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## National ZIP Code Week To Be Observed

### PROCLAMATION

Office of the Mayor  
City of Ropesville  
PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS: population growth and economic expansion have triggered a mail explosion which increased our national volume at the phenomenal rate of almost four billion pieces this year; and

WHEREAS, the Post Office Department is marshalling the full resources of advancing technology to process this ever-increasing volume of mail with speed and accuracy; and

WHEREAS, the indispensable key to the success of the Department's program to modernize and mechanize postal operations is the ZIP Code System; and

WHEREAS, Zip Code will make it possible to move the mail more efficiently, while at the same time containing costs; and

WHEREAS, it is in the mutual interest of both individuals and business mailers to cooperate in this program, designed to promote the general welfare and serve the common good,

THEREFORE, I, Buford Moore, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Ropesville, Texas, do hereby proclaim the week beginning October 10, 1966, as Zip Code Week and call upon all citizens of Ropesville to join in observance of this week by learning their Zip Codes, by using it in both the mailing and return address of all mailings, including letters and packages; by encouraging their friends, neighbors and associates to do likewise, and by participating in activities to promote the widest possible use of Zip Code by all citizens.

NATIONAL ZIP CODE WEEK  
This 4th day of October, 1966  
Buford Moore  
Mayor

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank each and everyone for the flowers, many cards, visits and prayers during my recent stay in the hospital. May God bless you.  
Mrs. Bob Thomas

## Young Homemakers Visit Girlstown, USA



The Ropes Young Homemakers met at the school building on Tuesday, September 27, 1966, and went to visit Girlstown, U.S.A.

We took hand cream we had made for the girls as well as a large quantity of hair spray.

The manager's wife showed us through the buildings and explained their functions. She also served us coffee in her family's living quarters. We had a most enjoyable time.

We were very pleased to



Pictured above is Mayor Buford Moore as he signs the Proclamation declaring the week of October 10-15, as ZIP Code Week for Ropesville. Everyone is asked to participate in this National Zip Code campaign.

### PUBLIC NOTICE

We have had 4 traffic violations reported within a week where automobiles or trucks were passing school buses that are stopped for the purpose of loading or unloading children.

It is common knowledge that cars are not to pass a stopped bus whose lights are flashing without first coming to a complete stop. It is the responsibility of the bus driver and the school administration to protect the safety of all school children and we urge the public to help us by observing all traffic regulations relating to school buses.

I am instructing bus drivers to file charges on anyone they can identify who fail to observe the above regulations.

O. V. Fuller, Supt.

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### Powder-Puff Football Game

There will be a powder-puff football game in Ropes on the local gridiron this Monday night, October 10, beginning at 7:00 p.m.

The Freshman and Sophomore girls will play against the Junior and Senior girls.

Admission for the game will be 50c for high school students and adults, and 25c for junior high students and under.

The Ropes Sophomore Class is sponsoring this game, and invite everyone to attend.

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### Refreshments to be Served

The Ropes Sophomore Class will again serve refreshments Friday night at the School Cafeteria following the Ropes-New Home football game.

Coffee, Cokes, brownies, cake, and pie will be served for a nominal fee.

Everyone is invited to attend

and enjoy visiting along with the refreshments, and help the Sophomores with this project.

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### SHOWER

Mrs. Bill Renfro nee Glenda Price, will be honored with a bridal shower Saturday, October 8th, from 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. in the home of Mrs. O. V. Fuller. Everyone has a cordial invitation to attend.

### NOTICE

Bernell and Junior Wilson will be honored with a baby shower for their new son in the home of Mrs. Ronnie McNabb Saturday, October 8th, from 2:30 to 4:00 p.m. Every one has a cordial invitation to attend.

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Residents in Ropesville will be offered an opportunity to ZIP Code their mailing lists during October. Postmaster Martin announced today. The Rural Carrier will deliver "no postage needed" cards to each of the rural delivery stops beginning October 10. These cards will be placed in each Post Office Box, too. Please call for them if you get your mail in General Delivery. The cards will have blanks for addresses used most often, but for which individuals do not know the proper Zip Codes.

The project will be a feature of "ZIP Code Week", to be celebrated locally October 10-15. Throughout the nation 95,000,000 of the cards will be delivered.

"This is a good time to get the Zip Codes missing from your lists," Postmaster Martin noted. "This Christmas, Zip Code will be as important as shopping and mailing early for the efficient and on-time delivery of the record-breaking avalanche of mail expected in the pre-holiday weeks."

