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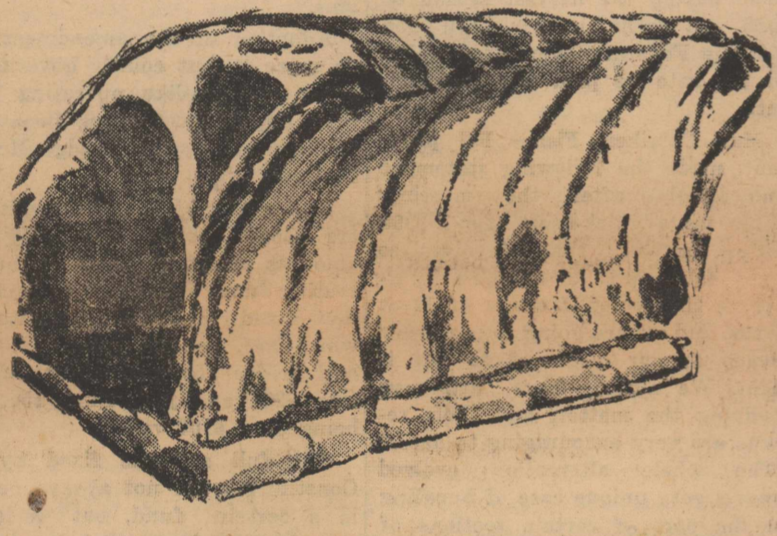
THOUSANDS of FOOD SUGGESTIONS



THESE PRICES EFFECTIVE FRIDAY & SATURDAY, Oct. 26-27

House Cleaning Needs	
Spic & Span reg. size	25c
GLO-COAT, quart	89c
Clorox qt.	17c
Cheer reg. size	31c
Jubilee pt.	59c
DUTCH CLEANSER, reg. size	10c
Rayon Mops ea.	75c
DUSORB, dust cloth Free. Pt.	49c

Flour	Pillsbury's Best 25 lb. Print	\$1.69
LARD	Armour's 3 lb. ctn.	63c
Catsup	2 Sunny Hills 12 oz	33c
Coffee	Instant Sanka 4 oz. jar	\$1.09
Sugar	Imperial-Domino 10 Lb. Bag	89c
Pineapple	Del Monte Crushed No. 2 can	27c



CLUB STEAK , Top Grade Calf	Lb.	55c
CHUCK ROAST , Top Grade Calf	Lb.	39c
T-BONE	Heavy Calf Lb.	65c
PORK ROAST , Semi-boneless	Lb.	45c
Picnic Hams	Fully Cooked Lb.	33c
CALF LIVER	Lb.	39c
BACON SQUARES	Lb.	29c

AMOUR'S COUNTRY STYLE	
SAUSAGE , 2 lb. roll	79c
Butter Beans	White Swan 300 can 10c
Prune Plums	Hunts No. 2 1-2 25c
Viennas	2 Hormel 4 oz. cans 35c
CHILI	Campfire 300 can 25c
GRAPE JUICE , Churches 24 oz.	33c
SWEET POTATOES , Kimbell's No. 2 1-2	23c
RIVER RICE , 2 lb.	29c
PI-DO , 2 boxes	21c
PARD DOG FOOD , 2 cans	25c
HERSHEY'S COCOA , 1 lb.	59c

DEL MONTE CUT Green Beans	303 cans	19c
NIBLETT'S MEXICORN	7 oz. can	9c
STOKELEY'S SOUR OR DILL PICKLES	22 oz.	29c
Garden Fresh VEGETABLES		
BANANA SQUASH	Lb.	9c
GREEN ONIONS	bunch	5c
TOKAY GRAPES	lb.	12 1/2c
TEXAS ORANGES	Lb.	9c
CELLO CARROTS	3 bags	25c
YELLOW ONIONS	Lb.	5c
TURNIPS & TOPS	2 bunches	29c
MUSTARD GREENS	2 bunches	23c

SAVE R & H GREEN STAMPS
FOR THOSE CHRISTMAS GIFTS
DOUBLE VALUE WEDNESDAY!

Roby Girl Wins State 4-H Citizenship Award

College Station, Oct. 24—Linda Jonnie Terry, a member of the Fisher County Junior Leaders 4-H Club, today was named winner of Texas 4-H Citizenship award for girls. In making the announcement Floyd Lynch, state 4-H leader, said Miss Terry would receive a special Certificate of Honor which is provided in honor of Thos. E. Wilson of Chicago and a \$50 U. S. Savings Bond from the Trans-continental Gas Pipeline Corporation of Houston. Her record will also be submitted for national consideration.

Linda Jonnie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Terry of Roby and is completing her seventh year of 4-H club work. Her completed demonstrations have included clothing, food preservation and preparation, poultry, garden, frozen foods and home improvement. She holds many county and district 4-H honors especially in her clothing, electric and shrub identification work.

The citizenship winner has served on many committees on both the local and county level and as a junior leader for the past three years. She reports that she has become interested in knowing more about politics so she'll be an intelligent voter when the time comes. She has assisted with 4-H, church and community programs and through each has learned to be a better citizen.

She says, "I have passed on to others information and skills I have learned in 4-H and believe we learn to be better citizens through the every day things we do. The character that 4-H builds just makes for better citizenship."

Miss Terry's 4-H program of demonstrations and activities has been supervised by Home Demonstration Agent Alice Kemp with assistance from two adult leaders, Mrs. Jack Whitworth and Linda's mother, Mrs. Cullen Terry.

Parents Should Keep Children From Playing In Streets

"Boys and girls, you're playing with death when you play in the street"

That warning is given by E. C. McFadden, president of the Texas Safety Association, as he asked them to do their part in the child safety program the Texas Safety Association, the Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council are conducting this month.

"During this program we're doing everything we can to get drivers to watch out for you boys and girls in traffic," he said. "We're also urging your parents to teach you safe traffic practices. "But none of these efforts will keep you safe if you don't get on the ball yourselves."

"Young people must learn that automobiles move fast and that anyone who happens to get in a car's path is likely to get hurt," he said.

"Boys and girls often think that, because they can see a car coming, the driver of the car can also see them," McFadden said. "Sometimes the driver doesn't see them, or if he does, he may not be able to stop his car in time to avoid hitting them. So smart boys and girls take no chances."

"Playing in the street, running out into the street after a ball or other toys, crossing in mid-block or at intersections against the light are all things that place children in danger," he said.

He advised boys and girls to strictly observe the following rules if they want to stay safe in traffic.

1. Obey all traffic officers, school patrols leaders, and traffic signs and signals.
2. Obey the rules learned in school and at home about crossing streets and playing only in face spaces.
3. If there are no sidewalks, walk on the left side of the road facing traffic. Never use roller skates, tricycles, wagons or scooters in the streets or road.

Mr. and Mrs. Comer Collins of Huntsville, Ark, visited his mother, Mrs. Walter Collins and other relatives and friends here Thursday and Friday. They had visited her mother, Mrs. Huff, in Seymour, who had suffered a heart attack but was recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Strayhorn and sons of Electra, visited their parents here last week end. Wallace, who is with the Magnolia Oil Co., attended a district Oil meeting in Odessa Friday and Mrs. Strayhorn and sons, Johnny and David, went with him and visited friends there. Their youngest son, Chris, stayed here with grandparents.

Mr and Mrs. W. C. Lambert of Aspermont, visited Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bigham Sunday.

Bob Kennedy Heads New WTU Dept.

R. E. Kennedy has been selected to head West Texas Utilities Company's new Public Department, according to an announcement made by Cal Young, WTU president.

The new department was formed by the consolidation of the Advertising and Industrial departments, following the retirement of R. M. Fielder Oct. 1. Mr. Fielder had served as head of the company's industrial department since 1946.

"One of the principal functions of the new department," Young said, "will be to assist and cooperate with local and area organizations and agencies in achieving the fullest development and utilization of the tremendous resources of the area by this company."

Kennedy has been employed by WTU for the past 23 years, has worked in the advertising department since 1943, and was made advertising manager in 1946 following his return from service with the Armed Forces. Previously he served in the treasury and purchasing departments.

Born in Abilene, Kennedy is a graduate of Abilene High school and Hardin-Simmons University, where he majored in business administra-

tion and served as president of the student council in his senior year.

He is well known in Abilene as an outstanding civic leader and is prominent in state advertising and public affairs circles. He is now serving as public relations and publicity chairman for the current United Fund campaign in Abilene; is a director of the Abilene Advertising Club; a member of the Abilene Library Board; a director of the Taylor County Society for Crippled Children; and a trustee of the Abilene YMCA.

The most recent recognition to come to Mr. Kennedy in the advertising and public relations field was his election as president of the Texas Public Relations Association at its annual meeting in Dallas last month. He is also a director of the Texas Manufacturers Association.

Under his direction and supervision, West Texas Utilities Company has been a consistent winner in national advertising competition. During the past seven years, the WTU advertising department has received six national awards.

Mrs. Kennedy is the former Elizabeth Faucett of Abilene. They have one daughter, Lenda, who is a fourth grade student at Alta Vista elementary school.

The Kennedys are members of the

Troy Thornton Stationed In Japan

25th Div., Hawaii.—Army Specialist 3c Troy R. Thornton, son of C. J. Thornton of Rotan, Tex., recently participated in Organization Day activities with the 25th Infantry Division in Hawaii.

A message center chief in Headquarters Company of the division's 27th Regiment, Specialist Thornton entered the Army in October 1954. He completed basic training at Fort Bliss and arrived in Hawaii last June.

