

# THE ROPES PLAINSMAN

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THURSDAY, SEPT. 14, 1961



ABOVE — The first bale of cotton ginned in the Ropes trade territory. The bale was ginned by Buster's Gin at Busterville and is in one of the radio equipped pickups which has been added as a service to the gins customers.

## First Bale Cotton Ginned September 8

Buster's Gin, at Busterville four miles east of Ropes, on Friday ginned the first bale of cotton for the present season.

It was brought in by T. J. Whittle, who lives east of Buster's Gin. He had 1800 pounds of snapped cotton, and the bale weighed 420

pounds. Buster McNabb bought the bale of cotton, paying 50c a pound and ginned it free.

The first bale of cotton ginned last year in the Ropes territory was on September 8, the same date as this year. It was raised by the Means brothers.

### Church of Christ Fall Meeting To Begin Next Sunday

The fall meeting of the Church of Christ will begin next Sunday morning. Evangelist Otis Webb, of Sylvia, Kansas, will be the visiting speaker. Services each week day will be at 10:00 in the morning and 7:30 in the evening. Sunday evening services will be at 6:00.

The theme of the meeting will be "Christ Is The Answer." Members of the Church of Christ are concerned about the spiritual welfare of everyone in this area and extend a cordial invitation to all to attend these meetings and hear the gospel of Christ which is the answer to all our problems. If you are lost the way of salvation will be made plain. If you are a Christian your faith will be strengthened and you will be drawn closer to the Lord. A warm welcome will await you at each and every service.

### Boy Scouts to Usher At Tech Games

Boy Scouts of the South Plains Council will again be ushers at the Texas Tech home games this fall. Boys and adult leaders were given their duties at a meeting at Jones Stadium on Sunday, September 10, 1961.

To be eligible, a boy must be at least 12 years of age, and a First Class Scout or a higher rank. The adult leader must also be present with his boys.

Those eligible from Troop 636 are: Dwight Hardin.....Life Scout Bill McCormick.....Star Scout Danny Rosser..... First Class Scout.

Those attending the orientation session Sunday were: Dwight Hardin, Bill McCormick, and Roy Hardin.

Roy Hardin attended as a substitute for C. T. McCormick, who had to attend Sunday drill with the 413th Civil Affairs Company of the U.S. Army Reserves.

The first home game for Texas Tech will be October 7 when they will play Texas A and M.

### Spend Vacation In Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Huey Lee Darby have been on vacation this past week in Colorado.

### Home Missions Study Held at Baptist Church

The Womens Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday for an all-day study of Home Missions.

The meeting was opened by singing, "Teach Me To Pray". Scripture was from Proverbs.

Mrs. Clois Cato had charge of the program, the subject being, "Outstretched Hands".

Mrs. Charlie Ward, Mrs. Marlin Rowland and Mrs. Frank Sylvester presented the program to Mrs. Wayne Perry, Mrs. Gene Lewis and Kelly, Mrs. Boots Moore, Mrs. Marvin Awbrey, Mrs. Tony Sims and Mrs. Odell Fuller.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon.

### Kirby Shannons Have Visitors

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Shannon this past Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Shipp and Tahama of Long Beach, California; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Catchings of Fullerton, California; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Shipp and Jeanette of Muleshoe, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Peveler, Judy and Darla, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shannon, Charlsa, and Larry of Ropes;

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lawson, Donnie, Linda and Darlene, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd M. Shipp, PattiLou and Randy of Lubbock; Mrs. Jimmy Godwin, Teddy and Lou Ann of Lubbock.... and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Abney and Harold.

### Visits Daughter In Hamilton

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Russell returned this past Monday from Hamilton where they had spent the weekend in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Somersfeld. Abb reports that he also did a little fishing while there, and that on the return trip it rained practically all the way.

### In Levelland

Mrs. Lois Hardy was in Levelland Tuesday where she was attending business and visiting in the homes of friends.

## Tractor Driving to be Featured at Co. Fair

Do you think you are an expert tractor driver? If so, you will have a chance to prove it at the Hockley County Fair on Saturday, September 23. The contest starts at 9:00 a.m., and is open to all FFA and 4-H members in Hockley County and FFA members of the Whiteface School District. The adult division is open to residents of Hockley County.

