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# THE ROPES PLAINSMAN

## WE TRAVEL VIII

FROM LAST WEEK

As we walked through the park we saw soldier boys in crowds, not in pairs nor single. We wondered at this, and then we learned: It is not safe for a soldier to wander alone in any part of San Antonio—if alone, they are likely to be attacked and beat into a pulp by Latin American gangs.

We saw the monkeys, the wild dogs, the black bears, the Polar bears. One of the Polar bears was unhappy with the crowd and he walked back and forth, back and forth, and but for a deep moat and steel fence he would have attacked those watching him. As he growled his displeasure, his mate swam back and forth on her back in a pool of water, and a little bear kept his distance.

Thousands of people were there, but none spoke to the other—strangers, and strangers they remained.

Then there was the reptile garden where snakes slithered about, paused to stick their tongues out at the people—boa constrictors who squeezed big rats to death in the folds of their body and then swallowed them whole; coyotes and wolves ever moving, seeking escape where there was no escape—wild things penned up that the curious might see them.

We think the most happy animals in the park were the seals. They didn't seem to mind captivity and they put on a show for us which was hugely enjoyed by all present.

It was at this point that we found a hard bench in the shade and sat down while the others moved away to see the elephants.

As we sat there we watched the crowd go by, a little bald headed man with a multi-colored umbrella to protect his bald spot from the sun; small Negro twins, who held hands and chased after their mother; big, henned dressed in shorts, their bare, hairy legs standing out as much as a sore thumb and men without hats—we noted the almost total absence of big hats—then came a couple of men, evidently from the far reaches of West Texas, with ten gallon hats and wearing boots.

And was it hot—the heat struck you from both below and above, the heat of the sun bouncing back up from the earth and hitting you in the face.

A woman rolling a crippled husband in a wheel chair; two Catholic nuns passing by, holding each other by the hand and seemingly enjoying themselves, laughing and talking, and we wondered as we looked on their sombre black robes which left only their faces and hands showing, how they stood the unbearable heat.

As we said before, we did not see one-tenth of this park, as it covers three hundred and twenty acres of ground—a person could spend a week there and still not see all of the park.

In the late evening we went to the Sunken Gardens—a beautiful spot.

Next week we leave San Antonio.

## Farm Bureau Speaks Out Against Farm Labor Regulations

KING SAYS 1933 ACT PROVIDES NO AUTHORITY

The following article was taken from the October 1959 magazine, "Texas Agriculture":

Spokesmen for Farm Bureau told a U. S. Labor Department hearing Sept. 10-11 in Washington that the Department's proposed regulations affecting farm labor housing, transportation, and wages should not be issued.

Secretary of Labor James P. Mitchell announced the proposals March 13 and gave as his authority the Wagner-Peyser Act of 1933. A storm of protests immediately went up from the American Farm Bureau Federation and a number of state Farm Bureaus, including Texas. Other agricultural groups, except for one, joined in the protest. The TFB held a mass meeting April 17 in San Angelo to protest the issuance of regulations which would bring agriculture under strict government regulation in the field of farm labor.

**Texas Represented**  
H. L. (Hub) King, Brownfield, Dist. 2 director, represented the Texas Farm Bureau at the hearing last month in Washington. Matt Triggs, assistant legislative director for the AFBF, represented the national Farm Bureau organization. Some one dozen Texas farmers, including Frank Schuster of San Juan, president of the Valley Farm Bureau, also appeared in opposition to issuance of the proposals.

In his appearance at the hearing, King declared: "From a careful reading of the Wagner-Peyser Act and the various arguments and reports presented at the time this act was passed in 1933, there could be only one conclusion and that would be that the Act does not by any stretch of the imagination give the Secretary of Labor the authority to regulate wages, housing conditions, transportation and general working conditions of migrant farm workers recruited thru the system of employment offices established under the Act."

In commenting on the assertion by proponents of the regulations that farmers are not required to hire their laborers through the employment offices, King said:

"Due to the mass system of rules and regulations pertaining to labor, such as unemployment compensation, relief, insurance, workman's compensation and other phases of our labor laws, labor is tied to the local employment office in such a way that it would seem impossible to exist in the modern situation without using these employment offices."

**Loaded With Red Tape**  
Schuster, a cotton and vegetable grower from the Lower Rio Grande Valley, said issuance of the regulations can only lead to difficulties like those he said have been created by the Labor Department's bracero program. This program regulates recruitment and working conditions of Mexican Nationals brought into this country.

"The bracero program is loaded with red tape," he charged. "And red tape doesn't pick any tomatoes. It just adds confusion and cost."

Triggs cited ten reasons for opposing the regulations. He said they:

- (1) Should not be issued because they are not based upon adequate legislative authorization.
  - (2) Should not be issued because Congress has specifically refused to grant such authority.
  - (3) Should not be issued because Congress is presently undertaking a comprehensive study of farm labor issues.
  - (4) Should not be issued because they contain no appeals procedure or judicial remedy.
  - (5) Should not be issued because they are replete with ambiguities, undefined terms, and generalizations which are meaningless unless and until interpreted by officials.
  - (6) Should not be issued because the underlying assumptions in which they are based are erroneous.
  - (7) Should not deal with the question of housing of migratory labor.
  - (8) Should not deal with wages paid migratory workers.
  - (9) Should not deal with the payment of transportation to migratory workers.
  - (10) Should not be issued because they jeopardize the cooperative working relationship between farmers and the Department of Labor.
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## DEE LINDLEY ON DEER HUNT

Dee Lindley of Ropes, Doyle Smith of Fort Worth, and Harold Franklin of Tahoka returned recently from a deer hunt in Colorado.

Reports tell us that their luck was poor and the deer in hiding.

## MRS. D. LINDLEY VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. Dee Lindley has returned home from Tahoka where she had been visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Carter.

## MRS. S. B. PIERSON IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. S. B. Pierson is in a Lubbock hospital where it is reported she is seriously ill.

## MILES COLLINS HAULING GRAIN

We caught Miles Collins by telephone this week and he declared that we was so busy hauling off his harvest of grain and cotton that he was not even able to think.