Thornton attended Rotan High School. His mother, Mrs. Faye Homister, lives in Huntington.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Allen were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown of Denton and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scarbrough of Midland.

The Wesleyan Service Guild will meet Thursday night, Oct. 25, at 7:30 at the church. Mrs. Garland will have charge of the program. Everyone is invited to attend.

Episcopal Church, where he has served as a lay leader for the past 17 years. They reside at 886 Highland.

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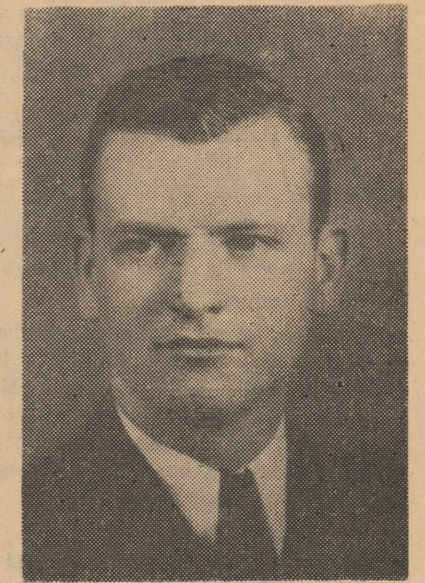
Entered as Second Class Matter Feb. 16, 1907, at the postoffice, Rotan, Texas, under the Act of March 2, 1879.

Mrs. Roger Smith returned Sunday from Fort Worth, where she visited her daughter, Miss Barbara Smith. May God give unto us all that loving sense of gratitude which delights in the opportunity to cancel accounts. Mary Baker Eddy.

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Brother of Mrs. Dr. Johnson Honored At Washington



PARKER MAY

A citation for superior service was recently given Mr. Parker May by the Director of the United States Information Agency in Washington, D. C. The award was made "for superior service, loyalty and devotion to duty with the United States Information Agency, and especially for outstanding executive ability, intelligence, and integrity exhibited in administering the world-wide program of the Information Center Service." In addition, Mr. May received a handsome, engraved silver medal.

The presentation took place on Oct. 5, 1956, in the auditorium of the Department of the Interior. Music for the program was furnished by the Headquarters Command Band of the Bolling Air Force Base. The assembly was addressed by the Hon. William H. Jackson, Special Assistant to the President. The awards were made by Mr. Theodore C. Streibert, director of the U. S. Information Agency.

Parker May, son of Mrs. M. P. May of Hamlin, is a member of a well known family of Western Texas, among whom are Tate May, president of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Hamlin; and a member of the Board of Trustees of Hardin-Simmons University; Bob May, a prominent business man of Colorado City; James Truett May, accountant with the Kaiser Aluminum and Chemical Company of Salinas, California; Mrs. Annie Laurie May Johnson, wife of Dr. J. Frank Johnson of Rotan; Mrs. Mattie May Rister, wife of the late Dr. Carl C. Rister, who, until his death last year, held the chair of Distinguished Professor of History in Texas Technological College at Lubbock. The recipient of the award is deserving of honor, not only for his superior service professionally, but also for service to his community. He is a deacon of his church, and took a leading part in the building of their new church edifice. His wife, Flora Booth May, is the Director of Music in the church.

Parker May has been in the U. S. Government service for nearly a quarter of a century, having served in the Department of Agriculture, the Department of the Interior, the Treasury Department, the Veterans Administration, the War Food Administration, and the Office of War Information, in addition to his present position in the U. S. Information Agency, where he is Assistant Chief for Operations, Information Center Service.

The United States Information Agency is charged with convincing foreign peoples that the objectives and policies of the United States are in harmony with and will advance their legitimate aspirations for freedom, progress and peace. Their chief effort is aimed at counteracting the effects of the anti-American propaganda of the Communist nations.

Mrs. Ed Harris and granddaughter, Marguerite Snapp, returned home Sunday night from a visit in Paducah, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arnold. Then they visited relatives in Hedley and also visited Buddy Reeves, nephew of Mrs. Harris, in the hospital in Amarillo, where he has been for treatment for injuries he received in a car wreck when his parents were killed several weeks ago. He is in a very critical condition and his recovery is doubtful.

The Brownie Troop met Monday, Oct. 22, had a hike to Mrs. Jack Patton's. 23 members received their Brownie pens.—Reporter Brenda Head.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Shelton of Corona, N. M., visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Clark last week end.

DANCE

SATURDAY, NOV. 10th

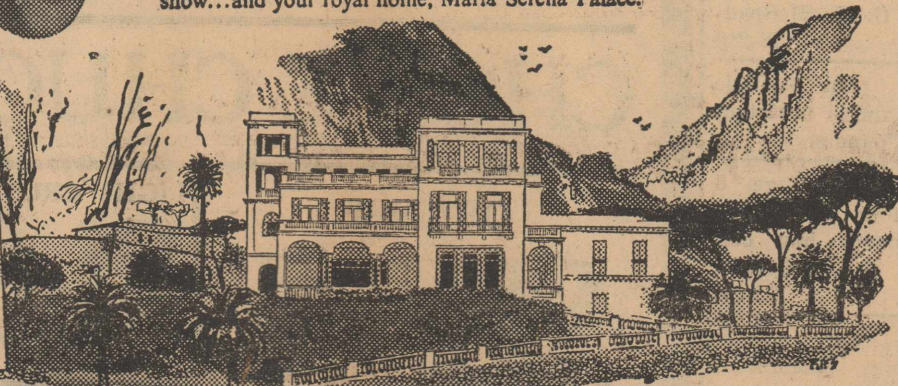
V. F. W. HALL, ROTAN

Music by All Western Band of Snyder

PUBLIC INVITED

**"Don't miss it, friends!
Enter Gulf's 'Life of Riley'
Contest now!"**

WILLIAM BENDIX, star of "The Life of Riley" TV show...and your royal home, Maria Serena Palace.



GRAND PRIZE:

LIVE THE LIFE OF RILEY IN A PALACE ON THE RIVIERA WIN 30 FABULOUS DAYS WITH \$200 A DAY TO SPEND

Fly via a luxurious PAN AMERICAN Super 7 Clipper

Fly direct to Nice, France, in 20 hours, via the world's most experienced airline. Live in a Riviera mansion for four fabulous weeks. Reign in a royal home, with all modern conveniences.

Servant staff, luxury furnishings, glamorous patio, private swimming and boating facilities... all this and more... all yours in a stunning setting on the Mediterranean!

It's a once-in-a-lifetime trip for

two. You enjoy scores of exciting holiday adventures—with \$200 a day to spend! Your own limousine whisks you through a gay round of gala events in nearby Nice, Cannes and other Riviera playgrounds.

A world of pleasure awaits you. Golden beaches, festive occasions, dazzling scenery... sports, pleasure, regal relaxation... you live the Life of Riley for a magnificent, memorable month!

Simple to enter—Easy to win!

Just complete this jingle. Enter as often as you wish. All entries must be on official Contest Entry Blanks, which contain complete contest rules. Get yours free at any Gulf station. Contest closes midnight, Oct. 31.

Gulf No-Nox is the gasoline that's famous 'cause it burns so clean. Fill up at Gulf and you will see.

(Make your last word rhyme with "see.")

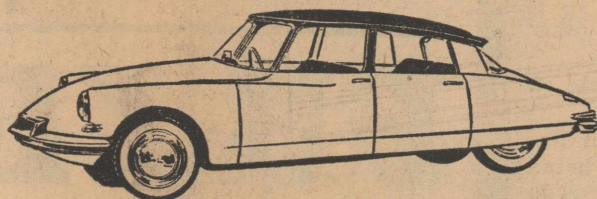
Clean-burning No-Nox gives you many more miles of new-car power!

HINTS TO HELP YOU WIN!

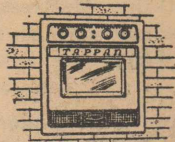
1. No-Nox burns clean because Gulf refines out the "dirty-burning tail-end" found in ordinary gasoline.
2. No-Nox combats formation of carbon deposits which "shrink" engine power.
3. No-Nox protects your engine, keeps new-car power intact for thousands of extra miles.
4. Gulf No-Nox is a high-octane gasoline—gives more miles per gallon in short-trip driving.

NEXT 4 TOP PRIZES

4 NEW CITROEN SPORTS SEDANS!
The revolutionary DS19 by CITROEN of France—safer, smoother, first with automatic air-oil suspension



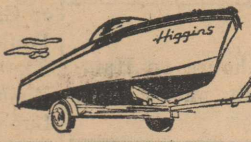
and a Gulf galaxy of **183** other gala **PRIZES**



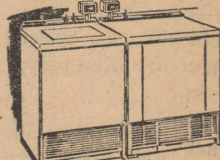
8 Revolutionary TAPPAN Electronic ranges—cook at amazing speed without heat.



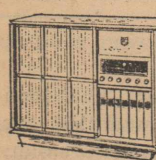
12 MAGNAVOX Color TV Sets. Featuring Hi-Fidelity Color and Sound.



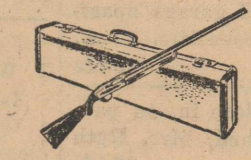
10 HIGGINS, Inc. of New Orleans 14-foot deluxe outboard runabouts and trailers.



18 1957 FRIGIDAIRE Laundry Pairs. "For the savingest washdays ever."



