The Yellowhammer Booster Cruz is having an important meeting Saturday, February 11, 8:00 p. m. at the School Cafeteria.

All members and interested persons are urged to be present.

'Tasting Party' Set For Sunday Afternoon

The Texas Chi Kappa Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi are inviting you to come to their "Tasting Party" Sunday, Feb. 12, from 3:00 to 5:00 in the new Youth Center building in Rotan. Come and taste all different types and kinds of food and drink. Free coffee will be served.

Each member will have four different kinds of food and each guest will taste anything he likes and recipes of each will be sold for 10c, or a book of all the recipes will be on sale for 50c each. This will be a lot of fun, come and eat and eat. and eat.

Tickets are 50c each and any of the following members of Beta Sigma Phi will sell you ticket or they may be purchased at the door: Lewana Graham, Joyce Hill, Peggy Underhill, Jan Helms, Joe Rowland, Dimples Hardy, Beth Wright, Linda Schkade, Carol Roberts, Billie Mrs. E. F. Young Dies McGrew, Margaret Allen, Peggy Morrow, Mary Edwards, Gail Williams, Marie Ashbrook, Wilma Robertson, Nancy Loving land Margaret Johnston.

had these "Tasting Parties" and all Mrs. Young died at 5:50 p. m. The City had all heavy equipreport a wonderful time and lots of Friday at Callan Hospital following ment and regular men at work Tueseating and fun for everyone, so an extended illness. She had been day afternoon clearing main street come on out and lets make this a in the hospital two days. big party for Rotan.

Fair-Rodeo Meeting In Roby February 16

There will be an open meeting of the Fisher County Fair and Rodeo pallbears. Association Thursday night, Februray 16, at 7:30 p. m. in the Agricul- Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Fisher. Mrs. tural Building on the Fair Grounds Young was born January 5, 1871 in Carriker On Several in Roby, according to H. L. Davis, Association President.

out the 1960 association year. Four preceeded her in death. directors serving out their two Survivors include three daughyear terms and to be replaced at ters, Mrs. Alva Montgomery, Mrs. ans at getting choice committee the meeting are Bob Baugh, Guy A. C. Eaton and Mrs. T. B. Foster assignments for Speaker James Tur-Kemp, H. L. Davis and Tom Parker. of Rotan; one son, Fate of Cisco; Officers for this year will also be four sisters, Mrs. Brady Ea lof tives Monday.

Brittain Letters At Hardin-Simmons

Abilene--A total of 41 athletes 17 great-great-grandchildren. have been recommended for numeral and letter awards in football at H. L. Davis Making awards were recommended by the Building Improvements

numerals will go to 19 players.

Bradley Brittain of Rotan is among the 19 Freshmen.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williamson Washington. They plan to go by Fort Ord, Calif., and visit their son Jimmy who is stationed there. HD Club Enjoys They had visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Williamson and her mother, Mrs. Watson and other rel-

Supt. and Mrs. Charles Champion and sons of Jayton visited here Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burnes and John.

Hospital News

Hospital from Feb. 1 to 7 were: Jess of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Crow, Ben Hargrove, Mrs. Walter L. Terrell and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Miers, Mrs. E. F. Young, Mrs. A. Cavitt Sunday. Mr. Cavitt has been gelo. W. Canfil, Homer Stanford, Mrs. in the hospital several weeks for ricge vows March 4 at six o'clock The body of men was one of sev-B. B. Clark, Floyd Noles, Mrs. Cal-treatment of a heart condition, and vin Phillips, Betsey Wiley, Mrs. E. is improving nicely. The ladies are Christ in Rotan. J Cnewford, Saundra Henderson, sisters. F. A. Jones, Porter Wright, Mrs. V. C. Tankersley, Mrs. Mike Barron, Mr. and Mrs. Don Denton of Ab-

es, Hamlin; S. D. Redus, Hamlin; Denton, Mrs. Curtis Dodd, Hamlin; Miss Berth Minshew, Roby; J. E. Murrell, Jayton; Mrs. Ysidro Noyola, Monday in Callan hospital and is Clairement; Ernest D. Roberts, doing nicely. Lubbock; J. W. Sharp, Roby; Floyd Wallace, Hamlin; Mrs. C .W. Till, Clairemont; G. D. Canterberry, Loyd left Wednesday for a two tended to business in Abilene Mon-honoring Mr. Terry in the home of in Rotan Tuesday. They were mar- Hardin-Simmons visited with Mr.

Richardson, Alaska my PFC. Buford

ROTAN ADVANCE

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Rotan, Fisher County, Texas,

Thursday, February 9, 1961

Mayor and Councilman, Winter Weather Again Contracts Extended Election Is Called

City election of Mayor and three Councilmen has been called for Ap-

Officers whose terms expire then Councilmen Carlton Burrow, C. J. Thornton and Mrs. R. R. Gray.

Names to be placed on the ballot may be filed in the usual manner. Rotan Lions Club are making plans for another big Plancake Sup-

per, scheduled for February 24 at School Cafeteria This popular event always draws large crowds. Customers get all

a good cause, in addition.

Of Extended Illness

F. Young, 90, pioneer citizen of nesday afternoons had melted most Rotan area was held Sunday at 2:00 of the snow off all side streets. But Several neighboring towns have p. m. in First Methodist Church. It rds and fields were still covered.

