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## Mrs. Jerry Fletcher is Now Improving Following Car Collision of Last Week

## Cotton Starts to Roll in Ropes Territory ---Shortage of Harvest Hands Apparent

### Foster Has Unique Collection Rocks Hold Secret of Creation of the World

Recently the editor and wife spent some three hours in the "rock shop" of W. E. Foster, who owns and operates the Foster General Store 4 miles west of Ropes.

In the unique shop, located back of his residence, we viewed rocks from all over the world. We also learned that often a rock can be deceiving. Many of the rocks are rough in appearance on the outside, but when split open they have, on the inside, intricate designs—one stone which had been split had within agate, and engraved in the agate is a perfect map of the United States, Canada and Mexico. Another rough appearing rock, when sawed through the middle, presented a perfect picture of the pearly gates. Others showed the reflection of a tree as if photographed. One had a picture of the sea and another of a swamp, while others were filled with the image of moss.

No doubt but what the images were imprinted in the rock thousands of years ago, when the earth was in its infancy.

We were especially interested in Monk Stone, a glittering rock, shot through with what was seemingly flecks of gold. We learned, much to our astonishment, that this stone is man-made in Italy. Hundreds of years ago Monks made the stone and sold it, and then the art was lost and only rediscovered in recent years.

Another stone, semi precious, was the moonstone, which Mr. Foster secured in India. They were polished, and appeared to us to be perfect gems, with a pale bluish white light giving an internal luminosity resembling moonlight.

Also, in the collection was sunstone. This stone is composed of quartz containing glistening scales of hermatite or other bright mineral. It comes in colors of red, brown and green, and is used in the manufacture of jewelry. Mr. Foster's collection of Sunstone came from India.

The stones from which opals are cut were also there, and in the collection are several cut and polished stones. These stones were secured in Caledonia. Along side of these stones is a large box of Thunder Eggs. Thunder Eggs are rough in

appearance—they are something, if you saw one on the ground, you would not bother to pick up. But, when slit and polished the inside is of the finest agate. But not alone were the Thunder Eggs of agate, but there is a collection of Tiger Agate from Africa, and snowflake agate from New Mexico. It was the agate from New Mexico which contained the picture of the pearly gates.

These stones are on display in the front shop, and in one place there is a collection of rough stones which appear to be valueless but when different kinds of light are turned on them they become a rose garden of varied and rich colors.

There were hundreds of other interesting rocks. It is truly a place of interest.

In a back room Mr. Foster has all the necessary tools for polishing, cutting and setting the cut gems into necklaces, bracelets, watch fobs, cuff links, or in most any way that you might desire.

#### Get Acquainted Party Tonight

We are requested to announce that there will be a Get Acquainted Party of parents and teachers in the school cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. Thursday (tonight). All parents and teachers are urged to be present.

#### Pat Kimberlin Visits in Ropes

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kimberlin were here this week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Kimberlin, and also his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kimberlin. They live in Odessa.

#### Charles Russell Visits Here

Charles Russell, of Andrews, was here this week visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Russell. On his return home his two daughters, who have been visiting with their grandparents, returned with him.

Mrs. Charles Russell has been in a hospital for medical treatment, but was returned home Wednesday.

Although from two to three weeks early, cotton has started to roll in the Ropes community, with forty bales ginned up to the present time. This figure is from six gins.

One of the complaints coming to the Plainsman office is the shortage of hands. Those at the Lockettville Gin said, "We can now use all the hands we can get." That is so, we believe, with the other gins who bring in labor to gather the crops.

At the present time the estimation of the cotton crop for Texas runs well over four million bales, while in the South Plains area the largest estimate in several years has been released.

Barring a calamity of some sort, the Ropes community will run more cotton through its gins this fall than, perhaps, any time in its history.