18 Magnificent MAGNAVOX Hi-Fidelity Radio-Phonographs—4 multiple speakers.



50 BROWNING Shotguns. Double Automatic Lightweight models with cases.



67 Montague-Ocean City Fishing Sets. Complete deluxe fishing outfits.

GET FREE ENTRY BLANKS FROM YOUR GULF DEALER

—where you get that clean-burning No-Nox!



J. O. KENNEDY, Distributor of Gulf Oil Products

Sister of T. C. Adams Dies At Hillsboro

Mrs. Margaret Bertha (Maggie) Dollar, 66, sister of Mrs. T. C. Adams of Hemleigh, died Oct 11 in a Hillsboro hospital. Funeral services were held Oct. 12 at the Hillsboro Church of Christ, with burial in Ridge Park cemetery.

Mrs. Dollar was born in Blanco County in 1890 and moved to Hill County at the age of six. She married Newt Dollar in 1905 near Lovelock, and had lived in Hillsboro since 1923. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

She is survived by her husband, four brothers, Calvin (Pete) Adams of Hemleigh, Jim and John of Hillsboro, Willie Adams of Fort Worth, one half brother, one step brother, two sisters, six sons, five daughters and 22 grandchildren.

Abilene Service Held For Major Churchill

Funeral for Air Force Major Leon Franklin Churchill, who died of a heart attack October 15 in North Africa, were held Wednesday afternoon in the Abilene Air Force chapel.

Maj. Churchill, husband of the former Dorothy Matthews of Abilene, was stationed at an Air Force Base in Columbus, Ohio. He was on temporary duty with the Strategic Air Command in North Africa at the time of his death from a heart attack.

Survivors include his wife, one daughter and one son. Mrs. Churchill will be remembered here, as she taught in the Rotan school several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patterson of Munday, and Mrs. R. R. Patterson of Snyder, visited Mrs. E. E. Patterson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shipp and two children, and Ollie Shipp, all of Seminole, visited here last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Underhill and Bobby of Phillips, visited relatives here from Wednesday until Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. LaBleu are in Galveston with their baby who is receiving treatment.

L. J. Streetman brought in a nine pound, 3 ounces black bass Tuesday. This tops the reported bass so far this year. 'Red' is air-tight on the color plug he was casting and the exact spot he made the catch.

Vern Underhill of Old Ocean, underwent major surgery in a Houston hospital last Wednesday. Latest word received here is that he is recovering nicely and will be out of the hospital by next week.

LANCE THEATRE

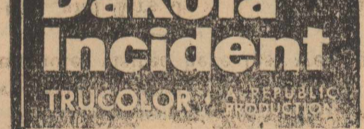
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Fri. 26th-Sat. 27th



Land of lost watches

Sun. 28th-Mon. 29th

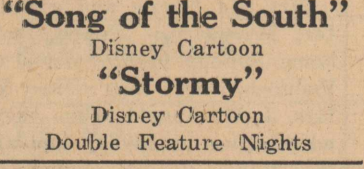


James Stewart and Doris Day Chief Charly Horse

Showing at Sundown Drive In

Rotan, Texas Phone 215

Fri. 26th-Sat. 27th



Double Feature Nights

Sun. 28th-Mon. 29th



Macdonald Carey and Patricia Medina Deputy Droopy

CLASSIFIED ADS

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For Sale

For Sale, our home, near football field and swimming pool, good garage and new strom cellar, will sell on lot or to be moved, call 5601 or see Mr. or Mrs. Winslow McSpadden. 37-2tp

For Sale, seed oats, \$1 per bushel 250 gal. farm cart factory-made butane trailer truck, new nice rig, \$215, about \$50 under present cost, see A. H. Sumner, 5 miles south-east of town, Alva Kolk Jr. 38-4tc

For Sale modern 5 room dwelling, carpets and drapes throughout, 3 ton GE central heating and cooling system, well and pump for shrubs, paved street, 3 lots, choice location and only \$12,500. H. T. Fillingim, Realtor. 36-tfc

For sale, low equity in small 2-bed room house, established loan, Wayland Gray, 39-tfc

For Sale, used John Deere cotton stripper with blower, reasonable price, Truitt Strickland, phone 5864. 39-2tc

Pheasants, fresh frozen, also for breeding and release pheasants, Chukars, Bob Whites and Blues, Roy W. Anderson, Aspermont, Texas, phone Peacock 2191. 39-2tp

For Sale or trade, home in Rotan. Call 4131 Aspermont or write in care of Rotan Advance.

For Sale Coke box, 1 South Bend Grill, one Deep Fry, one Malt Mixer, call 6591, Mrs. G. E. McSpadden. 38-2tp

We can convert your double breasted Coats into single breasted, \$15 each—Atwell Cleaners.

For Sale, 400 tons Ensilage, 3 miles East of Rotan on Hamlin highway. Your government hay certificates acceptable. L. A. Sparks, phone 8180, Rotan. 32-ttc

For Sale, Used Refrigerators, Ranges and Washing Machines—Home Lumber Company.

Gravel for sale. Lots of rock and sand is sharp. Phone Jayton, 2334. Claud Senn. 8-tfc

For Sale, Used Refrigerators, Ranges and Washing Machines—Home Lumber Company.

FOR SALE

160 acres S. W. of Roby. 125 in cultivation, 1-2 minerals, 4 room house, \$85 per acre.

144 acres 2 1-2 miles from Rotan, 6 room house, 1-2 minerals, \$125 per acre.

330 acres S. W. from Roby, 279 in cultivation, 1-2 minerals, 5 room house.

369 acres N. E. Rotan, 8 miles, no improvements, 128 in cultivation. 3 separate fields, good stock farm, \$50 per acre.

One 5 room house and other houses in town.

Some irrigated farms for sale on the plains.

165 acres, 7 miles S. E. from Rotan, 132 in cultivation, 4 room house well watered, 1-2 minerals, \$100 per acre.

M. W. STRICKLAND Box 608 Phone 278 W. L. BICKERSTAFF

FOR RENT

For Rent, 4 room house on Hamlin highway, \$5 month, phone 4511, 38-2tc.

For Rent, 2 room furnished apartment, Ruple Morrow. 32-tfc

For rent, furnished garage apartment, and share garage/Mrs. C. C. Roach, phone 4431. 39-tfc

For Rent, house close in, on pavement, newly refinished, Mrs. Ruth Denton. 39-tfc

For rent, 5 room house and an apartment, see C. C. Carter, phone 4801. 39-tfc

For Rent, furnished apartment, phone 7732. 32-tfc

For Rent, four apts. Two upstairs and two on ground floor, Mrs. J. A. Crowley, 411 Johnson, phone 230. 36-tfc

ANNOUNCEMENTS

USED FURNITURE
Used Washers, Ranges, Refrigerators and Furniture.
GARLANDS- Phone 360

<p>Tide Large 29c</p>	<p>PAY & TAKE FOOD STORE Phone 386 Next Door Post Office</p>	<p>Rubbing Alcohol Pt. 15c Lb. 35c</p>
<p>CHOICE CHUCK ROAST Lb. 35c</p>		
<p>HAPPY HOST GROUND FRESH COFFEE Lb. 75c</p>		
<p>FRESH ONIONS, bunch 5c CRISP CELERY, Stalk 15c TURNIP & TOPS, bunch 10c YELLOW SQUASH, Lb. 10c TOKAY GRAPES, Lb. 10c PIE PUMPKINS, Lb. 7c NEW GRAPEFRUIT, 5 lb. bag 49c FROZEN ROLLS, 2 dozen size 39c FROZEN ORANGE JUICE, ... 6 oz. 15c</p>		
<p>CHOICE CHUCK STEAK Lb. 35c</p>		
<p>ORANGE CRUSH 6 Bottle Crt. plus dep. 25c</p> <p>PLAINS FINE ICE CREAM 1-2 Gallon 69c</p>	<p>LIGHT CRUST FLOUR 25 Lbs. \$1.75</p>	
<p>COLGATE DENTAL CREAM, . . . giant size 39c PRELL SHAMPOO, \$1.00 size 79c CRACKER JACKS, pkg. 5c SUN-SPUN CATSUP, bottle 15c GRAPE JUICE, 24 oz. 29c WOLF TAMALES, can 20c</p>		
<p>20-LB. BASKETS FRESH CANNING TOMATOES ea. 75c</p>		
<p>FRYERS 35c Fresh No. 1 Dressed Lb.</p>		

FINISH HIGH SCHOOL
Invest in rest with a Western-Bilt Mattress. Felt mattresses, Inner springs and box springs. Call 6071 35-8tp

Carl Underhill and Mrs. Ida Underhill attended to business in Abilene last Sunday.

Mrs. Sally Montgomery of Fort Worth, visited her mother, Mrs. J. W. Kennedy, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyne Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Tyne Arlon Perkins and children, Tynesia and Richard Arlon, visited Mrs. May Perkins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Partin and children, Sunny, Starnie and Armeda, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hamilton in Abilene last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Roach recently visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Roach in Amarillo.

H. L. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Campbell and Mrs. Fred Byerly spent several days in Dallas this week attending market

Royston Church Wins Achievement Award
Dallas.—The Royston Baptist Church has been named winner of the annual Town and Country Achievement Award sponsored by the Fisher Baptist Association spokesmen say.

Rev. Charles Kueck Jr., pastor, will receive a parchment scroll and the church a metal plaque which can be displayed in a prominent position outside the building.

