Wonder if very many citizens fully realize the good work the Fisher County Sheriff Posse is doing. Fisher County is gaining recognition over this entire section and ride in the parade. This group is from the start through Sunday night. made up of civic minded interested men, who want to keep the ideals and traditions of the Old West travel was stopped. No accidents alive and help their county in every way possible. They go to much effort and expense to make their outfit one of the best such organizations in existence. Their trophy case bears this out. They are well mounted and the equipment is tops. In addition to this they practice regularly and work hard at getting their job well done.

One of our food market adertisers tells of an unusual result from inch. A total of 13.45. his Adance advertising. He received a nice order, with the cash, from an Advance reader 300 miles away from Rotan. Nine Christmas gifts New Officers For Year were selected from his ad in a current issue of the paper. That's what we call loyal support to our Lodge No. 214 installed new offilocal merchants, and naturally is another direct proof that advertis- ing elective officers were Noble ing in the Advance does pay.

* * * * in publishing his "Gyp Miller's R. Weems. Journal", out at National Gypsum Plant. The monthly publication is well edited and prepared and carries Jeanette Baker; Recording Secreall the news from our major indus- tary, Lorena Darden; Secretary,

Rotan seems to have in the making, some sort of a club for the guys who like outdoor life. Much interest is being shown in the movement and we believe something will come of this.

Our implement dealers have seemed happy the last few dayswet to plow. An unusual condition Mrs. Herman Young, Dublin; Alfor West Texas, but most everybody ton Smith, Barbara Deel, Georgia seems to enjoy sloshing around in Young, Mrs. Wayne Moore and

weather boys on TV and radio miss- Mrs. A. L. Gibson, Sagerton; Mrs. ed out on the two snows. Two hours before the first snow started Mr. and Mrs. Max Deel, Mr. and the TV weather reports were for Mrs. C. A. Perkins and daughter, windy clear weather the following day and a nice snow continued for 24 hours. All weather reports preceeding the last snow failed to mention any prospect of rain or snow. With all of the scientific instruments and staffs that are maintained man is still a very small figure in the overall picture.

The entire country was beautiful snow men started. If a first place for early completion was awarded mother, Mrs. Brumme in Tulia. Charlotte Callan would easily win. She had her snowman started by the Hospital News time the ground was covered, and completed in very short order-but then she had practice with her other snowman some ten days ago.

to His people.

Can it be said of you and me that Murff. we are faithful to God and our fellow man? Your church will be a Don Elam of Roby, W. H. Hallmark better church this year if you will of Hamlin, Mrs. Bessie Pearson of be faithful to your obligations.

Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.

Morning worship, 11:00. Evening service, 7:15.

7:15 p.m.

The pastor will speak in both services Sunday. We urge you to Snapp, Mrs. Calvin Daniels, Mrs. W. attend church. Either worship with C. Hodges, Mrs. E. A. Petty. us or some other congregation. Dan D. Jones, Pastor.

Pvt. Stanley Nowlin left Tuesday to report back for Army duty, after ces and named Debbie, Jr. was born Harris Ave. in San Angelo. spending a furlough here with his to Mrs. Ester Whitaker of Rotan parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Now- Jan. 7. lin. Stanley is in the 6th Infantry Ord. California.

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Another Nice Snow Covers Entire Area

People of this area were surprised Sunday afternoon by the second tion has closed the current drive snow of the season. Heavy clouds for funds. threatened Sunday morning, but the snow got started after noon and fell heavy all afternoon and into the night. The fall is reported as between 4 and 6 inches over the territory and Fred Byerly guaged the moisture content as 51. inch.

The fall was gentle with practicalwhen the group rides in the inaug- ly no wind causing it to stack up on uration parade at Austin next week, even small limbs and made the counthousands more will have a favorble try the prettiest picture in many impression of us. The posse is one years. Moderate temperature preof three from the entire state to vailed and the snow melted some

The slush on streets froze and made traffic slow but no highway were reported.

This with the late December snow gives farmers and ranchmen a fair season to start the new year.

The shower last week measured 11 inch giving a total thus far in January of .62 inch.

Mr. Byerly gives us the following figures for 1954; Jan. .84; Feb. 0; Mar. .8; April 3.98; May 4.22; June .92; July .14; Aug. .34; Sept. .37; Oct. .97; Nov. .62 and December .97

Rebekah Lodge Installs

On January 11 Rotan Rebekah cers for the new year. The outgo-Grand, Rena Thomas; Vice Grand, Minnie Porter; Recording Secretary Lewis Awalt is doing a swell job Lucy Smith and Team Captain, Lon

> Present elective officers are Noble Grand Minie Porter; Vice Grand Ima Berry and Team Captain.

> Cake, coffee and cocoa were served afterwards. Everyone enjoyed the social hour.

Out of town relatives here for the funeral of Gilbert Lee was week included Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Whitfield and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Whitfield of Stephenville; Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Deel of Wichita Falls; Shirley Perkins, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown, Mountain Home, It seemed rather odd the way the Idaho; Mrs. Ray Epps, Midland; V. N. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Deel, Mrs. Lizzie Young and children; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kiker and Mr. and Mrs. John David Kiker, all of

Mrs. Hill Smith and son Mike of Medicine Lodge, Kans. have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Worth Smith since before Christmas. Mr. Hill was here for the holiday but has returnafter the snow and the kids about ed home. Mrs. Smith and Mike also town wasted no time in getting visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McCormick in Lamesa, and grand-

Local medical patients in Callan Hospital the past week were Mrs. M. Daffern, Mrs. John Corhn, Mrs. Gilbert Lee, Larry Greenway, Elina Velez, Cindy Yance, Patricia Sharp, Church of the Nazarene R. B. Rains, Mrs. Joe Pardue, A. P. Moore, Mrs. Joe Taggart, Mrs. Mike God is faithful, to His Word and Rodriguez, Clint C. Overby, R. J. Cornelius, Marvin Smith, E. M.

Out of town medical patietns were Abilene, Mrs. John Blythe of Sny- ments. der, Dianne Farmer of Roby, Mrs. Iline Stagner of Hermleigh, J. W. Phillips of Girard, Geo. Rogers of Mid-week service, Wednesday, Girard, Mrs. Sam Robertson of Jay-

ton, Jerry Robertson of Jayton. Surgery patients were Mrs. J. B.

A girl weighing 7 pounds 12 ounces was born to Mrs. L. B. Cooper of Sweetwater Jan. 5.

A girl weighing 4 pounds 11 oun-

A boy weighing 7 pounds 14 oun-Division and is being sent to Fort ces was born to Mrs. T. B. Gordon place of business. This is primarily elighan and children in Detroit, Billy Jo is stationed on the U. S. S. ed at the bride-elect home on March of Rotan Jan. 10.

TB Seal Drive Best In Past Four Years

The Fisher County T. B. Associa-

Chairman O'Henry Young states that the drive was the best in four years and topped last year's drive by some \$200. \$1113.00 was total receipts this year with 2100 letters being mailed out and the first three days ran 367 returned envelopes with \$728; the final opening was 159 envelopes containing \$385. This gives approximately 20% returns.

Mr. Young and the entire board of directors express their appreciation to the citizenship of Fisher County and their wonderful response.

Polio Continues To Be Major Problem

There were 12 polio patients treated in Fisher County in 1954, seven-old one and five that developed in 1954. Of the five new cases, one is seriously crippled and one

The county raised in both drives during the year, \$4,862.03 and sent \$3,148.45 of this amount to the National office. The county spent during the year on the 12 cases, \$6,-901.86. We did not have the money to help pay our bills; that is, other counties in Texas and other states County Polio patients.

There seems to be a good chance that the new serum now being given will greatly check the disease; but no one knows what person will be struck with paralysis at any moment. Please let all of us give what we can during this drive for funds.

The above figures and appeal comes from C. J. Dalton, polio drive

Social Security Agent Here In Jan. Feb. Mar.

Beginning in January, farm operators should begin to keep accurate records of money received from the sale of all farm produce, according to Raleigh R. Tuley, Jr., Manager Sam Baugh Goes In of the Abilene Social Security Of- Texas Sports Hall even the they have new tractors to Dr. Sessum Deel, Levelland; R. E. fice. The social security law has demonstrate, the soil has been too Hale, Mrs. R. M. Hale and Mr. and been changed to bring farm operators under coverage of social security beginning in 1955.

\$1800 or less, he may report 1-2 of Sports Hall of Fame recently. this gross income for social security purposes without figuring his net profit. If his gross amounts to more his actual net profit of \$900, whichever is larger. He reports this income and pays his social security tax when he files his income tax return each year, beginning in 1956. Thus he buys the same protection for himself at old age, or his family in case of his death that other people have been buying since 1937.