#### Bulletin

Wednesday, as we prepare to go to press, a heavy thunderstorm is in progress. At 25 minutes to 8 o'clock the clouds started to drift in, and as this is written at 9 o'clock (p.m.) the rain is a down-pour, with a brilliant electrical display and heavy thunder. It appears as if it has set in for a general rain.

#### Dan Crossley To Attend Junior College

Dan Crossley, nephew of Mrs. Walt Fraley, will enter the South Plains Junior College at Levelland when it opens its fall session.

Dan will spend two years in the Levelland College and will go from there to Wayland where he will study for the ministry.

#### MRS. RUBY COX AT WALT'S CAFE

Mrs. Ruby Cox is now employed by Walt's Cafe as cook, and will have the afternoon shift. She formerly lived in Lubbock but has moved to Ropes.

#### Loses Finger In Combine

K. P. Shannon, on Thursday of last week, lost one finger and had another almost severed when the auger on a combine he was running caught his hand.

He was taken to a Lubbock hospital for treatment, and on Tuesday of this week it is said he is well on the road to recovery.

### Passed AWay Monday Funeral Services for M. Wilkison Held

Funeral services for Millard L. Wilkison, 48, who died at 5 a.m. Monday, were conducted at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the Tabernacle Baptist Church, Lubbock.

The Rev. Ben D. Johnson, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Tech Memorial Park under direction of Sanders Funeral Home.

Wilkison passed away at his home at 2412 37th St., Lubbock, following a lengthy illness.

He moved to Lubbock with his parents 41 years ago from Fisher County. Educated in Lubbock schools, he had owned and operated the Wilkison Radiator Shop at 915 Ave. H since 1940.

He was a member of Knights of Pythias Lodge and of the Lubbock County Sheriff's Posse. He owned

the Lubbock Hubbers baseball club during the year 1949-50.

Pallbearers were V. E. McCallon, C. W. Hanie, H. R. Webb, J. L. Drury, Roy F. Davis and Otis Maner.

Survivors include his wife, Faye; two sons, Bill Wilkison and Don Wilkison, both of Lubbock; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkison of Ropesville; three sisters, Mrs. J. R. Gailey and Mrs. Isla Etheridge, both of Ropesville, and Mrs. Willie Arnold of Portales, N. M.; and two grandchildren.

Out of town relatives who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lytle and daughter, Mrs. Donald Brown, of Morton; Mrs. S. B. Alexander of McCaulley and her daughter, Mrs. Henry Griffin of Fritch.

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. John J. Cole  
We had 185 in the Sunday School the past week, and 92 in the Training Union. Vacation time is over, so we are expecting better attendance during the coming weeks.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Hockley-Cochran Baptist Association will meet this year with the First Baptist Church of Anton September 22 and 23.

OUR FALL REVIVAL IS scheduled for September 28 to October 5th. Our evangelist will be R. H. Philpott, pastor of the 2nd Baptist Church of Odessa. Our singer will be Glenn Murray, Director of Music and Education at the First Baptist Church of Monahans.

We welcome you to our services.

#### Card of Thanks

We desire to thank the folks of the Ropes community for the kindness shown us at the time of the death of our beloved son and brother, Millard. We will never forget you. And, it is our hope that when your dark hour comes you will find yourselves among friends such as you have proven to be.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkison, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gailey, Mrs. Isla Etheridge and Lynell.

#### NAZARENE CHURCH

Rev. Dan D. Jones, Pastor  
Every one should attend the church of your choice next Sunday. We invite you to worship with us.

Order of services are:  
Sunday School .... 9:45 AM  
Morning worship .... 11 AM  
NYPS, Juniors ..... 7:00 PM  
Evening Service .... 7:30 PM  
Mid-week Service,  
Wednesday ..... 8:00 PM

There have been some changes made that we think you will enjoy — come next Sunday and see how you like it.

Our visitation program has been revised and revived. We solicit your cooperation in building a bigger and better church program for your home and community.

Dan D. Jones, pastor.  
John Smith, supt.