> Rev. William E. Pearce, pastor of time in history of Rotan this was ne-First Methodist Church officiated cessary. It was a splended move as and burial was in Dowell cemetery, with tractor loader and dump trucks Funeral Home.

Grandsons of Mrs. Young were

She was the duaghter of the late did season already in the soil. Tennessee and was married to S. V. Young there in 1888, moving to Imprortant Committees Purpose of the meeting is to close Fisher County in 1905. Mr. Young

Rotan, Mrs. W E. Hittson of Lub- Carriker was named chairman of and Mrs. Walter Montgomedy of vice chairan of the agriculture com-

Ten senior gridders were among A new ceiling of the latest type Husband of Former the 22 varsity athletes receiving is being installed at H. L. Davis and letters. Also included were six Co., this week. The ceiling is lowjuniors and six sophomores clong ered 15 inches, which will better with three managers. Freshman control temperature, summer and band of the former "Little Lullene"

tion is to control acoustics in the the Ft. Worth Stock Show last entire building. This in addition week. His condition was reported to the electric door and other modleft for their home in Olympnia, ern fixtures, mi kes this one of the most moden stores in this area.

Demonstration

Rotan Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Vernon Frazier, February 3.

nteresting talk on Use and Care of ed during a fast-gited maneuver the Electric Skillet.

Mrs. A. L. Burrow and sons Mrs. C. C. Roach, Mrs. Wayne Now- tern featured in the presentation Taggart in Inaugural Ricky and Mike went to Levelland lin, Mrs. Richard Ray, Mrs. O. R. of the colors at the rodeo." Friday to visit the parents of Mr. Nowlin, Mrs. Ragan and Mrs. Bighm. Visitors were Miss Alice Approaching Marriage Kemp and Mrs. Martin Rackley. The Club will meet at the home of

Local patients admitted to Callan Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Decker

Mrs. H. L. Dycus, Feb. 17.

lilene spent the weekend here with Out-of-town patients: Lewis Yat, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John

Mrs. E. J. Crawford had surgery

Mr. and Mrs. Coulter Senn and weeks vacation in Florida.

Over Entire Area

Winter weather again swept inutes. No damage was reported and to 3 years, expiring in 1964. ,36 inch of moisture was gauged by Fred Byerly.

until late Monday night. Most citthey can eat for 50c and are helping izens cannot remember snow falling here for two days and nights before. Advance sale of tickets will start Byerly gauged the snow at 5 inches with .48 inch of moisture.

No serious accidents were report ed, as traffic moved slow. Streets and sidewalks were very slick through Tuesday morning, but bright, Funeral service for Mrs. Elenora warm sunshine Tuesday and Wed-

and sidewalks. This was the first under direction of Weathersbee most of the snow was hauled from the street during the afternoon.

Although this seige was disagreeable, it further adds to the splen-

Rep. Max D. Carriker of Roby was the champion among West Tex-

children, 51 great-grandchildren and which will originate all tax bills, and C. C. Roach said today. Hale-Aiken school program.

is penitentiaries.

Bob Moore of Grand Prairie, hus-Thomas, who was reared by Mr. and Primary purpose of the installa- Mrs. Clifton Blount, was injured at as improved, this week.

The following is taken from the Star Telegram : old odd

Bob Moore of Grand Prairie remained in poor condition Saturday t All Saints Hospital with a head injury received at the Thursday afternoon performance of the Fort Worth Stock Show rodeo.

Moore unconscious, was injured Mrs. Archie Ragan gave v very when his horse and another collidof the rodeo's grand entry.

Mrs. Barney Bigham cooked a Moore's horse rolled over him. Lorna McCright of Hardin-Sim- Pine pple Upside-Down in electric Riding as a representative of mons visited with her parents, Mr. skillet while the members looked on. District 30, American Association and Mrs. J. L. McCright over the After a short business session, of Sheriff Posses and Riding Clubs, refreshments were served to Mrs. Moore was hurt as he spurred his Roach pointed out. Joe Henry, Mrs. Homer Aaron, mount in a precision criss-cross pat-

Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sandusky of nouncing the engagement and ap Texas, was one of 294 scilors from of Big Spring; Mrs. A. D. Pettit of Base, Twentynine Palm, Cal'f. proaching marriage of their daugh, the Service School Command of the Lambbook; Mrs. George Walters of He was recently promoted to his ter, Joyce, to Donald Park, son of Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Smyrne, Tenn.; Mrs. H. S. Thorne present rank. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Park of San An- Md., who participated, Jan. 20, in of Lubbock and Mrs. L. R. Baxter

in the evening at the Church of

Miss Shipp is a graduate of Rotan High School and attended Draughon's Business College, Abilene. She is employed in the circulation department of the Abilene Reporter-News.

Her fiance is a graduate of Wylie High School. He is a member of the U. S. Army's 5th Missle Battalion stationed in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vittitow at-

For School Officials

At regular meeting of the Board Principals John M. Redd of high placed at Ragsdale Drug.

and about noon light snow started the Board adopted annual policy of many more are needed. falling, which continued constantly considering contract of Superinten- The glasses collected will be sent days.

