke. I kept quitting until it stuck.

Dear Nola — I guess I'm some kind of ungrateful wretch, but friends held a surprise birthday party for me last week that just about broke up all the friendship.

One of them came by and asked me if I'd run over to her house to help her fit a dress; I went just as I was, and I was a mess. No

make-up, stringy hair, faded dress the whole bit. When we got back, there were 20 people all decked out and yowling "Surprise!"

Well, I surprised them; I went to my room and didn't come out until I had dressed from the skin out and looked decent. Some of the guests had already left. Every body's mad now, including me. Who was right?

Birthday Girl

Dear Girl — Surprise parties in my book, are only a cut above the practical joke. Whoever's job it was to get you out of the house should have done it in such a way as to assure your being party-presentable when you returned. Lay the blame on her and settle the feud.

Dear Nola — We have friends who are fanatic fishermen. They are always insisting that we go fishing with them. My husband finds fishing especially distasteful. He says he can't see where the "sport" is in a 200-pound man with a college education and \$50 worth of equipment "out witting" a brainless, armless, hungry little fish.

How do we convince our friends without offending them that we do not want to be included in their fishing plans? And how do we stop them from coming over in the middle of the night to proudly give us buckets full of stinking, dead and dying fish?

No, Thanks

Dear No — The fisherman, like the golfer, is a breed apart and should stay with his own kind. Take your anti-fishing stand and never waver. Refuse to accept their night-time offerings. Your friends will eventually get the picture.

Send your letters to Nola Knows, Box 411, Temple, Texas. For a personal reply, enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

BABY SITTING WANTED — Call Kathy Allen, 562-4521, Ropes. Except Saturday nights.

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1967-68

Following is the calendar for the Ropes Independent Schools for the terms of 1967-68:
 November 23-24: Thanksgiving
 December 22 - January 2: Christmas holidays. (Dismiss on afternoon of 21st; Resume January 2)
 March 1: TSTA Meeting
 April 12 - April 22: Easter holiday (Dismiss afternoon of April 12; Resume April 22; Subject to change)
 May 24: School closes
 May 23: Junior High Graduation 8:00 p.m.
 May 24: High School Graduation, 8:00 p.m.

NOTICE

Deadline for news and ads to be printed in a Thursday issue of the paper must be in by 5:00 p.m. Tuesday. This is necessary so that we may get it set up, and the paper on the press Wednesday afternoon in order to make the mail by Thursday morning.

SKATING NOTICE

Skating is being held at the Ropes Community Building each Thursday evening from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. and on Saturdays from 2 to 4 p.m.

FOR SALE — 3 Bedroom house with double garage on Walnut in north Ropesville. \$6,500. Call Farm Center Gin, 866-4476, Wolf-4476; or 562-3301, Ropes. tin

TEXAS CATTLE FEEDERS' ASSOCIATION

The first annual meeting of the Texas Cattle Feeders' Association will be held November 13-14, 1967 in Amarillo, according to today's announcement by Jack Carrothers, President of the Association. Headquarters for the meeting will be the Holiday Inn-West.

NOTICE

If you still have a Little League baseball suit in your possession, you are asked to please leave it at the Ropes Food Store.

Also leave your name so that you may be given credit for turning the suit in.

FOR SALE OR RENT

Four room house and bath. See B. J. Thomas, or call 562-3661 or 562-3852, Ropes.

FOR SALE — 2 BEDROOM MODERN HOUSE, ATTACHED GARAGE CHESTER STEPHENSON, 562-4861.

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TO QUALIFY YOU MUST HAVE — 1. A sincere desire to increase your present income in your own business.

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 3. \$2,190.00 to \$3,650.00 cash available for stock and equipment. Investment secured.

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RUSSELL HENDRICKS COMPLETES TRAINING

Ft. Bliss, Texas (AHTNC)—Army Private Russell R. Hendricks, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hendricks of Route 1, Meadow, completed eight weeks of training in air defense artillery at the Army Air Defense School, Ft. Bliss, on August 17.

He was trained in firing and maintaining air defense missiles. Instruction included tactics of air defense weapons systems, function of nuclear warheads, electronics and missile repair.

Present air defense missiles include the NIKE and HAWK systems. HAWK missiles are on station in Vietnam.

METHODIST MEN HAVE BREAKFAST

The men of the First Methodist Church of Ropes met Wednesday morning for their regular breakfast. The program was on the Social Creed of the Methodist Church.

Present were Richard Parchman, B. J. Thomas, Billy Wilson, Charles Shannon, Joe Harris, Pat Patterson, Crate Snider and Rev. Butch Henderson.

The program next month will be "Christian and Family Life."

ADAM PEREZ COMPLETES TRAINING

Amarillo, Texas — Airman Adam R. Perez, son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Perez of Meadow, has completed basic training at Amarillo AFB. He has been assigned to the Air Force Technical Training Center at Sheppard AFB, Texas, for specialized schooling as an aircraft maintenance specialist.

Airman Perez is a 1967 graduate of Meadow High School.

MOTHER VISITS HERE FROM BROWNFIELD

Mrs. R. C. Newsom of Brownfield is here visiting a while in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Green.

VISIT BROTHER IN LUBBOCK MONDAY NIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Terry were in Lubbock Monday night where they visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Terry and family.

IN LUBBOCK TUESDAY

Mrs. Chester Stephenson and her sister, Mrs. Arthur Curtis of Meadow were in Lubbock Tuesday.

MOVES TO LEVELLAND

Mrs. Irene Morris moved to Levelland this past week.

RECENT VISITOR FROM CALIFORNIA

C. W. Bohannon of Roseville, California visited recently in the home of his brother, Rev. and Mrs. Ivy Bohannon

Church of Christ

Classes 10:00 A.M.
Services Sunday:
Morning Worship.....10:50 A.M.
Even'g Worshp 8:00 P.M.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Phillip Goodrum, Pastor
SUNDAY MORNING:
 Wednesday Night 7:00
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
SUNDAY NIGHT:
 Training Union 6:00 p.m.
 Worship Service 7:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Service.....7:30 p.m.

Church of the Nazarene

Rev. Ivy Bohannon, Pastor
Sunday Services:
 Sun'ay School 9:45
 Morning worship 10:50
 NYPS 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Service 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening:
 Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

First Methodist Church

Homer Henderson, Pastor
SUNDAY SERVICES:

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
 Choir Practice 7:00 p.m.

Mission Baptist Church

SUNDAY SERVICES:
 10:00 Sunday School
 11:00 Worship Service
 and Preaching
 7:00 Training Union
 7:30 Worship Service
 and Preaching
 Mission Study Mondays 7:00

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