The contest will be in four divisions:

- a. Age 10, 11, and 12.
- b. Age 13, 14 and 15.
- c. Age 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20
- d. Adults - 21 and over.

All in class a, b and c will have to have their entry blank signed by one of their parents. Also in this class, they will have to tell the judge the following:

- a. Fuel - check level; when to fill, etc.
- b. Engine oil - check level and condition.
- c. Radiator - check water level.
- d. Air cleaner - check, explaining service methods, and importance of job.
- e. Crankcase breather - check and explain servicing methods.
- f. Lubrication - check the

points needing daily service; use a grease gun.

g. Tires - inspect, giving recommended pressures; how often to check.

h. Safe starting - gear shift lever, choking, etc.

i. Start - warm up engine at idle for one or two minutes. Purpose?

Adults will not have to explain these points, their contest will be confined to driving only.

All contestants will be required to back a tractor of his choice with a two-wheeled implement or trailer attached. The contestant will be scored on time required, the stakes touched or knocked down, the number of pull-ups to change directions and the safety practices adhered to. Ties will be eliminated by backing a four wheel trailer.

Entries must be in to the Chamber of Commerce office at Levelland, Texas, by September 16, 1961.

You may use the entry blank below, or devise your own.

Trophies will be given for the three top winners in each division.

### ENTRY BLANK

(Please Print)

Name .....Age .....

School ..... FFA or 4-H (Circle)

Circle tractor you wish to use in contest

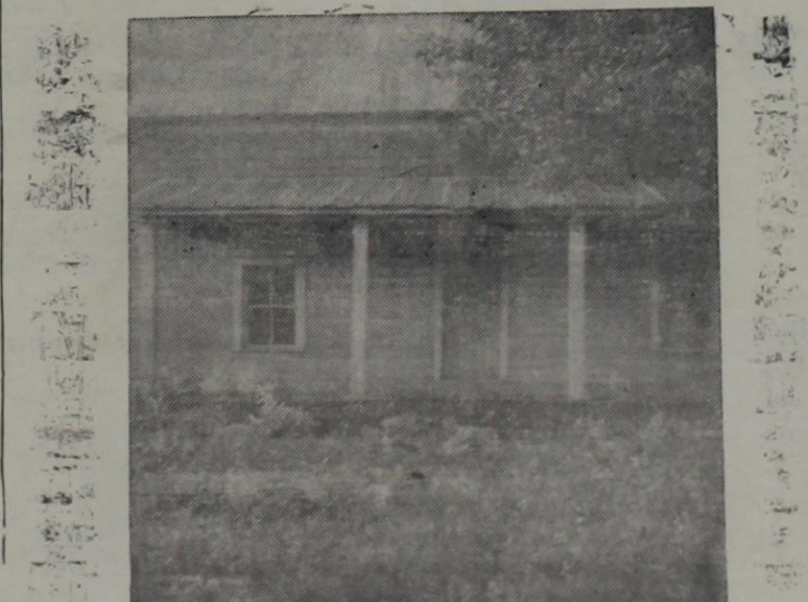
Allis Chalmers D 17 (diesel) Ford 6000

Moline M 5 Farmall 560

Massey F. 65 John Deere 4010

Case 831 (Diesel)

Parent Sign .....



ABOVE -- A house in Kentucky. It is said that in the still hours of the morning a headless man enters the house. The spectre was seen by the father of Mrs. Shelby Evans, and while on their recent trip to Kentucky, Mr. and Mrs. Evans visited the house and entered it in the

company of relatives, Shelby voicing quite a bit of objection, all to no avail. Mrs. Evans stated there was a table in the house and if you placed your hands on it, it has been known to raise its legs off the floor and move about the room.

### Guests Saturday In E. Hobbs Home

Guests this past Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were Elder and Mrs. Olan Robinson and son, J. B., of Odessa.

Sunday morning they all attended church in Brownfield, and later in the afternoon they attended the funeral of Lloyd Address which was held in that city.

### Returns From DeLeon

Ennis Moore and Mrs. Elbert Cavitt returned home Monday afternoon from De Leon where they had taken Mrs. T. Cavitt. Mrs. Cavitt had been here for the past four weeks visiting in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Cavitt and boys.