If you ave questions about this or any other social security matter, see the representative of the Abilene office who will be in Rotan, Texas on January 21, February 18, and March 25, 1955, and can be located at the City Hall at 10:30 a.m. oclock. This is a new service to this

Brownie Troop 3

We met with our leaders, Mrs. Ray Brown and Mrs. Tom Colwell, at the Girl Scout Hut Jan. 5. We went on a penny hike and sang a song to Liene's grandmother Phil-

Our president is Paula Helms. Mrs. Robert Phillips served refresh-

Reporter, Cheryl Hammit.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. E. K. Foster of birth of a son, Kenneth Michael, born Jan. 4 at Goodfellow Air Force Hospital. The baby weighed 4 lbs. 1 oz. at birth and is still in the hospital. He is reported doing well and should be home in a few days.

Baillio of Rotan. They live at 121 E.

instalitation of a telephone at their visit with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kevfor catering service use.

Roach To Attend Land Woman Held In Bank Meeting, Houston Robbery Attempt

C. C. Roach of Rotan will repreof the stockholders of the Federal day night. Land Bank of Houston. The meeting will be held in Houston Feb. 23-24, according to B. L. Conley, secretary

treasurer of the Association. The purpose of the meeting is to Texas first hand reports on the business and financial condition of waitress called Davis. the Federal Land Bank of Houston and to give the association a part in planning its loan service to farmers and ranchers.

The Federal Bank's \$8,252,920 sick and I need the money." of capital stock is owned cooperatively by the national farm loan ashas in his local NFLA. Stockholders attending the meeting will represent members who have 32,652 loans amounting to \$135,900,000.

Rollans and Ashley Staff Sheriff Office

In the holiday rush we failed to give mention of the new Sheriff and to pay the bills and asked the Na- deputy. A. E. (Bus) Rollans, who tional office for funds. It sent to was elected in the August primary, Fisher county during 1954 \$6,350.00 has lived in the county for the past 26 years. He is 39 years old and has been an active member of the Bappaid more than \$2,000.00 on Fisher tist Church, Masonic Lodge and Past Patron of Eastern Star. He married the former Opal O'Neal and has a son, Alton, 15.

His deputy, Bill Ashley, has lived in Fisher County since 1927. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ashley of Roby. He married the former Flora Burk in 1940 and has three daughters. Ashley served in the Army for two years, much of this overseas. He is a member of Roby Fire Department, Roby Jaycees and Veterans of Foreign Wars. He also was employed in Rotan by National Cynsum Co. for eight years.

The new officers were sworn in January 1, and have been on the job since that time.

Babe Didrickson Zaharias, who became the most famous woman Should the farm operator have a athlete, and Sammy Baugh, the gross income during the year mightiest passer football ever saw,

In the third such ceremony promoted by the Texas Sports Writers Asn., Mrs. Zaharias and Baugh were than \$1800 in a year, he may report inducted into the hall because their "achievements in athletics have brought lasting fame and honor to

> the honor were Tris Speaker, the perintendent. baseball immortal, and Ben Hogan, king of golf. Both were present with Hogan making the presentation of tivities. a plaque to Mrs. Zaharias, whose greatest fame came in golf.

director of Texas Christian, who coached Baugh to football fame, presented the plaque to Slingin' Sammy.

lian, All-American football player Scriptural concept of Jehovah. at Centre and famous college coach, ched University of Texas to nawill join the late Joe Routt, Texas every member canvass. A&M All-American football player, who was voted into the hall two years ago.

The presentations were made at all services. a luncheon of 400 sports followers.

Jrs. Elect Officers

The Junior Class of Rotan met San Angelo, are announcing the Jan. 7 to elect class favorites. Those elected were: Queen, Carole Hargrove; king, Jimmyl Finch; Best allaround girl, Jackie Lewis; best allaround boy, Jerry Black.

The classes are sponsoring a contest for title of king and queen. Sup-Mrs. Foster is the former Vanetta port the junior class favorites and Underhill. help them to win the title.

Mich.

Mrs. Virginia Carter, 25, is held sent the Roby National Farm Loan in county jail on charges of attempt-Association at the annual meeting ing to rob W. B. Davis last Thurs-

Davis operates the Club Cafe and was seated in a booth when the woman came in. She reportedly handregister. The note read, "Just put ture to over 400 daily and weekly give representatives from all of the money in the sack, and don't try any national farm loan associations in tricks. I've got a gun on you and is 33 years in this business and they wouldn't hesitate to use it". The

Davis said that she threatened to from the bank's executive officers, kill him if he didn't put money from nations and sponsors from all walks the cash register in the sack.

When asked why she needed money, she said, "I'm sick. My baby'

,When she stuck the sack toward him again, after he had edged clossociations in direct proportion to er to her, he grabbed her arm inthe amount of stock each member stead of the sack, then grabbed the their support—they carry to exhand holding the gun.

Night policeman Lewis Clark, who had been called in the meantime, entered about that time, and took 100% in favor of the feature and the gun from the woman's pocket. It was a toy pistol.

Mrs. Carter told officers that she was the woman who, holding a baby in her arms, held up a hotel in Ft. Worth last year, using the same method of a written note.

Sportsman Club To Be Organized

The proposed organization of the Sportsman Club is proving popular among local citizens. A number have town. expressed themselves as "ready to

We are taking the liberty of suggesting a start with all interested meeting at the American Legion Hall Friday night, Jan. 21, at 7:30.

Everyone interested in any phase of outdor life is invited to attend and give their views on such an organization. It will take some effort on the part of interested citizens to really put it over, but we believe there is a place for such in our community and plenty of fellows are

Plan to attend and bring someone with you.

First Baptists To Observe Focus Week

The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church will observe annual Focus Week in a special program Monday afternoon at (should his total sales) amount to found their niches in the Texas 3 o'clock with Dick Miller, from Alaska, as the speaker.

> The pastor, Dr. Lawrence Hayes, will preach Sunday morning at 10:50 on "Some Things to Hold to in 1955." M. D. Ivey will direct the choir and congregational singing.

Sunday school meets at 9:45 in eight departments with a class for Athletes who previously gained every age group. Harold King is su-

> Youth Choir meets at 4:30 with Phil Briggs as director of youth ac-

Training Union meets at 6:00 with Judson Thompson as general di- issue of the Advance for an adver-L. R. (Dutch) Meyer, athletic rector. The theme Sunday evening is, "God's Invitation."

"In the Beginning, God." a message every day. Our services are open to as to Who and What God is Like. Two deceased athletes were ac- Those interested in the Person of Church, be with us next Sunday. corded places in the hall-Bo McMil- God will find help in forming a Sunday School at 9:45 a.m., Morn-

and Billy Disch, who played base- \$14,500.00 of its 1955 budget. Em- p.m. ball in the Texas League and coa- phasis will be given this item another Sunday and the Budget Comtional fame on the diamond. They mittee will go afield to finish the

Visitors and friends will find a cordial welcome in the services of the church. The nursery is open for

Explorer Scouts Meet

Offices held in Explorer Scouts will be rotated every three months. When office holders miss meetings three times in a row, they will drop to the end of the line. Non-office holders will miss rotation one time Joining fees are 50c and dues are 5c per meeting.

A new member is Teddy Roe

New Feature Started In This Issue

You will find a new feature in this week's Adance. The Church Page has been started after many requests for this.

A survey was made of such copyrighted services and we decided on the Keister Service. This firm of ed a note to a waitress at the cash Strasburg, Va., furnished their feapapers over the nation. Their record have some papers that has carried the feature for nine years. Endorsement from churches of all denomiof life in these 400 American cities and towns led us to the Keister.

The feature is planned to be carried each week with a change of sponsors every other week in the month. These sponsors believe in our churches and are wholehearted in pense of the page.

The pastors, ministers and leaders of the churches of Rotan are several of these has had such features in former places and they state that their church, the town and paper were all benefitted through the Church Page.

Each message and illustration is well prepared and should convey meaning to all of us.

The feature will carry announcements from all the churches, although we were unable to secure this information from several this week, due to pastors being out of

We sincerely hope this will prove worthwhile to the community, and we will appreciate suggestions that may improve it.