Miles farms what was at one time the J. W. Berry farm just north of the city limits.

## FLETCHERS ARE PARENTS OF A NEW BOY

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fletcher, Route 1, are the proud parents of a new boy born Friday morning in a Lubbock hospital. The little one weighed 9 pound four ounces. Mr. Fletcher is a bookkeeper and foreman for Buster's Gin at Busterville.

## News of Our Schools

# Ropes Band Commended Good Behavior in Lubbock

Principal M. G. Hannaford, of Ropes High School, received the following letter from Furr's Cafeteria in Lubbock:

Ropesville High School, Ropesville, Texas.

Dear Sir:

I want to congratulate you on such a fine group of young people that you have

in your band. We had the privilege of serving them Thursday noon, October 1, in our cafeteria here in Lubbock.

They were perfect ladies and gentlemen when they were here. We thank you for your patronage and look forward to serving you again soon.

Very truly yours,  
Furr's Cafeteria, Inc.  
Jack Prince, Manager.

We are certainly proud of our band, its conductor, and its personell—it is an advertisement to Ropes and community which cannot be calculated in dollars and cents.

The student body of the Ropes High School elected the following officers this past week:

President - Ronnie McNabb.  
V. President - Jehue Price.  
Secretary - James Zorns.

## OES to Held Friendship Night, Monday Oct. 26

The Ropes Chapter, No. 880, Order of the Eastern Star, in regular session in the lodge hall October 8th, with Worthy Matron Gladys Russell and Worthy Patron Edward Russell, presiding, made final plans for Friendship Night.

Friendship Night will be held on October 26 in the Ropes School Cafeteria starting at 6:30 p.m. A salad

supper will be served and a program rendered.

Mrs. Louise Sylvester, who is the chairman, appointed the following committees: Food - Mrs. Helen Rucker. Decorating - Mrs. Opal Jones and Mrs. Lalia Fuller. Program - Mrs. Shellie Mayfield and Kathleen Armstrong.

All OES members are urged to attend.

## JIM MARTIN WAS RIGHT

Jim Martin was a caller at the Plainsman office on Monday morning and told us he was expecting bad weather—rain and such. He was right, as Monday night the clouds became loaded with moisture, and by Tuesday morning were spilling water all over the South Plains.

Jim also told us that he and his wife are considering a trip to Anchorage, Alaska, where their son, James, is stationed in the Armed Forces. It is a 10,000 mile round trip and, besides, if Jim ever got into Alaska he will likely get his toes frozen off.

## COUPLE IS ENTERTAINED

White gladioli and carnations tied with sapphire blue ribbon centered the serving table at a rehearsal dinner Thursday night of last week honoring newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Berry.

Parents of the bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Berry, hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Chicken Shack, Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ray, aunt and uncle of the bride, were among guests.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Berry, Susan and Sammy of Ropesville; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Swofford of Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ray of Elgin; Mrs. Curtis Ray, Pam and Dennis, of Austin; and Miss Jan Wheeler of Austin.

## WILSON SPILLS ROPES. 22-12

The Ropes Eagles lost to Wilson, 22-12, last Friday night at Wilson.

In the third James Zorns returned a punt to the Wilson 10 and Ronald Valentine scored on the next play.

Schneider, of the Wilson Mustangs, ran the kickoff back 80 yards to the 3 and Weid scored on the next play.

## VISITORS IN CURRY HOME

Mrs. Bessie Curry had as her visitors this past week Mrs. C. L. Godwin, Billy Mac and Benny Bob, and Martha Curry, all of Lubbock.

## WARREN OUT FOR SHERIFF

B. L. (Scrud) Warren was a pleasant caller at the Plainsman office on Tuesday and while here authorized us to place his name in our announcement column as a candidate for sheriff of Hockley County.

Scrud, as he is called by most folks, came with his parents to Hockley County in 1931, and has lived here since. He is a graduate of the Levelland schools, and attended Wayland College in Plainview.

He is married, has two children, and is now farming south of Levelland.

He has served thirteen months in the Armed Forces and was with the Highway Patrol at El Paso, Midland and Littlefield.

He said: "I believe I am fully qualified to fill the office I seek. If elected, I will enforce the law without fear or favor."

## RAIN AGAIN HALTS HARVEST

While it was not a gully washer and trash mover, rain again stopped the gathering of cotton and the harvesting of grain Tuesday.

Monday night, after listening to the weather report, we went to bed with the assurance that no falling moisture was likely, only to be awakened Tuesday morning to the sound of rain on the roof.

It is hoped that by the time you read this Thursday, harvest will again be in full gear, as Wednesday the sun was again shining.

## ROPES NIGHT OFFICER RESIGNS

Harley Wood, who served in Ropes as a night officer, resigned his position last week.

He stated that a heart condition would not permit him to continue to serve.

## PAT KIMBERLINS VISIT IN ROPES

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kimberlin and daughter, Patricia, of Andrews, spent the weekend in Ropes visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kimberlin.

## NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY ORGANIZED

In the process of being organized, according to Principal Hannaford of Ropes High School, is the National Honor Society. This is a society for high school students, and in the Ropes school there are fifteen seniors ready for membership and twelve on probation.

The qualifications are that the students must have an average of 85 during the time he has been in high school, must have outstanding ability in leadership, and be of good moral character and loyal.

The committee on the council who makes the selections for membership are the following faculty members:

Mrs. Miller, Nixon, Patterson and Allbritton.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday of next week.

## O. V. FULLER RETURNS FROM AUSTIN MONDAY

Supt. O. V. Fuller, who had been attending a meeting of the State Association of School Administrators in Austin over the weekend, returned home Monday.

## ATTEND MEETING IN LEVELLAND

On Thursday of last week Superintendent O. V. Fuller and Principals M. G. Hannaford, Pat Patterson and Terry Redford attended a meeting of the Hockley-Cochran School Administrators held in Levelland.

Representative Bowers, of Brownfield, was the featured speaker.

## MRS. J. D. ZACHARY IN BROWNFIELD

Mrs. J. D. Zachary was in Brownfield Monday where she went for medical treatment. She was accompanied by her son, Robert.