### Mrs. C. B. Fewell Return sHome

Mrs. C. B. Fewell returned home Monday night from Canyon where she had spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Mary Burtz. Mrs. Burtz, who has been ill for some time, is much improved.

### Returns Home

Joe Harris was returned to his home this past Monday morning from a Lubbock hospital where he underwent surgery last week. He is reported to be well on the road to recovery.

### Mrs. Bessie Curry Has Visitors

Mrs. Bessie Curry had as guests Sunday her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Godwin and boys, of Lubbock.



ABOVE—Buster McNabb is a new service offered to patching a pickup to carry a the customer's of Buster's trailer to a customer. This Gin.

## Buster's Gin Offers A New Service

We went out to Buster's Gin at Busterville Saturday morning and there we found something "new under the sun." Buster has two brand new pickups and each pickup is equipped with a shortwave radio.

In the gin office is a radio station. This station is tuned to the pickups, and is a part of a new service that is being offered by Buster's Gin.

They have cotton trailers and when a man is in need of a trailer in which to put his

cotton he calls the gin and the gin dispatches a pickup with the trailer. If the man wants his cotton hauled to the gin all he has to do is contact the gin and a pickup will be dispatched by radio to pick up the trailer.

This is something new in gin procedure, and we imagine this is the first gin on the South Plains that has installed a radio station and equipped pickups with radios for the purpose of giving the farmers a better service.

## We Couldn't Believe It !

Mayor Charles Shannon told the Plainsman Wednesday that County Judge Lou Owens and Commissioner Myrl Brock had told him that when the commissioners court voted money for city marshal in Ropes that they intended for one man to do all the law enforcing both fall and summer.

That is absolutely contrary to what the Judge and the Commissioners Court told me, and three members of the city council when they allowed funds for a City Marshal and refused us a deputy sheriff.

I, as mayor, and T. J. Redman, Joe Schwartz and Shelby Evans, as aldermen, met with the Commissioners Court and they definitely promised us another man in the fall, from October 1, to January 1.

If any such order was passed by the commissioners court it was after we had left the court room and after they had assured us that we would have a second man in the fall of the year.

While in the past the court has worked with the Ropes community in law enforcement it would seem that they are now forgetting our needs. Either the court is not conversant with conditions in the fall of the years when some three hundred or more transit workers are in the territory, or they are trying to economize at the expense of the Ropes community.

The Court furnished Anton with a full time deputy, at a considerable higher salary and mileage than is given in Ropes, and at least two months in the fall they have a second deputy. Conditions are no worse in Anton than they are in Ropes.

Up until this year there has been no question of a second man in Ropes. All we have had to do was ask for him and he was given us. Up until last year it has been a deputy sheriff--last year it was a deputy constable.

The information came to us so late that we did not have time to go into the matter, but we would like to know what happened after

the court talked to the mayor and aldermen of Ropes; and why they were not told such action was taken.

The Mayor and aldermen have been asked to meet with the court this next Wednesday and Judge Owens told Charles Shannon they would do the best they could for Ropes, but that the second man was not in the budget. Why not, when it has been a common practice for some time to place a second man in Ropes in the fall.

### Taken to Lubbock Hospital Monday

Mrs. Mary Conger, mother of Mrs. Dock Whitehead and Mrs. Elbert Cavitt, entered a hospital in Lubbock Monday where she received tests and treatment. She was returned home Wednesday.

### Have Visitors Saturday Night

Saturday night visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Means, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Means a family were Mr. and Mrs. Brian Boatman of Peacock.

The Boatmans are former teachers in the school here, and are now teaching in Dickens.

### Lions to Have Breakfast Monday

The Ropes Lions Club will meet for breakfast Monday morning at the Methodist Church. All members are urged to attend and visitors are welcome.

### Visits Here Recently

Mrs. E. R. Lytle and granddaughter, Darlene, of Morton were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkison.

### In Denver City

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hobbs were in Denver City Tuesday night where they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Freeman and family.



**ROPES GARDEN CLUB  
MET WEDNESDAY**

The Ropesvine Garden Club met at 2:30 Wednesday, September 11th with Mrs. J. C. Armstrong.

