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We Travel

We dont suppose it would be possible for anyone to imagine what happened in Houston and the other towns on the sea coast unless they had been present during the big storm. We were in Houston Saturday and we can tell you there is no doubt but that they had a wind storm, a tornado and a tidal wave.

Ruin an devastation looked out at you from all sides--ruined homes, water soaked homes, demolished homes, trees uprooted and flung hither and yon, fences down, roofs gone, and the ground still soaking wet, yet, in the pleasant sunshine, with hardly a breath of air stirring it was impossible to imagine that only a few hours before a hurricane and a tornado had swept through the city.

We left Ropes Friday afternoon at fifteen minutes to four to go and see about our son, Donald Morris and family, a 600 mile drive with our daughter, Mrs. B. J. Thoman and her lovely little brats mas at the steering wheel, scattered about the car. We passed through Slaton and glided down the Cap Rock to Post and on to Justiceburg and to Snider. At Snider we remembered the boom days when it took us an hour and a half to get across town, but not now--the boom is over.

It was here that we saw a train wreck--17 freight cars piled on top of each other--and grain scattered all along the railroad track.

A filling station attendant told us: "I don't know much about railroading but they said the train crew discovered a hot box and started to slow the train down. A wheel came off one of the cars and the rest of them piled on top of it. No one was hurt."

The going was good from Snyder to Sweetwater. At Sweetwater as we started toward Abilene we ran into traffic--both lanes of a four lane highway were bumper to bumper--thousands of cars, all bound for the county fair and a football game at Abilene. We finally reached Abilene and the cars were one solid line for miles and miles, moving by jerks, they were on our road. We moved by jerks and it took us an hour and a half to get across Abilene. Cops, waving red flashlights and wearing luminous shirts, tried to keep the traffic moving, and they did, at a snail's pace.

After a time we got out of Abilene. On to Hamilton, and then Temple. It was here that we learned the beer they sell in those parts is rather potent stuff. Just out of Temple on the road to Cameron we saw a pickup stopped by the side of the road and a man kneeling on the ground in a prayerful position. Whether he was praying or losing his dinner we'll never know. A little farther on a car was stopped and three individuals were leaning together much as you would stack army rifles - if you moved one, they would all fall.

At fifteen minutes after midnight we stopped for a coffee break in Cameron. The beer joints had closed and the drunks were scattering about. A car drove up in front of the cafe and four individuals climbed out, and opening the back door of the car, they leaned over another in the back seat, giving a rendition of "Sweet Adeline". Sweet young voices, but quavering a little.

On the coming of the sound into the cafe, one of the waitresses moaned and said, "Here we go again. I don't think I can stand any more tonight." Her hands went up into her hair and when they came away a portion of her curly locks fell on the floor. To the sound of the vocal music, four old-

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Lions to Show Film Depicting Atomic Fallout Damage to Crop

SECOND PEACE OFFICER WILL GO ON IN ROPESVILLE ON FIRST OF OCTOBER

Mayor Charles Shannon stated that the Ropes City Council would meet Monday night for the purpose of hiring a night man to assist City Marshal Dub Riney in the enforcement of the law this fall.

The job will start on October 1st and will continue for

two months and, perhaps, three, if needed.

Mayor Shannon and members of the City Council met with the Commissioners' Court on Wednesday of this week and they agreed to furnish an extra man for two months, at least.

Contrary to statements

that had been made, no word of thanks. In fact, mention was made of the fact that the court expected the Ropes community to go without a second man this fall.

We think in this action the court should be commended, and that the Ropes community owes them a

word of thanks. In fact, Mayor Shannon said: "I wish you would extend the thanks of the City of Ropes and the Ropes community to the Commissioners' Court. It was a pleasure to meet with them and we were shown every courtesy."

LIONS CLUB TO DAMAGE BY FALLOUT

Boots Moore told the Plains man on Tuesday that the Lions Club has secured a film showing damage to crops from Atomic fall out. The film will be shown Saturday night of October 2nd.

The regular Lions supper will be held in the school cafeteria and if the attendance is large enough the film will be shown in the school auditorium. The folks of the entire community are invited to see this film which will show some of the dangers of the age we are living in.

At the breakfast, held by the Lions in the Methodist Church, this past Monday, it was voted to hold the annual broom and mop sale on October 7th, the day the hundred dollars is awarded in Ropes.

At this meeting it was also voted to have a pancake supper at a date to be announced later. Also, the Lions will sell fruit cakes for Christmas.

At the breakfast Bud Rucker, Ronnie Jones and Rev. J. Young were the cooks.

Ropes Church of The Nazarene

Dan D. Jones, Pastor
Order of services are:
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00
NYPs, Juniors 6:30
Evening service 7:00
Midweek service 7:30
Sunday morning Rev. Bob Morrow will be the special speaker. He will be speaking in the interest of the Texas Alcoholic Narcotics Education, Inc. Do you know the degrading effect of these things? Then come hear what Bob has to say. He will speak at 11 o'clock.
We welcome all of you to our services at any and all times.

Startling Film To be Shown

A full length moving picture captioned "Shadow of the Boomerang", and termed man against God in a powerful story of human emotions that spans two continents, will be shown at the First Baptist Church in Ropes on the night of October 7th.

This is a Billy Graham evangelistic film and is said to be one of the best he has yet released.

Every one, whether church member or not, whether a Christian or not, no matter to what church you belong, is urged to be present for the showing of this epic drama.

Mother Visiting Mrs. Loyd Arant

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Arant had as their guest this week her mother, Mrs. L. B. Tapp, of Lubbock.