#### Ginned Three Bales Without A Stop

Mrs. Wilburn Chambers was a pleasant caller at the Plainsman office on Tuesday and stated that on Wednesday of last week they ginned their first three bales of cotton.

"And, believe it or not," said Mrs. Chambers, "we ginned all three without a stop."

#### FOR SALE

McCormick-Deering 2 row binder. See R. H. Hudson, telephone 3697, Ropesville.

According to a report given the Plainsman Wednesday, Mrs. Jerry Fletcher, who was seriously injured in a car wreck nine miles east of Ropes on Friday night of last week, is showing some improvement.

The wreck occurred about 7:30 p.m. at the intersection of Farm-to-Market Road 41 and the pavement leading north to Wolfforth. Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher had been visiting his mother, Mrs. Velma Fletcher, at Buster-ville, and had started to Lubbock to visit her mother when the accident occurred.

Mrs. Fletcher was the most seriously injured in the Fletcher car, receiving what is believed to be a fractured skull, broken jaw, fractured shoulder and a fractured ankle. Mr. Fletcher was treated and released, and their daughter, Rise, 2 years old, who was also injured, was released from the hospital Wednesday of this week.

Killed in the wreck was Laura Beth Hill, 2 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hill of Tahoka. Injured were Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Rodgers and their son, Ronnie, 8. They were all riding in the car which collided with the Fletcher car.

#### METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Frank Story, Pastor  
Church School ..... 10:00  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00  
Evening Worship ..... 7:00  
MYF ..... 8:00  
Choir Practice ..... 9:00  
WSCS, Monday ..... 2:30  
MYF Choir Practice  
Prayer Meeting  
Wednesday ..... 7:00

We have not yet set the hours for our revival which begins Sunday, September 14. We will probably begin the prayer groups at 7:30 each evening and the song service at 8:00 P.M. The morning services will probably be at 10:00 A.M.

Rev. Hugh Hunt of Lubbock, Texas will be the evangelist, and Rev. Horace Krebbs will lead the singing at the evening hours.

MRS. TRAVIS WHITE, Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story, with seven young people, attended the Spearhead Sub-District of the MYF at New Home Monday evening. A film depicting the necessity of Christian Witnessing was shown and the meeting divided into four study groups for the purpose of studying the importance of witnessing for Christ in our churches and communities. Rev. Howard Marcum of O'Donnell, Rev. Walter O'Kelly of New Home, Rev. M. W. Reynolds of Meadow, and Rev. Frank Story led the groups in this study.

REV. HUGH HUNT, WHO will lead in our revival, is the Executive secretary of the Town and Country Commission of the Northwest Texas Conference. He is a graduate of McMurry College and has done work in



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"We Hew to the Line—Let the Chips Fall where They May".

**Methodist**  
**From Page 1**

Southern Methodist University. He served in the regular pastorate in both the North Texas and the Northwest Texas Conferences before he took the job as secretary to the Commission. He is an experienced evangelist, having led in many revivals. He is also an architectural consultant and has planned many churches over our Conference.

Rev. Horace Krebs is an experienced singer and has served pastorates in this conference. At present he is "Mr. Sunshine" on Radio Station KLLL. We have no information as to his education, but many of you know him.

**School News**

Wenda Lowrie, Editor  
ANNUAL STAFF  
The Annual Staff elected their officers to duties this week and they have a very fine sponsor, Mrs. Nixon. We are getting started on our annual and we hope to have it finished in time for all to enjoy it before school is out. The ones on the Annual Staff are:  
Editor ..... D'Linda Robinett  
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Athletics ..... Patsy Condra  
Seniors ..... Wenda Lowrie

**SENIOR NEWS**

This past week has been work, work, work, for we seniors.  
Only a tiny item of news this week from us. One of our fellow classmates had an accident last Friday night during our football game with Cooper. This was Danny Robinson, who got his wrist broken. Guess this leaves Danny out of football for about six weeks. That's all, for now. . .