Purpose of the achievement program is three-fold:
1) To stimulate interest and initiative in town and country church work.

2) To recognize outstanding achievements by pastors and churches.

3) To help Texas Baptists realize their responsibilities not only to their local church and community, but to the nation and the world as well.

The association is one of the 122 geographical areas in which the Baptist General Convention of Texas promotes such work each year.

The denomination includes one out of every six persons in the state with 3,804 churches and 1,430,000 members in Texas. Approximately two-thirds of the churches are classified as town and country congregations.

Mrs. R. C. Huggins of Snyder, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Kelly, and Mr. Kelly this week. Mrs. Kelly visited her in Snyder Sunday and brought her home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Roberts spent Sunday in Albany with her mother, Mrs. Nancy Stover, and helped her celebrate her 81st birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin B. Nitsch and Mary Kate of Colorado City, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark, Wednesday of last week.

The employment commission advises wage finding, effective Oct. 22 for Fisher County for first and second cotton pulling \$1.75 to \$2.00 per hundred. Finding base on dry-land farming acreage only.

Have That Prescription Filled at Ragsdale's

Ford Breaks Many Records In Tests

A 1957 Ford has traveled more than 50,000 miles at an average speed of more than 108 miles per hour on the Bonneville, Utah Salt Flats to capture all records from one mile up to 50,000 miles for a total of 458 national and international marks. This totals more records than ever have been held by any other stock car, Ray Brown, Rotan Ford dealer, has announced.

Mr. Brown said that the same type of 1957 Ford may be test driven by Rotan residents, and he issued an invitation to the public to try America's most rugged car.

"The Ford's Bonneville run began at 11:50 p. m. Sept. 9. In the next 19 days the car traveled a distance equivalent to more than twice around the world at more than 108 miles an hour," Mr. Brown explained. "This was the greatest durability and performance achievement in the history of the automobile," he added. "The reason for this endurance run came from Crew-Chief Danny Eames who said: 'We don't want people to go this fast. What is more, no one should go this fast, except racing drivers, and then only on race tracks.'

"This kind of test is designed strictly to improve the breed of cars, to test their durability. We're not after mere speed. The big thing is to torture the engine, the chassis, the body, and all the thousands of parts with high speeds for tremendous distances. Here we've got an all new car, a new kind of Ford, and we wanted to prove to ourselves, as well as to the American people, just what we had."

The Bonneville Salt Flats is one of the deadliest deserts on earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell McWhirter and children, Susan and Neal, recently visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Comer Collins, in Huntsville, Ark., then visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey in Fort Worth, also attended the Dallas Fair and on their return home visited his mother, Mrs. Eunice McWhirter, in Rising Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Head of Abilene, visited Mrs. Ruth Yarborough Sunday.

Nothing can live on it, and nothing grows on it. Daytime heats range up to 100 degrees, while at night the thermometer plunges down to 50 degrees.

But the great salt bed's surface makes it a perfect testing ground for automobile performance and endurance. It has been the world's most famous natural proving ground since 1924.

"The first day at Bonneville, the Ford knocked off all records up to 24 hours by running at an average of better than 120 miles an hour including time for pit stops and changing drivers. After breaking the one day records, the endurance run continued for 19 more days breaking further records almost every hour. A team of eight professional race drivers took turns keeping up the punishing test," Mr. Brown explained.

Special Election For One Amendment

Through error on the part of a recent Legislature, one proposed constitutional amendment, will not appear on the regular General Election ballot, Nov. 6, 1956.

A special election is required on Nov. 13 for this one amendment. It will hold practically as much to hold this special election as the regular one.

County Judge Bruce McCain is asking the voters if they prefer to hold this special election with only three voting boxes, Roby, Rotan and Absentee, with all voters having the privilege of voting at these. This would cut the cost from about \$1600 to \$300, and save the county budget from going into the red. He asks that voters write, call or see him, so he may as determine which system they want.

Please let him know your wishes so that plans can be made.

Emergency Feed Grain Program Extended

Walter T. McKay, state director, Farmers Home Administration, today advised Thomas M. Nanny, acting County Supervisor of the extension of the Emergency Feed Grain Program in Fisher County. Under this extension, farmers and ranchers may now file applications

Allen-Brown Wedding At Denton Oct. 5

Miss Wanda Allen and Mr. Lee A. Brown were united in marriage in Denton October 5, 1956. Officiating for the double ring ceremony was Rev. Roden. Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scarborough, sister and brother-in-law of the bride.

Mrs. Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Allen of Rotan. She is a graduate of North Texas State College and is presently teaching in Dallas.

Mr. Brown, formerly of Spearman, graduated from Wentworth Military Academy and is now a senior at WTSC.

The couple are at home at 1400 N. Elm, Denton, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold King and Sue are spending their vacation in Colorado.

through December 3, 1956 for a supply of feed grain necessary to carry basic livestock herds through December 31, 1956.

This Extension of the Emergency Feed Grain program now coincides with the assistance available under the Roughage Program for Texas, and enables county FFA committees to consider total feed requirements, both roughage and grain, through December 31, 1956.

"Drive Right"—Slow Down At Night

In these words, E. C. McFadden, president of the Texas Safety Association, Inc., today emphasized the necessity of reducing speed at night. McFadden spoke on behalf of the current safety-after-dark program of the Texas Safety Association.

"Darkness reduces visibility, so the distance you can see at night is greatly limited," he said. "A good rule of thumb is to travel at a speed that is slow enough to enable you to stop within the distance covered by your headlight beam."

"Even when traveling at a lowered speed, the driver is still in greater danger of an accident at night than in daytime, so he must increase his vigilance," McFadden said. He especially cautioned drivers to watch for pedestrians dressed in dark clothing and for vehicles with dim lights or no lights at all.

"Be sure your own lights are in good condition," he warned. "Make it a habit to turn on your driving lights at the first hint of dusk, and always use them properly. Use the upper beam only on rural highways when no approaching car is within 1,000 feet. Dim your lights even though an oncoming driver fails to dim his..."

It's also important that all parts of your car be in top condition. Because danger is much closer before you can see it in the darkness, night driving makes sure mechanical response a must, McFadden said.

Here are a few more do's and don'ts the president mentioned. Be sure your lights are turned on before you pull onto a thoroughfare at night. Don't wear tinted glasses at night. Never stop on the traveled portion of the highway at night; pull completely off the road, leaving parking and dome lights on. If you must have full headlamps on, dim them. It's also a good idea to have your directional light flashing. Carry flares for use in emergencies. All of these precautions help to let other drivers know you're stopped.

"And remember," McFadden said, "the most important rule of all is: 'Be your brother's keeper.' At night it's twice as important to give the other fellow the benefit of the doubt in traffic."

Work Day At Scout Cabin At Sweetwater

Hollis Ellis, Boy Scout camping chairman for the Western District of the Chisholm Trail Council, has announced there is a work day scheduled for Saturday, Oct. 27, to rehabilitate our Boy Scout cabin.

Work will consist of a new roof, electric wiring, finishing of both inside and outside walls. Ellis says we need volunteer carpenters, carpenter helpers and many others.

Our Scout minded mothers will be on hand to see that coffee and food is served. The Explorer Scouts and Boy Scouts will be there in force to lend a hand where they are needed.

Ellis says they plan to have weekly camps this year. The cabin should be in good condition, so the mothers will not worry about their boys when the weather is bad.

Vince Cornover will be in charge of carpenter work. Harvey Nash will be in charge of electric wiring. Those wishing to help please call phone 2712 or 2985.

The cabin is located on the south end of the lake. Direction arrows will be placed along the road to help guide you.

McSpadden Enrolls At Tarleton

The Professor of Military Science and Tactics at Tarleton State College in Stephenville has announced the enrollment of Cadet James D. McSpadden of Rotan in the ROTC Corp. of Cadet. The newly enrolled Cadet McSpadden is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman McSpadden and a graduate of Rotan High School. Presentation was made by Bolton E. Weeks, PMS&T at Tarleton State College. Cadet McSpadden was selected on the basis of leadership, knowledge and proficiencies in military subjects and academic standing. He is a freshman majoring in agriculture.

Mr. Editor: Seems true newsmen are sleuths to get news and print it. Anyway, thanks for the article last week about our business, "Tex Select Fish Lure. Our thanks, too, to the dealers and fishing folks who declare Tex Select Lures are best. At better dealers or from us if necessary.—Pearston.

Mrs. Mattie Key went to Corpus Christi Sunday and visited her sister and family, Dr. and Mrs. Franklin Yeager.

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Thursday, Oct. 25, 1956 No. 120

Rotan Lodge No. 956 A. F. & A. M.



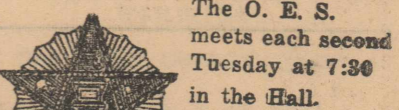
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Willie Martin, Noble Grand
Lee Hefner, Vice Grand
Howard Smith, Secretary.



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Edna Morgan, Sec.