Teachers contracts in March.

Meeting Set On Fighting world. And Prevention of Petroleum Fires

An important meeting will be ferent phases of the work.

butane etc., for vehicle and domes- oculists.



Conservation Stamp Release eb. 2

bock, Mrs. Lou Eaton of Hamlin the judicial districts committee and oking forward to issuance of the help of all in this section of gade." Greer said. "There are more worlds first range conservation pos- West Texas. Matador; one brother, P. H. Fisher mittee. He was also appointed to the tage stamp by the Post Office De- If you have discarded eyeglasses were Texans in 1920 and the per-

2 at the American Society vidual. His fifth committee assignment of Range Mangements annual meeting at Salt Lake City.

post office here on February 6,

a modern range conservation scene. Mrs. D. Davis. De plates. The penalty for operating at verbolizes the development of range Thompson, she was born in Hamil hicle without home county license

fic management techniques." Those who are interested in a lope, can mail addressed envelopes died in 1940. plus a money order or certified Funeral was held at 2 p. m. be granted for the illegal plates.

check for the number of stamps re- Friday in the Church of Christ at Owners registering illegally in envelopes, cancel with a special can-ter, officiating. cellation mark used only on that day and at that place, and mail as ad- under direction of Weathersbee fees stays in your home county to dressed anywhere in the country,

Parade With Group

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Shipp are an- Taggart of 109 Burnside, Rotan, King City, Calif.; Mrs. Emett Dobbs the world's largest Marine Corps The couple will exchange mar- John F. Kennedy.

taking part in the ceremony.

ted last week in the home of Mr. Ola Lester of Evant; 31 grandchil- All members of both organizations and Mrs. Alvin Clark. R. M. Cox dren; 31 great-grandchildren and are urged to attend. of Stamford also visited the Clarks 3 great-great-grandchildren. and he took Mrs. Orley home Sat-

in Coleman Friday with Mrs. Ter- Abilene. ry's brother and other relatives. A birthday dinner was given Sunday their daughter, in Sweetwater.

Program To Collect Discarded Eveglasses

A program to be distributed to the sarea Saturday after two of Trustees, Tuesday night, con- among the needy of the world, Shamrock Service Station will hold days of sunshine. Late Saturday tract for Superintendent and three through proper supervision, was Open House tomorrow and Saturafternoon a thunder shower covered Principals were extended. Supt. started here this week. A recep-day at his new location. are, Mayor Juston Morrow and the area, accompanied with much McCasland, who is in his first year tacle with a placard reading, "Dosmall hall falling for about 30 min- of a 2 year contract was extended nate your Discarded Glasses so ized and made very attractive and

> school; Neil Wright, junior high The receptale was placed in Rag-Sunday morning the ground was and Mrs. Jewel Tillotson of primary dales' before Christmas by Mrs. and lollipops for the kids, both days. covered by light snow, falling dur- school were each extended 1 year to Roy Duckett of Sweetwater. Mr. ing Saturday night. Freezing tem- present contract, expiring in 1963. Ragsdale reports near 100 glasses wance. He is offering 5 pounds of penature prevailed during the day In addition to regular business have been gathered to date, but sugar, free, with the purchase of 10

> > dent lett January meeting; Principals to New Eyes, Inc., Short Hills, N. contracts at February meeting and J. where volunteer workers sort and test them. Then they are sent to underprivileged people over the

endorsed by the National Society, plates in Texas announced State Hi-American Academy of Ophthalmo-ghway Engineer D. C. Greer today. logy.

held Mond y, 7 p. m. at Rollins a Red Cross worker during the de- ent style of letters and numerals Motor Company, sponsored by Ro- pression when she noted many of have been used to make the plate an Fire Department, on Safety and the applications for aid were from more readable from a distance. Bla-Fighting Petroleum Fires. Mike persons with poor vision. She be-ck letters and numerals on a white Myrick of Houston, safety engineer gan collecting discarded glasses. background is the color scheme for with Pan-American Insurance Co., The president of a rotal refinery 1961. will tolk and show film on the dif- in Newark, N. J. told or gold A new numbering system will be frames and old jewelry in quantity used for some classifications such as The public is invited to attend was valuable. She began collect trailers, truck tractors and buses. this meeting, which should prove in- ing these too and from funds rais- These classifications will have a oneteresting with many people using ed from the sale sent patients to letter prefix with from two-to-five

The Red Cross worker wrote articles and made broadcasts and the response was tremendous.

"New Eyes, Inc." at Short Hills, N. J., has only one salaried worker, creasing number of registered vea secretary. Seventy-five volun-hicles in Texas. teer workers do the sorting and testing on the glasses donated.

Needy, Inc.," and is adding the pro- ing California and New York. gram by arranging collecting sta-

Funeral Service For

Mrs. J. W. McKay, 81, long-time er's residence. The stamp is in two parts. One Fisher County resident died Wed- "Do not tak the County Tax Colpart is a reproduction of the famous nesday in the Hamlin Hospital. lector to violate the law. He is redrawing, "Trail Boss", by Charles She had been in ill health for some quired to demand to see your certi-Russell, the distinguished artist of time and for several years had made ficate of title and 1960 license re-Western life. The other part shows her home in Roby with a daughter, cerpt before he can issue your 1961

conservation from the pioneer dys ton County, July 23, 1879. She plates is the same as operating a veof the open range to todays scienti- was married there in 1896 to Mr. hicle with no plates at fall. Court fi-

McKay.

quired to the postmaster at Salt Rotan with Ed Bryant, Roby Church 1961 can expect to face court char-Lake City, Utah, who will place the of Christ minister and Martin Kam- ges. range conservation stamp on the stra, Rotan Church of Christ minis-

> Funeral Home. Grandsons were pallbearers.