4-B NEWS — Mrs. Jones  
All the room made 100 in spelling except one for the entire week. \* \* \*

**NEW BOOKS ARE RECEIVED AT SCHOOL**

The following new books have been received by the school library:

Field book of American Wild Flowers, by F. Schuyler Mathews; Treasures of the Earth, by Fred Reinfield; Album of American History, by James T. Adams; An Introduction to Astronomy, by Robert H. Baker; The Book of the Ancient Romans, by Dorothy Mills; How Music Grew, by Marion Bauer and Ethel Peyser; The Old Man and the Sea, by Ernest Hemingway; The Book of the Ancient Greeks, by Dorothy Mills; Nutrition and Physical Fitness, by L. Jean Bogert; A Boy Grows Up, by Harry C. McKnown; The Greatest American Short Stories, by A. Grove Day.

Inside the Atom, by Isaac Asimon; Marching Bands, by Kenneth Hjelmervils; Family Living, by Evelyn Mills Dywall; Food For People, by Sarah R. Reidman; It's Fun to Cook, by Odel de Leeun; Experiments in Chemistry, by Nelson Beeler; Manners, by Robert H. Leob, Jr.; Goodbye, My Lady, by James Street; Encyclopedia of Modern Sewing, by Zelpha Bates; Fresh-Water Life, by Leon A. Hausman; Practical Nursing, by Kathryn Osmond Brownell; Sharing Family Living, by Laura Baxter; World Book of Great Inventions, by Jerome S. Meyer; Runner in the Sun, by D'arcy McNickle; A Manual for Baby Sitters, by Marion Lowndes; America Before Columbus, by Elizabeth Chesley Baity.

You and Heredity, by Aram Scheinfeld; Anatomy and Physiology, by Diana Clifford Kimber; On the Wings of the Wind, by Commander David C. Holmes; The Edge of Time, by Loula Grace Eidman; Art in Everyday Life, by Haaiet and Velta Goldstein; From These Comes Music, by Hope Stoddard; Let's Drive Right, by Maxwell Halsey; Boy's Life

of Will Rodgers, by Harold Keith; Child Care and Guidance, by Helen C. Goodspeed, Ester R. Mason and Elizabeth L. Woods; It's Time You Knew, by Gladys Denny Shultz; Chief Contemporary Dramatists, by Thomas H. Dickenson; To Have and To Hold, by Mary Johnston; The Story of the Olympic Games, by John Kieran and Arthur Daby; Look to the Mountain, Le Grand Cannon, Jr.; The Presidents in American History, by Charles A. Beard; The Bishop's Mantle, by Agnes Sligh Turnbull; Good Morning, Miss Dove, by Frances Gray Patton; The American Land, by William R. Van Dersal; Doctor in Uniform, by L. N. Wood and Walter; Insects, by Erwin Way Teale.

All Men Are Brothers, by Charles May Simons; Careers and Opportunities in Science, by Phillip Pollock; Tailoring for the Family, by Bonnie V. Goodman; Discovering Poultry, by Elizabeth Drew; World Poetry, by Mark Van Doren; The Faith Men Live By, by Charles Francis Patter; Plays for Great Occasions, by Graham DuBois; The Red Car, by Don Stanford; Doctor In Buckskin, by T. D. Allen; Prairie Town Boy, by Carl Sandburg; Attaining Manhood, by George W. Corner, M. D.; Machines That Build America, by Roger Burkingame; Men of Iron, by Howard Pyle; Teen Age Glamor, by Adah Broadbent; Pray, Love, Remember, by Mary Stalz; Furnishing Your Home, by Ruth E. Austin and Jeannette O. Parbis.

**Return Home From Vacation**

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bond have returned home after visiting in Oklahoma and in the Ozark Mountains of Arkansas. Their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Forbis and children, of Clara, Okla., accompanied them to Eureka Springs, Ark., and on through the Ozark Mountains. They report a wonderful trip.