## PLAINSMAN GIVEN 22 LB. CASHAW

This week the Plainsman was the happy recipient of a 22 pound cashaw, presented to us by Mrs. J. D. Zachary. The cashaw was raised by Robert Zachary.

Cashaws make tasty pies with a flavor much like that of pumpkin.

HERE ARE THE GROUPS SUPPORTING LABOR DEPARTMENT'S REGULATIONS From Page 1

Arrayed against Farm Bureau and like-minded farm and ranch groups at the Labor Department's farm labor hearing Sept. 10-11 in Washington, D. C., were a group of organizations some times effective in molding public opinion.

These groups took the stand that the Department's proposed rigid regulation of farm labor wages, housing, transportation, etc., should be put into effect.

Here is a list of the organizations testifying for the proposed regulations or for more stringent regulations:

National Advisory Committee on Farm Labor of the National Sharecroppers Fund; National Sharecroppers Fund; American G. I. Forum; National Farmers Union; U. S. Section, Joint U. S.-Mexico Trade Union Committee; Americans for Democratic Action; National Agricultural Workers Union; United Packinghouse Workers of America; Agricultural Workers Organizing Committee; Committee for the Protection of Mexican Workers. National Consumers League; National Education Association; National Council of Churches of Christ; National Child Labor Committee.

According to the statement made by the chairman of the U. S. Section, Joint U. S. - Mexico Trade Union Committee, the Labor Department's proposals were too weak. In describing Congressmen who came to the aid of Farm Bureau and its allies and testified against the proposals, the chairman said they were "errand boys".

A statement by the board of directors of the National Farmers Union at the hearing supported the issuance of the regulations.

"Even though falling farm income promoted by official

## Freedom in Truth

"Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free"

Jno. 8:32

A few years ago there was a meeting of editors of Associated Press newspapers in Atlanta, Ga. These editors were asked if they had noticed an increase in religion in their home areas. Many of them had. Those who had noticed an increase in religion, were asked if they had noticed an accompanying improvement in public morals. It may amaze you to learn they HAD NOT noticed an improvement in public morals, even though there was an increase in religious activity.

Perhaps one of the reasons that bring about such a thing is too much stress placed on religion and not

enough on righteousness. Some one has said, "There is enough religion in the world to sink it, and I fear not enough Christianity to save it." There are too many people who think having their name on some church roll book, and attend once in a great while, some religious service, is enough to get to heaven on. Let's read Acts 10:34-35, "Of a truth I perceive that God is no respecter of persons: but in every nation he that feareth him, and worketh righteousness, is acceptable to him". We shall be judged by our righteousness. . . right deeds and worship, according to the truth of God's word, and not by being religious. All righteous people will be religious, but not all religious people will be righteous. **THINK on these things.**

government policy is making it increasingly difficult for us to do so, we support the amendments proposed by Secretary Mitchell to prevent the use of federally tax-supported facilities of the Public Employment Service to beat down the wages and working conditions of migrant farm labor below prevailing local standards," the Farmers Union board said.

### NAZARENE CHURCH NEWS NOTES

Dan D. Jones, Pastor

Were you in Sunday School and church last Sunday? If not, ask yourself this question. Was what I did of more value than the care of my immortal soul? Don't let "things" rob you of the joys of salvation — attend some church service every Sunday.

We, the pastor and congregation of the Nazarene Church, invite you to wor-

ship with us.

Sunday School ..... 9:45  
Morning Worship ..... 11:00  
NYPS, Juniors ..... 6:30  
Evening Service ..... 7:00  
Midweek Service Wed. 7:00

Two Sunday School groups enjoyed a weiner roast on Monday night, and games were played afterward.

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### MRS. M. GOADE VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. M. Goade, of Abilene, was here over the weekend visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitlock.

Mrs. Goade's husband is stationed in the Air Force at Abilene.

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### CATHOLIC MISSION

Holy Mass every Sunday  
Catechism 8:00 to 9:00 AM.

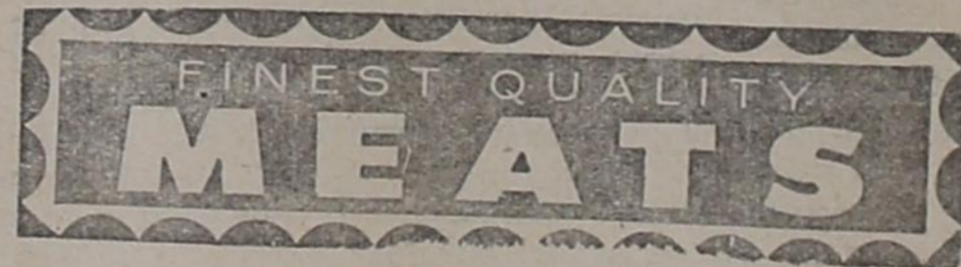
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WE GIVE DOUBLE STAMPS EVERY TUESDAY  
WATCH OUR WINDOWS for TUESDAY SPECIALS

# SPECIALS

For Friday and Saturday

SHURFRESH	
<b>OLEO, 3 pounds</b>	<b>.50</b>
FOOD KING, 300 SIZE	
<b>PINTOS, 2 cans</b>	<b>.15</b>
LIBBY'S, 12 OZ. CAN	
<b>LUNCH MEAT</b>	<b>.41</b>
FOLGERS, POUND CAN	
<b>COFFEE</b>	<b>.71</b>
11 OZ. PACKAGE FANCY	
<b>DRIED APRICOTS</b>	<b>.59</b>
NESTLES, 1 POUND	
<b>INSTANT COCOA</b>	<b>.43</b>
SHURFINE, 10 LB. Cloth bag	
<b>FLOUR</b>	<b>.79</b>
3 LB. Crt. ARMOUR STAR	
<b>LARD</b>	<b>.45</b>
SHURFINE, 2 LB. BAG	
<b>POP CORN</b>	<b>.23</b>
BAMA, 20 OZ. RED	
<b>PLUM JAM, 3 for</b>	<b>\$1</b>
SHURFINE, 300 SIZE	
<b>ASPARAGUS, five cans</b>	<b>\$1</b>
SHURFINE Early Harvest, 303 CAN	
<b>PEAS</b>	<b>.16</b>



Bacon Squares, pound	.32
Fryers, pound	.39
Pork Steak, pound	.39
T-Bone or Loin Steak, lb	.75
Longhorn Cheese, pound	.42
R. Black Hawk Bacon lb	.59

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to Give you the  
**Best Sample and  
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We have a Large Supply of

# ZEREX

Anti-freeze which we are Selling  
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## Buster's Gin

1/4 Miles East of Ropes, at Busterville.