Methodist News

We were delighted to see so many in Sunday School and the Worship Services last Sunday. We believe that more people are looking to the make this year a better one for the Church than ever before. We believe that more people are looking to the Church and the things it stands for than ever before. May these words of Donald W. Carruthers be a challenge to the Church and the individual Christian: "A functioning Christian is the strongest argument for Christianity. Never forget that other men are just as hungry for the Truth you have laid hold upon as you have been. Avoid being afraid to share crusts of bread even when you have not yet been given the entire loaf. Starving men grasp at the spiritual crumbs that fall from your own tables".

The Methodist Men's organization will attend a Sub-District meeting at Sylvester next Tuesday night, January 18th.

The W. S. C. S. and the Wesleyan Service Guild are having a Bible study together beginning this Thursday night at 7:30. The Pastor will be leading the study entitled, "Women of the Bible".

We urge you to look through this tisement concerning the National Crusade for Church Attendance. At-The pastor will preach at 7:00 on the church of your choice . . . Pray everyone. If you are not attending ling Worship at 10:50, M.Y.F. at The church has underwritten some 6:00, and Evening Worship at 7:00

Sykes Gospel Singers Here Next Week

Sykes Gospel Singers will appear at Little Zion Baptist Church Wednesday, Jan. 19 and 20. The first night is for their white friends and the last night for the colored. This popular group have appeared here before and their programs are very

They invite everyone to attend and no admission charge will be

Approaching Marriage Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Neal of Rotan are announcing the engagement and Billy Joe Head left Tuesday appoaching marriagge of their dau-Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Ragsdale re- morning for Long Beach, Calif. He ghther, Dorothy to Mr. Roy Riley Cwag's Burger Bar announces the turned Sunday from a two weeks had spent a 20 day leave here with son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mennedy his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Head. of Hamlin. The couple will be marri-

Announcement Tea Held For Bride-Elect

The door was opened by a cousin Odis Sparks entertained with an announcement tea in her home honoring her daughter, Peggy Jo.

Miss Sparks, daughter of a local ranching family, is freshman student in Southern Methodist University, Dallas, where she is affiliated with Kappa Alpha Theta sorority.

She is bride-elect of Darrel Underhill, son of Lillie Underhill, Rotan landowner. He has served 18 months in the Air Force.

The two will be married in Weathersbee Chapel Jan. 16 at 6 p.m.

One hundred and twenty guests called during the tea Thursday afternoon. Calling hours were 4 to 6 o'clock.

With pink as accent decor, Mrs. of the honoree, Mrs. Wayne Porter, Jr. Mrs. Sparks headed the receiving group and introducing her daughter. Miss Sparks wore a waltz length gown of starched white lace over pink carnations.

Others who received were Mrs. Underhill; the prospective bridegroom's sister-n-law, Mrs. Preston Underhill from Denver City; and two aunts of the honoree, Mrs. L. A. Sparks and Mrs. J. C. Hyer. In the living room were grandmothers of the couple, Mrs. Tom Sparks and Mrs. Ida Underhill.

Mrs. Floyd Clifton directed guests to the registry where Mrs. Charles Atwell presided. Mrs. W. I. Branch was in charge of recorded music.

At the tea table were Jan Carriker and Mrs. Harold Roberts. Table was laid with floor length cloth of gatehered pink nylon net over satin and was centered with the announcement arrangement in pink. Love birds atop a mail box held an envelope with the announcement date. The arrangement was based in white foilage and spray arrangements of pink carnations. Centerpiece was flanked by lighted pink tapers in frost design. Appointments were in silver and china.

An arrangement of the chosen flowers and pink tapers were on the buffet. Other arrangements were on the fireplace mantel and

coffee table in the living room. Other houseparty members were Mmes. Jim O'Briant, O. B. Cave, Claude Carriker, Ernest Counts, C. E. Leon, Clayton Branch, J. R. Strayhorn, Parker Kennedy and Dave Posey. Junior houseparty members were Norma Sparks and Jane Cave.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. May and Helen, Mrs. A. L. McSpadden and Sandy of Colorado City, visited Dr. and Mrs. J. Frank Johnson Sunday.



NO POLIO VACCINE CAN HELP THIS CHILD. While science works to protect healthy kids against polio, those already stricken are fighting to live and play again.

They need expert treatment. They need costly equipment iron lungs, rocking beds, braces. They need YOUR financial support to meet the crushing cost of rehabilitation. Help them fight back—give voluntarily!

Join the Tanuary 3-31



FRIDAY & SATURDAY, January 14, 15

ADMIRATION COFFEE

DELITE 99c Pure Lard

10 LB. **Print Bag**

85c MILK

PET, CARNATION, BORDEN

3 Tall Cans

39c

39c

63c

49c

23c

MRS. TUCKER'S Shortening

3 Lb. Can

21c

303 Can

1 Lb. Can FREE

Salad Dressing

ROAST

T-BONE

Pork Chops, lb.

BOLOGNA, Ib.

HENS, lb.

BACON Tra 49c

DEL MONTE SLICED Peaches

PEAS

BEANS

QUART Clorox

Pin-sol

TEXSUN GRAPEFRUIT JUICE

46 oz Can

303 Can

9c

5-LB. BAG

QUART

89c

25c Cocktail

TALL CORN

37c

DEL MONTE

Green Beans

25c Spinach

No. 21-2

Can

2 303 29c

DIAMOND PICKLES, qt.

59c

Butter

RUSSET

22 oz. jar 23c

10 lb. Bag

WHITE SWAN CORN, 2 303 cans

HIP-O-LITE

OUR VALUE

25c

29°

25°

Kleenex, 300's 19c



SPUDS 42c

Tomatoes, ctn. WASHINGTON EXTRA FANCY

Winesap Apples, lb. 17c

LARGE SIZE

Avocados, ea. 15c

Rutabagas, lb. 5c

Cabbage, lb.

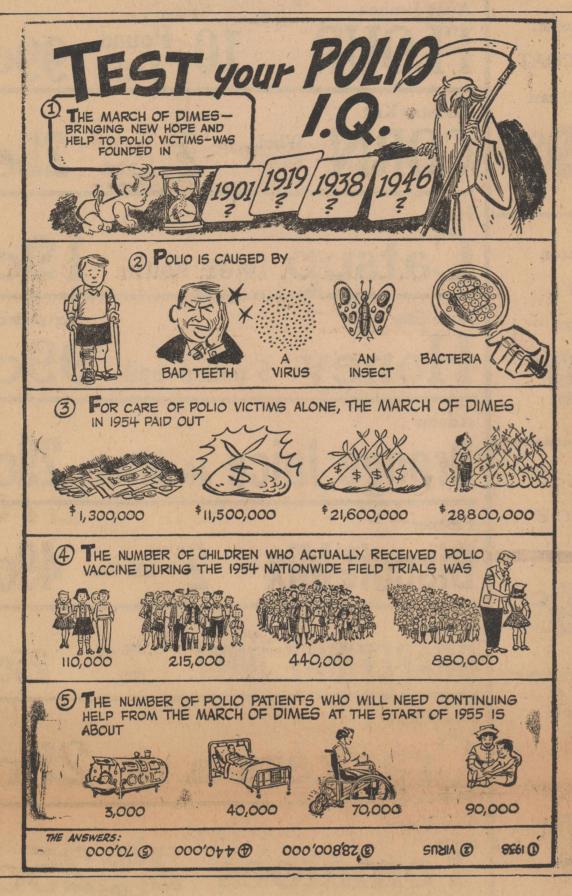
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her sons, Mrs. Dorothy Henrick, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Huckaby of Plains, and Mrs. Doyle Simpson, all of Am- Mrs. S. B. Weathersby of San An-Tulia. Mrs. George Noles of Corpus N. M., Mrs. Elmer Williams of Lov-Christi; Mrs. Gerald Ivey of Sweet-lington, N. M.

here for the funeral of C. M. Huck- land and children of Snyder; Mr. and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. aby were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dale Mrs. Homer Simpson of Fort Worth, Jack Patton in Spur Thursday af-Huckaby and Kitty of Houston, Mrs. Mineola Burson of Waco, Miss ternoon of last week. Mrs. Patton's Mrs. Nannie Ginn of Earth, Mr. and Mary Beth Grigg of Austin, Mrs. mother died Wednesday in Spur and Mrs. Cecil Ginn of Dimmitt, Mr. Gordon Smith and daughter of Odesand Mrs. O. B. Ginn, their niece and sa, E. R. Huckaby of Abilene, Mr. band in Jayton on Friday. arillo; Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Grigg of gelo, Mrs. Edith Heron of Hobbs,

was buried by the side of her hus-

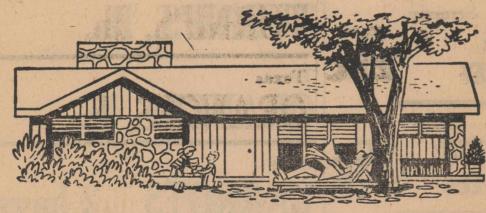
Mrs. C. B. Barth returned home Saturday from Quanah, where she had been with her mother, Mrs. M. L. Edmondson, who has been very ill about three months.