**NOTICE**

Dishes left at the W. H. Wilkison residence are now at the Ropes Food Store.

**Hobbs Return From Trip**

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs and son, Merlin, and Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Hobbs, of Seminole (Emory and Emzy are twin brothers), have been visiting and sight seeing in New Mexico and Arizona. They visited a nephew, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hobbs, of Continental Divide, New Mexico. They went out to the Blue Water Lake and went boat riding. The next day they drove on to the Grand Canyon. Mrs. Hobbs states that it was a beautiful sight, and well worth anyone's time and money.

From there they drove to Aztec, N. M., about 40 miles from the line of Colorado, to visit Will Hobbs and family, another brother.

They returned home, arriving Tuesday night tired but happy to be back home in good old Texas.

**DICK BRAZELL VISITS HERE**

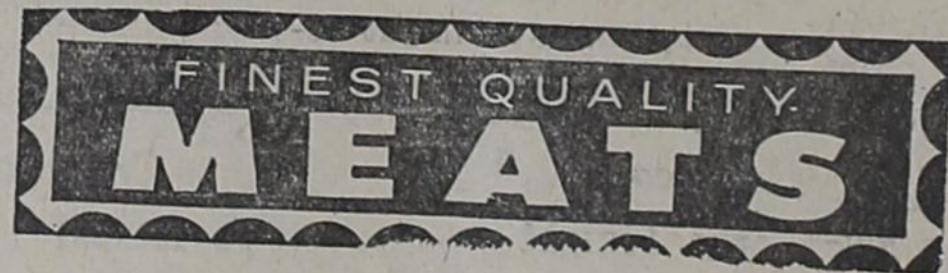
Dick Brazell, of Ft. Sumner, N. M., was here Tuesday for a brief visit with friends. Dick was formerly in the radio and television repair business here. He states that he now has his own shop in Ft. Sumner.

WE GIVE DOUBLE STAMPS EVERY TUESDAY

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- COFFEE, Inst. Max'll House, 2 oz. .43
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**Jack King  
At Wayland**

PLAINVIEW—Jackie King, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. King, Ropesville, reported to Wayland Baptist College on

September 1 for the pre-registration music workshop of the Wayland International A Cappella Choir, under the direction of Donnie J. Adams, head of the department of music.

The Wayland International A Cappella Choir is scheduled for a number of outstanding appearances during Wayland's Golden Anniversary year, the first of which is Convocation on September 10, when Dr. Forrest Feezor, executive secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, will be the featured speaker. This will launch a year-long celebration of the chartering of the college in 1908 by a group of pioneer West Texas Baptists, headed by the late Dr. J. H. Wayland of Plainview.

Mr. Adams assumed his duties August 15, coming from Oklahoma City, where he has been director of music for Trinity Baptist Church for four years. Mr. Adams holds the M. M. degree from Northwestern University and the B. M. from Oklahoma Baptist University. The choir will be preparing for a 10-day tour in November into West and North Texas with a special appearance before Texas Baptists in Fort Worth at the invitation of Ernie Wells, Amarillo, chairman of music for the annual convention.

Mr. King, although a junior at Wayland, is having his first year with the Wayland International Choir, which is noted for its colorful costumes from around the world and for its invitations to sing throughout the United States. A unit of the choir spent six weeks in Brazil in the summer of 1953 and the whole choir has made several appearances in Mexico. Last spring the choir toured the Southern states to Washington, D. C.

A 1955 graduate of Ropes High School, Mr. King majors in education and minors in English. He plans to enter the teaching profession.

**TEXAS TECH NEWS**

(Delayed) Texas Tech has 428 candidates for degrees at summer commencement exercises held Saturday, the 23rd in Lubbock Municipal Auditorium.

Dr. Watrous Irons, president of the Federal Reserve Bank in Dallas, delivered the principal address.