# Business and Professional Review, Brownfield, Texas

## South Plains Ready Mix, Inc.

EVERETT ARMSTRONG, Manager

The South Plains Ready Mix, Inc., located at 902 W. Broadway, phone 2266, is the place from which to order your ready mixed concrete. By ordering here you can be assured that the proper mix has been used in order to make the concrete strong and durable. They have concrete blocks, re-enforcing steel and sack cement. They will deliver the concrete to your job and give you rapid service. They scientifically mix and deliver all their concrete in order that you build strong and lasting buildings.

This rapid ready-mix concrete delivery service has been a great help to the heavy building schedules all contractors have been on. Home owners appreciate the fact that they can have a load of ready mixed concrete for use without all the muss and fuss of fixing it themselves. It saves time and energy, and in the long run is cheaper than to attempt mixing it yourself.

The South Plains Ready Mix, in Brownfield, has the experience and equipment to make the very best concrete available. Investigate the advantages this firm can offer you the very next time you need concrete.

## Buddy Norris Dusting Service

The special attention of our readers is called to the services provided by the Buddy Norris Dusting Service, located on the Tahoka Highway in Brownfield, phone number 3689.

Aerial crop dusting is rapidly becoming more and more important to farmers everywhere. A sudden plague of harmful insects can be quickly and easily destroyed by an airplane. It makes no difference if the field is muddy or heavily wooded—in just a few minutes an airplane can cover a large area effectively that would take days to cover with old methods. You are cordially invited to call Buddy Norris for information or free estimates. Phone 3689.

This firm also renders a service for seeding and fertilizing. In this Review we highly recommend you investigate the many advantages of aerial crop dusting by writing or calling the Buddy Norris Dusting Service in Brownfield. Don't lose a complete crop when for a small amount you can save it with this service.

## REGAL THEATRE

SAMMY JONES, Manager

Motion pictures are the best and least expensive entertainment. You will enjoy the latest shows at the comfortable air conditioned Regal Theatre. It is located at 206 South 5th in Brownfield, phone 2616.

There are two things that attract the average person into a theatre. First is the show—the show must be the kind in which you are interested and with a popular cast. Second is the comfort—you will enjoy the program more in well cushioned chairs, spaced sufficiently to give ample leg room. These two features, a good show and comfort you will enjoy, are the reasons you will like to go to the Regal Theatre in Brownfield.

Here you can be assured of fine entertainment, with luxurious comfort and easy vision of the screen.

## WILGUS PHARMACY

FRONTIER STAMPS

Where pharmacy is a profession. This store is located at 302 South 5th in Brownfield, phone 2575. They are well known in this territory for fine service and the best of drugs.

It has been said that a druggist, to have a complete stock of popular drugs, including the patents as well as standard drugs, would need 25,000 items. We'll not stop to count these valuable items, but for any drugs you may need see the Wilgus Pharmacy.

The prescription from your doctor will be scientifically filled to his exact order. There is no need to substitute drugs at this store. A registered pharmacist is on duty at all times to see that the proper drugs are compounded, and who understands how to read any prescription.

"Quick Service" is their motto, so if you live in the rural district just ask for your order to be sent by the postman. It can be in your mail box the next day.

## BROWNFIELD MAGNETO & ELECTRIC

Brownfield Magneto & Electric is located in Brownfield at 702 Lubbock Road, phone 4588. They are specialists in servicing magnetos, carbureters, speedometers, fuel pumps, generators, and starters. This is your official station for starting, lighting and ignition systems. They carry a complete stock of parts for these systems. This firm is known throughout this section as one of the best on electrical systems.

If you need service of this type, consult a firm who knows this business from A to Z. They employ only specialists in this field.

In this Review we wish to say that the Brownfield Magneto & Electric is a firm we wish to recommend. You will find that this is just the place to take your automobile when troubled with anything electrical.

Farmers in this area are fortunate to have a specialist in this field to render a service on irrigation motors.

## ROSS FORD SALES

The new 1960 Fords are now on display at Ross Ford Sales, located at 4th and Hill in Brownfield, phone 2107.

This is your authorized Ford dealer, and he is qualified to render a complete service on all models. They carry a comprehensive stock of parts for late models, as well as older models, in order that you may keep your Ford in tip-top shape. Have your old car tuned up today. Every car needs a motor tuneup frequently if it is to give maximum service. A motor analysis by this firm gives your car that green light, stepaway leadership. Here you will find a complete repair department that is capable of handling any job quickly and efficiently.

Maintaining a car in good repair will make it last longer and increase its resale value. Have that old car tuned up at the Ross Ford Sales in Brownfield or trade it in on a new Ford. Their motto here is "Friendly Service".

The 1960 Ford is considered by many to be the most outstanding car of the year. Be sure to drive a new Ford and you will immediately see why.

## Brownfield State Bank & Trust Co.

SERVING BROWNFIELD TERRITORY SINCE 1905

This prominent bank is located at 400 W. Broadway in Brownfield, phone 2131. The Brownfield State Bank & Trust Co. is an institution of financial strength and safety, and may well be termed the "friendly" bank. It was founded by men of character and ability who were very prominent in business and commercial activities, and have progressed as this district itself has grown and progressed.

Under the management of efficient and capable men, they invite accounts of business men and women, farmers, laborers, or all people who desire a profitable connection with a modern banking institution.

At this bank you will find strength, seasoned judgment, dependability, accuracy in handling details and breadth of vision all to be applied to the management of your personal and commercial affairs.