Meets Every Tuesday, 12:30. At Ritz Coffee Shop. Visitors Welcome

John Jackson, President



V. F. W.

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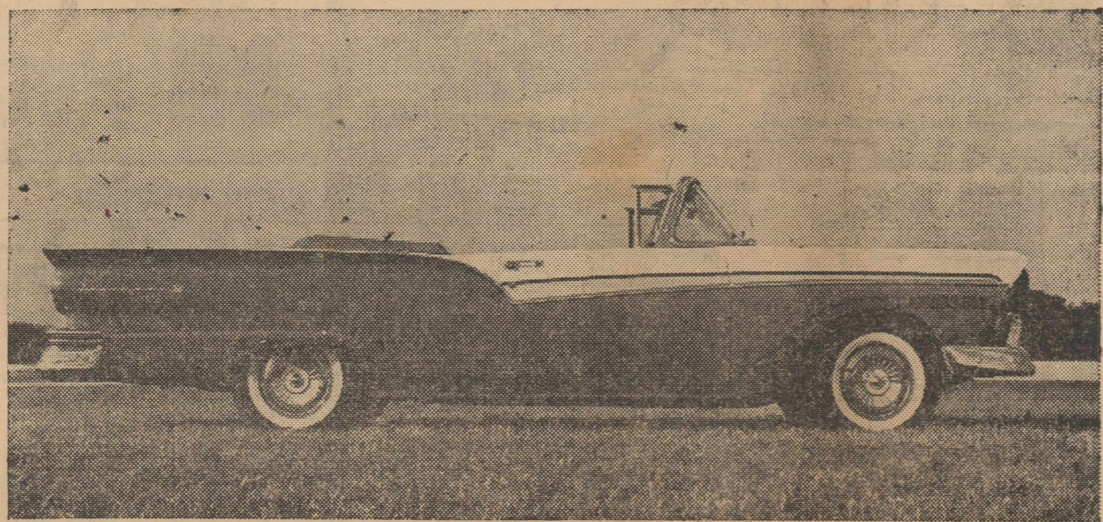
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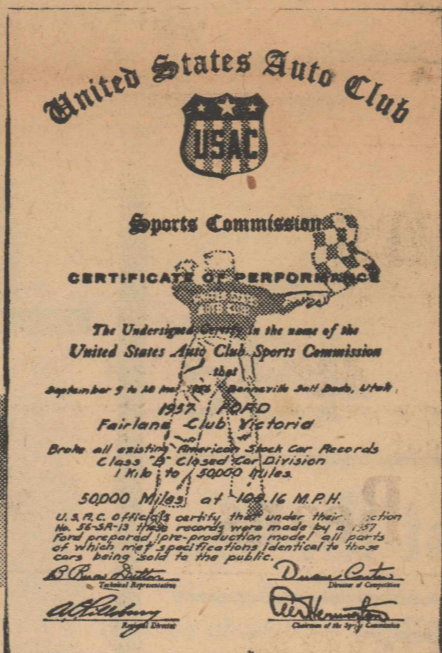
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Phone 278 Rotan



The longest, lowest Ford convertible ever made is this 1957 Sunliner which is being introduced along with 18 other completely new Ford body styles. The new Fords will offer a broader range of improved engine performance, with the top power plant being the optional 245 horsepower Thunderbird Special V8. The Sunliner is a member of Ford's new "Fairlane 500" series, which will offer a band of gold-colored anodized aluminum side trim with two-tone paint selections.

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An announcement of decisive importance to anyone about to buy a new automobile

The most exhaustive endurance test ever given an automobile has just been completed by two stock '57 Fords—identical in every respect with cars now being offered by Ford Dealers.

Under the supervision of the United States Auto Club and the Federation Internationale de Automobile, each of these two '57 Fords traveled 50,000 miles in less than 20 days. Ford No. 1 averaged 108.16 mph for the entire run... Ford No. 2, over 107 mph. These averages include time for all pit stops.

In all, the '57 Ford smashed 458 national and international records.

This test was run on the Bonneville Salt Flats in Utah... it was the longest left turn in history.

A car, like a man, is known by its deeds, not words.

That is why, we at Ford, despite our confidence in our '57 cars, let their deeds of accomplishment speak for themselves.

Therefore, we engaged an independent engineering organization to test our '57 cars more thoroughly than any other cars have ever been tested before—in this country or abroad.

We provided them with '57 Fords—cars identical with those now offered by Ford Dealers. The rest we left up to them.

Here is what they did:

They took these cars to the Salt Flats at Bonneville, Utah.

Here, twelve of the world's greatest drivers took over.

In relays they drove these cars night and day for a distance greater than twice around the world... a distance equal

to 5 years of normal driving.

Not in all history has a man-built machine traveled so far in so short a time—by land or sea!

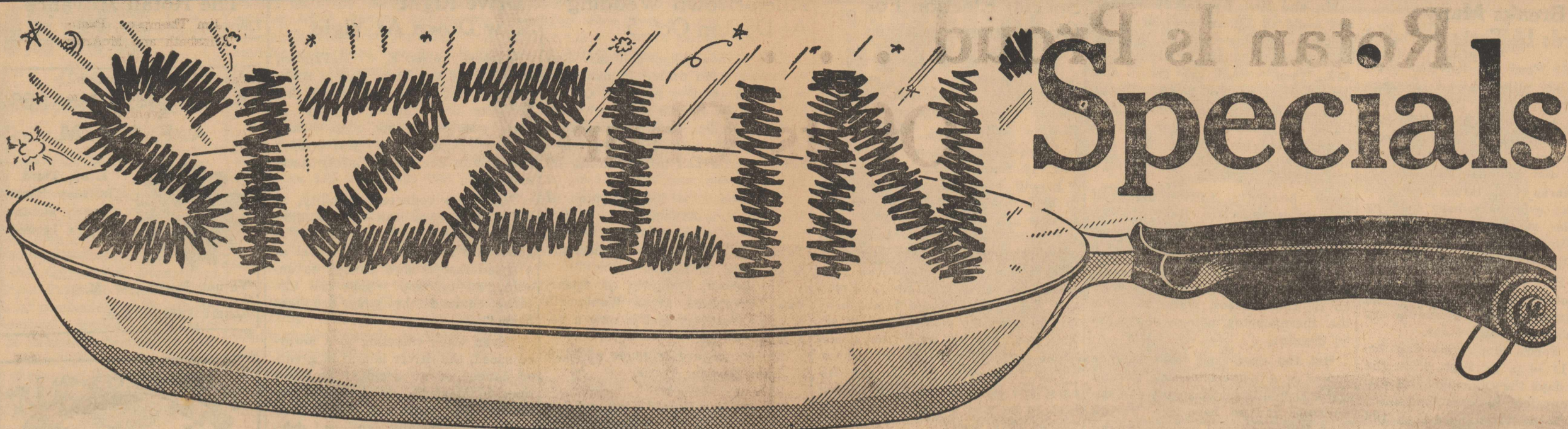
But this was not a test of speed—but of endurance of the "Inner Ford." A trial to take the measure of Thunderbird Y-block V-8 power without qualification of any kind. A test of running gear—of brakes, of materials in body and chassis. Of steering and roadability, yes, and comfort, too!

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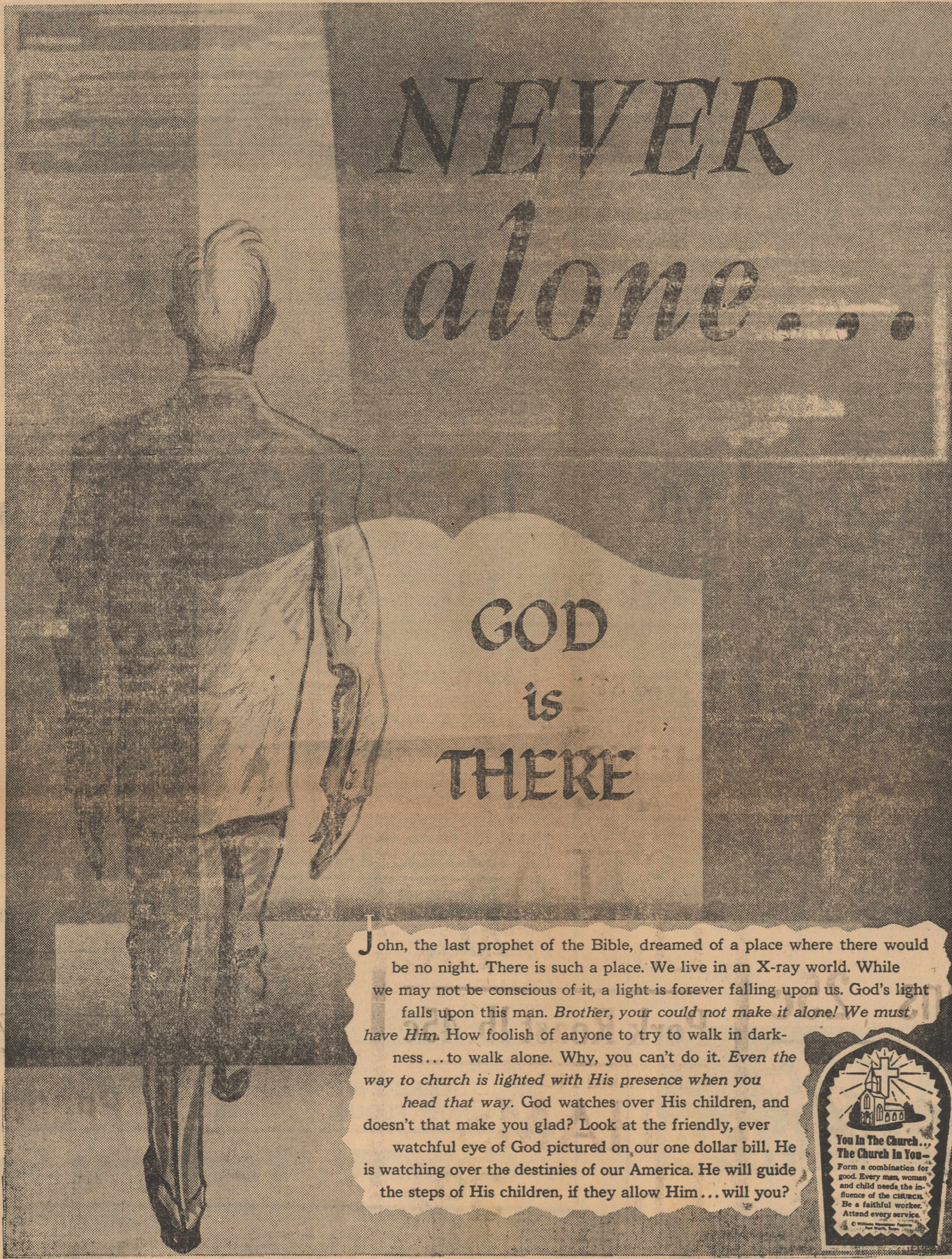
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Jim Thompson, Pastor
Elizabeth and McArthur
Morning
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Worship service, 11:00 a. m.
Evening
Training Union, 7:00 p. m.
Worship Service, 8:00 p. m.