After filling in the street number, city and state, the cards are to be mailed back to the Postmaster. Post Office personnel will add the proper Zip Codes and return to the sender. Please put your return address on the cards.

President Johnson has Proclaimed October 10-15 as "Zip Code Week" to promote greater usage of Zip Code.

Postmaster General O'Brien announced May 19 that steps were being taken to make Zip Codes more accessible to the mailing public. The present

program resulted from a search for the most effective method to get the codes in the hands of private mailers. A poll conducted by Elmo Roper and Associates earlier this year found that about half the population is using Zip Code. Of the remaining half who are not, 80 percent said the reason was that they did not know the ZIP Codes for the people to whom they write.

Previously, the Post Office Department has embarked upon an extensive effort to help volume mailers convert their lists to Zip Code.

"The Roper poll strengthened our conviction that the public generally is ready and willing to cooperate with business mailers who will be preparing their second and third class mail after January 1, 1967," Mr. O'Brien said. "I am convinced that the 'ZIP-A-LIST' project will go a long way toward accomplishing our goal of ready availability of the proper ZIP Codes in the home."

Addresses which cannot be Zip Code'd because of insufficient or improper addresses will be forwarded to the city indicated on the card, if legible, and the codes will be added there.

Only the addresses, not names of correspondents, should be listed on the cards, the postmaster said. Zip Codes represent delivery areas for the postal service, not individuals.

Your cooperation in Zip CODING your mail is appreciated.

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### Important Farm Meet'g

The Young Farmers of Ropes will have their regular meeting Monday night at 7:30. A speaker from the Extension Service in Lubbock will

be here to speak on Verticalium Wilt and Nematodes. All farmers of the area are invited and urged to attend.

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### SON PASSES AWAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Nichols received the sad news this week that her son, L. E. Baxter, had passed away from a heart attack at Lester, Alabama.

### NOTICE

Mrs. Robinson, County Home Demonstration Agent, would like to know how many people in the Ropes community would be interested in participating in a Children's Clothing Sewing Workshop, or a Tailoring Workshop. No date has yet been set.

### NOTICE

The Ropes Needle Club will meet Thursday in the home of Mrs. Bob Thomas.

### SENIOR CLASS NEWS

The parents of the Senior Class are sponsoring a scrap iron haul. Anyone having anything to contribute, please contact:

Dannie Fewell, 562-4981, Ropes  
Ronnie Price, 297-4481, Arnett Exchange

Sammy Means, 562-3401, Ropes  
Anything contributed will be appreciated.

Thanks.  
The Senior Class of '67

### CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank each one for helping clean up the cemetery. Also the Co-op Gin for their tractor and schredder.

Ray Martin  
Chairman of the Cemetery Board

### ALONG LIFE'S WAY

Homer Henderson

Soren Kierkegaard (1813-1855) was a Danish philosopher and theologian. Moreover, he was a deeply committed Christian. In his many writings, he describes three stages along life's way which are preparatory to becoming a Christian. All too briefly, let me share them with you in the hope that an acquaintance with this witness from the past may be of help as we seek meaningful life in the present.

In the first stage, Kierkegaard suggests that man naturally seeks meaning for his life in the pursuit of pleasure. The sole purpose of existence is enjoyment. This natural man is like a tramp who wanders from one job to another with no intention of steady work, or like a professor who toys with one idea after another but who has no personal point of view, or like a seducer who enjoys many women without committing himself to any. What is the result of seeking meaningful life through such enjoyment? The result is always boredom, says Kierkegaard.

Boredom leads the natural man to the second stage. He becomes a moral man and seeks meaning in the pursuit of duty. The tramp gets a steady job. The professor finds conviction. The seducer marries. Instead of seeking enjoyment, the moral man seeks to be obedient to certain codes of duty and to certain moral laws. What is the result of seeking meaningful life through such devotion to duty? The result is always despair, says Kierkegaard. Despair comes over moral man when he realizes the great gap between what he is and what he ought to be, the gap between the law of duty and morality and his ability to live up to it.

Despair leads the moral man to the third stage. He becomes a religious man and begins to seek meaning in something beyond himself rather than in his own capacity to seek pleasure or to be moral. This stage is characterized by guilt which is different from the despair of the moral man. Moral man despairs because he does something wrong. Religious man is guilty because he is wrong in the eyes of God.