Mrs. MacTavish

gets her dream house



AT LAST she has the home of her dreams! A modern house - with a yard for the children and space for flowers. Most important to Mrs. MacTavish, though, are all those wonderful electric appliances she's always longed for! With them, she'll have the time and energy to do all the things she's always wanted to do.

It seems like luxury. But soon she'll think of all her electric servants as necessities.

Stop and think, for a minute, how many electric servants you've added in the last ten years. Wonderful, work-saving appliances which have made your life easier and more enjoyable. So, even though the *price of electric service has gone down in that time, your electric service bill may be higher. But when you think of the many things electric service does for you, twenty-four hours a day, don't you agree that it is still the big-As time goes on, she'll add even more. gest bargain in your family budget?

> *In homes served by WTU the average cost of a kilowatt-hour of electric service is 22% LESS than it was ten years ago!

West Texas Utilities Company

Out of town relatives and friends | water; Rev. and Mrs. Floyd Strick- Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Williamson | HD Council Holds First | Announcement Tea Meeting Of Year

The first 1955 meeting of the Fisher County Home Demonstration Jan. 5 in an all day meeting, with a covered dish luncheon.

Mrs. Ed Hawkins, council chairman, was presiding officer.

In explaining the functions of Home Demonstration council to the group, S. C. Kensey stated. "The Council has three main responsibilities, 1. To serve as an advisory committee in determining and stating objectives of the work. In planning for the attainment of these objectives in carrying out the plans and evaluating tht results". 2. To be a means of communication between Agent and Clubs. 3. To be a demonstration in organization. Each council meeting should be a training school for officers and members. The Home Demonstration Agent is responsible for this training.

It was stated that club presidents should make their reports to council and the council delegates make theirs to the clubs.

During the business session Mrs. Joe Miers explained the 1955 programs to the group.

The standing rules of council were read by secretary Mrs. J. P. Phillips. Also recommendations from standing committees were read and accept

Others present were: Mmes. Walter Byrd, Billy F. Hardy, Bill Hardy from Avalon club, Mmes. J. P. Phillips, Joe Miers, June Anderson Hobbs club, Mmes. Glen Henderson, Frank Kemp, Jerry Maberry McCaulley, Mmes. P. D. Campbell, Howard Niles, Sam Morgan, Z. H. Anderson from Center club. Mmes Archie Ragan and Herman Hughes Rotan and Mmes Clay Bunn and Elmer Jones from Capitola.

Try Advance classified adthey pay.

New Laws Provide Tax Breaks For Individuals

This is the first of a series of articals outlining changes in the U. S. Internal Revenue Code that favor individual taxpayers.

Under the 1954 revenue act, all persons who have a gross income over \$600 must file income tax returns, except if the taxpayer is 65 or older he need not file a return unless he has gross income over \$1,200. This is because persons who are 65 or older have two exemptions which automatically eliminate any tax liability for income under \$1,200.

The old established date of March 15 by which income tax returns must be filed has been abolished. als may now be filed on or before April 15. Although many persons believe that a tax return need only be postmarked by the due date, such is not the intent of the statute. Tax returns are supposed to be in the office of the Internal Revenue Service by the date specified.

Declarations of estimated tax are required from all persons who expect gross income of more than \$400, plus \$600 times the number of exemptions which may be claimed, if more than \$100 of the income will not be subject to withholding. Single persons with more than \$5,000 and married persons with more than \$10,000 expected gross income must file declarations of estimated tax even though all of the income is subject to withholding.

Declarations of estimated tax. except those for farmers, must be filed by April 15. Like the income tax return, this date is one month quarterly installment payment dates remain the same-June 15; September 15, and the last one on January 15 of the following year.

If a person, other than a farmer, desires to file his income tax return and pay his tax in full, he may do this on or before January 15 instead of paying his last quarterly installment. It does not relieve anyone from filing the original declaration of estimated tax and making three payments on it. However, in most cases this provision does remove the possibility of a penalty for an estimate of tax liability.

The penalty for underpayment of tax liability on the declaration of estimated tax has been reduced. There is now no underpayment if the taxpayer remits at least 70% of his tax as shown on his final tax return. If there is an underpayment the penalty is only 6% per annum inwhich should have been remitted. It is expected that there will be more strict enforcement of this provision in the future by the Internal Revenue Service.

(This column based on Federal law, is written to inform-not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret the law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the lw.)

Held For Shirley Parker

Honoring her daughter, Shirley Parker, Mrs. H. F. Grindstaff en-Council met in Roby court house tertained with an announcement tea in her home Tuesday afternoon from 5 to 6 o'clock.

Miss Parker is bride-elect of Jimmy Don Hale, son of the W. E. Hales of Rotan. He is a senior in Texas Technolical College, Lubbock.

Miss Parker, 1952 graduate of Rotan schools, attended Hardin-Simmons University, and Texas Tech. She was a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority of Tech.

Jan. 23. The service will be read in ing the wedding date announcement. the First Baptist Church at 4 p. m. Approximately 158 registered. Music during calling hours was by above the fireplace mantel. Carna-Mrs. Virgil Weems and Mrs. Ed

As guests arrived, the door was pened by two nieces of the honoree, Sherry and Candy Parker of Brownwood. Mrs. Grindstaff headed nylon net over taffeta, and a waist corsage of pink flowers.

Others in the receiving group were Mrs. Hale, mother of the prospective brodegroom, Mrs. Thomas Parker of Brownwood, sister-in-law of the hon-Carriker of Rotan. In the living son in 1919.

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room were grandmothers of the betrothed couple, Mrs. Alice Carriker, and Mrs. R. E. Hale, both of Rotan. Presiding at the tea table were

Jan Carriker and Shirley Day. The table was covered with floor length cloth of shirred white nylon net over white satin. Centerpiece was bridal altar in white, appointed with white failage and red nd white carnations. A miniature bridal couple was descending tiny steps from a bridal canopy of silver bells.

Centerpiece was flanked by white tapers in silver holders, and a stand-Marriage date was revealed as ing red heart, outlined in lace, hold-

Red and white carnations were reflecteed in the ceiling mirror tion corsages were worn by the houseparty, gifts from the host.

Registering guests were Mrs. Tom Lay and Mrs. A. B. Parker. Mrs. Morris Watson said the good byes.

Others in the house group were the receiving group and presented Mrs. O. D. Weathersbee, Mrs. Claude her daughter. Miss Parker wore a Carriker, Mrs. J. Frank Johnson, trousseau gown of ruffled, purple Mrs. Dewey Dry, Mrs. Willard Denton, Mrs. L. A. Sparks, Mrs. W. I. Branch, Mrs. Ruple Morrow and Mrs. Fillingim.

Two presidents have received the Nobel Prize. They were Theodore oree; and the honoree's aunt, Mae Rosevelt in 1906, and Woodrow Wil-

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WSCS Met Monday

The W. S. C. S. met Monday at 3 p.m. in the church to begin the study of India, Paksitan and Ceylon, with Mises Mabel Donnell teaching the lesson and giving a very interesting historical background of these places.

A short business session was held. Mrs. J. W. Porter led the opening song, with Mrs. Preston Morrow at the piano. Mrs. S. A. Lawlis gave the prayer. Twelve ladies were present for the meeting. Mrs. Alvis Cooley gave the dismissal prayer.

At the close of the program, a committee composed of Mrs. J. O. Roberts, Mrs. Mark Strickland and Mrs. Phil J. Malouf made plans for the entertainment of the joint meeting of the Roby Guild and W. S. C. S. and the Rotan Guild and W. S. C. S. to be held Jan. 25 at 7:15 p. m., in the Rotan First Methodist

An open meeting for all women of the church was held Thursday night to begin the study of "Jesus' Teaching Concerning Women," led by Rev. J. Alvis Cooley. These meetings will be held each Thursday night until the study is completed. We feel sure these lessons will be helpful to all who desire to come.

County Treas. Report Published This Week

The quarterly treasurer's report appears in this week's Advance. This is a detailed report from your Commissioners' Court, and it gives you a complete record of Fisher County finances.