Surviving are two sons, Homer of Kerns Serving With Lubbock and Bill of Tipton, Calif.; Howitzer Battery 11 daughters, Mrs. J.W. Young of Post; Mrs. W. M. Thompson of Twentynine Palms (FHTNC-Ma-Bainbridge (FHTNC)-Gary Tag- Barrel, Calif., Mrs. Alpha Davis of and Mrs. Charlie R. Kerns of Rogart, radioman seaman apprentice Roby; Mrs. Carolyn Carroll of El tan, Tevas, is serving with the USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Centro, Calif.; Mrs. Bill Watley of Fourth 8-inch Howitzer It ttery at the inaugural parade for President of San Diego, Calif; three brothers, WWI Vets To The Thompson of Evant; Charles Meet Sunday eral Navy and Marine Corps units of Evant; four sisters, Mrs. Martha Veterans of WWI will meet Sun-Hawthorne of Memphis, Texas; Mrs. day 2:00 at Gann's O fe.

ried Derember 29.

Shamrock Station Open House Fri.-Sat.

Ross Burnes, operator of the

The station was recently modernthat others may See," has been Mr. Burnes invites the public to inspect his new location.

He will have free gifts for adults See his ad in this issue of the Adgallons of Shamrock gasoline both

Motor Vehicle Registration Starts

February-March is the renewal Work of the 'New Eyes, Inc" is period for motor vehicle lincense

Texans will notice a newly desing-The work started in the mind of ed license plate for 1961. A differ-

> digit numerals. For example: A trailer number could be A-10 or A-123-45. The numbering system for other classifications will remain the same as 1960. The change in the system

The Texas Highway Department estimated that vehicle registration Mrs. Luther Jackson of 302 in Texts for 1960 will total 4,800, Beall Street, Sweetwater, read of 000. This places Texas third in the the famous "New Eyes for the nation in registered vehicles follow-

"Texas should reach the seven-Conservation leaders here are lo- tions in Sweetwater and soliciting million mark by the end of this devehicles in Texas today than there of Winston-Salem, N. C.; 23 grand- revenue and tax-action committee partment in Salt Linke City, Utah, won't you please donate them to cent of increase in motor vehicles this very notable and helpful pro- in Texts in the last four dectdes is the education committee which will handle the huge \$100 million a year printed in 3 colors, will be issued restore opportunity to some indiin population. There are two Texans for every

or vehicles." Greer stressed the importance of The stamp will go on sale at the Mrs. McKay Last Friday registering all automobiles and trucks in the county of the vehicle own-

ne can be as much as \$200, plus be-They moved to Fisher County in ing required to register in the home "first day cover," a souvenir enve- 1907 from Comanche County. He county with a 20 percent penalty of the annual fee. Refunds dannot

> "Don't risk on illegal registration," Greer urged. "Remember, Burial was in Belview Cemetery too, that a portion of all registration benefit your local community."

Seminole; Mrs. Nola Mayfield of rine Pfc. Tommy Kerns, son of Mr.

Nettie Davis of San Saba; Mrs. Ot- This is regular monthly meeting Mrs. W. H. Orley of Clifton vis- tie Baldree of Lubbock and Mrs. for both Veterans and Auxiliary.

Lon R. Adams, Commander.

Wisiting in the home of Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Aaron and Mrs. Perry Eaton last weekend girls of Snyder visited Monday and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Terry visited was an aunt, Mrs. L. C. Duncan of Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Lotief arrived Bradley Brittein and a friends of

Girl Scout District Chairman Named



MRS. ELMER PAYNE

By action of the delegate body, annual West Texas Girl Scout Council meeting in Snyder, the Tumbleweed and Double Mountain districts were combined. Mrs. Elmer Payne of Sweetwater is district chairman to serve Nolan, Coke and Fisher county.

Mrs. Payne has been lictive in Girl Scout work 9 years. She has served as leader 9 years, neighborhood chairman 3 years, district secretary 2 years, district chairman Tumbleweed district 1 yr, business manager Day Camp 3 years, serves on finance (Council) committee, member of the Girl Scout Council

Other offices she has held: vice-president, American Cancer Society, 2 years, local unit PTA president, 2 years, dist. president Texas Congress PTA, 16th dist, 3 years; district secretary, 2 years; district parliamentariam, 1 year; member state boad, Texas Congress Parents and Techers, 3 years; serves as Grey Lady, American Red Cross. She is leader of a Senior Girl Scout troop in Sweetwater. Her 14-year old daughter, Nelda Jean a freshman, is a senior Scout. Mr. Payne has been general managre of Untied States Gypsum in Sweetwater for 33 years.