In making this Review of Brownfield, we wish to make the statement that at the Brownfield State Bank & Trust Co. you may at all times save with safety. They are a member of F. D. I. C.

## Kersh Implement Co.

The Kersh Implement Co. is your John Deere farm implement dealer in Brownfield, phone 4136, located on the Seagraves road.

This farm machinery has been tested, tried and proven by many farmers in this area as well as other areas. The famous John Deere farm implements were built to last. For every dollar invested, the farmer gets real economy and satisfaction.

This dealer has a repair department for overhauling and renovating your machinery when it is necessary, and at the same time give you the best possible service.

In this Business Review of Brownfield, we compliment the Kersh Implement Co. upon their idea of courtesy, satisfaction and dependability rendered to the agricultural growth of the farming area.

This firm is introducing a new cotton picker by John Deere. Be sure to drop in and see this 99 2-row cotton picker the next time you are in Brownfield.

## NEWTON & WEBB IMPLEMENT CO.

This well known firm, located at 409 Lubbock Road in Brownfield, is the dealer for the famous J. I. Case farm implements. They are also headquarters for sportsmen in this section, with a complete stock of guns, ammunition, fishing tackle, etc.

Be sure you see them first when in the market for farm equipment. They have had years of experience in furnishing just the right machine for the job.

They have one of the finest repair shops in this section for repairing any part of your tractor, replacing genuine parts when necessary. They have only men in their employ who are experts, and have had years of experience in farm machinery repair. Whenever you have a breakdown with your farm machinery or in need of parts, see this firm.

In this Review we wish to point out the fine reputation the Newton & Webb Implement Co. has built. Trade with a firm you can depend on. They are located at 409 Lubbock Road in Brownfield. Phone 4331 for any information.

## S & P MOTOR SUPPLY

The S & P Motor Supply is located at 720 W. Broadway in Brownfield. Phone 2174.

Their stock is made up of the very best line of auto parts. It is one of the principles upon which the business has been built that auto parts sold by them must be the kind which the customer will be thoroughly pleased with.

Keeping this in mind, they have filled their shelves to overflowing with auto parts and supplies for all model cars and trucks. They carry a stock so complete that you can order with the assurance you will get the best to be had in the parts line. The system with which their stock is arranged enables them to give you the quickest and most efficient in filling every need of their many patrons.

The S & P Motor Supply is in hands of men who not only know the parts business from A to Z, but also the needs of their patrons and endeavor to supply these needs. We are more than glad to recommend their services to all our readers.

## HARRIS FLYING SERVICE

PIPER SALES—SERVICE

Crop Dusting, Seeding, Fertilizing, Defoliation  
Harris Flying Service is located on Tahoka Road in Brownfield, phone 4554.

Protecting crops through scientific crop dusting in order that farmers and ranchers may realize peak production from their fields and orchards is the pride of Harris Flying Service. Their experience is a recognized fact by all who have called upon them for service. Their complete up-to-date knowledge of the latest scientific developments in crop dusting assures the farmer that his crops will receive the best protection available today.

You are cordially invited to call them for free information or estimates.

We, in this Good Neighbors Review, highly recommend Harris Flying Service to our readers for reliable and dependable service in the field of crop dusting and defoliation.

## PRIMM DRUG STORE

ED HAMILTON, Manager

The Primm Drug Store is located at 111 South 6th in Brownfield, phone no. 2212.

The brightest spot in any street is the drug store, and if we would stop to think how much it means to us in our daily life, we would appreciate it more.

Primm Drug Store always has an air of cheery welcome that makes every one happy to visit this establishment.

They are specialists in filling prescriptions, all work being in charge of a graduate pharmacist.

They carry a complete stock of drugs, sundries and toilet articles, the best in cosmetics and shaving accessories. In fact, this store has one of the most complete stocks in this section. This modern drug store also assures you of the best prices anywhere along with the most courteous attention. All this excellent service is the reason for the success of Primm Drug Store.

We recommend that you make this well known firm your prescription headquarters.

## SOUTH GIN INC.

JIMMY NAIL, Manager

The South Gin Inc. is located on Foster Road in Brownfield. Phone 2601.

A cleaner cotton, efficiently ginned by modern methods, is the product of this gin. Their equipment is of the best obtainable, which accounts for the efficient operation they are noted for.

Take your cotton to South Gin Inc. and be assured of rapid and satisfactory service. The management and employes are experts in this business and are prepared to handle your cotton in a short time.

This establishment has been given the opportunity to work out their own successful career and at the same time be of service to the people of the entire community.

With the excellent business judgement that has characterized their career, they realized that the people of this community must have an establishment of this kind they could depend on.

We predict in this Review of Brownfield that the future will see even greater strides in the future of this firm.

## SANDS BOWLING LANES

The Sands Bowling Lanes, located on Lubbock Highway in Brownfield, is well known in this section for their excellent equipment, friendly atmosphere and courteous service. Phone 4513 for any information.

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In this Business Review of Brownfield, we suggest you take advantage of the recreational facilities at the Sands Bowling Lanes. Plan today to go bowling and bring your friends.

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All farm machinery is of the latest pattern and include all of the most recently improved inventions and improvements. The stock is composed of machinery known throughout the world as the best on the market.

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In this Business and Professional Review, we recommend the reliable service offered by the WESTERN PUMP & SUPPLY CO. Inc., and the Ross Drilling Co. to our friends and readers.

**BY-LO TRIM SHOP**

For fine upholstering and furniture repairing see By-Lo Trim Shop, located at 711 Lubbock Rd. in Brownfield.

This firm has restored valuable pieces of furniture to their original beauty and usefulness. In fact, they can restore any piece of furniture that has not been damaged beyond recognition.

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plete line of upholstering fabrics to suit your choice. You can match any color schemes you desire at this upholstering shop.

In this Review we wish to commend By-Lo Trim Shop upon the quality of their work, and we recommend them to the people of this territory.

This shop also specializes in custom made seat covers for cars, door panels, floor mats and headliners.

**SEXTON DRAPERY & UPHOLSTERY SHOP**

The Sexton Drapery & Upholstery Shop is located at 614 Tahoka Rd. Phone 3115.