The Vice-President, Mrs. K. P. Shannon presided in the absence of the President, Mrs. O. V. Fuller.

Roll call was answered with "Shrubs or Trees I Enjoy."

The 1961 - 62 yearbooks were distributed to the members.

The Treasurer, Mrs. J. W. Berry presented her resignation and Mrs. A. M. Armstrong was elected to take her place.

Mrs. Shannon presented a lovely flower arrangement and read a beautiful poem as a tribute to the outgoing President, Mrs. A. M. Armstrong from the new President, Mrs. O. V. Fuller.

Members present were Mes. Shannon, Berry, L. F. Rosser, A. M. Armstrong, and the hostess, J. C. Armstrong.

Visitors present were Rev. and Mrs. Jesse Young, Mrs. E. W. Spradlin and daughter, of Seminole, and Mrs. Mary Greenwood and children of Hobbs, New Mexico.

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**ATTEND BALL GAME  
ON FRIDAY NIGHT**

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Mayfield and girls, Linda and Debbie of Hart Camp, near Littlefield, were in Ropes on Friday night to attend the football game between Ropes and Cooper.

Linda stayed over until Sunday visiting in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mayfield.

Read the Ads.

## Freedom in Truth

*"Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free"* Jno. 8:32

Abiding in the grace of God is conditional on man's part. The New Testament has many passages that bears this out. In I Cor. 10 the apostle Paul uses the example of the waywardness of the children of Israel as an example to the Corinthians. He speaks of how the children of Israel "fell in one day three and twenty thousand"; how others perished by the serpents and by the destroyer. In verse eleven and twelve he wrote, "Now these things happened unto them by way of example; and they were written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the ages are come. Wherefore let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall." Under the old law people fell from God's grace and service. Their falling is used as an example for the church today. Let us take heed lest we also fall. In verse 13 of this same chapter we are told God will not permit us to be tempted above that which we are able to bear but will with the temptation

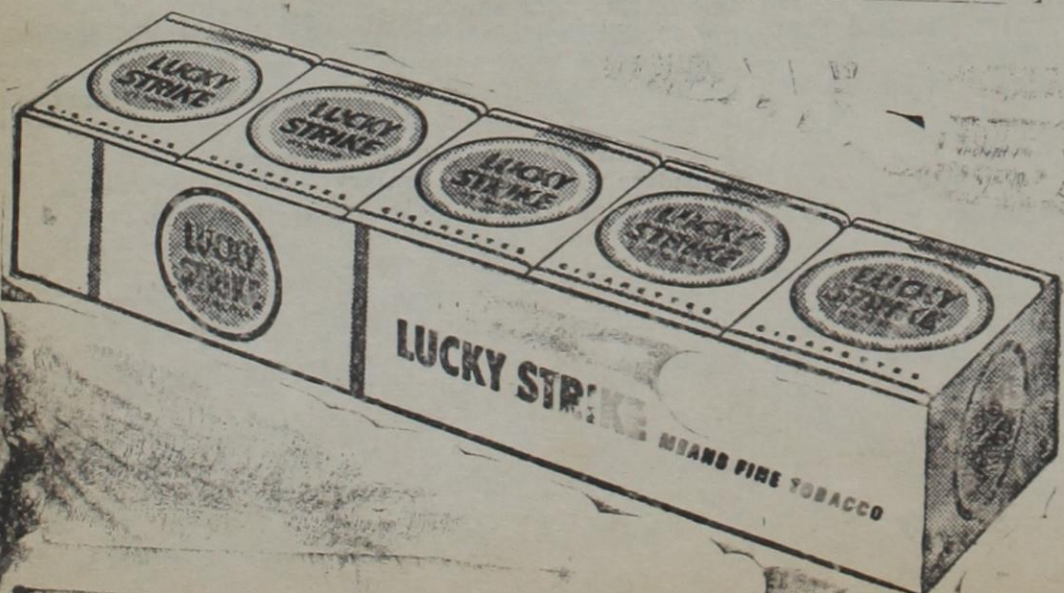
make also a way of escape. Many will yield to the temptation and not accept the way of escape and fall from God's Grace. In Acts 8:14-24 we have an example of a man who was obedient unto the teaching of Christ and was baptized into Christ, Rom. 6:3-4, but in a short while he demonstrated that his heart was not right, as it had been. He was told to "Repent and pray of this thy wickedness". He was in the gall of bitterness and the bond of iniquity. He had only been in the church a short time but he yielded to the temptation, hence his heart was not right; he was not walking uprightly according to the truth. To make his heart right he must repent, turn from this wickedness and pray to the Lord for forgiveness. But if he could not sin so as to be lost or fall from the grace of the Lord, why was there any need for him to repent and pray that the thought of his heart might be forgiven? As a Christian we should strive to live every day as if Christ were standing by our side and this will be the last day we will ever have to live. THINK on these things.