Mrs. Payne is well known in Roby and Rotan. Other towns she will serve are Sweetwater, Blackwell, Bronte and Rosco.

Austin On Exercise In Germany

Stuttgart, Germany (AHTNC)-Army Specialist Four Virgil L. Austin, son of Mrs. Melonee Austin, Rotan, Teas, is participating with other personnel from the 585th Shield II at the Grafenwohr-Hohenexercise is scheduled to end Feb. 8.

Winter Shield, an annual Seventh U. S. Army winter field training maneuver, involving 60,000 U.S. Army, German and French troops, uated from Oscar Depriest High marks the highpoint of a year's School, Hamlin, in 1958 and attend- Thursday, February 9, 1961 No. 52 training for units in NATO's "Pyr-ed Jarvis Christian College.

the company in Stuttgart, entered Blount visited in Odessa last week- ited their son, Jim, at Texas Univerthe Army in August 1959 and was end. last stationde at Fort Monmouth,

The 19-year old soldier was grad-

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other personnel from the 585th
Signal Company in Exercise Winter
Shield II at the Crafenwohr-Hohen-Shield II at the Grafenwohr-Hohenfels training area in Cermany. The
anintentional errors that may occur other than to correct in the next issue after
a separation is substituted to and Feb 8

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Austin, a radio relay operator in Mrs. Flora Blount and Richard Mr. and Mrs. Morris Watson vis-

sity, Austin, last weekend.



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YOUNG'S MARKET

Decker-Thomas Wedding Last Friday

Jane Decker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Decker of McCaulley and Bobby Thomas, son of Mrs. Clifton Thomas of Rotan and the late Mr. Thomas, were united in marriage Friday evening in the First Baptist Church.

Rev. L. R. Stuckey, pastor of Hermleigh Baptist Church, officiated at the double ring ceremony. Wedding music was presented by Carolyn Stuckey.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a blue suit with white accessories. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations on a white Bible.

Attending the couple were Tommie Thomas, sister of the bridegroom and Garland Floyd of Ro-

A reception in the home of the bride's parents followed the ceremony. Serving were Miss Thomas and Mrs. Gorland Floyd.

The bride attended McCaulley schools. The bridegroom is a student at Rotan High School.

The couple is residing with the bridegroom's mother at 211 W. Beauregard in Rottan.

The State of Texas, County of Fisher, City of Rotan:

Whereas, the terms of office of Mayor Juston M. Morrow; Councilmen Carlton Burrow, C. J. Thonton and Mrs. R. R. Gray expire on the 1 Tuesday in April, the same being April 4, 1961; and Article 978 of the Revised Civil Statdtes of the State of Texas requires that an election shall be held on the first Tuesday in April of each year to elect officials for the ensuing two years, and requires that thirty (30) days' notice shall be given of such election;

NOW THEREFORE, under the powers vested in me as Mayor under Article 2951 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Texas, I, Juston Morrow,, Mayor of the City of Rotan, hereby Order and direct that an election be held on the first Tuesday in April, same being the 4th day of April, 1961, as aforesaid, for the election of Mayor and three (3) Counsilmen to fill the place now filled by Mayor Juston M. Morrow and Councilmen Carlton Burrow, C. J. Thornton and Mrs. R. R. Gray.

It is further directed that this official notice of such election be published in the Rotan Advance, and that a copy of this order be posted in the City Office at the City Hall in the City of Rotan, Texas.

Given under my hand this the 7 day of February, 1961. Juston M. Morrow, Mayor, City

of Rotan.

Attest: Mrs. R. R. Gray, Secretary.

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49c

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303 Cans

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Rotan Flower Shop and Nursery



On Their 5th Anniversary

Rotan is fortunate in having a Nursery and Flower Shop such as this. It is a real asset, as in addition to having ample stocks for customers, this business draws patrons from a large area to Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dycus purchased the Flower Shop in 1956, on the south side of main street. They immediately began adding to stocks and modernizing the business, which increased to the point where more space was necessary. In 1959 they purchased their present building and remodled this into a modern Flower Shop.

In 1959 the demand for Nursery Stock called for a hot house at their home, 809 E. Johnston. This proved very popular and this year they have just completed a completly new Nursery and home at East City Limits on Hamlin

Hiway. On this 2-acre site they have a hot house of 1100 square feet. In this they handle Bedding plants, Vegetable and House Plants of all kinds. Large stock is maintained of Shrubs, Roses and Fruit, Nut and Shade Trees along with Landscaping Plants. Plans call for a green house in the near future to grow most flowers for the Flower Sop and retail trade.

Special equipment is maintained at Nursery for commercial spraying of Trees, Shrubs and Fertilizing.

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idonsidered it. Thus far in this which to spend American dollars. proposal has been manifested.

troduced in both the House and the vice Academy, s'milar to our three Senate to set up an agency for a Military Schools, to prepare those program to be called "Youth Peace who wish to make a career in the Corps."

sort of Foreign Legion of young never strong against anything is people armed with good intents to seldom strong for anythings." promote better understanding in un- Mr. and Mrs. Bub Perry and and Latin America.

a report from a "Task Force" which Smith of Waco visited Mrs. Perry's recommends such a program under mother, Mrs. W .W .Barron and certain conditions. Evidently the children Mr. and Mrs. Mike Barron proposal is receiving heavy support and Mrs. Jack Gray last week. from a number of educators and students.