News of our Schools

The enrollment of Ropes schools continues to climb and at the same time 553 pupils are enrolled. Supt. O. V. Fuller says this is above last year's average.

The Eagle Band will participate in the big parade at the opening of the South Plains Fair on Monday, September 25th.

Two new school bus drivers have been employed by the schools: Joy Allen, who will drive bus No. 5, and Fred Satterwhite, who will drive bus No. 8.

Mr. Fuller will go to Austin next week where he will attend a meeting of the Texas Association of School Administrators.

Pat Patterson, R. K. Sams and O. V. Fuller were in Levelland Monday night attending a meeting of Hockley County School Administrators.

O. V. Fuller has been informed that a tax will have to be charged at all concession stands and all activities, except the admissions at the gate. A tax will have to be charged on all meals served to outsiders at the cafeteria.

The school is participating in the hurricane relief program with money, food and clothes.

STATE FFA OFFICERS VISIT ROPES FFA CHAPTER

On Friday, September 14, 1961, the Ropes FFA Chapter was honored by a visit by James Morris, State FFA President for 1961-62, and Joel Lowery, State Vice-President from Area I. Both boys were introduced to Gerald Smith, Chapter President, and visited with other chapter members.

They visited the class of Agriculture 2 and spoke briefly about the FFA and the things that are important to a boy in the FFA. James mentioned the necessary work and planning a boy must do to advance in the FFA. He gave the boys a chance to ask questions about the State Association.

Both of these young men are very impressive. Although not yet of voting age, they impressed one as being

undertaking that they might be capable of succeeding at any start. The Ropes Chapter considers it an honor to have such fine young leaders to come by and take time to talk and visit with its members.

GRADE 3A - Mrs. Wallace

We have been busy taking the Iowa Achievement tests. Now that they are finished we are happy to be back in our regular routine again.

We made clowns in Art class last week and now we are learning two songs about clowns. Some of us will see real clowns when we attend the Fair soon.

Ted Robertson brought some puppies for our room and Steve Kimberlin brought two goldfish. Gracie Riojas brought a little potted plant which we are all enjoying. Josefa Luna had a birthday this week and was "Queen for a Day" in our room.

We are enjoying our Science very much. Right now we are conducting an experiment on six articles to see what will rust.

GRADE 8B NEWS

Ropes Junior High would appreciate the attendance of everyone in the community Thursday, September 21, at the Ropes Junior High football game. We will play Whiteface at 5:30 p.m. here. Ropes High School B team will play Frenship B team at 4:00 p.m. at Ropes.

Reporters, Marilyn Chitwood, Berrilyn Thomas.

GRADE 4B - Mrs. Jones

Mrs. Jones' room now has 39 pupils. Our new ones this week came from Yoakum, Raymondville, Laredo and Prairie Lea. The following made 100 in spelling last week: Becky Carpenter, Dana Collins, Cookie Jordan, Paula McCormick, Mary Ann Mendoza, Elena Mendez, Dolores Perales, Sylvia Perez, Sue Redman, Mike Allen, Ricky Bevers, Dwain Davis, David King, Jimmy Martin, Jesse Medrano, Lynn Searcy, and Kenny Thrash.

We have been very busy last week and this week. We

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Uncle J. Moore Robbed in Lubbock

J. Moore, affectionately called "uncle" by folks who know him, had an experience in Lubbock last week that he will not soon forget. He was beaten and robbed of approximately thirteen dollars.

Mr. Moore, who makes knick knacks and sells them, was in Lubbock selling his wares and walked over into the colored section of the city. As he was going down the street a Negro woman came to the door of a house and called:

"Hey there, what have you got?"

Mr. Moore displayed a match box and she said:

"Come on over here where I can see it."

He walked over to the steps leading up to the house and before he knew what was happening, the Negro woman jumped on him and knocked him down. She was joined by another Negro woman and they commenced to stomp him. They jerked his billfold from his pocket, extracted the bills, returned the billfold, and ran.

As soon as he was able, he called the police, but due to the fact he could not identify the women, the police aid they could not do anything about it. And, they didn't.

They did explain that section was the meanest in Lubbock, and that they were called there four or five times a week to investigate robberies and other law violations.

News of the First Baptist Church

This past Sunday more than three hundred dollars was raised by the First Baptist Church in Ropes to be used in the disaster area on the coast. This money is handled by the church organization, three missionaries disbursing it where needed.

Brotherhood meetings are now being held at Walt's Cafe each Monday morning at 6:30. Twenty-five attended the meeting last Monday.

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Ropes Join Drive for Relief Fund

Different organizations in the Ropes area are taking up money, clothing, and food for the sufferers in the disaster area.

Sixty-five dollars was raised by the Lions Club, as well as a large quantity of clothes, which were taken to Levelland on Tuesday by Tommy Littlefield and Ralph Riojas. The Baptist Church, Rev. Wayne Perry, pastor, said goods to the school to be de-

livered soon to Levelland, and transported by truck to they had raised over \$300, which is being disbursed by three Baptist Missionaries in the area. He also stated the Baptist Southern Convention had already given \$25,000 in cash.

The Church of Christ, working through its own organization, sent \$125 to be distributed among the needy. And, the drive is still on.

Today, Wednesday, school children are taking canned

Too, it is not too late to contribute. Any member of the Lions Club, any member of a church will take your donation, and see that it gets to the right place.

Such disaster has not befallen Texas in many a year, enough to live on the South Plains should consider our good fortune and give liber-

ally to help those who have suffered loss. It is stated that five hundred million dollars will not cover the damage and only about a million dollars is subject to insurance. People may have insurance against wind storm, but no one has insurance against rising waters. Homes that were destroyed by waters from the gulf are not eligible to collect insurance.