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SHURFINE	THREE POUND CAN
<b>SHORTENING</b>	<b>.73</b>
VAN CAMP	ONLY
<b>TUNA,</b>	<b>2 FOR .35</b>
SHURFINE	10 POUND PRINT BAG
<b>FLOUR</b>	<b>.79</b>
LIBBYS PLAN	16 OUNCE CAN
<b>CHILI</b>	<b>.43</b>
DELICIOUS	TALL CANS
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The new chapter officers are:

President .....Gerald Smith  
Vice President, David Pinkert  
Secretary ..... Larry Witt  
Treasurer..... Bobby Wither-  
spoon

Reporter .....Bobby Bevers  
Sentinel ..... Curtis Means  
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**P-T-A EXPRESSES APPRECIATION**

The officers of the Parent-Teachers Association wish to express their appreciation to each parent and teacher for their attendance at our first meeting. We hope that this is just the beginning of a good year for our P-T-A. We would like to say "Thank you" to each one that had a part on the program and especially to the mothers who brought pies and cakes.

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We suggest that the ranchers and farmers of this entire section can do no better in selling their livestock than contact the Keeton Livestock Commission Co. in Lubbock.

## Lubbock Production Credit Association

The Lubbock Production Credit Assn. is located at 3702 Avenue Q in Lubbock. Phone SHERWOOD 4-4575.

They loan money to farmers and stockmen for agricultural purposes at reasonable rates of interest.

As it is our purpose in this Review to give our readers throughout this district a list of prominent firms in our trade territory, we wish to bring to your attention this leading firm, the Lubbock Production Credit Association.

The management has a reputation far and wide for honest business dealings and anxious to please every customer alike. Their position among the people of this district is evidence of well placed confidence, and in this Review we take pleasure in recommending the Lubbock Production Credit Association to the people and industrial firms of this and surrounding territories.

## Abell's University Of Beauty Culture

This Beauty School is located in Lubbock at 1520 13th. Here they provide a way to dignified employment for women in this and surrounding counties. Phone PO 3-8286 for any information.

Attention to all you girls living in the Ropes area, if you just call in person at 1520 13th, you will be advised as to personal requirements, and to the cost and length of the course. They will be glad to explain all phases of the training to you. Graduates of this school are employed in some of the finest shops in the state.

The supervision and training at this school is backed by years of experience. They feature a job placement plan after you graduate. All beauty work is done at reduced prices. Drop in for a shampoo and set, and inquire about enrolling in their school. You too can make good money by becoming a BEAUTICIAN.

## Lubbock Livestock Auction Co.

This Auction Sale, located at 1219 Ave. D in Lubbock, conducts sales every Tuesday. Phone PO 3-4387 for any information.

When you consign your livestock here you can always depend on getting the highest market prices.

This company has always assisted materially in the growth and expansion of this area as a trade center, and has been partially responsible for the activity in stock raising in this section. Here you can be assured of honest weights for your livestock and they conduct a business of high commercial value to the farmers and ranchers of this area. You don't have to ship your stock elsewhere, they would fall far short of getting the price obtained at the Lubbock Livestock Auction.

We are pleased to give this reliable firm commendable mention in this review. You can be assured of getting a fair deal in every transaction.

## AUTO UPHOLSERING and TRIM CO.

The Auto Upholstery & Trim Co., located at 1636 W. 13th in Lubbock, features complete auto upholstery, custom made seat covers, door panels, arm rests and convertible tops. This firm is equipped with materials and the experience to make your car completely new on the inside. When in Lubbock we urge you to drive to Auto Upholstery & Trim Shop for an estimate on your upholstery job.