This sense of guilt prepares man for yet a higher level of living which is different from the three stages along life's way, a level which can be obtained only by a "leap of faith." This stage is characterized by grace. Man realizes that meaningful life is not to be found by his own initiative; it can only come from God. Only the love of God can remove guilt. By his own power a person can become a man of enjoyment, a moral man, or a religious man. But only by the power of God can a person become a man of grace, forgiven man, Christian man.

### HAVE VISITORS

Visitors last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Freeman, and his brother, L. B. Hobbs, all of Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Hobbs of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Hobbs and family of Denver City, Joyce Dorsett, Mark, Steve and Bruce, and Garry and Billy Gryder of Brownfield.



Pictured above are the new officers of the Young Farmers of Area I. On the left is Jerry Oswalt, President Ben Holcomb, Reporter, Tom Garrison, Vice President, James Galle, Treasurer, and Kenneth Means, Secretary.



Nola Knows By Nola White

CHURCH NEWS

VISIT RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson Jr. and Scott visited the first part of the week in Sunnyside with Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and family, and in Dimmitt with Dorothy Nutt and family.

SERVICES HELD FOR MRS OLETA JONES

Services were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the First Methodist Church in Brownfield for Mrs. Oleta (Flax) Jones, 54, who died late Sunday in the Brownfield General Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Jones was the widow of the late Earl Jones, and a sister-in-law of Winston Jones of Ropes.

THANKS

The Plainsman family enjoyed a huge, luscious watermelon this week from J. C. Pointer, donated to us for a good cause—because we were sorry for watermelon. Many thanks.

IN BONHAM SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Green were in Bonham Sunday visiting.

FOUR BALES OF COTTON

Ben Stephens reported this week that he has gotten out four bales of cotton.

BUY NEW PUMP

Tyree Martin reported this week that the Cemetery Board has purchased a new submersible pump for the Ropes Cemetery.

ENTERTAINS WED.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Ferguson and children entertained with a game bird supper on Wednesday night in their home. Guests were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson, and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson, Jr. and Scott.

VISITS DAUGHTER

Mrs. O. L. Harrison has been in Mt. Pleasant for the past two weeks visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jones.

GO FISHING

Mr. and Mrs. Jehue Price of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Price, and Gert Brown spent the weekend at Possum Kingdom fishing.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson honored all their children with a joint birthday dinner in their home last Sunday.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson and Scott of the Air Force, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wilson and children of Sunnyside, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hill and family of Levelland, Mrs. Dorothy Nutt and children of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson and boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Ferguson and children of Ropes.

Other guests were Mrs. J. B. Ponton of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Nutt of Cotton Center, and Patsy Gillespie of Plainview.

HAVE VISITORS

Overnight guests recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stephens was their nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Woody Harbin. They were enroute from the Air Force base in Austin to Fargo, North Dakota, where they will be stationed.

FAVE GUESTS SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Garth Gotcher of Floydad and son, Dennis Ray, of Oklahoma University, visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. Oleta Jones and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cotcher.

ON SICK LIST

Mrs. Jim Gotcher was taken to Brownfield Tuesday afternoon for medical care.

VISIT GRANDPARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stephens enjoyed a visit overnight this week from their grandson and great-grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Olmb and little Joe, of Albuquerque, New Mexico. Also visiting was Mrs. Olmb's mother, Mr. Gilbert, of Las Cruces, New Mexico.

VISITS HERE

Mrs. C. L. Godwin of Lubbock visited Tuesday in the home of her mother, Mrs. Besie Curry.

RETURNS HOME

Key Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Carter, was returned home the first of the week after undergoing surgery at Lubbock hospital. He is reported doing fine.

HAVE VISITORS

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitlock were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Bayne of Big Spring. Mrs. Mattie Sparks of Meadow was a guest Monday night in the Whitlock home.

VISITS MOTHER

Mrs. Ralph Krebbs of Lubbock visited Tuesday in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Copeland.

Otis (Bud) Copeland of California, recently spent two weeks with his mother, Mr. W. H. Copeland.

VISITS PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Joy Allen and family of Levelland visited Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Allen.

IN LUBBOCK

Mrs. Bob Thomas was in Lubbock Monday for a medical checkup, and is reported doing fine.

IN NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jackson and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Johnson of Brownfield all visited in Roswell, New Mexico over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Simpson and son.

IN ROPES

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carter of San Saba were here last week visiting relatives and friends.

LIONS CLUB MEETS

The Ropes Lions Club met Monday night with sixteen members present.