To the romantic and generoushearted, distant misery is more attractive than misery in our own back yard. A ten minute walk from our Nation's Capitol will take one into the black ghettos of Northeast Washington. It is likely that those who wish to remake new nations and judge them by standards derived by our American experience have never set foot in the slums which exsist in every city in the United States.

To attract young people for the sort of mission which it is understood they are to perform, would require a considerable degree of romanticism and zeal. (This latter quality might better be described as "eager beaver" as we used to say in the Navy.) At the same time, reports and advisors to President Kennedy warn against this type.

Be this as it may, one informed writer on the subject suggests that the young American idealists will be in for a severe shock to find that most of his counterparts in these "faraway places," to be completely indifferent to the conditions of suffering of their own countrymen. They are interested in freedom and all the good things we talk about. but the freedom they value is not that of the individual. The freedom they understand is that of political reshuffle which will give them authority over someone else, the best jobs in government, big houses, their own servants, and an automobile.

It would seem evident that if the trained diplomat could not present

'As It Looks From Here' a clear and favorable image of Rebekah Family Omar Burleson, M. C. 17th Dist. which he is assigned it could hard-

course, become increasingly expent to accomplish anything. Any exto be quite comical. perienced missionary will so testify. Happy Birthday was sung to Mrs. In the last session of Congress the Our foreign representatives could M .F. Garland and a wonderful time United States Senate passed a meas- perhaps do a much better job if they was reported by all present. ure to create a Youth Conservation were not weighted down with dir-Corps, modeled on the old CCC of ections from Washington to devel- Monday night at 7:30 in the Ameridepression days. The House never op projects of doubtful value on can Legion Hall.

Session no sentiment to revive this As an alternative to the Youth Peace Corps idea, it would seem Laura Lynn of Abilene spent the However, bills have now been in- more wise to create a Foreign Ser- weekend here with their parents. foreign service.

The general idea seems to be a Just in passing: "The man who is

der-developed areas of Asia, Africa children Bill and Susie of Lampassas and another daughter and President Kennedy has received husband, Mr. and Mrs. Buster

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Washington, D. C .- Almost with- ly be expected that the inexperien- The Rebekah lodge members had noon. Services were held in First Duckett of Clint, who was visiting visit. out exception Federal "programs" ced youth could better succeed. their family party in the lovely Baptist Church there, where he had there came home with her for a Sweetwater. start modestly. Almost without ex- Foreigners do things differently new home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. been a member since 1906. Mr. ception they take root and flourish than we, and especially in backward Dycus, Monday night, January 30. Brice ,a lawyer, Snyder resident for into proportions not mentioned or ingrown, semi-primitive lands. It Games were enjoyed, and each man 53 years died Monday in Cogdell advocated in the beginning. As takes years in many places for an was given a needle and thread and Memorial Hospital after a short ill-Federal program expand, they, of individual to be accepted and years a cup towel to hem, which proved ness. He was a long-time friend of

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williamson left Thursday morning of last week



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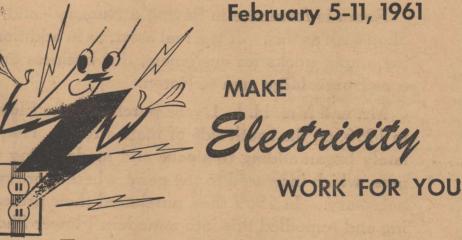
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The way the weather looked the first of the week, it was too early to make plans for a garden. But according to Blueford Hancocn, Texas Extension horticulturist, it isn't too early; he says the home garden can make a real contribution to the family's diet and health as well as to our income.

Now is a good time to look the new seed catalogues over and make plans for this year's garden.

Available at our office for the asking is bulletin 70, Vegetable Gardening, which has an up to date section on recommended varities and a planting guide.

This is a notice about a silage meeting we will be having February 21, at 7:30 p. m. in the Agriculture building on the Fair grounds in Roby.

P. T. Marion, superintendent of the Agriculture Experiment Station, at Spur will talk on varieties, harwesting and storing and the feeding of silage.

Thomas Hunter, area farm management specialist with the extension service, will present some figures dealing with a budget of an acre of silage and then a comparison of cost involving between custom harvesting and owning one's own forage harvester, to determine which would be the most economical.

In line with silage the following is some information on the forage sorghums. Though not as economically important as the grain sorghums, they are a major source of roughage for Texas livestock and dairy producers. Sorghum forage is produced in all forming areas of the state and in recent years, the total acreage has been slightly below 2 million. The annual production is near 2 million tons.

The forage sorghums produce roughage of excelent quality which may be stroed as silage, bundles, hay or pellets. Cattle, sheep and horses make good use of these roughage when fed in combination with other feeds to produce meet, milk, wool and energy. Low-cost rations which produce high gains in the feedlot and utilizing sorghum forage have been developed.

Another and perhaps the most important use of forege sorghum is to provide a reserve supply of feed for winter maintenance and during drouths. When production is above average, the excess may be stored for later use.