NORTH ROBY BAPTIST CHURCH

Midway between Rotan & Roby
Gene Y. Brock, Pastor
Sunday
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 7 p. m.
Preaching 7:30 p. m. Sunday.
Prayer Meeting 7:30 Wednesday

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

902 Cleveland
E. W. Waye, Pastor
Sunday School — 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship — 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship — 7:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting — 7:30 p. m.
Thursday.

HIGHLAND HOME BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Philip Goodrum, pastor
(4 miles N. E. of City)
Order of services

Sunday

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship Services 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 7:00 p. m.
Worship Services 8:00 p. m.

Monday

Brotherhood Meeting Monday after 1st Sunday of each month 8:00 p. m.

Tuesday

W. M. S. Meets First and third Tuesdays 1:30 p. m.

Wednesday

Bible Study 8:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting 8:00 p. m.
S. S. Officers & Teachers meeting 8:40 p. m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Father Stanley
Sunday morning Mass 8 and 10 a. m.
Weekday Mass 7:30 a. m.

CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH

Virgil Smith, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 p. m. with officers and teachers meeting following.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

209 McKinley
J. Alvis Cooley, Pastor
Sunday Services
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship—10:50 a. m.
Intermediate and Senior MYF 6:00
Evening Worship—7:00 p. m.
Wednesday services
Prayer services—7:15 a. m. and 10:00 a. m.
WCS—Each Monday at 3:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

305 McKinley
Sunday
9:45 a. m.—Bible Study period. Classes for all ages.
10:45 a. m.—Worship Service, Sermon, and Communion.
6 p. m.—Young People's Training Class and Teacher training class.
7:00 p. m.—Evening Worship service and sermon.

Monday

9:00 a. m.—Ladies Bible Class.

Wednesday

7:30 p. m.—Bible Study and singing.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

McKinley at Mead
Lawrence Hayes, Pastor

Sunday

9:45 a. m. Sunday School
10:50 a. m. Morning Worship
6:00 p. m. Training Union
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship

Monday

8:00 p. m. WMU and Surbeams

Wednesday

7:00 p. m. Officers and Teacher's meeting and Y. W. A.
8:00 p. m. Hour of prayer

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. A. H. Williams, pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.
Church Visitation, Wednesday, 6:30 p. m.
Prayer Service, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH

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G. M. Rogers Pastor, Snyder
rt. 2, phone 33016

Sunday

10:00 a. m. Sunday School
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship
7:30 p. m. Training Union
8:30 p. m. Evening Worship

Wednesday

7:30 p. m. Hour of Prayer
Revival August 10 thru 19th

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. J. E. Perryman, Jr. Pastor

SUNDAY

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Nazarene Young Peoples Society, 7:30 p. m.

Evangelistic Service, 8:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Prayer and Praise Service, 8:00 p. m.

LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH

(colored)

G. W. Henry, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Service, 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

(colored)

10:00 a. m. Sunday School
11:00 a. m. Bible Class
7:30 p. m. Preaching

HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH

Billy Hatch, Pastor

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 7:30 p. m.
Evening Worship, 8:30 p. m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7:30.

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

(colored)

Sunday school, 10 o'clock.
Preaching, 11:45.
and workers at 6:30.
Night services, preaching at 8:45.
Pastor, Elder S. W. Williams, of Clarendon, Texas.

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Rotan Advance

NEWS from your

*** County ***
Agricultural Agent
 Texas A. & M. College
 Extension Service

James S. Norman, County Ag. Agent

Several poultrymen have asked us lately why pullets being raised for a foundation flock could not fall under the Agricultural Department Feed-Grain Program which involves the use of commodity credit corporation surplus grains in disaster areas to maintain foundation livestock. Foundation Livestock now cattle, sheep and goats maintained for breeding purposes.

The FFA personnel also tell us that they have had the same question asked them. If enough people are interested in making a request to the State ASC office that poultry be included in the foundation livestock that are now receiving emergency grain, we will be glad to contact the State Committee and see if any action can be taken on the matter.

There will be a petition available in the County Agent's office for poultrymen to sign if they are interested in trying to get poultry included on the foundation livestock list.

Along with the petition we will send a letter stating the people's desire to the State ASC committee, for them to act on.

Grain sorghum hybrids produced 10 to 25% more grain per acre than pure varieties in 1955 field demonstrations in 1956 from the Lower Rio Grande Valley to the Panhandle.

The farmer demonstrators cooperated with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and Texas Agricultural Experiment Station to obtain information on the performance of grain sorghum hybrids under a wide range of growing conditions and how the grain combines.

Twenty-five thousand pounds of seed were furnished for the demonstrators by certified seed growers from their crossing blocks of 1955.

Seed of sorghum hybrids were developed and released by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in 1954 for increased production in 1955.

"Two types of demonstrations were conducted," Ben Spears, Extension Agronomist who headed up the tests, said. "The 'package type' included packets of seed of

several different hybrids and pure varieties which county agricultural agents distributed to farmers. Both hybrids and pure varieties were grown under the same condition and harvested by hand to compare yields."

The second type, field demonstrations, was conducted on larger acreages under farmer's growing conditions and the grain was combined.

In general, Texas 610 appeared to have the widest range of adaptation, Spears pointed out. However, where soil moisture conditions were favorable at harvest several farmers reported Texas 610 was slower in drying than Martin, the most widely planted variety in Texas. In most demonstrations farmers reported also that Texas 610 was as satisfactory as Martin for combining.

The toughest problem faced by Texas dairymen, according to R. E. Burleson, extension dairy husbandman, is how to build a feeding program for their herds in face of an ever-dwindling supply of hay or silage.

Here are the answers Burleson got when he put the question to Dr. R. E. Leighton of the Department of Dairy Science. Leighton said dairymen must keep in mind the basic principles governing the use of roughages in the dairy cow's ration. He said there is no room in the rumen of a good dairy cow for filler feeds if she is to continue to be a good producing cow. She must maintain her body and have additional nutrients to produce milk at a profit, and she can't do both on low quality feed.

Too, when a dairy cow digests feed high in fiber content, a considerable part of the digestible nutrients in the feed is used in the work of digestion. The energy released in the process is converted to heat which will help warm the cow's body in cold weather but will not produce milk. This means that low quality roughages are not only a poorer source of digestible nutrients but also give less digestive nutrients for productive purposes because of the excess work of digestion.

When a dairyman must buy his roughage, the best quality, with few exceptions, is the most economical. There is less waste and more important he gets more milk for each pound of feed fed.

Dairymen who have some good hay or silage are advised by Leighton to stretch their supply by feeding a third to a half good roughage and filling in with roughage of lower quality. He doesn't advise feeding a roughage lower in quality than

cottonseed hulls. He reminds Burleson that when cows are off green pasture for 2 or more months vitamin A deficiencies may occur. Spreading the good roughage over a longer period will help prevent this trouble. Two pounds of dehydrated alfalfa meal daily is advised for all dairy cows not getting a good green colored roughage.

If a good concentrate mix can be had for a reasonable price, Leighton said the dairyman might find it profitable to replace part of the roughage with such a mix but he warned that dairy cows should have no less than 10 to 15 pounds of roughage daily, on a dry basis, to remain in good health.

Motorists Urged To Have Early Inspection

Texas motorists are exercising the old American custom of putting off until tomorrow what ought to be done today and Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety has expressed some concern that the practice is responsible for considerable lagging in the State's motor vehicle inspection program.

The first month of the new inspection period ended on October 15 and Garrison noted that only 4% of the registered vehicles have been inspected. The period runs through April 15, 1957.

"The inspection period embraces a full seven months," Garrison said, "and that means that a minimum of 14% of the cars must be checked each month in order to avoid unnecessary rushes on the inspection stations in the final weeks of the period."

Meanwhile, George W. Busby, DPS Motor Vehicle Inspection Division Chief, reported that a total of 3,663,000 cars were inspected during the year which ended last September 14. Of these, slightly more than 1 1/2 million, or 43% needed some adjustment or repair before meeting the approved standards. Average cost of such services was eight-five cents.

The most common defect found by the State's more than 4,200 licensed inspection stations during the year was in 29% of the cars which needed headlights adjusted or repaired, Busby announced.