What is the secret of the success of this firm? They explain it in a few words—doing only high class work at a fair price to all and a guarantee on every job that leaves the shop. They stand on the principle of always using good quality fabrics, making an honest effort to please and giving efficient first class service by experienced upholsterers.

## BYRD'S ANIMAL CLINIC AND HOSPITAL

Located at 4535 Brownfield Highway in Lubbock. Phone SWIFT 9-2584.

Pet owners realize the necessity of keeping their pets in good physical condition, in order to keep them happy. It is not always easy, however, for the pet owner to take time necessary for the keeping of his pets and livestock in the pink of condition as he has numerous other duties that require his attention. Diagnosis and treatment for small animals is one of the many services they offer. Now is the time to get distemper shots and infectious hepatitis.

No pet owner, regardless of how careful he may be in the care and feeding of his animals, can get the same results as may be obtained by the experienced animal hospital owners. They will board your animal while you take your holiday vacation.

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## SUNNYSIDE NURSING & CONVALASCENT HOME

LaVerne Thornburgh, Regular Nurse and Mgr.

This convalescent home is most conveniently located for this area, offering complete care for the aged, sick and convalescent. They are located on Clovis Road near Lubbock. Their buildings are located and arranged in such a manner that the occupants will receive plenty of sunlight, fresh air and are free of the traffic and city noises.

All methods are approved by the supervising authorities and the health association. Their menu is planned by a dietitian and prepared under most sanitary methods and conditions, giving the patients well balanced, nourishing and appetizing meals which helps maintain and rebuild health and strength so necessary for the aged, sick and inactive persons.

Their main room has that home atmosphere which has a good psychological effect on the patient and all individual rooms are light and cheerily decorated. This with the pleasant, sympathetic and understanding nurses creates lovely surroundings and makes it an excellent home in which to live. This area of the Southwest is very fortunate in having a convalescent home "So Like A Home".

## OAKWOOD LANES

The Oakwood Lanes, located at 3004 Slide Road in Lubbock, is well known in this section for their excellent equipment, friendly atmosphere and courteous service. Phone SW 5-4346 for information.

Bowling has been recognized by authorities as being one of the very best forms of recreation. It is enjoyable exercise, yet not too strenuous for all to engage in. All

ages are enjoying this interesting indoor sport. It is to your advantage to take a little time out from your work to develop a hobby or sport to help occupy your leisure hours. Many are turning to bowling, so why don't you give it a try.

The Oakwood Lanes in Lubbock reserves certain nights for league bowling. Why not talk it over with some of your friends and get in on some of the fun that is enjoyed in league bowling. Both men's and women's leagues are invited to participate. In this Good Neighbors Review we suggest you take advantage of the recreational facilities at the Oakwood Lanes. Plan today to go bowling and bring your friends along with you.

## REST HAVEN MEMORIAL PARK

PERPETUAL CARE

Resthaven Memorial Park is located on Levelland Highway in Lubbock where they offer families choice plots in this well cared for cemetery at a very reasonable price. Now is the time to secure a suitable lot. The management will be glad to have you visit the cemetery and see the ample accommodations that have been provided for years to come. Phone SWIFT 9-5548 for information.

Beautifully located and improved lots are offered you at a surprisingly low cost and

most liberal payments. Unfailing maintenance and the ever increasing beautification has made this cemetery more attractive every year. If you have not visualized its green sod, shrubbery and blooming plants, you have a surprise in store when you visit this modern cemetery. The scene is inspiring. It brings one into closer communion with all that is beautiful. Such an environment is a solace to those who have seen provision in advance of need.

We wish to call the attention of all our readers to this well cared for cemetery, located in a spot where mother nature has lavished her beauty and furnished a picturesque last resting place.

Everyone is invited to visit their most beautiful mausoleum. See the chapel and picturesque windows, and listen to the soft music. They are at this time building an addition to the mausoleum, which will soon be ready, so they can serve you more efficiently.

## MORTON FOODS

CHUCK RALSTON, Mgr.

Retailers in this section are well acquainted with this reliable concern. Among the business establishments of this community, there is none more worthy of extended mention than this prominent wholesale grocery. Their goods are sold far and wide and known for their purity. Their brands are ever popular and are seen on shelves of practically all retail grocers.