This establishment is one of the most prominent drapery houses in this whole section of the state. They carry a full line of beautiful fabrics from which to choose.

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Their prices are most reasonable, and it will pay you to call on them before having draperies made. They handle only the finest in quality goods, and their expert workmanship cannot be excelled. See them for commercial decorating also.

We, in this Business Review, are glad to compliment the Sexton Drapery & Upholstery Shop on their very fine service.

**JOYLENE WEATHERLY VISITS ROPES**

Joylene Weatherly visited here Sunday in the home of her father, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Weatherly.

Joylene is employed in Odessa.

**VISITS IN HAMLIN AND WEETWATER**

This past weekend Rev. and Mrs. Roy McCoy visited with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Costin in Sweetwater, and on Sunday morning they went to Hamlin where they attended a home coming of the Hamlin Nazarene Church.

Mrs. McCoy says they had an enjoyable time meeting old friends and talking over things of yesteryear. A special table was set aside in a cafe for the McCoys of Hamlin and Sweetwater.

**BATES' HAVE VISITORS**

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bates had as their visitors this past week Mrs. Cecil Curry of Dimmitt and Bill Bates of Lubbock.

Mr. Bates told us his wife is still suffering from a severe cold, but that they are staying in and taking medicine and are improving.

**COUNTY HEALTH OFFICE VISITS IN ROPESVILLE**

Jimmy Bearden, county health officer, was in Ropes Tuesday investigating the city water supply.

**SISTER VISITS MRS. DUNAVNT**

Mrs. A. J. Dunnivant had as her guests this past week her sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Chestnut, of Fort Worth.

**DRIVER'S CAR FROM BROWNFIELD**

The car to be used for Driver's Education this year in Ropes schools comes from the Bailey Chevrolet Company in Brownfield.

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

**M. M. COLLINS HAS BEEN ILL**

M. M. Collins has been under the weather for the past two or three weeks suffering with what was diagnosed as a pinched nerve in his spine.

Mr. Collins told the Plainsman Tuesday he is much improved.

**R. N. SULLIVAN, JAMES PIERCE IN FORT WORTH**

R. N. Sullivan and James Pierce were in Fort Worth over the weekend. They went to that city to visit John Embery who is ill, and also to return home Mrs. Sullivan and Mrs. Pierce, who have been there during the past week.

Mr. Embery is a son-in-law of the Sullivans.

**VOWS ARE TO BE PLEDGED IN METHODIST CHURCH**

In a double ring ceremony to be read at 7:30 P.M. Thursday, October 22, Miss Judy Dobson will become the bride of Donald E. Jeffcoat. The couple will repeat vows read by the Rev. Allen Forbis in Ropesville at the Methodist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Taylor of Oklahoma City, and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jeffcoat, of Ropesville, are parents of the groom.

A reception will follow in

the church immediately after the ceremony.

An invitation is extended to everyone.

**VISITORS IN EVANS HOME**

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Evans and Lavoun were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Marlo Davis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McGahey and children, all of Lubbock; Mrs. Ken Evans and children, of Ropesville; also Mrs. Annie Ellison and Joy, of Level-land.

**W. H. WILKISONS HAVE VISITORS**

Those visiting the latter part of the week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkison were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lytle and daughter, Darlene, of Morton, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown and children, of Bledsoe.

**MRS. ULYS GREGG, BILLIE McCORMICK TO BLUE RIDGE**

Mrs. Ulys Gregg and Mrs. Billie McCormick were in Blue Ridge during the weekend where they went for the purpose of returning Mrs. Gregg's mother, Mrs. G. H. Edwards, to her home. Mrs. Edwards has been visiting here a few weeks in the homes of her children, the Greggs, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards.

**TO BE SOLD**

The household goods of Richard Rattel will be sold on October 17th at the home of Jim Martin. All interested parties please take notice.

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**NANCY SWOFFORD,  
EUGENE BERRY  
ARE WED**

In a candlelight double ring ceremony read at 8 p.m. Friday, October 9, 1959, Miss Nancy Elaine Swofford became the bride of Cecil Eugene Berry. The couple repeated wedding vows after Dr. C. Melvin Ratheal in Trinity Baptist Church, Lubbock.

The bride is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ray, 5009 24th St., Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Berry of Ropesville are parents of the bridegroom.

When her uncle gave her in marriage, the bride was wearing a gown of hand-clipped Chantilly lace and tulle over white satin. The molded lace bodice featured a scalloped Sabrina neckline, delicately trimmed with sequins and seed pearls. Short sleeves detailed the dress. Alternating tiers of lace and tulle formed the floor length bouffant skirt of her gown.

Her fingertip veil of bridal illusion fell from a cap of lace, embroidered with sequins and seed pearls. She carried a white orchid showered with stephanotis atop a white Bible.

Sapphire blue velvet frocks were worn by Mrs. Art Dean, matron of honor; and Misses Carol Dopson, Elaine Baird, Myrna Eaves and Susan Berry of Ropesville, cousin of the bridegroom. They were fashioned with sweetheart necklines, and the basque waists caught full skirts of unpressed pleats. They carried white mums.

Pam Ray of Austin and Jan Wheeler of Austin, cousins of the bride, were flower girls and ring bearers were Peggy Howe and Marc Solsbery. The young girls wore dresses of sapphire blue velvet fashioned with scooped necklines, puffed sleeves and bouffant skirts.

The flower girls carried white baskets filled with carnations and the ring bearers carried heart shaped pillows adorned with lace and ribbon.

Bill Berry attended his son as best man and ushers were W. C. Swofford of Garland, father of the bride; Shelton Berry, uncle of the bridegroom; Billy Ray Martin, David Ray, cousin of the bride; Duane Swofford, brother of the bride; and Sammy Berry of Ropesville, cousin of the bridegroom.

Duane Swofford and Sammy Berry also lighted candles. Pat James played traditional marches and accompanied Royce Dowell of Wichita, Kansas, in wedding solos.