Among those receiving degrees from Ropesville were Yvonne Austin Gaines, elementary education; Gordon Lester Graves, physical education; and Mary Maude Hannaford, mathematics.

They were Bachelor of Science degrees in Education.

From Meadow, Rudelle Thompson Rand, who received a Bachelor of Science degree in English.

**TEXAS DEPT. OF PUBLIC SAFETY**

September 1 marks the beginning of a new motor vehicle inspection period for more than four million vehicle owners in Texas, according to the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Inspection stations throughout the state will open their doors for the inspection period that runs through April 15, 1959. There are more than 4300 stations in the state which have been authorized to check automobiles and trucks.

In announcing the opening date, Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, suggested that Texas residents have their trucks and automobiles inspected at the beginning of the period. This, he said, would save motorists considerable time and inconvenience annually accompanying long waiting lines at the inspection deadline.

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### NAZARENES PLAN FOR PILOT POINT

Nazarene church members and friends are making plans to attend the denomination's golden anniversary year climax event that will take place at Pilot Point, Texas, on Monday, October 13.

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On that afternoon, before church and state dignitaries, a bronze and granite marker will be unveiled at the place where the Church of the Nazarene was founded in 1908. Between 2,500 and 3,500 persons are expected, about tripling the usual population of the Denton County village.

The congregation of the Ropesville Nazarene church will hear these plans outlined by its pastor, the Rev. Dan D. Jones. He will be chairman on local arrangements.

Bumper stickers are being printed for all cars making the trip. These will read: "Pilgrimage to Pilot Point, Church of the Nazarene, October 13, 1908-1958."

Pilot Point is located about 60 miles north of Dallas and Fort Worth, in north

central Texas.

The Hon. Price Daniels, Governor of Texas, is scheduled to bring a greeting on the program which will receive national coverage by press, radio and TV.

Dr. Hardy C. Powers, Dallas, Texas, senior general superintendent of the Church of the Nazarene, will make the principle address.

Food and refreshments will be available at Pilot Point in charge of Getton's catering service, of Fort Worth.

### School Menu For September 15 - 19

MONDAY — Baked ham, sweet potato and apple casserole, English peas, fruit cobbler, bread and milk.

TUESDAY — Hamburger steak, mashed potatoes, tossed salad, jello, bread, milk.

WEDNESDAY — Sausage, potato salad, blackeye peas, canned peaches, butter, hot rolls and milk.

THURSDAY — Pork chops, new potatoes, English pea salad, stewed apricots, butter, hot rolls and milk.

FRIDAY — Baked beans and weiner casserole, combination salad, buttered greens, ice cream, butter, corn bread and milk.

### OPPORTUNITY MAN OR WOMAN

Responsible person from this area, to service and collect from cigarette dispensers. No selling. Car, references, and \$600.00 to \$1800.00 investment necessary. 7 to 12 hours weekly nets up to \$350.00 monthly income. Possibility full-time work. For local interview give phone and particulars. Write International Distribution Co., P. O. Box 865, Okla. City, Okla.

### Joe Stephenson Visits Parents

Joe L. Stephenson, of Dallas, was here last week visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stephenson.

While here he ran the combine for Chester, who was laid up for several days with a seriously infected ear caused by gasoline which flowed into it while he was "down under". Chester says they lanced eight boils caused by the gasoline and that his ear on the inside was completely cooked. He is back on the job, but has to keep the ear stuffed with cotton.

### Tom Wall On Retired List

Tom Wall is now numbered among the retired.

Tom has been working for the Santa Fe 37 years and four months, and says that during all that time he did not turn in one personal injury.

He says he has been looking forward to retirement for several years and that he intends to enjoy it to the fullest extent.

### In Levelland

Tyree Martin spent a part of Tuesday in Levelland looking after business.