Their goods are met with universal favor by both retail men and consumers. They are dealers for potato chips, salad dressing, spices, maple syrup, extracts, corn chips, napkins, pickles, condiments, and cafe sundries. Order some today, they deliver within a 100 mile radius of Lubbock. The Morton Foods is located at 404 34th St. in Lubbock. They invite all retail mer-



**SCHOOL CAFETERIA  
MENU FOR SEPT. 18-22**

Following is the Ropes school cafeteria menu for the week of September 18 through the 22nd:

Monday - Baked ham, potato salad, buttered peas, blackberry cobbler, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Tuesday - Meat loaf, spaghetti and tomatoes, green beans, ice box cookies, hot rolls, butter and milk.

Wednesday - Fried chicken scalloped potatoes, and wax beans, canned peaches, light bread and milk.

Thursday - Barbecued weiners, baked beans, buttered cabbage, jello, corn bread and milk.

Friday - Meat and potato casserole, pinto beans, tossed vegetable salad, ice cream, hot roll, butter and milk.

**VISITED RECENTLY  
WITH GRANDPARENTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilkison and family, of Lubbock, re-

cently visited in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wilkison.

**DARWIN HOBBS  
GINS FIRST BALE  
AT DENVER CITY**

Following is a news item taken from the Denver City Press, handed us by Mrs. Emory Hobbs. Darwin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hobbs.

The race for producing the first bale of cotton in the Denver City trade area for 1961 is over-- a week earlier than last year.

As a result, Darwin Hobbs is more than \$320 richer than when he arose from bed early Tuesday morning.

Hobbs, who farms 500 acres of irrigated land 14 miles northeast of Denver City, hauled the first load of cotton of the 1961 season to the Pleasant Hill Gin Tuesday and has been declared the winner of the tremendous bonus offered by Denver City merchants.

Hobbs' bale of cotton, on display in front of the Chamber of Commerce office, weighed 465 lbs., five pounds lighter than last year's premium bale. It was produced from a three-acre tract of Gregg Stormproof, planted April 22.

Ginning was free, and Darwin received another \$100.

He was especially happy to receive the bonus as he was leaving Tuesday for Dallas to be with his youngest daughter who is in a hospital there for medical treatment.

**HONORED WITH  
BIRTHDAY SUPPER**

This past Sunday Tony Sims was honored with a birthday supper in his home. Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sims and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gotcher, and the honoree and wife.

**MRS. BOB THOMAS  
MUCH IMPROVED**

Mrs. Bob Thomas, of east of Ropes, who has been confined to her home for the past several weeks, is up and about again. We are happy to learn she is this much improved.

**VISITORS SUNDAY  
IN J. W. BERRY HOME**

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Berry had as their visitors Sunday their children, Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Berry, and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Barger, all of Lubbock.

**DALTONS HAVE  
GET TOGETHER**

John Cooper and son of Amarillo, half brother of Giles Dalton, were here over the weekend to attend the funeral of Will Cooper, which was held in Slaton. While here they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Giles Dalton, and all had a get-together Sunday in the home of another brother, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Dalton in Wolforth.

**IN LEVELLAND  
ON MONDAY**

Mrs. J. A. Allen, Mrs. Joy Allen, and Carl Allen were in Levelland and Sundown on Monday, attending to business.

**NOTICE**

Mrs. Ken Evans would like to do Baby Sitting at her home.

**NEW SON**

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wallace on birth of a new son.

**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.  
MYF ....After Evening Worship  
Wednesday:  
Prayer meeting and  
Bible Study ..... 7:00 p.m.  
(Junior Classroom)  
Choir practice ..... 8:00 p.m.

**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.

**RETURNS HOME FROM  
HOT SPRINGS, N. M.**

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Chitwood and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Whitener returned this past week from Hot Springs, New Mexico, where they spent two weeks.

While there they took the hot baths and, also, visited in Las Cruces on Sunday and Labor Day in Silver City. While there the owner of the camp took them out on the lake formed by Elephant Butte Dam and Mrs. Whitener caught a blue catfish 22 inches long.

They had planned to stay one week, but enjoyed themselves so much they stayed for another week.