At this moment, as you

read this, people are desolate, hungry and cold. There are thousands who have no home to go back to; there are also thousands who have no jobs; there are thousands who now have no businesses.

There was a saying during the war, "Give until it hurts" this is another occasion when we should give all in our power.

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BIRTHDAY CAKE
WELL RECEIVED

The 1955 Birthday Club met in the home of Mrs. S. D. Buchanan September 16th honoring Mrs. Everett Bloxom of Lubbock on her birthday.

Those present were Mrs. Jack Tipps, Mrs. Euel Exum, Mrs. Kelly Teaff, Mrs. Slim Weatherly, Mrs. E. J. Abney, Mrs. Raymond Edwards, Mrs. W. M. Thompson, Mrs. Sam Whitener, and the honoree, Mrs. Everett Bloxom, and the hostess, Mrs. S. D. Buchanan.

All reported a very nice time as they were served birthday cake with other refreshments.

We were sorry Mrs. Marshall Armstrong and Miss Gertrude Brown could not be with us.

Reporter.
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DISTRICT FFA MEETING HELD TUESDAY

The Levelland FFA District held its annual organization meeting at Anton on Tuesday September 19, 1961. James Morris, the 1961-62 State President from Anahuac, Texas, visited with the district representatives and assisted with the election of new officers.

Johnny Ward of the Ropes FFA Chapter was elected District Sentinel during the meeting. Others attending from Ropes were Raymond Wright and James Norrell. They were the voting delegates from the Ropes Chapter.

C. T. McCormick, Agriculture Teacher, attended the teachers meeting. Mr. Walter Labay, Area I Supervisor, met with the teachers to assist them in preparing for the 1961-62 school year. He also outlined policies of the State Office in regard to Vocational Agriculture and reviewed the changes and additions to the program, as it pertains to the agriculture teacher and the local chapter.

SCHOOL CAFETERIA

Following is the menu for the Ropes School Cafeteria for the week of September 25 through the 29th.

Monday--Baked hom, candied sweet potatoes, buttered blackeyed peas, banana pudding, hot rolls, butter, milk.

Tuesday - Chili beans, buttered spinach, whole carrots, canned fruit, corn bread, and milk.

Wednesday - Fried chicken buttered potatoes, green beans, jello, hot rolls, butter, and milk.

Thursday -- Hamburger steak, tossed vegetable salad, buttered corn, fruit cobbler, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Friday - Chicken and dressing, giblet gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, light bread and milk.

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ATTEND FUNERAL AT MCKINNEY

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Evans and LaVon, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Evans and children, returned this week from McKinney where they had been on the sad mission of attending the funeral of Mrs. Shelby Evan's brother-in-law, William Cashion.

Mr. Cashion, who had been in ill health for several years was found dead in his bed on Saturday morning.

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ATTEND FUNERAL AT ROTAN

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Cavitt, Mrs. Leon Young and E. G. Moore were in Rotan Sunday on the sad mission of attending the funeral of a cousin, Ira Cavitt.

Mr. Cavitt had been ill for some time and was living at Littlefield at the time of his death.

He was a cousin to Elbert Cavitt and Mrs. E. G. Moore.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—

1958 V8 Ford one-half Pickup, in good condition. See C. R. Johnson.
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FREE DRESS MAKING CLINIC SEPTEMBER 25TH

Those interested in the Simple Dressmaking Workshop are to meet for a pre-dressmaking meeting Monday, September 25th from 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. at the Reddy Room of Southwestern Public Service in Levelland to discuss fabrics, patterns, to take measurements, etc.

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RETURNED FROM BEDSIDE OF SISTER

Mrs. ayne Perry returned this week from Fort Worth where she had been attending the bedside of a sister, Mrs. Floyd Meers. Mrs. Meers recently suffered a stroke, but was improved when Mrs. Perry left for home.

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JIM MARTIN GOES THROUGH CLINIC

Jim Martin was in Lubbock Tuesday where he went thru a medical clinic. Jim has been having trouble with his stomach and is trying to find out what ails him.

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MRS. JAMES PIERCE ATTENDS MEETING

Mrs. James Pierce was in Lubbock this past Monday where she attended a sales meeting of Luziers Cosmetics. She is the representative in this community.

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RETURN HOME FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Sullivan, who had been vacationing in Colorado, have returned home.

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BROTHER OF O. V. FULLER PASSES AWAY

We failed to state last week that Dalton Fuller, 63, brother of O. V. Fuller, of Ropes, passed away at his home in Colorado City. Mr. Fuller was suffering from heart trouble and died of a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Fuller attended the funeral.
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

The last regular session of the Texas Legislature amended the Texas Motor Vehicle Registration Law to allow farmers to register their farm trailers and farm semi-trailers for a \$5.00 fee providing the gross weight is not less than 4,000 or more than 10,000 pounds. Farm trailers weighing less than 4,000 pounds, gross weight, are still exempt from registration by statute. Those exceeding 10,000 pounds, gross weight, must register as a regular commercial trailer.

Captain J. L. Miller, License and Weight Service of the Department of Public

safety, advised however that any vehicle bearing the \$5.00 plate must not: (1) exceed 30 MPH, (2) be operated for hire, (3) have steel or metal wheels in contact with the pavement and it must be equipped with an adequate hitch to remain secured to the towing vehicle and be operated and equipped in conformity with all other provisions of the law. Violation of any of the above sections of the law nullifies the \$5.00 registration fee and the trailer will be subject to the regular registration fees and penalties as prescribed by law.