It is a good report and shows county finances are pulling out, after the deplorable financial condition of several years ago. Of course the oil industry has played a major role in heavy payment of taxes, but the Court is to be commended, and especially for the fact that they are publishing for the general public, these reports each quarter. Such publication has been required by state laws for many years, but such was not done in Fisher County for a long period until two years ago.

Lieut. Mac Weathersbee and Lieut. Dave Waterbury of Panama City, spent Saturday night with Mac's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Weathersbee. Mr. and Mrs. Weathersbee took them back to their plane at Big Spring Sunday, but due to the bad weather they didn't leave there until Tuesday.

Mrs. A. R. Tyson returned to her home in Danger Monday after visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn, and Mr. Strayhorn several weeks. Mr. Strayhorn took her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gruben, Jimmy and Donna, and Wilber Lee Gruben visited Mr. and Mrs. Preston Upshaw in Tulia over the week end.

Cecil Lotief attended market in Dallas last week endl

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Turner and Elaine were in Snyder last Sunday for the funeral of Mrs. D. P. Stra-

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strahorn attended the funeral of Mrs. D. P. Strayhorn in Snyder Sunday after-

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Church of Christ

305 McKinley

Otta Johnson, Minister

Sunday

9:45 a.m.—Bible Study period.
Classes for all ages.
10:45 a.m.—Worship Service, Ser-

mon, and Communion.
6 p.m.—Young People's Training Class and Teacher training class.

7 p.m. —Evening Worship service and sermon

Monday

9 a.m—Ladies Working Group meets

3 p.m.—Ladies Bible Class

7:30 p.m.—Bible Study and singing.

Calvary Baptist Church Carl Underhill, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Training Union 6:30 p.m.

Mid-week service 7:30

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 3:00 p. m. WMU and Sunbeams

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

Highland Home Baptist Church

(4 miles N. E. of City)

J. Dale Martin, Pastor

Order of services Sunday

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Services 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Worship Services 7:30 p.m.

Monday Brotherh

Brotherhood Meeting Monday after 1st Sunday of each month 7:30 p. m.

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

ing 8:10 p.m.

Wednesday

Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.

S. S. Officers & Teachers meet-

St. Joseph's Catholic Church Father B. A. Erpen

Sunday morning Mass 10:00 a.m. Week day Mass 8:00

Church of the Nazarene

Dan D. Jonees, Pastor
Corner of Lee and McKinley

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Evening Service 7:15 p.m.

Mid-week service Wed. 7:15 p.m.

Cross Roads Baptist Church

R. M. Parsley, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Training Union 6:30 p.m.

Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

Prayer Service, Wed. 7::00 p.m.

with officers and teachers meeting following.

Little Zion Baptist Church

G. W. Henry, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Service 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

First Methodist Church

209 McKinley

J. Alvis Cooley, Pastor
Sunday Services

Sunday School, 9:45.

Morning Worship, 10:50 a. m.

Youth Fellowship, 6:00 p. m.

Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.

Womens Society of Christian Service, Monday, 3:00, p. m.

Wednesday Services
Youth Bible Study, 6:15 p. m.
Adult Bible Study, 7:00 p. m.
Choir Practice, 8 p. m.
Wesleyan Service Guild meets
2 & 4th Thursdays, 7:30 p. m.

FROM OUR EXCHANGES--

-Post Dispatch

Funeral services for John Basil Parrack, former Post jeweler and repairman, who died Friday in Lubbock, were conducted at 10 a.m. Saturday on his 65th birthday - at Calvary Baptist Church here.

The Rev. Lawrence Hayes of Rotan and the Rev. Shelby Bishop, pastor of the church, officiated. Burial was in Terrace Cemetery under direction of Mason Funeral

Mr. Parrack, who lived in Lubbock about a week, died in a hospital there. He owned and operated a jewelry store and watch repair shop here for a few years before moving to San Saba about five years ago. He moved from there to Rotan operating J. B's Jewelry Store there.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lela Parrack: three brothers, Earl land. Mattie Holly and T. A. Baber of Lubbock and Dick Cornelius of Portland, Ore., and four grandchil-

-Merkel Mail

"Cities don't just happen, they are made by men, just like yourselves."

That was the high point in the talk given by Ralph Duncan, Abilene, who is with the West Texas Chamber this week. His subject was "Community Building." Mr. Duncan had been invited here to discuss the matter of

"Any progressive community has a chamber of commerce," he began. "There is leadership in a community if you look for it. Any city that desires to grow needs a chamber of commerce.

"Frankly, I don't know how much it would cost to develop a chamber of commerce here.

"There are four essentials for a successful chamber of commerce," he continued.

"First you must have a definite program of work, you must plan for the future. The program must fit the needs of the community. Remember, cities don't just happen; they are made by men, just like

"Second, it will take a certain sum of money to operate the organization. You must have a realistic

"Third, you must have leadership from your own people; it must be developed within the community. You can't buy it.

"Fourth, you must have an active management."

Mr. Duncan stresses that you cannot expect miracles. He pointed out nue D Baptist Church since Decemthat a town cannot be made into a city overnight. He emphosized that church has expanded its membera chamber of commerce will main- ship and facilities. tain the strength of a town and make it a better community in which to live.

-Hamlin Herald

Hamlin's city street paving project which got off to a running start the middle of December, has been stymied for two weeks now because of the holidays and bad weather. Prospects are that, barring further snow and rain, things will be "in the grove" again by Monday, according to officals of C. & C. Asphalt Paving Company, contractor on the big project.

halted December 23 for the holidays. B. T. Gordon, Deputy Sheriff Sonny Then as workmen were abobut to Pittcock, all of Haskell; Sheriff Wesresume operations Monday of last ley Styles of Seymour, Baylor week, rain and snow came to halt County; City Marshal Raymond Denmachinery. The thoroughly wet son of Rule; and State Ranger Jim ground kept the heavy equipment! Paulk of Abilene.

off the streets last week-end and the first of this week. Rain came again Tuesday night to further complicate things by resoaking the

However, new paving agreehave been signed during the lull in actual work. Dave Roberts office manager of the paving concern, reports this week that he has signed scores of new contracts that will extend the paving operations west and north in many sections of the town from the business area.

-Snyder Daily News

Two Snyder preachers whose lives have run a coincidental parallel in recent years are planning to begin new pastorates in California.

The men are Rev. Floyd Strickland, pastor of the Avenue D Baptist and Alfred Parrack of Lubbock and Church, and the Rev. Jack O'Neal Albert Parrack of Littlefield; four pastor of the Green Hill Baptist good, smell so good, taste so good were Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson, Norsisters. Mmes. P. N. Viaille of Level- | Church. Mr. Strickland has submitted his resignation effective January 23, and will move to Campbell, Calif., to become pastor of the First Baptist Church. Mr. O'Neal is to become pastor of the Bethel Baptist in Sunnyvale, Calif., which is about 10 miles from Campbell.

Mr. O'Neal and Mrs. Strickland attended high school together in Rotan, and both their wives were originally from Rotan. The two ministers were separated for some time after graduation, but began preachof Commerce, before the Lions Club ing at about the same time and were ordained in the same service. They attended Hardin-Simmons University at the same time, and then pastororganizing a chamber of commerce. ed Fisher County churches concurrently. Both also served as pastor of the Highland Home Baptist Church in Rotan.

Mr. O'Neal came here as pastor of the Union Baptist Church. When Mr. Strickland moved here, they drove back and forth from Fort Worth together, attending classes at the seminary there during the week and working with the churches on

A short time ago, the two men made a preaching tour through California. There they renewed acquaintances with the Rev. Roy Young, general missionary in the area to which they are to move. Mr. Young had been pastor of the Highland Home church in Rotan while each of the men attended the church at differ-

Both families plan to move from Snyder at the end of this month. Mr. and Mrs. Strickland have two daughters. Reva and Gay Lynne, and a son, Joe Wendell. Mr. and Mrs. On'Neal have two sons, Leon and Charles, and a daughter, Deborah.

Mr. Strickland has served the Aveber, 1951, during which time the

-Haskel Free Press

Nineteen burglaries and six thefts during the past three months in 14 towns in an area extending from Odessa to Olney were cleared up last week in signed statements made to District Attorney Royce Adkins and investigating officers.

Break in the burglary ring resulted from investigations started by Haskell officers following several burglaries here, including that of the Club Cafe about two weeks ago.

Officers working on the burglary here and related cases were Sheriff Construction operations were R. M. (Bob) Cousins, Chief of Police



In Home Of Mrs. Wright ham and eggs.

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good breakfast. Here is the trick to making the making of copper planters. morning meal a favorite with everyone. Make it quick and easy, but make it hearty, make it sound so about eating it.