At the subsequent reception given in the Ray home, members of the house party included Misses Mary Louise Riley, Mary Lou Burleson, Jeanie Howe, Kay Green, Velma Leseman and Mmes. Garland Eaves, Gayland Gill, Bill Wallace, Ross Thomp-

son, Bill Wheeler, W. C. Swofford and Floyd Eaves.

Others assisting with hospitalities were Messrs. and Mmes. Donald Howe, Willard Green, Leroy Nietsch, John Graham, Doug Solsbery, Bill Ward, S. B. Berry, Thurman Holly, C. L. Moore and Lee English.

When the couple departed for a wedding trip to Carlsbad, N. M., Mrs. Berry was wearing a light blue cashmere suit trimmed in silver-blue muskrat with black lizard accessories and a white beaver hat. She added a white orchid corsage.

The couple will make their home at 1704 38th St., Lubbock. A graduate of Tom S. Lubbock High School, the bride attended Draughon's Business College and is now employed at Lubbock Grain Exchange.

Gene graduated from the Ropesville High School and only recently returned from serving two years in the U.S. Navy. He is now a freshman business major at Texas Tech.

**ROPES MEN  
WIN AT THE  
DALLAS FAIR**

J. M. Hewlett and son, Glenn, were winners in the Berkshire Breeding Swine Division this week at the Pan-American Livestock Exposition at the Dallas State Fair.

J. M. Hewlett showed the Grand Champion Boar; Jr. Champion Boar; Reserve Premier Sire, Wayside Super Mixer.

In Class 6, Senior Boar Pig, 2nd; Class 7, Sr. Spring Boar Pig, 1st and 2nd; Class 8, Jr. Spring Boar Pig, 1st; Class 19, Sr. Spring Sow Pig, 4th; Class 20, Jr. Spring Sow Pig, 1st and 3rd; Class 25, Young Herd, 3rd; Class 26, Get of Sire, 1st.

Glenn Hewlett showed the following: Reserve Grand Champion Sow; Jr. Champion Sow; Class 18, Sr. Sow Pig, 1st; Class 19, Sr. Spring Sow Pig, 1st; Class 25, Young Herd, 1st; Class 26, Get of Sire, 2nd; Class 27, Produce of Dam, 1st.

**POINTER AND GRAY  
ELECTED TO SCS  
SUPERVISOR BOARD**

Chester Gray and J. C. Pointer have been elected to the board of supervisors of the Hockley County Soil Conservation District.

The pair was elected Tuesday in subdivision balloting at Sundown and Ropesville. Gray, of Sundown, was chosen to fill the unexpired term of P. C. Caddell, who resigned. Pointer replaces C. D. Bond for a five-year term in the Ropesville area.

Three other county farmers also serve on the board. B. Foreman of Anton is chairman, while E. O. Schoenrock and Leon Lawson represent the Levelland area.

Gray and Pointer will officially take office Nov. 5,

at the next regular meeting of the county supervisors.

The district supervisors conduct the business of the soil conservation district. They coordinate the activities of local, state and federal agencies which cooperate in work on the conservation program.

**W. E. WALLING  
TO RETIRE**

W. E. Walling told the Plainsman last week that his doctor had ordered him to quit work and take it easy, or else.

He also told us that he is going to take it easy and will probably move to town. He has an ad in the Plainsman offering his farm for sale.

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**O. H. MORROW  
SAYS RAIN  
STOPPED HARVEST**

O. H. Morrow, of southeast of Ropes, was a pleasant caller at the Plainsman office on Tuesday morning. He stated that while the rain was not as heavy at his place as it was in Ropes, it came in sufficient quantities to stop the harvest.

**IRRIGATED FARM  
FOR SALE**

About 133 A., 1/2 minerals, \$350.00 A. Terms, 29% down, 10 yrs. on Balance, 6% Interest. 3 bedroom house, heating, carpeted. About 51 A. cotton allotment A Plan. 3 1/2 mi. N.E. of Ropes, on Hiway 62. See W. E. Walling, owner. Tele. 3053 Ropes.

**GOTCHERS HAVE  
SUNDAY VISITORS**

Those enjoying a Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gotcher were their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Garth Gotcher and boys, Ronnie and Dennie, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gotcher, all of Floydada.

**COMMISSIONERS  
VISIT BROWNFIELD  
ON MONDAY**

The Hockley County Commissioners Court, putting in to effect the good neighbor policy, was in Brownfield on Monday where they paid a social visit to the Terry County Commissioners Court.

Judge Louis Owens told us, "It was just a friendly visit with our neighbors."

**FOR RENT**

\$35.00 per month, 5-room modern house, 3 1/2 miles northwest Ropes. See or call Wayne Cook, 3510 22nd Place Phone PO 2-5047, Lubbock.

**METHODIST  
NEWS NOTES**

You are cordially invited to attend all services of the Ropes Methodist Church. Ours is a friendly church, and we always appreciate having you with us.

SUNDAY: Church School .... 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship.....11:00 a.m. M. Y. P. .... 6:15 p.m. Evening worship....7:00 p.m. WEDNESDAY: Prayer meeting and Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m. Choir practice..... 7:30 p.m.

**FOR SALE**

Day bed and mattress, butane heater, portable washing machine. See Mrs. Bessie Curry, or call 3321, Ropes.

**POLITICAL  
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The following political announcements are made subject to the Democratic Primary, May 7, 1960:

For Sheriff:  
**WEIR CLEM**  
B. L. (Scrud) WARREN  
For Commissioner Prec. 1:  
**HULON MORELAND**  
For Constable, Prec. 1:  
**JACK OGLE**  
**BOB WHITLOCK**

**FOR TRADE**

My equity in a 1954 Bel Air Chevrolet for older car or pickup. See Earl Owens at Ropes Laundry.

**WOODROW JONES  
IS VICTIM  
OF HAY FEVER**

Woodrow Jones was in need of some one this past week to help him wipe the tears out of his eyes and assist him in sneezing, as he was suffering from a severe case of hay fever.

**FIRST ANNUAL  
WORLD SERIES  
ROPING EVENT**

The first annual World Series big steer roping event will be held at Clayton, New Mexico, on November 13-14, 1959.