### PULL THE PLUG ON STOMACH UPSET

without interrupting sleep or work!  
When constipation sours your stomach, you feel lousy, headachy. Taken at bedtime, Black-Draught\* is "timed" to relieve constipation first thing in morning—without harsh griping or urgency! This amazing "overnight" laxative helps sweeten sour stomach too. Then life looks sunny again! Made from pure vegetable herbs, thorough but gentle. Get Black-Draught.  
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### Visitors In Whitlock Home

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitlock had as their visitors Sunday Tommy Dave Whitlock and baby, R. I. Popejoy and children, Ruby Joe Popejoy, all of Lubbock; Mrs. Benny Bob Northam and baby of Ropes, and Misses Mattie and Ludie Morgan of Brownfield.

### Odoms Return From N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Odom and Shirley of Ropes and Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Gossett of Portales, New Mexico, have returned home after spending ten days at Truth or Consequences, N. Mex.

While there they fished and took mineral baths.

### Storrs Have Visitors Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McCullough of Brownfield, Rev. and Mrs. M. W. Reynolds of Meadow, and Ira Love of Sundown were callers in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story Tuesday.

### Quick Relief of HEADACHE

Ease PAINS OF HEADACHE, NEURALGIA, NEURITIS with STANBACK TABLETS or POWDERS. STANBACK combines several medically proven pain relievers. The added effectiveness of these MULTIPLE ingredients brings faster, more complete relief, easing anxiety and tension usually accompanying pain.



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### Ropes Downed By Cooper, 26 - 14

Anton Kubacak and Gary Bell scored all the touchdowns for Cooper when the Ropes Eagles played there Friday night. The Pirates ganged up on Ropesville for a 26-14 grid opener victory.

Bell took a pitchout from Eric Perkins and scooted 25 yards for the first touchdown. Kubacak ran over the extra points.

Bell, who made 119 yards on 16 carries, scored again in the second period on an 18-yard run off tackle.

Ropesville scored its first touchdown just before the half when John Zorns went over tackle for 11 yards.

Cooper raised the margin in the third quarter as Kubacak blasted 12 yards.

Zorns and Kubacak traded out touchdowns in the final period, the Ropesville back going over from the two and Kubacak skirting around end from 11 yards out.

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Must be capable to operate and manage a business. Work consists of servicing route of cigarette machines. No selling. Full or part time. Route will be established for operator. At least \$1,100.00 to \$2,200.00 cash investment required. This is a very profitable business of your own that can be started on a small scale and built up to a very large profit annually. Write giving phone no. to American Viking Mfg. Co., 5009 Excelsior Blvd., Suits 152, Mpls., Minn.

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#### Lackeys Here From Morton

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lackey, of Morton, were in Ropes this week visiting in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Snider, who live southeast of Ropes.

The Lackeys are not strangers to Ropes, as they moved here in the early twenties, and for a number of years farmed the Timmons place south of town.

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#### Mrs. Mayfield In Lubbock

Mrs. R. M. Mayfield was in Lubbock Tuesday where she went for medical examination and treatment.

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#### Jack Ogle In Levelland

Constable Jack Ogle was looking after official business in Levelland Monday.

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#### Undergoes Surgery

Mrs. C. T. McCormick, who underwent major surgery in a Lubbock hospital Monday, is reported to be well on the road to recovery.

Visiting in the McCormick home are her mother, Mrs. Blanks, and her sister, Mrs. Johnson, of Abilene.

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#### NOTICE

Mrs. Paul Brown announces that she is prepared to take a limited number of piano students. She is completing work of Bachelor of Music at Texas Tech. If interested, telephone 3681, Ropesville.

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#### Moves To Levelland

Mrs. A. M. Russell, we have heretofore failed to state, has moved to Levelland where she is making her home.

She is the mother of Ed and Ab Russell of Ropes.

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#### AREA MAN OR LADY NEEDED

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#### Attending Demo Convention

Ralph Riojas is in San Antonio this week where he

is a delegate to the State Democratic Convention.

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