A simple breakfast menu-Orange juice

Creamed eggs and ham on toast Buttered toast — Jelly —Milk

At the Rotan Home Demonstration Club Jan. 7 at the home of Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Newton of Earth,

Miss Kinsey urged everyone to eat a good breakfast stating that the lack of it caused loss of energy and test show low blood sugar.

In the business session, presided over by Mrs. Annie Mae Hughes. Mrs. Homer Aaron was chosen Food Demonstrator, Mrs. Reveleen Nayfa and Mrs. Barney Bigham were chosen Food Training School leaders.

Mrs. Inez Ray and Mrs. L. E. Wright were chosen leaders for Livingroom Training Schools.

Mrs. W. L. Terrell was elected assistant council Delegate.

Others Attending were Mmes. Vida Frazier, O. R. Nowlin, Judson

The next meeting will be Jan. 21 Mrs. Judson Thompson will teach the

Among the out of town friends here for the funeral of Gilbert Lee you can be enthusiastic about cook- man, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Regnal ing it and the family can get excited Greenway, Elmer McGahan, Mrs. Ora Hall all of Amarillo; Bill Cole of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bradley of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Reeves of Sweetwater.

Horace Simpson of Amarillo, and

Rotan H. D. Club Meets E. Wright. Miss S. C. Kinsey dem- | visited in the C. M. Huckaby home | onstrated the making of creamed on Saturday and Sunday but had to Linda and Carolyn of Fort Worth, return home before the funeral of Mr. Huckaby.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leach, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tillotson and Ann Saturday night and Sun-



LEGAL NOTICE LEGAL NOTICE On January 10, 1955 The Commissioners Court met in regular session, compared and examined the Quarterly Report of Mrs. Isla McClure, County Treasurer, for the Quarter ending Dec. 31st, 1954, and found the same to be correct and the respective amounts to have been received and paid out during the quarter.

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Building & Permanent Imp.	2473.99	3647.61			188.30	5933.30
Road & Bridge, Prect. No. 1	535.50	19107.25			11940.95	7701.80
Road & Bridge, Prect. No.2	571.98	20396.64			12909.70	8058.92
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The requirements of Art. 394 Penal Code have been complied with and a tablular statement has been filed as required.

W. B. Owens Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 Jerry Crowley Commissioner of Precinct No. 2

(Seal)

Bruce McCain County Judge Subscribed to and sworn to this the 10th day of January 1955.

T. R. Underhill Commissioner of Precinct No. 3 Thurman Terry Commissioner of Precinct No. 4

Notary Public in and for Fisher County, Texas.

The Rotan Advance Thursday, Jan. 13, 1955

Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Ralls, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fillingim Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Whitfield of San Angelo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitfield and Mrs. R. M. Smith Sunday.

of last week and her son, Jack patton of Spur, visited her the following

Mrs. Mike Leon and Mrs. Wesley, Mrs. Jack Wilhite and Mrs. Mark | High School Girls Mabre of Lubbock, visited their Strickland were in Abilene Wednesmother, Mrs. J. W. Patton, Monday day of last week and heard the Eastern New Mexico University Choir of Portales, N. M. in a concert at Hardin-Simmons University. Jim Elyce Ribble, daughter of Mr. and Reva Jo Watson of Texas Tech, Mrs. Ribble, former residents of Rospent the week end here with her tan, is a membebr of the Choir and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wat- Mrs. Wilhite and Mrs. Strickland had a nice visit with her.

Invited To Homemaker

January 12 will be "Homemaker of Tomorrow Day" in Rotan. It will be a day of opportunity for the senior girls of Rotan High School who have been enrolled in the Betty ticipation and continuing education. Crocker Search for the American Homemaker of Tomorrow.

women of the senior graduating for use in classroom discussions to classes in 8,090 participating high schools throughout the United States will take a written examination testing their aptitude for the career page homemaking guide which will that awaits nearly all of themhomemaking.

This 50-minute written examination will be the basis for selecting amination in each school will be enthe Homemakers of Tomorrow in tered in state competition where the each school, state and, finally on winner will receive a \$1,500 scholar-April 21, the nation.

Scholarship totaling \$75,000, travel opportunities and other educational prizes are being offered by General Mills, sponsor of this search Encyclopedia Britannica. designed to assist the schools in

Science Research Associates of Chi-leaders.

cago, will consist of multiple choice Health Officer Says and subjective questions which will test the student's attitude and knoledge in such major areas of homemaking as family relationship spiritual values, child care, health, safety, conservation of resources, money management, recreation home beautification, community par-

A criteria chart which evaluates these factors in home and family Simultaneously, 189,530 young living has been sent to the schools prepare the participants for the examination. After each girl has taken the test, she will receive a 24assist her in pursuing her future

> The girl receiving the highest exship and a trip with her school advisor to Washington, D. C., colonial Williamsburg, Va., and Philadelphia. Her school will receive a set of the

career.

The state winner who is selected building in young women a deeper the All-American Homemaker of Tnappreciation and understanding of morrow in Philadelphia April 21 the American home and the person- will receive a \$5,000 scholarship. al qualities necessary to successful Aiding in making the selection will be a committee consisting of 13 na-The examination, prepared by tionally known educators and publec

Greatest Problem

AUSTIN, State Health Officer Henry A. Holle believes chronic diseases represent one of the biggest problems facing health officials to-

Chronic Diseases Are

Recent statistics compiled by the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Texas State Department of Health, show: 1. 23% of all deaths among 15-29 year olds are due to chonic diseases, with malignant neoplasms being the leading chonic disease.

2. "Well over half" the mortality in the 30-40 age group is due to chronic disease, with heart trouble, cancer and vascular lesions being the leaders.

3. "Almost 8 out of 10" deaths in the 45-59 bracket are caused by this disease classification, with the proportion rising to 85 per cent for those 60 to 74 years old.

4. For those 75 and over chronic diseases cause 84 per cent of the total mortality. The slight decrease in percentage over age 75 is because of the high susceptibility to accidents, pneumonia, and influenza among the aged.

"When chronic diseases is mentioned, all too many people think of the problem as being confined to the middle-aged or older," the health chief said, adding that such an idea was not consistent with the facts.

The term chronic," Dr. Holle explained, "means the opposite of accute. When applied to a disease, chronic means of long duration. That would mean cancer or tyberculosis is chronic, while smallpox or poliomyelitis is acute.

"The significant thing," Dr. Holle indicated, "is that the chronic disease classification causes 23% of all deaths among young people in the 15-29 age bracket."

"Obviously, that makes the teen ages the first age at which the diseases assume a major mortality

Ashley Honored At Texas Tech

LUBBACK, Jan. 11-James Ashley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ashley of Rotan was recently elected vibce-president of the Epsilon Phi chapter of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

The Kappa Sig fraternity was Tech on May 16, 1953. Formerly installed on the campus of Texas the organization was known as the College Club, organized in 1928, It is the oldest men's social fraternity on the campus.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davis of Sweetwater, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Williamson, Sunday. Their daughter Carlla returned home with them. She had visited her grandparents since Friday.





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'As It Looks From Here'sideration by the committee of the Omar Burleson, M. C.

the first of the weekly columns may emerge after committee action which will be submitted to all the and after debate on the Floor of the newspapers of the 17th Congression- Congress. Many times a bill may be al District during this session of the changed from the original until it is

It will be my purpose to call the attention of my constituents to the many issues considered by the Congress. An effort will be made to report to the people as I observe and participate in the United States Congress, and not merely report is also an optomist feeling among news which you read in the daily newspapers or hear broascast on the

mention some of the main issues this session of the Congress, and at all times my door will be open to your suggestions and inquiries. Furthermore, it is my business to know how the people whom I represent feel about these matters which vitally affect all of us.

Overshadowing all other considerations, it seems to me that peace in the world always must be the principal objective. Every means possible should be exhausted to guard against the theat of war. Under present conditions, to be stronger than any enemy is the best guarantee of peace. To this end we must insure an adequate defense and promote international cooperation where possible.