This does not change the existing law which requires that all trailers or semi-trailers having a registered or gross weight in excess of 3,000 pounds be equipped with clearance lamps, side marker lamps, and reflectors as well as a tail light and stop light, if the stop light on the towing vehicle is obscured.

Captain Miller further stated that all machinery type vehicles, other than machinery used solely for the purpose of drilling water wells and road construction machinery, must now be registered with regular license plates and title applied for. This includes oil field drilling and servicing machinery, regardless of whether such machinery is a unit within itself or is mounted on a conventional vehicle or chassis.

Water well drilling units and road construction main-

tenance equipment are required to have either the \$5.00 registration plate or a regular registration plate, depending upon how the equipment is used.

Captain Miller suggested that anyone needing further information should contact their county tax assessor and collector.

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Freedom in Truth

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

Jno. 8:32
The writer suggests that you get your Bible and read II Pet. 1:3-11. In this reading the apostle Peter informs us that according to the divine power we have all things that pertain to life and godliness granted unto us. The Lord has given us exceeding great and precious promises that we may become partakers of divine nature. To partake of this divine nature we are to add to our faith, knowledge, temperance, patience, godliness, brotherly-kindness and love. In verse eight he says "if these things be in you and abound, they make you that ye shall neither be barren nor unfruitful" and in verse ten, "for if ye do these things ye shall never fall". By doing the things just mentioned, "an entrance shall be ministered unto abundantly into the everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ". Now beloved, let's reason together. Peter

said, "If ye do these things ye shall NEVER FALL an entrance shall be ministered into the everlasting kingdom." IF a person does not do these things what will be the logical result? He WILL FALL and there will not be an entrance into the everlasting kingdom. If not, why not? In spite of this plain teaching some teach one can never fall from grace. Therefore it becomes the Holy Spirit versus man. The Holy Spirit teaches one can FALL. Beloved, please read II Pet. 2:20-22. We have space for verse twenty, "For if after they have escaped the pollutions of the world through the knowledge of the Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, they are again entangled therein, and overcome, the latter end is worse with them than the beginning." He states, they can "turn from the holy commandment delivered unto them". If this of our Lord and Saviour of God, what is it? THINK on these things.



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LUBBOCK

JANICE POINTER IS BRIDE OF BILLY N. STRICKLAND

Ford Memorial Chapel, in Lubbock, was the scene of the vows for Miss Janice Carol Pointer and Billy Nowlin Strickland at 7 p.m. Saturday. The Rev. Wayne Perry, pastor of the Ropesville First Baptist Church, officiated at the double-ring rites.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pointer and Mr. and Mrs. Delmond Strickland, all of Route 1, Ropesville.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a princess gown of cloud white taffeta. The scoop neckline was accented by Alencon lace embroidered with seed pearls. The fitted bodice had long tapered sleeves and terminated with appliques of lace dotted with seed pearls at the lowered waistline. A full shirred skirt which fell into a chapel train.

A bouffant type veil of imported silk illusion fell from a crown of matching Alencon lace embroidered with rhinestones and pearls. The center front had a single crystal tear drop. She carried a cascade bouquet of

agapantha accented with a large white orchid highlighted with white satin leaves and seed pearls.

Maid of honor was Miss Freda Pointer, sister of the bride. Matron of honor was Mrs. Jerry Fancher of Olton. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Jack Lusk and Mrs. Hugh Osborn of Anton.

The feminine attendants wore dresses of chestnut brown deep deluster satin, fashioned with scoop necklines and brief sleeves complemented with matching short gloves. From the fitted bodices flowed bell street length skirts back to emphasize fullness. Matching pill box hats with short circular veils completed their costumes. Each carried bronze pompon chrysanthemums accented by brown ribbon and leaves in a pouf arrangement carried by a natural rattan chain handle.

Best man was the father of the bridegroom. Ushers and groomsmen were Danny Robinson, Leslie Lewis and Bill Durham.

Candlelighters were Miss Von Nettles of New Home, a cousin of the bridegroom, and Jerry Holt, cousin of the bride. Flower girl was Deb-

bie Arant, and ring bearer was Dicky Arant, niece and nephew of the bridegroom, both of Ropesville.

Mrs. Roy Dopson accompanied Mrs. Ronnie McNabb, Ropesville, in wedding solos. A reception followed at the church. In the house party were Mmes. Wallace Klatt, Richard Arant, Alvis Holt, Albert Kahlich and Miss Delores Brown.

For a trip to scenic points in Oklahoma, the bride chose a brown and mustard tweed suit with matching accessories. She added an orchid from her bridal bouquet.

The couple will make their home in Dallas.

They are both graduates of Ropes High School. She attended South Plains College in Levelland where she was a member of Tex-Ann drill team, student council, and Koshari social sorority. She also attended Texas Tech and is employed by Robinson-Wallace Insurance Agency in Dallas.

Billy is a graduate of Draughon's Business School and attended Texa Tech where he worked on the Tech Radio Station. He is employed as an engineer at

the KBOX radio station in Dallas.

DRAUGHON'S BUSINESS COLLEGE

LUBBOCK - Miss Maria Salinas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix R. Salinas, has entered Draughon's Business College in Lubbock where she is majoring in secretarial work.

Miss Salinas is a 1961 graduate of Ropes High School. While in high school she was a member of the National Honor Society, pep squad, choral club and FHA, earning her Junior and Chapter degrees.

FOR RENT - 3-bedroom modern house. See Tommy Littlefield, or call 3811.