**MRS. LOLA HUGHES  
ARRIVES SAFELY**

A card from Mrs. Lola Hughes states she arrived safely in South Texas where she is teaching first grade in a school.

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

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

**FOR SALE**

Duroc weining pigs. See E. D. Buchanan, or call 3658, Ropesville, Texas.

**RETURNS HOME**

Rev. Roy McCoy returned home from Brownwood Sunday where he attended a family reunion.

**EAT AGAIN**

Our thanks to Grover Blankenship for another big box of tomatoes, and the J. D. Nichols' for a big sack of green beans.

**ROPEVILLE  
WINS 44-0**

Somebody blew a whistle and when things stopped flying here Friday night, Ropesville held the long end of a 44-0 grid scramble over Cooper.

The game was 50 per cent determined in the first period as End Jackie Wetherly scored on a 20-yard pass from Bobby Bevers. Then Larry Witt rambled 40 yards to score. And Bevers rolled out 18 yards off right end to tally. Weatherly added the points-after.

Another touchdown in the second came by way of Witt's 52-yard gallop through the right side of the line. Ray Witt added the extra-points.

Two Ropesville touchdowns highlighted - for Ropesville - the third period. Curtis Means scored from 15 yards out and Bevers on the points after. Larry Witt traveled 47 yards to the end zone and Terry Rucker took a Bevers' pass for the extras.



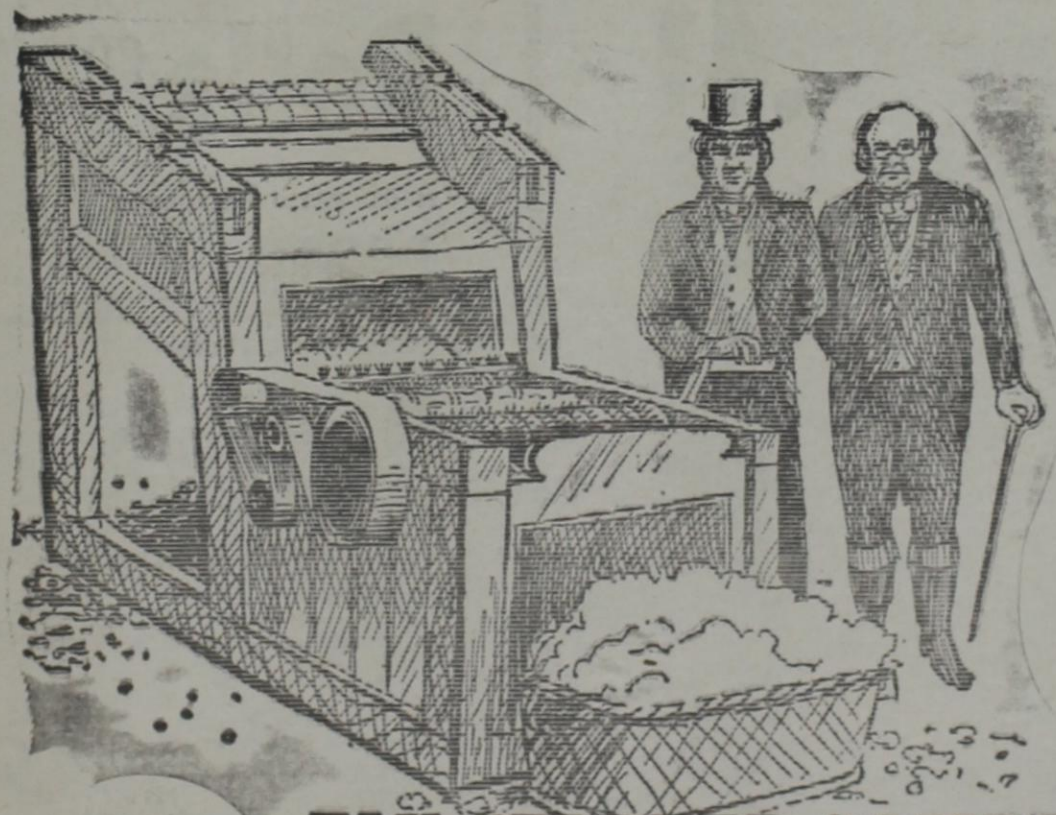
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