He said that the second most frequent mechanical deficiency was the 10% of cars which required adjustment or repairs of foot brakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Templeton of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cork of San Angelo, Mrs. Joe Strayhorn and Miss Neoma Strayhorn of Snyder, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn Monday.

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WHITE SWAN	HOMINY,	12 300 cans	99c
WHITE SWAN	CORN, White or Golden	6 303 cans	99c
WHITE SWAN	TOMATO JUICE,	4 46 oz. cans	99c
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Oak Farm MILK, 1-2 gal	45c		

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MINCE MEAT,	23c	CRANBERRY SAUCE,	17c
WHITE SWAN	2 1-2 CAN	WHITE SWAN	300 CAN
PUMPKIN,	23c	SPANISH RICE,	17c
WHITE SWAN	303 CAN	WHITE SWAN	NO. 2 CAN
KRAUT,	15c	PEARS,	29c
WHITE SWAN	303 CAN	WHITE SWAN	NO. 2 CAN
BING CHERRIES,	39c	PINEAPPLE JUICE,	13c

SUGAR,	10 Lbs.	93c
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Alice Kemp HD Agent

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The Cash Award Prizes are given to the top five communities in this contest in the district and to the top 3 in the state.

"Group action and interest achieved amazing results in communities that were on the verge of dying out," says Reagan Brown, extension sociologist, who assisted other extension personnel in planning with community leaders—"individuals have different ideas about what is lacking in a community and what should be done about it . . . they need to pool and discuss ideas with others to agree on what solu-

tions are worthy of effort."

This organization is kept active by electing officers each year, planning programs for each meeting, providing recreation, and conducting short business sessions to discuss phases of community work.

Begin now to do something about your community . . . talk to friends and neighbors. Discuss it with

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your County Extension Agents. There are bulletins available that give suggestions on how to proceed. Ask for a copy of "Neighborhood Progress Through Organized Action."

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Veterans Home Loans To Be More Available

The President announced this week several steps to increase the availability of veterans' home loans on reasonable terms in rural areas and small communities, these actions which are being taken by the Administrator of Veterans Affairs, affect areas eligible for direct mortgage loans from the Veterans Administration as a supplement to mortgages obtainable through normal banking channels and guaranteed by the Veterans Administration.

The actions follow:

(A) Certain areas formerly eligible for direct loans, but deactivated when private capital for guaranteed loans was generally available, will be reopened.

(B) Direct loans will be authorized in eligible areas when guaranteed loans are available only on restrictive credit terms.

(C) The VA will undertake direct loan processing in eligible areas if the veteran proposes to purchase a home located on a farm site.

In making this announcement, the President made public a review

of the accomplishments of both the direct loan program of the VA and of the Voluntary Home Mortgage Credit Program, operated by the Housing and Home Finance Agency, a parallel activity designed to promote the flow of mortgage credit.

The Voluntary Home Mortgage Credit, authorized by the Housing Act of 1954, has succeeded in placing nearly 16,000 applications for veterans home loans since January 1, 1955, in small communities and areas where the supply of residential capital is inadequate.

In addition, the Voluntary Home Mortgage Credit Program provides mortgage assistance for minorities unable to find housing loans under normal circumstances. The VHMCP has placed 3,420 loans in metro-

politan areas alone.

Since January 1, 1955, the Veterans Administration approved more than 21,000 loans to eligible veterans in direct loan areas—approximately 2,500 counties in the nation.

Most of the Veterans Administration direct loans were approved during the early months of the Voluntary Home Mortgage Program when this program was being organized. During the past six months the VA has approved an average of 800 direct loan applications monthly and the VHMCP has averaged 1500 placements each month.

In general the Voluntary Home Mortgage Program operates in the same areas which are eligible for

Veterans Administration Direct Loans. Since the VHMCP was established, all VA direct loan applicants are referred to VHMCP so that private lenders are given the first opportunity to make the loan. If not commitment to make the loan is obtainable from a private lender, the direct loan will be made by the VA if it qualifies in all respects.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Cave and Jane returned Sunday night from Dallas, where they attended the Fair.

Mrs. Jim Albritton of Dublin, visited her mother, Mrs. Nancy White last week and they visited in Haskell and Snyder.

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Mrs. Fern Benson went to Waco Thursday of last week and visited her niece, Betty Jane Clark, a student at Baylor University, then she went to Baytown to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. B. James, Mr. James and son Sterling Bryan. While there she helped her grandson, Sterling Bryan, celebrate his ninth birthday. She plans to return home the last of the week.

Mrs. Hattie McWhirter and Miss Mabel Donnell returned recently from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ogle in Dublin. Mr. and Mrs. Ogle brought them home.

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1% Dec. 1 thru Dec. 31

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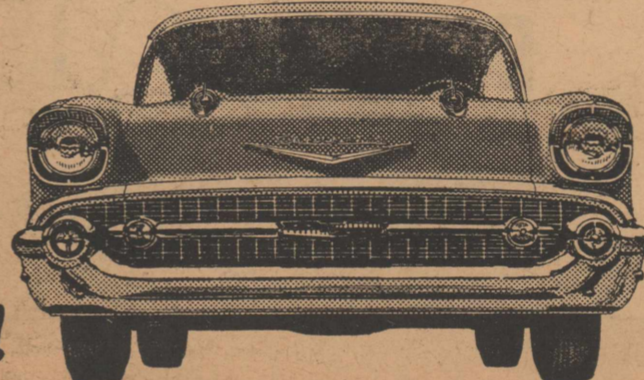
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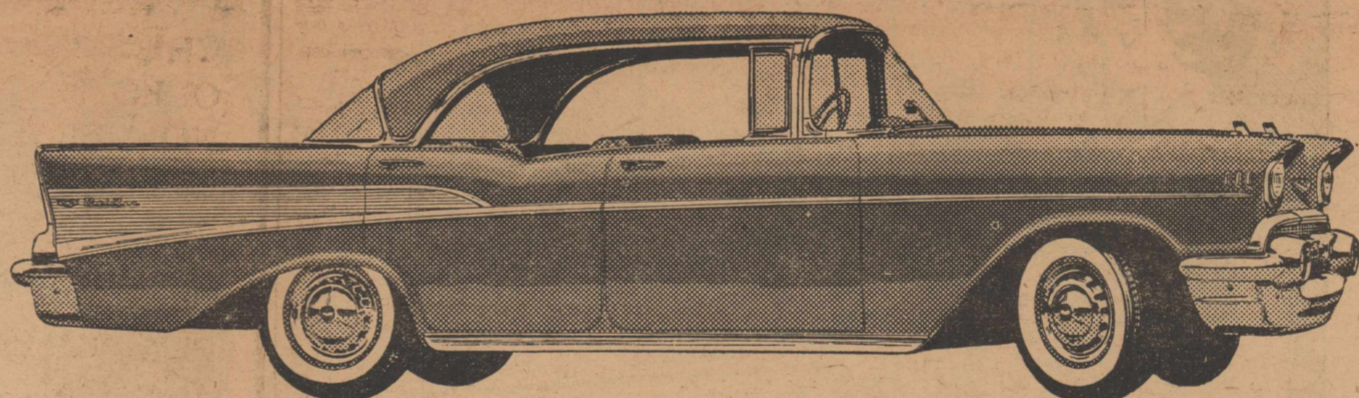
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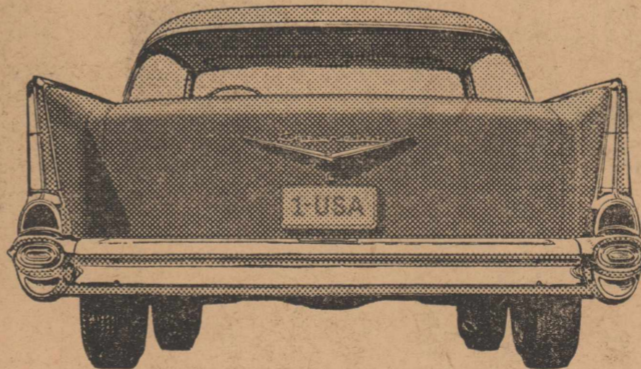


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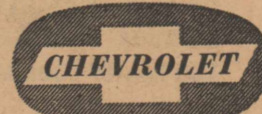
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- 2% Nov. 3 thru Dec. 2
- 1% Dec. 3 thru Jan. 1

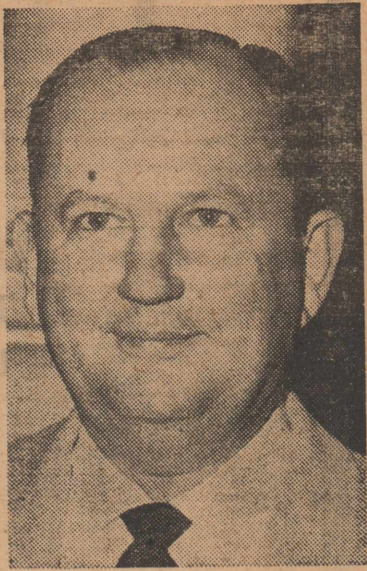
**ROTAN INDEPENDENT
 SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Mr. and Mrs. Poston Baker of Houston, and daughter, Mrs. Bill Howze and daughter of Baytown, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sartor and other friends here Tuesday of last week. They were former residents of Rotan.

Mrs. George Turner and Miss Elsie Withers of Hamlin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Withers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kennedy of Graham, visited Mrs. J. W. Kennedy recently.