Guest speaker for the evening was Dr. Carl F. Page of Lubbock who brought a very interesting and informative program on cancer.

VISITS DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Rasberry were in Denver City last Sunday visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Youngblood and family.

VISIT RELATIVES

Mrs. Gene McKee and girls and Mrs. Glenn Hewlett and children, visited over the weekend at Possum Kingdom with Mr. and Mrs. John Hewlett. Glenn had been there since Tuesday visiting and fishing.

VISITING PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Thomas and James Artie were in Shallowater Sunday where they visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thomas and Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas and boys are enjoying a new Ford.

Dear Nola - I've been married 28 years, and I've been very happy. In fact, too happy. My wife works herself to death for me. She gets up at five o'clock every morning before I do and feeds the farm animals. By the time I get up she has all my work done and here's nothing left for me to do. I am retired and need something to keep me busy. I want you to tell my wife (she won't listen to me) to stop working so hard.

Bored

Dear Bored - It warms my heart to think of that dear little woman expressing what must be a very deep affection by feeding the farm animals at 5 a.m. I hope you're not kidding me. Let her go ahead if she enjoys it—and you cure your boredom by raising mink to make her a coat.

Dear Nola - What legal action can be taken against a woman who has been warned to leave another woman's husband alone and who was found with this man by his wife in a locked motel room under very suspicious - looking circumstances? This is another case of "no fool like an old fool." Also one of a long marriage and a wife who does not intend to give up 43 years of hard work to a scheming widow. Heartbroken

Dear Heart - Much to my surprise, there is a legal recourse in a case like this. You can file suit and have the woman enjoined from molesting

your husband; however, your husband might then sue for divorce to save face. If it's legal action you really want, see an attorney. But after 43 years of marriage, it might be better settled some other way. If you can't stop it, the best thing to do is ignore it. Don't look in motel rooms. Don't "warn" the woman or even talk to her. Look forward, knowing full well your "old fool" will stop his playing around before long. Nature will see to that!

Dear Nola - My husband's last request before he died was that I would take the insurance money and see that our son got a good education. The boy is 17. He skips school stays out all night, won't work, won't study, and won't stay at home. What can I do? Worried Mother

Dear Worried - It's hard to understand how a youngster fails to see the importance of education these days. Ever TV has "commercials" for it. As long as the boy is under age and under your roof, he's under your thumb. The law is on your side as well as all the resources of the school and community. Tell the boy just what's expected of him and call on whatever agency you need to make it stick. Someday he'll thank you for it.

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

Frenship Young Homemakers Attend Style Show in Lubbock

Fifteen members and eight guests of the Frenship Young Homemakers attended the Vogue Pattern Style Show at Temple-Wells, Monday, September 26. Members and guests met for a social hour and business meeting at the Country Inn following the style show. Mrs. Jerry Stockton presided at the business meeting.

Mrs. Coy Max Booher announced that plans had been completed for the group to operate the concession for the Frenship Junior High football game.

It was decided by the members that a "Young Homemaker of the Month" would be elected each month. She will be selected for her service to the club, community, and her church.

FAIR WINNERS

The following girls won ribbons at the South Plains Fair at Lubbock:

Pam Ream, 1st, Sleepwear. Marcia Ream, 1st, Blouse; 2nd, Plain Muffins; 2nd Grape Jam.

Louella Means, 2nd, After 5 Dress; 3rd, Beets.

Denise Carpenter, 1st, Brownies; 3rd, Applesauce Cake.

Kathy Hobbs, 1st, Corn. Charlotte Hobbs, 2nd, Corn.

Following are other winners from Ropesville:

Nell Hobbs, 2nd, Corn. Mrs. Sam Whitener, 3rd, Tomatoes; 2nd, Hat.

Mrs. Melvin Glenn, 1st, Underglazed decoration on molded ceramic piece; 1st, on Ceramic Plaque.

Elaine Goodrum, 2nd, German Chocolate Cake, uniced.

Girls winning prize money at the South Plains Panhandle Fair in 4-H this past week were:

Denise Carpenter..... 3.25 Louella Means..... 3.00 Marcia Ream..... 4.25 Pam Ream..... 2.00

Becky Carpenter..... 3.00 Charlotte Hobbs..... 1.00

A committee was selected to plan the Young Homemaker Pet Show, now tentatively set for October 15. The show will be held on the school grounds and will be open to all children under the age of 14. Mrs. Don Davis is serving as chairman of the committee.