ATTEND FUNERAL IN SPUR

Mr. and Mrs. Garnie Atkisson and Mrs. Jim McDaniel attended the funeral for Mr. Jerry East in Spur last Monday morning. Brother Atkisson assisted with the funeral.

Read the Ads.

BEVERS FAMILY REUNION SEPT. 24TH

The Bevers family will hold a reunion at the Community Building in Ropes on September 24th. The occasion is in honor of the birthday of Mrs. G. C. Bevers, who has passed her 72nd milestone.

LEVELLAND PAPERS CHANGE HANDS

This past week Mrs. Ruth Weimhold announced the sale of the Hockley County Herald and the Levelland Daily Sun News to Don W. Reynolds of Laredo.

The change-over will take place October 1st and will mark the end of twenty-one years under the same management for the two papers. Mrs. Weimhold, with her husband, now deceased, unceasingly worked to give Levelland a creditable newspaper and in this work they brought home many trophies. Both the weekly and the daily have been outstanding newspapers. The daily, printed in a city of a little over ten thousand population, has been a credit to the town and the territory it serves. While we learn with regret that Mrs. Weimhold has

decided to give the papers into other hands, we also welcome the new owner to Hockley County and hope his stay will be long and prosperous.

FATHER IS ILL

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hudson left Wednesday for Galveston to see her father who is critically ill in a hospital.

Mr. Rainwater is supposedly suffering with "Hansen's" disease. His home is in Whitney, Texas.

Services for Church of Christ

SUNDAY:
Bible Study 10:00 A.M.
Morning Worship.....10:50 A.M.
Evening Worship.....6:00 P.M.
Song Practise 7:00 P.M.
Evening Studies,
Wednesday 8:00 P.M.

Read the ads in the Plainsman, and trade at home.

Riojas Dept. Store is now selling many different kinds of magazines.

GOOD NEIGHBOR REVIEW, LUBBOCK, TEXAS

Visit These
Friendly Firms
When In Lubbock

BATTERY & ELECTRIC SERVICE

Mr. R. L. Bingham is owner and manager of Rabun Battery & Electric, located at 1816 Texas in Lubbock, phone PO 3-8291. This shop renders a complete motor tune-up, battery, magneto and generator service to motorists from this section, and give unexcelled service in the repair of any automotive electric problem. No automobile adjustment or repair is more delicate or requires more careful technical skill than adjustment of the electrical system . . . starting, lighting, ignition and the storage battery. This company is organized to handle in an expert manner just such delicate work.

No automobile owner wants to take a chance on his starting, lighting and ignition system being defective. Anyone can grease the car or change the oil, but the electrical system must be entrusted to an expert. These experts at Rabun Battery & Electric hold the policy that no piece of work leaves the shop without a guarantee of satisfaction.

It is a tribute to them that dealers of standard automobiles have made this establishment the official starting, lighting, and ignition service station for their cars.

Drive your car to Rabun Battery & Electric in Lubbock for expert service.

DIRT CONTRACTORS

J. D. Kennington is located at 1505 24th Place in Lubbock, phone PO 3-5241.

They are equipped with the best bulldozers for all classes of work consisting of land clearing, tree grubbing, pond building, diversion terraces, and also do dirt hauling.

Anyone needing work done of this nature can do no better than call J. D. Kennington. They have had years of experience in this line of work. Dollars are saved where the inexperienced person would waste both time and money. It can readily be seen that this concern is very important to the farmer, the stockman, and the community in general.

We know of no one more fully equipped or better prepared to turn out work of this class. Phone them and they will gladly give you any information or suggestions on your problems.

For reasonable prices and for getting work done when promised we refer J. D. Kennington to our readers.

Crawford Radiator Shop

The Crawford Radiator Shop, located at 1601 Ave. H in Lubbock, phone PO 2-4031, can be depended on to give you first class radiator service. They are specialists in this line, and have the equipment and experience to repair your radiator so it will stay in good condition.

The cooling system of an automobile is a vital part in the function of the motor. The burning of gasoline creates a terrific heat in the car or tractor motor. That heat must be dissipated in order that the motor can operate efficiently. The cooling system must be kept clean if we are to expect the maximum cooling effects of the radiator. Don't be satisfied with inefficient operation of your motor because your radiator does not cool properly. Take it to the Crawford Radiator Shop at 1601 Ave. H in Lubbock and have them clean and flush it properly. They are experts in repairing and recording radiators of any make and any design.

Jamison Funeral Home

T. S. JAMISON, Owner (Colored)

Time and service has honored the name Jamison Funeral Home, located at 2507 Elm in Lubbock. Phone PO 3-3042 or PO 5-5471 for fast and dependable ambulance service.

For years this reputable firm has served the people of this section. They relieve you of all the responsibility, and by sympathetic cooperation

bring comfort in the hour of distress. Their service supplies the consoling thought that the final tribute to your loved one has been beautiful and fitting. They will relieve you of all the many details that must be taken care of and at the same time do everything according to your desires. You will find their services priced to fit your individual needs. In this Good Neighbor Review of Lubbock we unhesitatingly refer our readers to this reliable firm and suggest you call them when in need of a funeral director.

A. & W. AUTO REPAIR

W. E. JOHNSTON And N. E. CLEMENTS, OWNERS

Located in Lubbock at 302 East 34th, phone SH 4-4908. Here you get compete scientific service on all makes of cars, trucks and irrigation well motors by trained mechanics. They install new short block assemblies if necessary. It has always been the policy of this reliable garage to give a maximum of service at the lowest possible cost. This is provided by their many satisfied customers.