In order that farmers and stockmen might have more information on these important roughage producers, J. R. Quinby and P. T. Marion, superintendents of Texas Agricultural Experient Substations at Chillicothe and Spur, respectively, have authored, B-965, "Production and Feeding of Forage Sorghum in Texas."

The well-known research workers have prepared a publication which should be of interest to all stockmer who have experienced difficulties in producing enough roughage for their needs. Major divisions of the publication include forage sorthum culture, harvesting and storing, diseases and insects, varieties and hybrids, and feeding forage sorghum.

Copies of the publication are available from our office, either stop by and ask for one or drop us a card and we will be glad to mail you

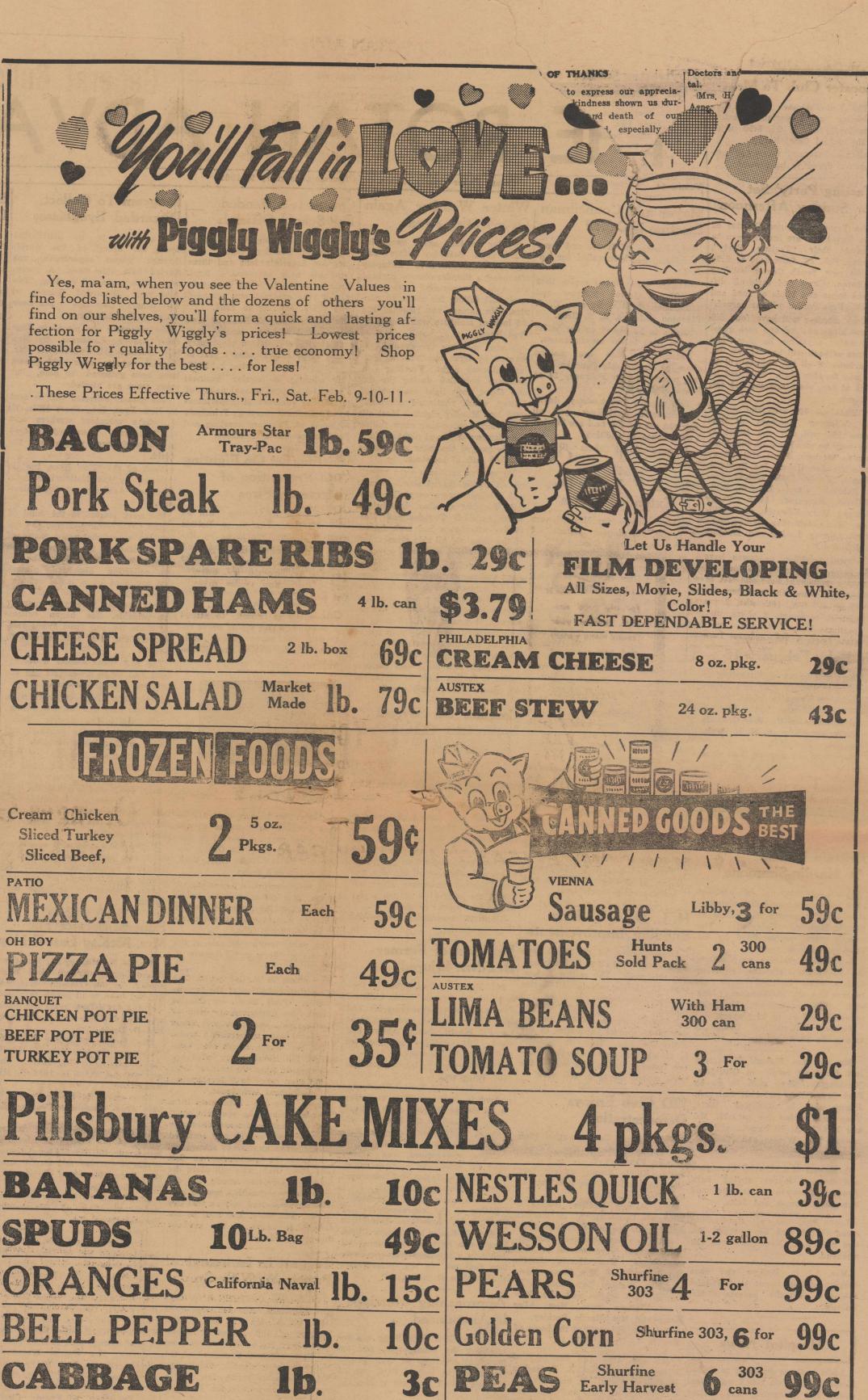
The Fisher County 4-H Council will meet Saturday February 11, 1961, at 9:30 a.m. in the Agriculture Building in Roby.

Business will be to make plans for observance of National 4-H Week which is March 4-II, 1961 and elect delegates and alternates to District III 4-H council.

The annual Texas 4-H Club Roundup will be held June 6 and 7 at Texas A&M College. Program details are not yet available but will be announced well in advance of the June meeting, according to Extension Service officials.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle McSpadden of Floydada brought their children here Friday and Tina stayed with her Fillingim grandparents. Chip stayed with the McSpadden grandparents while their parents attended the Stock Show in Fort Worth. They returned to Floydada Sunday evening.

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motto and pledge.

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tion on Civil Defense.