**Dist. VFW Meeting
 At Snyder, Oct. 27-28**



DOYLE WILLIS

Austin—The Junior Vice Commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in Texas, Doyle Willis, of Ft. Worth will be featured speaker of that organization meeting in Snyder on Oct. 27 and 28. The group will come from VFW's district 8 which includes Haskell, Throckmorton, Young, Stephens, Shackelford, Jones, Fisher, Scurry, Mitchell, Nolan, Taylor, Callahan, Eastland, Brown and Comanche counties.

In addition, Mrs. Mamie McCandless of Kingsville, president; Mrs. Ruby Jo Roe of Abilene, senior vice president and Mrs. Jane Waters of Fort Worth, junior vice president of the Department of Texas, Ladies Auxiliary, are to be in attendance and will be heard at both the joint meeting and in closed sessions of the Auxiliary.

Talmadge E. Dean of Anson is Commander of district 8 and Mrs. Annetta Simmons also from Anson is President of the Ladies Auxiliary units in the district.

Program notes reflect that sup-

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**WMN Met Tuesday In
 Home Of Mrs. Wright**

The newly organized Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Neil Wright Tuesday morning, Oct. 16. The name of this circle is the Gladys Bell Circle, being named for the mother of Mrs. Mac Weathersbee. Mrs. Bell was a missionary. Mrs. Berniece Hargrove, Circle chairman, presided.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. George Watson. Mrs. Lawrence Hayes explained the duties of the officers and discussed year book. Mrs. Vern Ellis led in prayer before Mrs. J. L. McCright reviewed a few chapters of the book "Christian Stewardship," which this Circle will be studying the next few weeks. The meeting was closed with prayer by Mrs. Ruple Morrow.

Those attending were Mesdames Dent Cave, Verne Ellis, Virgil Weems, Frankie SoRelle, Willie Martin, Ruple Morrow, Neil Wright, Bill Day, Fay Gooch, George Watson, Lawrence Hayes, Charles Woods, J. L. McCright, Don Rollins, Homer T. Fillingim Jr., Robert Allen Browning, Harold King, Archie Neeley, Jim Price, Berniece Hargrove.

part of the proposition to increase funds for and extend the Texas Veterans Land program will be given prior attention and that plans for a district-wide observation of Veterans Day will be outlined.

Scurry County Memorial Post No. 8231, commanded by L.A. Crenshaw Jr., is host to the meeting and elaborate plans have been made for the presentation of the programs and for the entertainment of the attending representatives.

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Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Goodrum were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Goodrum and Randy, also her sisters, Mrs. J. B. Mashburn and Mrs. H. E. Minix, all of Abilene.

**Rotan HD Club Met
 With Mrs. Roach**

The Rotan Home Demonstration Club met Oct. 18 with Mrs. C. C. Roach.

After a brief business session conducted by the president, Mrs. Bud Hughes, a very interesting and profitable program was given by delegates who recently attended the State meeting in San Antonio.

A skit, "To be Prepared," was presented by Mrs. Bennie Kidd of the Capitola club. Characters in the skit were Mrs. L. Toland, Mrs. Morris Green and Mrs. Clay Bunn. Mrs. Kidd, civil defense, discussed "Be Prepared in Case of a Bomb. Mrs. Maberry of McCauley talked on education, based on "Make Your Plans and if this doesn't work, tear it up and make another plan."

Mrs. Walter Byrd talked on Citizenship. Mrs. Byrd has recently been elected as County Chairman of the Home Demonstration Club, and Mrs. Bill Hardy, recently elected State President of the club, talked on 4-H club work.

Mrs. Roach served a lovely refreshment plate to those on the program and the following members: Meses. Bud Hughes, Ornie Nowlin, Archie Ragan, Homer Aaron, Richard Ray, Champ Clark, W. L. Terrell.

The club will meet Nov. 1 with Mrs. W. L. Terrell, with a demonstration on making candy.

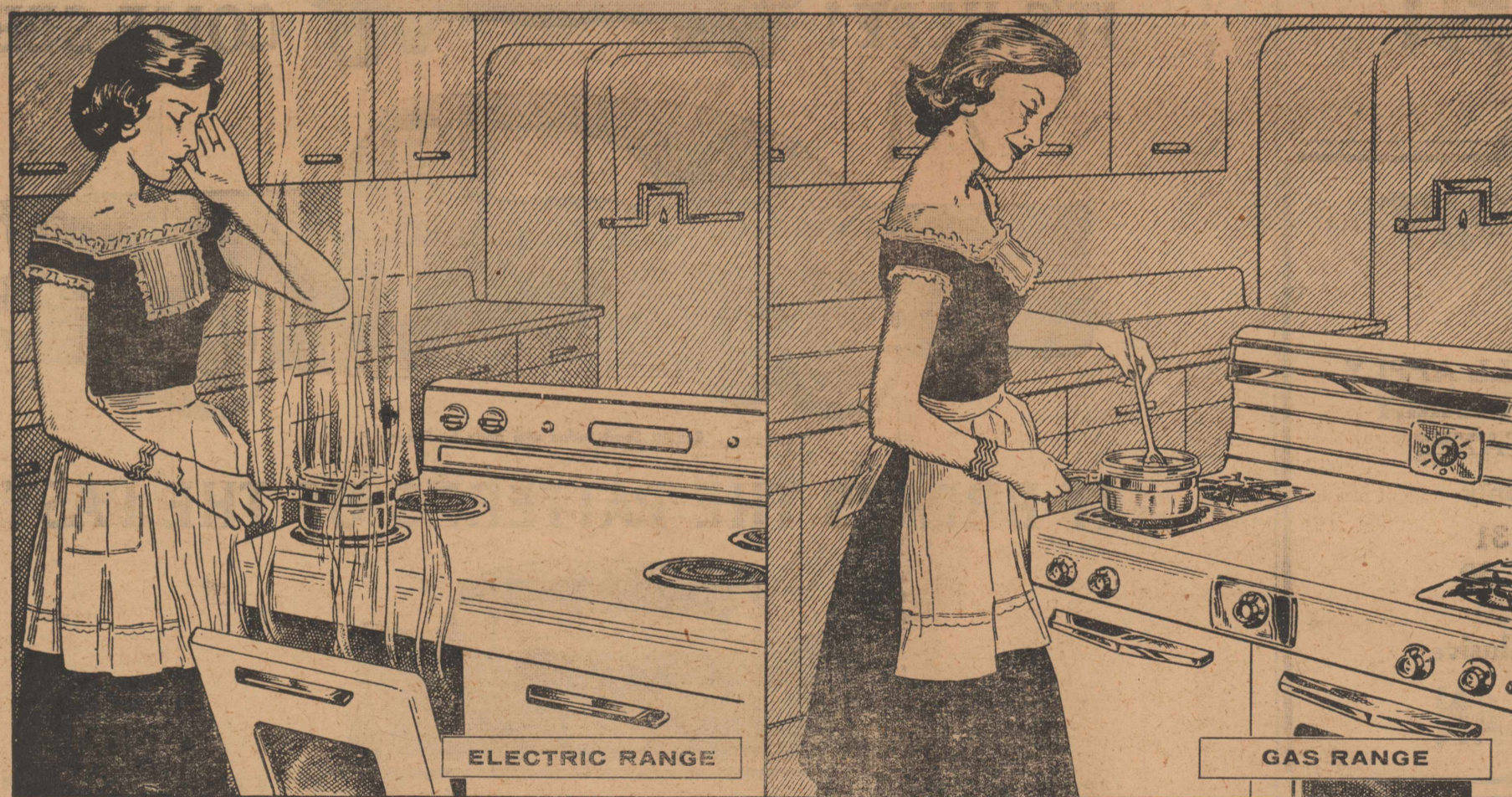
Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dono Day Sr. Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dono Day Jr. and children, Donna and Cheryl, also Mr. and Mrs. Gene Day all of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carlton of Hamlin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Withers Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Burk visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Cummins and children in Abilene Sunday.



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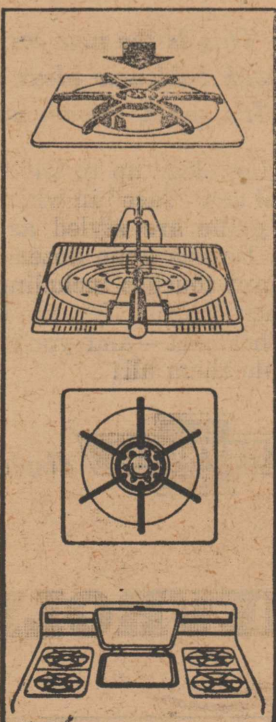
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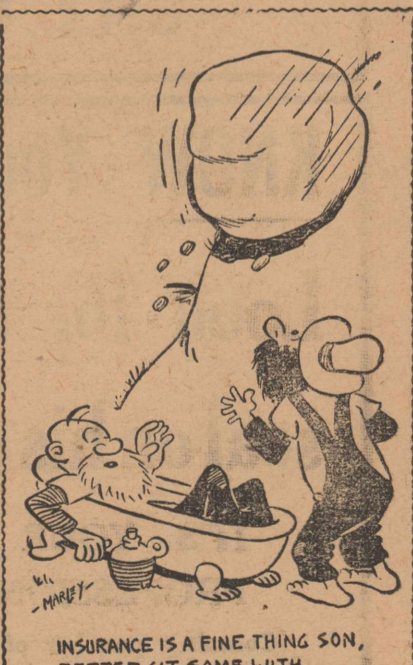
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