In this garage the word "SERVICE" is their motto, and backed by their fine reputation. Here the finest experts give your car, truck or irrigation well motor what attention it may need, from the smallest repair to a complete overhaul or rebuilding job.

For guaranteed satisfaction take your repair problems to the A & W Auto Repair in Lubbock.

MODERN CHEVROLET CO.

AUTHORIZED BODY REPAIRING

Modern Chevrolet Co., located at 1902 Texas Ave. in Lubbock, phone PO 5-5511, renders a complete auto body and fender repair service, including auto painting and auto glass installation. You always get the best for less at Modern Chevrolet Body Shop.

Not only in the city but in all the surrounding territory this well known firm is famous for expert work in repairing wrecked cars and re-

pairing damaged ones. In many cases they have completely restored wrecked cars which owners had thought were beyond the aid of expert service, and they use only genuine Chevrolet parts which are so important.

Whether it's just a scratch, bent fender or crushed body, they can fix your car up like new in short order. Their excellent paint jobs will astound you.

Their service is known far and wide, not only for their

ability to render expert repair work, but also for their fair and honest dealings with their customers.

See Modern and save on your purchase of a new or used Chevrolet car or truck. Big savings on 61 models still on hand. Always remember Modern Chevrolet is your Chevie's best friend.

We are happy to recommend West Texas' largest Chevrolet dealer to all our readers of this Good Neighbor Review.

WESTERN WRECKING CO.

For used auto and truck parts go to Western Wrecking Co., located at 2722 Texas in Lubbock. Phone SH 4-1481 about any part for your car or truck. They have a telephone system to get any part you may need at no cost to you if they don't have it.

Many do not realize the value of an auto wrecking concern to the community. They will pay the highest price for your worn out car

or one that has been burned or in a wreck. They only remove good parts, such as motors that have been checked and reconditioned for cars or irrigation, generators, starters, etc., the rest is sold for junk. They have a complete line of body parts for most makes and models.

At Western Wrecking Co. you can save many dollars in parts if purchased at this

firm. All their employees are familiar with auto and truck parts, and are courteous and accommodating. In compiling this Review we wish to take this opportunity to recommend this firm to all the people of this community. See them for real savings on auto and truck parts or whenever you have a car that is no longer in running condition to sell.

BILLINGS TRANSFER & STORAGE

AGENTS FOR BEKINS VAN LINES

For local and long distance moving, be sure and call Billings Transfer & Storage, located in Lubbock at 703 9th St. Phone PO 2-1922 for free estimates on your next moving job.

They employ only courteous, careful workmen, and you can be assured they will handle your merchandise in

a most careful manner. You need not be afraid to allow this reliable transfer company in Lubbock to handle your most valuable articles. Don't take chances on trying to do your own moving, but let this experienced firm do it for you.

Their equipment is modern and up to date. You can be

assured of careful service in all kinds of weather. Their vans are well padded to give you added protection for your furniture.

In this Good Neighbor Review of Lubbock we wish to compliment them on their fair dealings and efficient business methods rendered to the people of this section.

SCHOOL NEWS

FROM PAGE 1
GRADE 4A - Mrs. McKenzie saw a Health film today. It was all about the care of your skin. We enjoyed it very much.

This week we had two new pupils, Mary Rosales and Joe Gonzales. We now have 39 pupils in our room.

Reporters, Beth Gresham and Martha Smith.

GRADE 3B

Mrs. Moreland taught us for the first three weeks until Mrs. Dopson recovered from surgery. Our thanks to Mrs. Moreland for a splendid job of starting our class.

We have 14 boys and 14 girls. We have taken our Iowa tests and they are being graded.

Monday we started our music. We made clowns out of paper sacks in art and we are learning two clown songs in music. We have studied in Science about whales and we will learn a song about whales. Both 3rd grade rooms will sing at the next P-TA meeting on October 5th. Come and hear us.

WE TRAVEL
FROM PAGE 1

sters, ranging from fifty to seventy years old, staggered in the door. One was a little top heavy, taking short steps and tottering at each one of them. The other three gathered around him and after almost falling to the floor, got him down in a chair. They were rather quiet, compared to the noise from the outside.

Who was it told us, "You never see a drunk in a wet town." We saw more drunks Friday night than we have seen in the past three years.

From Cameron we went on to Brenham and from there into Houston. It was on this trip we learned that trucking is a big business. We saw not less than seven or eight hundred trucks. We met them in droves, we saw them parked at eating joints -- in fact, there were more trucks than cars.

(We will continue this story next week).

MEETING OF FARM BUREAU TO BE HELD

F. N. Exum requested the Painsman to state that a policy making meeting of the Farm Bureau would be held in the Community Center on Friday night, September 26.

There will be a man present to answer all questions, and all members are urged to be attend.

The meeting will start at 8 p.m.

MEXICAN SUPPER TO BE HELD ON SEPTEMBER 23RD

The Methodist ladies are serving a Mexican supper Saturday, September 23rd, from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the school cafeteria. Plates are \$1.00 each.

Everyone who likes Mexican food, please come.

The proceeds will be used for decorating the parsonage.

LOCKETTVILLE HD CLUB NEWS

The Lockettville Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Nancy Reeves, with eleven members present. They were:

Mmes. Elaine Odom, Ruby Price, Glenda Dean Nix, Sue Spradlin, Phyllis Redman, Kay Bailey, Irene Armstrong, Wanda Pierce, Jane Fry, Clara Winkler and Nancy Reeves, the hostess.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Wanda Pierce.

The minutes were read and approved. Each answered roll call giving their favorite flower fragrance.