Attending were: Weldon Van Fort Bragg upon its completion. Liew, Kenny Green, Ronnie Green, Royce Green, Gary Floyd, R. W. Transportation Company, is regu-Tweed, Jane Jarnigan, Kay Herron, Alaska. Sue Early, Jonnasue Ammons and He is a 1957 graduate of Stam-Betty Neves. Adults were Mr. ford High School. Norris Green and C. D. Herron and both Agents.

nasue Ammons.

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The Fisher County Jr. Leaders Fort Richardson, Alaska (AHT-4-H Club meeting was called to or- NC) -- Army PFC. Buford T. Adams cartoon you had on front page of der at 7:15, Monday, January 23, Jr., 24, whose parents live on rt. 1, your paper of January 26th. This by Weldon Van Liew, president. Sylvester, Texas, is scheduled to cartoon had on it an image of Royce Green led the club in its participate in Exercise Willow school teacher with school kids on

Freeze, a cold weather warfare one side, and two men on the other Business for the meeting was: field training exercise in Alaska, side, representing Texas or Local

think about a replacement for the The exercise will take place in a the teacher saying "I have only basketball tournament held each 1900-square mile area of rugged room for one". It means no room year. This will be discussed later arctic terrain where temperatures for Uncle Sam in School House. The County Council meeting is to range to 60 degrees below zero. This leaves an impression that our be held in February. Programs for Units regularly stationed in Alaska, government grants for public school February and March are going to and skilled in Arctic farfare, will construction, and to provide help be exchanged because of the ab- defend against the attacking 82nd for teacher's pay are not welcome. sence of the County Agent and HD Airborne Division paratroopers I can see no wrong for the federal The program was given by the cise cultimates over six weeks of taxes to the government and so why County Agent, James S. Norman. special cold weather training for not accept some of this money back, It consisted of a film and informathe paratroopers who will return to instead of giving it to other countries. This fight against federal

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The most of us are already tax-

Now lets see who and whom this Chamber of Commerce represents. Namely the Duponts, Big City Banks, Insurance groups, Standard Oil General Motors and all other rich capitalists in America, charging high interest and always opposed to the laboring people-farmers, little small business , social welfare, medical aid for eldre citizens, etc. The United States Chamber has the largest lobbist in Washington, as well as in Austin, preaching sales tax on everything we buy, in order to take that tax load off their clients back and put it on your shoulders. Conclusion, lets all

keep the figith in our National Gov-, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Cummins and ernment and accept all help we can children Chris and Beth of Grand Thursday, February 9, 1961 No. 52 get for our schools. It is part of Prairie left Tuesday for home af-Please permit me to protest that what we had paid in taxes.

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Mrs. J. D. Burk. They came to teach in the school there. spend the weekend and were snow-

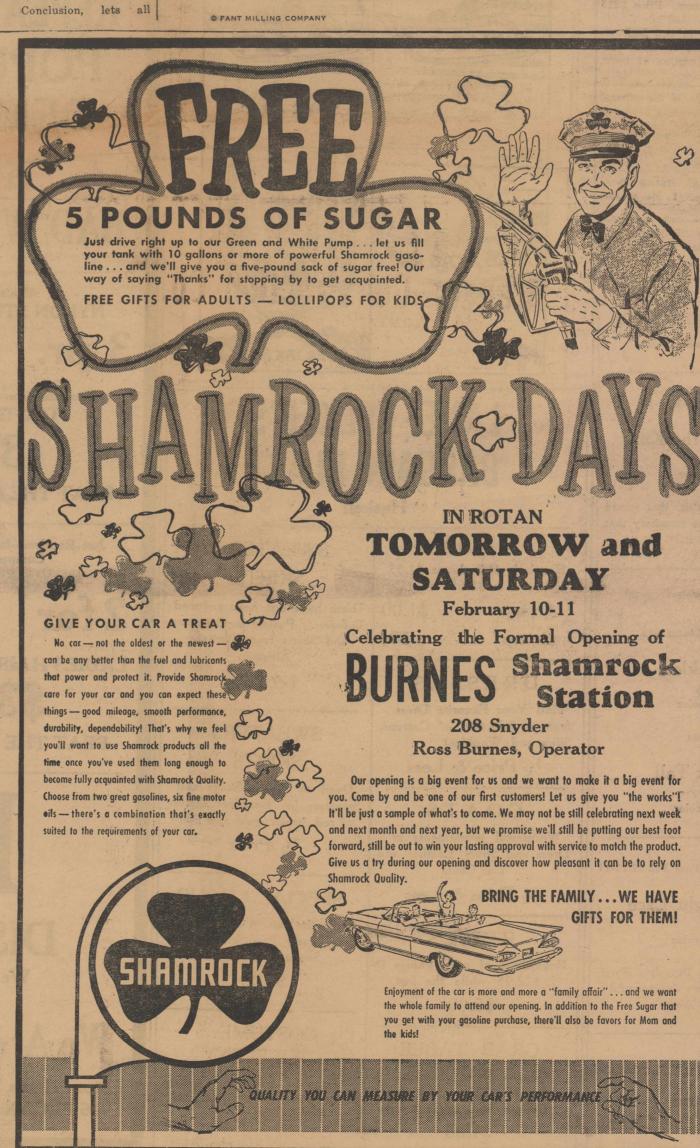
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