At the same time, we must reinforce our economy; expand industry; and seek new markets, especi-

allly for any agricultural surpluses. There are a number of issues on the home front which likely will prove controversal. The President delivered his State of the Union Message last week, in which he proposed numerous subjects for legislation action. During the next month and a half the President will send a number of Special Messages to the Congress dealing with both foreign and domestic policy. Each subject will receive long and careful con-

ticular matter. On many of them it is The New SS Laws Congress which deals with the par-WASHINGTON, D. C. -This is unpredictable as to what final form finally ready for the President's

signature. All things considered, it is the that this session of the Congress may run rather smoothly. A feeling of optimism generally prevails. There those both inside and out of government that our economy will expand and that 1955 may be one of the In my column next week I shall most prosperous years the country has ever had. The prospects for this which are likely to be considered in being true in practically everything except agriculture are very good. On the other hand, it is my personal belief that unless we have a strong agricultural economy, business generally cannot be maintained at the high level predicted. This has always been true and theory is not going to change it. This means that the farmer must have a greater opportunity to raise his annual income than now appears in prospect. Especially is this true in the areas which have been hit so hard by the

Let me urge again tat as the various issues before the Congress arise and after they are defined enough to have substance and meaning, the

| County Farmers And

Mr. G. A. (Joe) Dismore, president of the Fisher County Farmers Union, has announced that there will be a meeting at the REA Building in Roby, Texas on January 17th at 7:30 to discuss the new social security laws and how they will affect the farmer. Mr. Dismore states guess of many experiences observers that Mr. R. R. (Bob) Tuley, who is district manager of the Abilene Office of the Social Security Administration will be present to explain the provisions and to answer any questions that the individual farmer

may wish to ask. Mr. Dismore states that the nev law now brings Federal old-age and survivors insurance to most farm families and that the two main changes are: First, beginning Janu ary 1, 1955 nearly all farm operators who make as much as \$400.00 profit per year will come under old age and supervisors insurance and: second, farm employees who draw as much as \$100.00 per year from any one farmer gets the same protection. The meeting will discuss who reports for tenants, sharecroppers, farm laborers, etc. Many farmers will need to know who pays social

preciated and highly respected.

This thought may help us some time: "Few things can get as heavy views of my constituents will be ap-las a chip on our shoulder."

INCOME TAX TIME IS HERE AGAIN!

There has been material changes made in the Tax Laws for 1954.

My office is now located next door to Ritz Theatre.

DONO DAY

Humble TV Show To Feature Research Work

Work being done at The Southwest Research Institute near San Antonio will be featured nevt week program, Texas in Review.

The Institute makes its facilities available to businesses, inventors and others wishing to develop ideas. How industry uses the Institute's research in chemistry, physics, chemical engineering and mineralogy will tonio, 10:15 p.m.

tape and trouble later on.

be featured.

The program will also include other interesting features about Texas.

Monday (January 17) Texas in Review can be seen on KTRK-TV, Houston, 7:00 p.m.; (KRBC-TV, Abilene, 8:00 p.m.; KRLD-TV, Dallas, 7:30 p.m.; WBAP-TV, Ft. Worth, 8:00 p.m.; KWFT-TV, Wichita Falls. 7:30 p.m.; KGNC-TV, Amarillo, 8:30 p.m.; and WOAI-TV, San An-

On Tuesday (January 18) the security taxes and how they are paid. program appears on KTBC-TV, Aus-Mr. Dismore states that the meet- tin, 8:30 p.m.; KRGV-TV, Weslaing will be open to all farmers re- ca, 8:00 p.m.; KLTV, Tyler, 8:00 gardless of whether they are mem- p.m.; KCBD-TV, Lubbock, 8:00 p.m.; bers of the Fisher County Farmers KTXL-TV, San Angelo, 7:30 p.m.; Union. He states that little time now KCEN-TV, Temple, 8:30 p.m.; may save each farmer much red KMID-TV, Midland, 8:30 p.m.; and KCMC-TV, Texarkana, 7:00 p.m.

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Brucellosis Committee Seeks To Stop Disease

AUSTIN-The Texas Brucellosis Committee today revealed a 3 point program to rid Texas of brucellosis in man and animals. Brucellosis, known as undulant fewer in humans and Bang's disease in livestock is responsible for at least a 15 million dollar livestock loss in Texas every year, according to reliable veterinary authorities. No estimate has been made of effect of illness and suffering caused in humans bby the dis-

The statewide committee, made up of official representatives of 28 health authorities. livestock organizzations and allied interests was formed in 1954 to losis program in Texas was pointed son, Mr. and Mrs. Sug Sollins. combat the disease.

ed the following recommendations ing that meeting a group of interes- over and above the usual losses from which it is recommending to its ted livestock men and leaders saw the disease. A steering committee

member groups for action:

tial majority of livestock owners of areas concerned.

2. Legislation requiring pasteurization of all milk sold for human Posey, Poyce Edwards, D. L. Noles, Monday night from Dallas, where consumption, except that coming Sue Morrow, Donda Hayes, Janice from certified brucellosis free herds. Carriker and the honoree. Although the large bulk of processors and distributors of milk sold in Texas are already complying with announcing the birth of a boy, born this standard, the suggested legis- Sunday morning in the Sweetwater lation is intended as a further pub- hospital. The young man has been lic health safeguard.

to allow producers to take advant- nia and Mrs. Collins has been stayage of approved plans for eradica- ing with her mother in Roby. He artion of brucellosis in livestock as rived in Sweetwater Sunday night. recommended by U. S. livestock His mother, Mrs. Walter Collins

up by a Southern Brucellosis Con-

Peggy Jo Sparks Honored With Brunch

Mrs. Jack Kennedy entertained with a brunch Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at her ranch home north of town, honoring Peggy Jo Sparks, bride-elect of Darrell Underhill. She used a farm theme in decorations on the dining table and coffee table.

Kitchen gadgets were used as plate favors on the four small tables and these were presented the hono-

recipe and these were put in a recipe file and also presented to the honoree. Guests attending were Lafon Porter, Carrol Roberts, Jan Carriker, Dimples Hardy, Peggy Roberson, Lanny Posey, Betty Helms, Shirley Parker and the honoree.

Claude Carriker, entertained a group club. of girls honoring Peggy Jo. Tea towels were hemmed and embroidered and presented to her. Sandwichthe social hour to Betty Helms, La- Edna Branscum. fon Porter, Peggy Roberson, Dimples Hardy, Judy Porter, Lanny

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins are named Robert Yynn, Mr. Collins is 3. A modification of present laws stationed at Moffett Field Califorspent the week end in Sweetwater The need for a stepped up brucel- with them and also visited another

This broad interest group develop- ference held early in 1954. Follow- economic penalties at the market that brucellosis must be knocked was appointed. This group called a 1. An area wide eradication pro- out of the state's livestock popula- meeting of representatives of Texas gram when approved by a substantion or owners might suffer severe livestock groups to discuss the prob-

The Rotan Advance Thursday, Jan. 13, 1955

HD Council Holds Leader Training Meet

The Fisher County Home Demonstration Council sponsored a leader training meeting in the District Court room at Roby, Jan. 5 from 10:30 to 4:30 having a covered dish

Mrs. Carl Wiley was instructor from Center Club with Mrs. P. D. Each guest wrote her favorite Campbell and Tem Randolph help-

> Copper planters were made by leaders from Hobbs, Rotan, Capitola and McCaulley Clubs. Those attending were: Mrs. Jud-

son Thompson Rotan club, Mrs. Ray Maberry McCaulley, Mmes. Tom Then Saturday afternoon Jan Car- Hargrove and Joe Dismore Hobbs riker, assisted by her mother, Mrs. and Mrs. C. E. McCain Capitola

Mr. and Bill Moore of Brownood, visited relatives and friends here es and drinks were served during Sunday. Mrs. Moore is the former

> Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day returned they attended the men't market.



Have we not all one Father? Hath not one God created us? -(Malachi 2, 10.)