The Council report was given by Elaine Odom.

There was no program, so the meeting was adjourned and the next meeting will be held on October 4th with Mary Nell Dalton.

VISITORS IN THE

BROWN HOME SUNDAY

Mrs. J. M. Brown had as her visitors this past Sunday her granddaughter, Mrs. June Brazil, of Lubbock, and on Monday her cousin, Mrs. Lince Price of Brownfield.

FIRE DEPARTMENT DONATES TO THE DISASTER FUND

The Ropes Volunteer Fire Department donated \$25 to the disaster relief fund, which was carried to Leveland Tuesday by Tommy Littlefield and Ralph Riojas.

GUSSIE WRIGHT IS RECOVERING

Gussie Wright, who fell from a ladder and struck the floor some fifteen feet below, this past week was returned home from the hospital and is now recovering.

Gussie was engaged in painting the new gin at Smyer when the ladder slipped from under him, causing him to suffer a brain concussion, broken ribs and other injuries.

JIM MARTIN IS IN THE HOSPITAL

Latest reports given us Wednesday night by Mrs. Jim Martin stated Jim is still in St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, and his trouble is diagnosed as a light heart attack.

Jim went to the doctor on Monday, but returned home that night, and after a night of suffering, entered the hospital Tuesday. He is reported to be resting much better at this writing.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our sincere thanks for the sympathy cards, words of condolence, and the flowers given at the time of the death of my brother, Dalton Fuller. May God bless each of you is our prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Fuller.

WANTED

Someone to do housework one day a week. Call 3032.

MRS. F. A. SIMS UNDERGOES SURGERY

Mrs. F. A. Sims, who fell and cut her wrist several days ago, and had been going to Lubbock for medical treatment, underwent surgery for the removal of a growth on her shoulder. She is reported to be much improved.

Mrs. Sims is a pioneer citizen of this section, having moved here in the early twenties. She is the mother of Otto and Tony Sims.

WE FILL UP AGAIN

This week the Plainsman family feasted on green beans from the R. M. Mayfields, some nice tomatoes from the P. L. Darbys, and a big bowl of peaches from the J. D. Nichols. We express our thanks to each.

BUD RUCKER HAS SURGERY

Bud Rucker, who underwent surgery on Tuesday in St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock, is said to be making a rapid recovery.

TOWNSEN AWAY ON VACATION

L. A. Townsen is away on a three weeks vacation. His place at the Santa Fe Station is being filled by Nathan Owens, of Hale Center.

IT'S A GIRL!

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Kimberlin are the proud parents of a baby girl born in a Lubbock hospital last week.

WEINER ROAST IS ENJOYED

Mrs. Clyde Loveless gave a weiner roast on Monday of this week for her Sunday School class in honor of the birthday of Joanie Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wright.

Methodist Church

All of you are cordially invited to our services, which are as follows:

Sunday:
Church School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening worship 7:30 p.m.
MYFAfter Evening Worship
Wednesday:
Prayer meeting and
Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
(Junior Classroom)
Choir practice 8:00 p.m.

Ropesville Nazarene Church

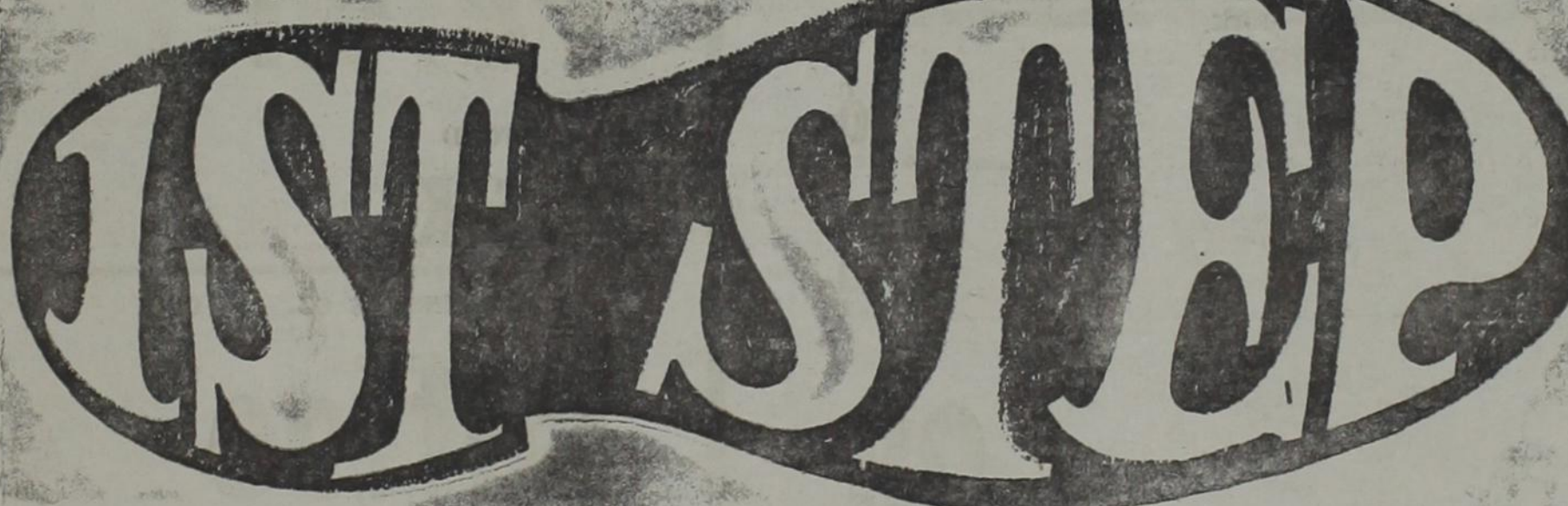
First Baptist Church News

WMU meets at 3 o'clock the second and fourth Tuesday in each month.