World's Toughest Ropers The top fifteen contenders for each of the two big-steer roping championships, based on their winnings at R.C.A. rodeos through the whole season, will compete in Clayton, N. M., in a six-steer matched playoff that will decide the world's championships in both events.

Team Roping There will be three complete go rounds each of the two days. Half of the six team roping go rounds will be dally roping—half will be tied. The same top-ranking contestants will rope in both types of team roping and the money won in both contests will apply toward the world's team roping championship.

Single Steer Tying The biggest money winners of the whole season of competition will rope it off in a final, decisive match that will give nearly all 15 title contenders a chance to come from behind to win the championship.

for the World's Roping Championships! There will be \$5,000 purse plus \$1,500 entry fees up in each event—more to be won in two days than has been won by the champions in each event, on the average, for the past 14 years. The \$13,000 in prize money won at the finals ropings will be added to the amounts won by the title contenders thru the regular season. The action, the suspense and the top contestants of a whole season of roping will be concentrated in this two-day climax at Clayton.

**ROPES HOME  
DEMONSTRATION  
CLUB MEETS**

The Ropes Home Demonstration Club met October 6th at the home of Mrs. James Chambers. Ten members answered roll call and repeated the T. H. D. A. Prayer. Mrs. Joe Harris presided at the business meeting during which a report of the nominating committee was given by Mrs. Charles Tussy.

Those recommended and unanimously elected to hold offices in 1960 were: President - Mrs. Joe Harris. V. Pres. - Mrs. Doyle Darby. Secretary - Mrs. Mansfield Thomas. Reporter - Mrs. Jas. Chambers.

A report of the fair was

heard. The Ropes Club was represented by an educational booth on the subject of pictures made from dried articles placed on screen frames. Several members also worked in the concession stand which was sponsored by all County Home Demonstration Clubs.

Mrs. Jewel Robinson, the County Home Demonstration Agent, gave a demonstration on freezer meals. She placed emphasis on the convenience of having complete meals ready in the home freezer to be used in case of unexpected guests or on days when time is short for preparing meals. Planning of menus which provide a balanced amount of needed proteins, vitamins, minerals and energy foods was also stressed.

"Planting and Growing Bulbs" will be the program subject at the next meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Joe Cook on October 20.

**MRS. ATKISSON'S  
UNCLE PASSES  
AWAY ON SAT.**

Mrs. Garnie Atkisson received word Saturday night her uncle, Mr. Powhatan Carter, of Roswell, N. Mex., had passed away. The funeral was Monday afternoon. Mrs. Atkisson could not accompany Mr. Atkisson to the funeral as she suffered a back injury early Sunday morning, and has been confined to her room under the care of a doctor.

**MISSIONARIES  
VISIT THE  
CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Mr. Earl Danley and wife visited the services of the church of Christ last Sunday evening. The Danleys are missionaries of the church of Christ and have been working in Copenhagen, Denmark for the past two and a half years. Mr. Danley gave a report of their work in Denmark to the church here, as the church has been sending support to the missionaries in Denmark. The Danleys plan to return to Copenhagen about the first of the year.

**MRS. G. H. EDWARDS  
IS HONORED WITH  
A BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Mrs. D. E. Strickland honored Mrs. G. H. Edwards with a birthday party in her home Wednesday, October 8. Mrs. Edwards was 80 years old on the 6th of October.

Those present were Mrs. A. Spear, Mrs. Bob Young, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. Jephcott, Mrs. John Kimberlin, Mrs. Bill Edwards the hostess, Mrs. Strickland, and the honoree, Mrs. G. H. Edwards.

Refreshments were served, and pretty and useful gifts received. Mrs. J. A. Gotcher was unable to attend, but sent a gift which was much appreciated.

**RANDY PIERCE  
CELEBRATES HIS  
THIRD BIRTHDAY**

Randy, small son of Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce, was honored Wednesday, October 14th, from 4 to 5 o'clock, on his third birthday with a party in the home of his parents in north Ropes.

Individual birthday cakes and ice cream were served to Mark Stinson of Lubbock, David Redman, Rex Darby,

Kala Odem and the honoree. Wednesday evening the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Sullivan, and the parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce, extended the party. Cake, coffee and ice cream were served.

Randy was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

**4-H'ERS TO  
ENJOY HAYRIDE**

Members of the Ropes 4-H Club will enjoy a hay ride and Weiner roast on Friday night of this week.

The club members will meet at the Community Center at 4:00 and go to the roadside park for a Weiner roast. Following this they will ride around for an hour and a half and return to the Community Center at 8:00, where those desiring to do so may skate. Each member is to bring someone with them.

**WILLIAM IVY  
VISITS ROPES**

William I. Ivy, Senior Maintenance foreman of the Highway Department of Levelland, was in Ropes on Wednesday looking into the matter of holding a First Aid school, which the Ropes Fire Department is sponsoring.

**BIDS WANTED**

The Ropes Independent School District will accept bids on one 4-burner Hot Point Electric range, 1953 model. Bids should be placed with O. V. Fuller, superintendent of schools, on or before November 2, 1959. Bids will be read and checked at the regular board meeting.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

**RAY MARTINS  
VISIT IN KRESS**

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin spent Saturday in Kress visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Darden. On Sunday they returned to Plainview where they attended Parents Day at Wayland College.

**MRS. B. J. THOMAS  
SPRAINS ANKLE**

Mrs. B. J. Thomas, who is a part time member of the Plainsman staff, happened to the misfortune of spraining her ankle Tuesday and was unable to help in "getting out" the paper.

**PHILIP KIMBERLIN  
IS IN HOSPITAL**

In an accident which happened Tuesday at the Coop Gin in Ropes, Phillip Kimberlin broke his ankle, it is thought to be broke in two places.

He is now in a Brownfield hospital, and it is not known how long he will have to remain there.

**BETTY MARTIN  
MUSIC CHAIRMAN**

Plainview - Betty Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin of Ropes, has been elected to serve Matador Hall as music chairman at Wayland Baptist College.

Miss Martin is seeking a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major of religious education from Wayland Baptist College.

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