Guests attending the meeting included Mrs. James Vardy, Mrs. J. R. Morris, Mrs. Guerry Wright, Mrs. Richard Coleman, Mrs. Bill Rutledge, Mrs. Don Samples, Mrs. Kenneth Preston and Miss Tonda Curry.

The next regular meeting will be October 24 at 7:30 in the homemaking cottage. Mr. Dan Hurley, a Lubbock attorney will speak on "The Making of a Will." This will be a joint meeting with the Frenship Young Farmers.

Kathy Hobbs..... 1.50 Total \$18.00 Nell Hobbs won 1.25.

YOUNG HOMEMAKERS

The Ropes Young Homemakers will meet October 11, 1966 at 7:00 p.m. in the homemaking department of the high school. The program will be on yard beautification

IN HOSPITAL

D. G. Kulms is in Dupree Hospital in Levelland suffering from severe internal bruises and muscle spasms.

Mr. Kulms was thrown from a tractor last week when it overturned, and it was believed he was not hurt at that time. He is in Room 17.

BACK YARD SUPPER

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dorsett and boys of Brownfield entertained Sunday evening with a backyard supper of hot dogs, potato chips and cookies. Present were Mrs. Lillian Gryder and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Burran and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Burran and family.

Church of the Nazarene Rev. Ivy Bohannon, Pastor

Sunday Services: Sunday 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.

Enter to Worship - Depart to Serve.

HAVE MEETING

The men of the First Methodist Church met Wednesday morning, September 28, at the Church for their monthly meeting and breakfast.

ROPE SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU

Following is the menu for the Ropes School Cafeteria, October 10-14:

Monday - Baked ham, buttered potatoes, green beans, pineapple rings, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Tuesday - Porcupine meat balls, spaghetti and tomatoes into beans, jello, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Wednesday - Fried chicken, baked potatoes, English peas, banana pudding, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Thursday - Fish sticks, buttered blackeyed peas, buttered corn, blackberry cobbler, light bread and milk.

Friday - Hamburgers, potato chips, tossed green salad, canned fruit and milk.

FORMER RESIDENT IN CRITICAL CONDITION

A letter was received last week telling us of the misfortune of Mrs. L. T. Bledsoe, former Postmaster and beauty operator in Ropes, being in a hospital.

About a year, or a year and a half ago she was in a car wreck and had to have one leg amputated, then several weeks ago she had to have the other leg amputated, and has been in a critical condition. She was reported slowly improving, but is very despondent. She would probably enjoy hearing from her old friends here.

Mr. Bledsoe is also in the same hospital. He is in a worn-out condition.

The address is: Mrs. L. T. Bledsoe Flow Hospital Room 348 1510 Srepture Denton, Texas 76201



New Arrivals

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bridwell, Jr., Route 1, Meadow, on birth of a daughter weighing seven pounds 5 3-4 ounces at 9:30 p.m. Friday, September 30 at Highland Hospital in Lubbock. The father is a farmer.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Mr. and Mrs. Juan Montiel, Route 1, on birth of a daughter weighing eight pounds 1-2 ounce at 9:40 a.m. Thursday, September 29, at Lauf Clinic. The father is a farm laborer.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Phillip Goodrum, Pastor

SUNDAY MORNING: 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 Christ

Buck Griffith, Minister

Services Sunday: Classes 10:00 A.M. Morning Worship 10:50 A.M. Even'g Worshp 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Night 7:30

Mission Baptist Church

Bob Sena, Pastor

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

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: THE UNKNOWN STOCKHOLDERS OF U. O. COLSON CO., CORPORATION, a defunct corporation, and all of the unknown stockholders and unknown officers of said defunct corporation Defendants. Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 121st District Court of Hockley County at the Court House thereof, in Levelland, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 31st day of October A.D. 1966, then and there to answer Plaintiff's petition filed in said Court, in the 13th day of September A. D. 1966, in this cause, numbered 5511 on the docket of said court and styled SARAH McCann Plaintiff, v. s. UNKNOWN STOCKHOLDERS OF U. O. COLSON CO. CORPORATION, et al Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit:

That the Plaintiff on or about the 1st day of January, 1966, was and still is the owner in fee simple of the following described property:

Lot Four (4), of Block One Hundred Twenty-one (121), of the Original Town of the City of Levelland, Hockley County, Texas;

and afterwards, on or about the 1st day of February, 1966, the Defendants unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed Plaintiff of such premises, withholding from Plaintiff the possession thereof, to the Plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$100.00, which is the fair rental value thereof during such occupancy, in which amount by virtue of such wrongs, the Defendants are justly indebted to the Plaintiff.

as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at this office in Levelland, Texas this the 13th day of Sept. A. D. 1966.