GA's, RA's and Sunbeams meet each second and fourth Tuesday at 4 o'clock.

The public has a cordial invitation to attend these services.

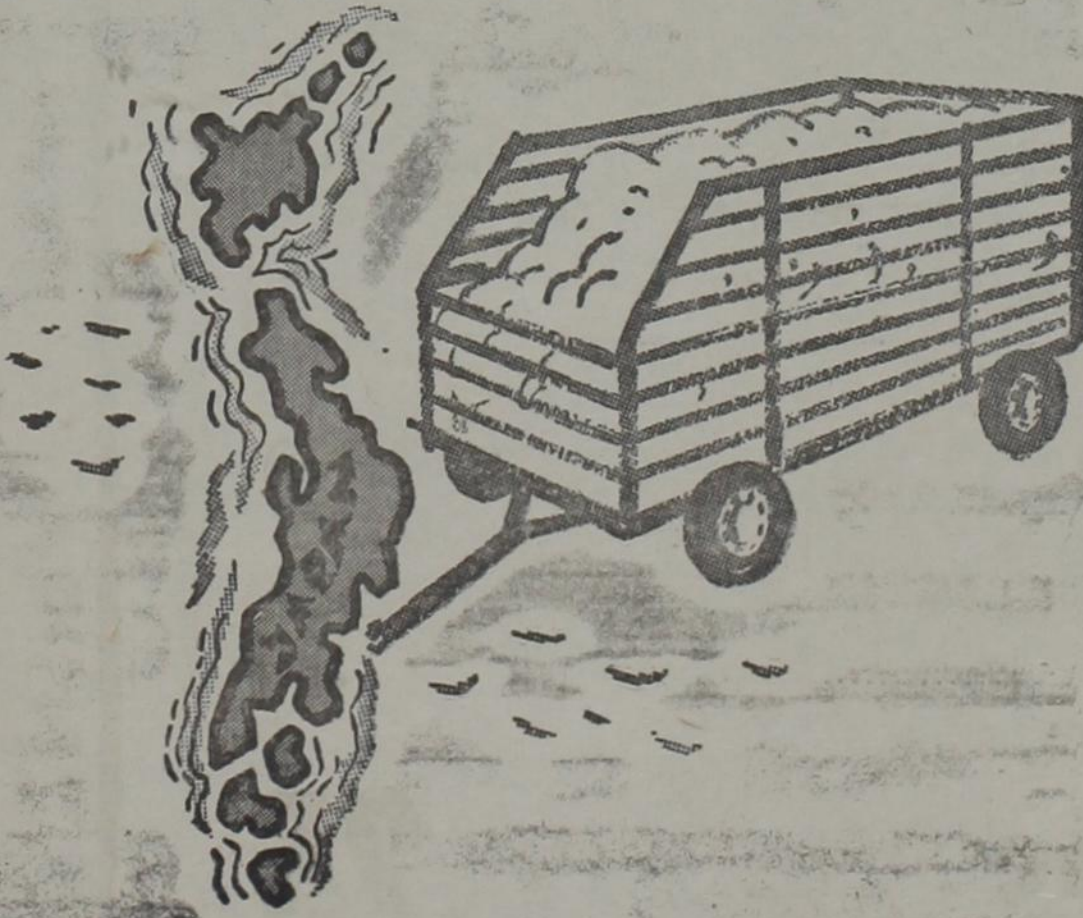
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in moving cotton from your trailer to the profitable spindles of Japan.

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- 2 YOUR COTTONSEED CRUSHED AT PLAINS CO-OPERATIVE OIL MILL, LARGEST AND MOST MODERN COTTON OIL MILL IN THE WORLD.
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Finest Quality MEATS

4 1/2 POUND CAN WILSONS

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POUND

Beef Ribs **.25**

HORMEL OR SWIFTS, POUND

BACON69
CHUCK POUND

Steak **.55**

POUND

BEEF LIVER **.39**

16 OZ. Can HERSHEY'S Chocolate MEDIUM

SYRUP **.19**

59c SIZE PRELL LIQUID

SHAMPOO **.49**

10 LB. BAG IMPERIAL CANE

Sugar **.98**

QUART ALL PURPOSE WESSON

OIL **.55**

GREEN LABEL STARKIST CHUNK STYLE, NO. 1/2 SIZE

TUNA, **.25**

5 POUND BAG SHURFINE

FLOUR **.39**

NO. 1 CAN CAMPBELLS

TOMATO SOUP **.10**

NO. 2 1/2 SUNDRENCHED Elberta

Peaches **.25**

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BARBECUE FRYERS

COOKED ON THE ELECTRO-MATIC CHIEF

GIANT SIZE STRIPE, 53c SIZE

TOOTH PASTE **.39**

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CRUSHED PINEAPPLE **.15**

POUND BOX SHURFINE

CRACKERS **.19**

Quick Convenient FROZEN FOODS

PEPPERIDGE FARMS FRUIT

TURNOVERS **.49**

BOOTH'S OCEAN, LB. PKG.

Perch **.39**

HEREFORD

STEAK **.59**

FOLGERS INST. 6 OZ. 20c OFF

Coffee **.69**

Garden Fresh Vegetables

NO. 1 SWEET POUND

Potatoes **.12¹/₂**

TOKAY POUND

GRAPES **.15**

CELLO BAG POUND

Carrots **.09**

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