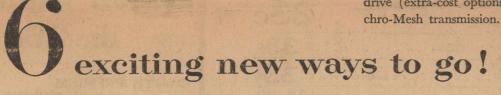
All men are brothers in the sight of God, for He made all of us, alike and equal When, through prayer and righteous living, we have found Him, we should pray that all men will do likewise, to know His love and mercy To fail to do so is to deny the greatest good we

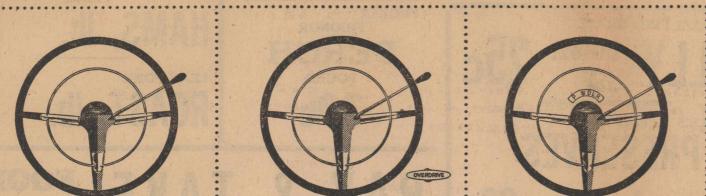
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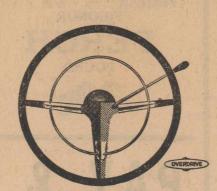
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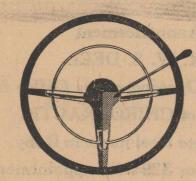
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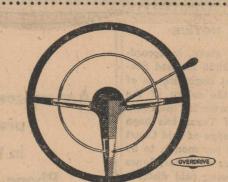
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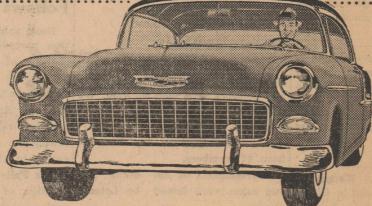
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Allen To Take Degree From NTSC, Denton

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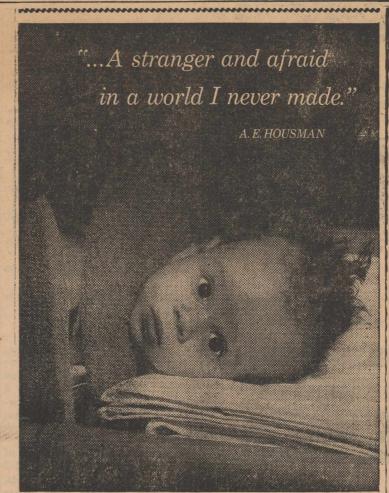
Allen, the son of Mrs. Earl Halcomb, Box 41, is a history major.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kiker and and Mrs. L. C. Miller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Cave and Jane went to Big Spring Saturday to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Taylor. until Monday.

Mrs. Clint Carter returned Saturday from Carlsbad, N. M., where she had spent a week with her mother, Mrs. John Jones who is ill.

Mrs. J. V. Hellums returned Frichildren of Sweetwater, visited Mr. day from Big Spring and Austin, where she had spent a week.



Three-month-old Bobby Hill of Blanchester, Ohio was America's youngest iron lung polio patient in 1954. This emergency March of Dimes respirator saved his life. Now freed from the respirator, Bobby will continue to receive all the March of Dimes help he needs in his journey back to health. The March of Dimes will end on January 31.

THE HOPE:

school children throughout America were inoculated with a trial polio vaccine, which offers great hope for the future. Now the results of this enormous trial operation are being evaluated by Dr. Thomas Francis Jr. and his staff at the University of Michigan. The Francis Report will be issued some time this spring. Until then, no one

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Foundation for Infantile Paralysis is taking a \$9,000,-000 calculated risk on the success of the trial vaccine. Here's how: the National Foundation is purchasing enough of the vaccine right now to give three inoculations each to about 9,000,000 people. This is so it can be used immediately where most needed, if the Francis Report will know whether the trial vaccine is the beginning of is favorable. The stakes are high but worth it.

THE GAMBLE:

While the Francis Report is

being awaited, the National

THE OUTLOOK:

the end for polio.

If the vaccine is licensed for use, it will mean that thousands of children, and adults too, will be spared the ordeal of Bobby Hill, youngest iron lung patient stricken in 1954. But for Bobby Hill himself, a proven vaccine can be of no help. His will be a long and difficult fight, just as it will be for thousands of other polio patients. And even with a successful vaccine it will not be possible to prevent many thousands of new cases during the next

To pay for all this . . . vaccine, treatment of patients like Bobby Hill, new scientific research, training of treatment personnel and for special equipment such as iron lungs . . . your generous contribution to the March of Dimes is needed.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to say "thank you" from the depths of our hearts. To you, doctors and nurses who worked so faithful with our loved one, the many, many friends in their kindness expressed in words, food and flowers, all these things have helped so much, and we appreciated the serices of local Masons.

We will never forget you. The C. M. Huckaby family

CARD OF THANKS

Please allow us to take this means of expressing our sincere and heartfelt gratitude for the many acts of kindness extended us in our recent

We especially thank those who prepared and served the food. May God bless each and one of

> Mrs. Gilbert Lee Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Corhn.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank each and everyone for your kindness, for each comforting word of sympathy and act of kindness during the dark hours of sorrow because of the death of our loved one, Gilbert Lee.

Especially are we grateful for the nice floral offering. May God bless each of you.

Mrs. V. N. Lee, her daughters and their families.

Frances Quett and Ruth Hudgins attended to buisness in Abilene Sat- 5212. urday. Miss Shirley Thompson a student at Hardin-Simmons returned with them to visit in the home of the Ranges and Washing Machines-Sargents. Claude and Frances took Home Lumber Company. her back Sunday night.

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OUR VALUE—CUT GREEN

BEANS, 303 Can

DIAMOND NAVY

BEANS, 300 size, 12 cans

BACON, Pound

PEBECO

TOOTH PASTE, 25c size

ASPIRIN, Bottle 100

MEADS OR MRS. BAIRD'S - BIG 24-oz.

BREAD, Loaf

ROBIN HOOD

FLOUR, 25 Pounds \$1.79

RINSO, Large Size

FANCY ROMAN BEAUTY APPLES, Lb.

CHECK THE CASH SAVINGS YOU MAKE EVERY DAY

NO. 2 ADAMS ORANGE JUICE 2 for 25°

SUNSHINE

CARROTS

OAT MEAL COOKIES

25c 3-LB. BAGS

NO. 2 — CREAM STYLE

Strawberries

10 oz. pkg. . 25c

FRIONOR

PERCH

39c

OAK FARMS

SUNSHINE — KRISPY SALTINES 23c Large Sunkist ORANGES

Large Burket PECANS, 3 lbs. \$1.00

KIMBELL'S FINE GRAPE

KIMBELL'S APRICOT

Registered Duroc boar for service,

Will give free material in black-

Will the party who borrowed jack

plane please return. Clark-Benson

John Carter, Phone 4212. 50-1tp

Wanted-Permanent general farm

Lost, White with liver spots Point-

sander, please return. Clark-Ben-

Mae Phillips returned Wednesday

son Hardware Co.

hand, by day, week or month-Rush

smith shop building on north high-

way to get same moved and lot

B. W. Gray, phone 5885.

cleared .- T. O. SoRelle.

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PRESERVES

PAY & TAKE 29c

OFFICIAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with Article 2326 Revised Statutes of Texas, that beginning as of January 1, 1955, the salary of the Official Court Reporter for the 104th Judicial District of Texas has been increased by the Judge of said Court from \$350 to \$400 per month, to be paid by the Counties of Fisher, Jones and Taylor, composing said district, I am going to Long Beach Jan. 25, in the proportions, respectively, as 53 Chevrolet. Will take 3 passengers. provided by law.

M. T. Wilson

The 4th grade Brownies met with er bird dog, answers to Pal, tag on collar, reward, C. B. Barth, phone

have 17 members.

Refreshments of hot cocoa and Roger Fuller. cup cakes were served by Leteace

FROZEN

County Auditor of Fisher County, Texas

Brownies Meet

Mrs. Mitchell Nayfa at the Brownie hut Tuesday afternoon at 3:30. We The Pagan", at Lance Theatre, Sun- sion." Jeff Morrow, George Dalenz, started a new project of hammered day and Monday, bringing the pic- Eduard Franz, Allison Hayes, Alex-Will the party who borrowed disc aluminum ash trays.

-Alonkia Nayfa, Reporter tila, the Hun, in twenty-five years, trip to Austin.

DR. W. S. DEEL

Announcement

GOLDEN RIPE

SUNKIST - LARGE

SCHILLINGS — FINE

NO. 1 — LARGE, RED

POTATOES

10 lbs. 35c

CHEESE SPREAD

2 lb. box 65c

Bacon Squares

lb. 25c

FULLY COOKED

PREMIUM

HAMS, Ib.

ROAST, Ib.

LEAN PORK

69c

47c

39c

ARMOUR'S CLOVERBLOOM

1-2 Gal. Carton

SUGAR CURED

US CHOICE - ROUND

41c

10c

39c

21c

CORN, can

Bananas

35c

Announces the Opening of his Office for the practice of CHIROPRACTIC in the Pete Deel home in Roby.

Phone 3542 or 3291 for appointment.

Sign of the Pagan' Follows Hit Novel

Book publishing and film production precedents were set with the showing of Universal-International's Technicolor CinemaScope "Sign of ture into release in record time, fol- ander Scourby and Sara Shane head We are happy to say that we lowing the current Dial Press publi- the feature cast of this Albert J. cation of the spectacular novel by Cohen production.

is the first novel by Fuller, a prominent contributor to national maga-

Starring Jeff Chandler, Jack Palance, Ludmilla Tcherina and Rita Gam, "Sign of The Pagan" was directed by Douglas Sirk, whose last picture was "Magnificent Obses-

"Sign of The Pagan," the first Rudy Lotief and Fred Byerly, Jr. major novel based on the life of At- returned Monday rom a business

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