Attest: Ruby Beebe Williams, Clerk, District Court, Hockley County, Texas (SEAL)

DEPT. OF PUBLIC SAFETY

Austin - Colonel Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety announced recently that the 1967 vehicle inspection period has begun.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP  
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7. Owner (If owned by a corporation, its name and address, must be stated and also immediately thereunder the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.) Celeste Thomas, Box 68, Ropesville, Texas 79358

8. Known Bondholders, Mortgagees, and other Security Holders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of Bonds, Mortgages or other Securities (If there are none, so state): None.

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 I certify that the statements made by me above are correct and complete.  
 Celeste Thomas

**NOTICE—**  
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**FOR SALE—**  
 New Atlas 6 volt battery. See B. J. Thomas or call 562-3661, or 562-3852, Ropes.

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 Sheep. Ewe. Under 1 year. Double barrel 20 gage shotgun; over and under 22-410 Combination; 38 Special, Smith & Wesson. See Charles Russell, or call 562-4061, 1tp

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**NOTICE**  
 The Ropes Lions Club will have their annual farm sale in January. Anyone having a listing, please contact any Lion member.  
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 —Be sure to burn your trash when you put it in your barrels.

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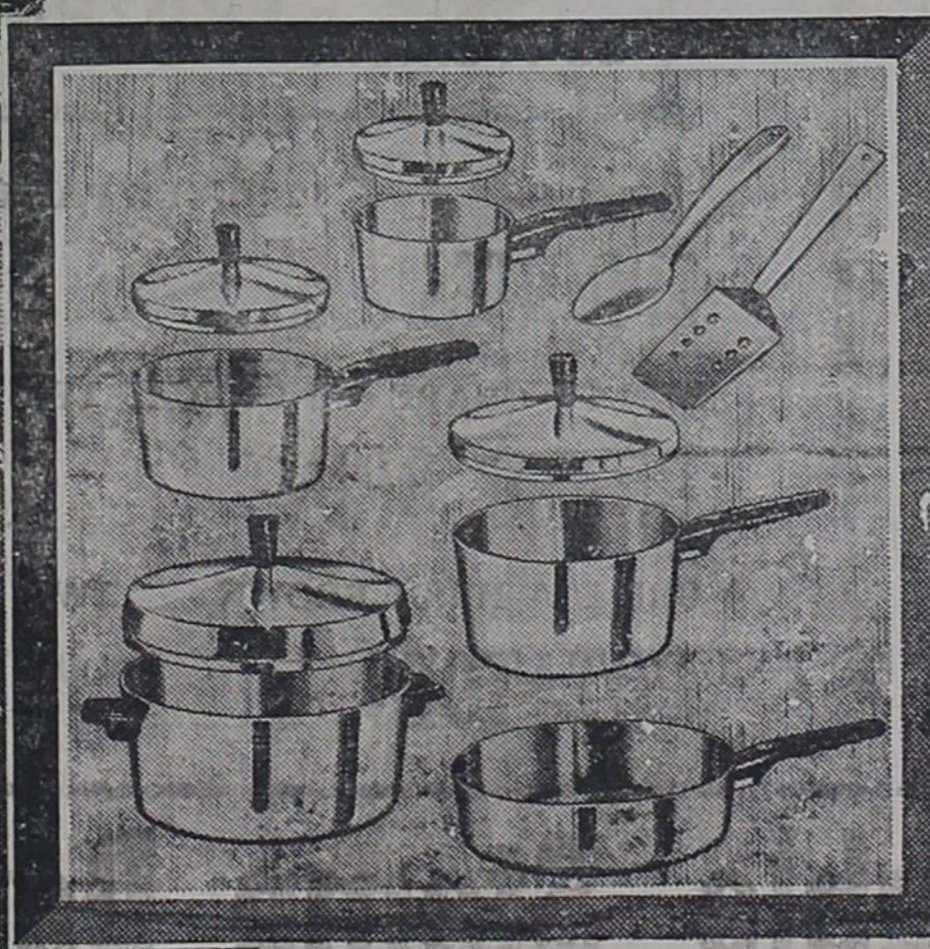
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