

THE ROTAN ADVANCE

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No. 1

Tasting Tea Well Attended Sunday

The Beta Sigma Tea Tasting Party was held Sunday in the local Youth Center. The building was decorated with Valentine theme. Tables were laden with over sixty dishes of food and recipes were sold at 10c each.

This was a very successful project of the new Beta Sigma Phi Club in Rotan.

Jaycee-Ettes Board Met Tuesday Evening

The Jaycee-Ette executive board met Tuesday evening in the home of their president, Mrs. Earl Martin. There will be a called meeting of the Rotan Jaycee-Ettes on Tuesday, February 21 at 7:30 p. m. This is an important meeting to make up for the regular meeting this month on account of bad weather.

All members are urged to be present. The group will meet in the Young Adult Classroom of First Methodist Church. A nursery will be provided on request.

PTA To Observe Founders Day

The PTA observance of Founders Day will be February 28 at 7:30 p. m. It will consist of group entertainment from each unit.

A good program is being planned and more information is forthcoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Taggart, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taggart and Mrs. Bernice Stockton spent the weekend in Olathe, Oklahoma with Mrs. Stockton's sister Mrs. George Kuepf and M. Kapff. Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Taggart visited with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Summers in Weatherford, Okla., and also with Mrs. Joe Taggart's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lige Beach at Bridgeport, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Blevins from Archer, Okla., met them there.

Services Held For Mrs. R. T. Martin

Mrs. R. T. Martin, 86, a long-time resident of Anson died at 7:30 p. m. Saturday in Callan Hospital. Mrs. Martin had lived with her daughter and husband, Dr. and Mrs. C. U. Callan for the past three years and had been in the hospital for several months, prior to her death.

Funeral services were held in Anson Church of Christ at 10 a. m. Monday with burial in Mount Hope Cemetery in Anson. Dale King, minister of the Oliver St. Church of Christ and Martin Kamstra, minister of Rotan Church of Christ, officiated.

Mrs. Martin, a member of the Church of Christ for 60 years was born June 10, 1875 in Fannin County. She was married to Robert T. Martin there May 23, 1895. They moved to Jones County in 1907. Mr. Martin, a building contractor died March 20, 1959.

Survivors include the daughter, Mrs. Callan; two sons, Kyle of Anson and Leland of Inglewood, Calif.; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren and one brother, Bon Blanton of Anson.

Frank SoRelle of Silver City New Mexico was here attending to business and visiting his mother, Mrs. T. O. SoRelle last week.

Hospital News

Local patients admitted to Callan Hospital from Feb. 7 to 14 were, Charlie Joe Helms, Gertrude Mason, L. E. Wright, J. H. Smith, Jess Green, Mrs. G. W. Starnes, Mrs. Charlie Rivers, Mrs. Devon McCombs, Mrs. Clint Overby, Mrs. R. D. Sartor, Ernestine Guzman, Miss Mayne Taggart, Joe Pardue, John Burnes, Luther Terrell.

Out of town patients, Mrs. P. W. Cummings, Roby; Steve Kidd, Jayton; Mrs. C. J. King, Roby; Mrs. Lorin L. Hill, Aspermont; Joe Harrell, Hermleigh; Donnie Daniels, Roby; Mrs. Pearl Cooper, Hamlin; Mrs. Clifford Green, Hamlin; Mrs. Domingo Flores, Roby; Barto Jamison, Hamlin; Mrs. G. A. Hudnall, Hermleigh; Mrs. Lou Cheyne, Jayton; Mrs. M. B. Hamilton, Roby; Mrs. Eva Mae Brackeen, Hermleigh; B. R. Etheridge, Sweetwater; Jimmie Pearce, Sweetwater; Mrs. W. C. Hockett, Odessa; Mrs. C. P. Yates, Hamlin; Mrs. A. Q. Smelser, Spur.

A boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Green of Hamlin, Feb. 10. A girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Flores of Roby, Feb. 11.

Plans Started To Secure New Water Supply

A meeting of City Council and officials from the various civic organizations was held last Wednesday for discussion of the water problem in Rotan. The Camp Springs water farm is becoming depleted, and for some time officials have been investigating a source for more water.

The group approved a plan of creating a water district and purchasing water from Snyder, which is supplied by Colorado River Municipal Water District from Lake Thomas. The water district had approved Snyder selling water to Rotan and the Snyder Council had earlier been favorable to the plan.

It has been proposed by consultant engineers that a ten-inch line could bring the water from Snyder to the Camp Spring plant without pumping and from there it would travel in existing six-inch line from Camp Springs to Rotan. Engineers explained the ten-inch line was necessary from Snyder because of high spots between the two points. It was also proposed the line follow highway 180 and the FM road eliminating a lot of right of way trouble.

Homer Hunter, consultant engineer retained by the City during the water study told the group he estimated the proposed plan would cost about \$37,000 a year. Various means of financing the plan were discussed and the group decided the water district was most practical. First step of the plan would be to get the water district created which would have to be done by an act of the Legislature, then citizens in the district would vote their wishes on the plan.

Out of town relatives and friends attending the funeral of Mrs. W. L. Morrow included, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Morrow, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morrow, Dallas; Mrs. Lula Mae Crawford and Milburn, Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fonner and children, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hamilton and baby, Freeport; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Charlton, Arlington; Mr. and Mrs. Grover Carter and children, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cartre and children, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carter and sons, Haskell; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carter, Santa Fe, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Moore and Larry, Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carlton and family, Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Kolb, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Gentry, Anson; Mrs. Jewel Strickland, Abilene; Mrs. Smyth Peters, Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bleck, Sweetwater; Mrs. Bob Smith, Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Smith, Sweetwater; Alvin Smith, Lubbock; Marvin Smith, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Earl Smith, Big Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kolb, Aspermont; Mrs. Winnie Henderson, Post; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dikes, Brownwood; Miss Luna Kolb, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Garrett, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Helm, Roby; Mr. and Mrs. Alva Kolb, Roby; Mrs. Sam Morrow, Dallas; Mrs. R. L. Snaders, Anson; Mr. Jim Morrow, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Pearce, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Sanders and son, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. Vic Behrens, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Morrow, Abilene; Miss Ora Morrow, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Burt Dean, Anson, Mrs. J. T. Wallis, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Abner Aaron Jr., and Andy, Dallas; Mrs. Bessie Bagley, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Martin, Roby; Mrs. Osa Gattin, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Huckaby and daughters, Sweetwater; Mr. Irene Sullivan, Crockett; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hicks, George and Thomas, Hawley; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lain, Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Milstead, Hamlin; Mrs. Birdie Thrash, McCaulley; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Waddell, Muleshoe.

Donald R. Chandler of Buckhannon, West Virginia recently visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Polk. Donald is a friend of Ronald Appling, stationed at Camp Pendleton and came to Rotan to visit before going to West Virginia. He also had just returned from a tour of duty on Okinawa.

Saturday afternoon guests of Miss Mabel Donnell included Miss Lora Blount and Mrs. C. H. McCare of Roby.

Funeral service was held in First Baptist Church at 3 p. m. Sunday, with Rev. Huron Polack and Rev. Neal Sheppard officiating.

Burial was in Belview cemetery under direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Mrs. Morrow was the last surviving member of her immediate family. She was the former Mae Estella Smith, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith, being born March 22, 1878 in Freestone County, Texas.

She was married to Mr. Morrow, November 16, 1898 in Jones County. They came to Fisher County, and farmed many years in the Dowell community, later moving to Rotan. They held extensive farming property.

She was preceded in death by Mr. Morrow March 2, 1950 and a son, Ira, died May 14, 1956.

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SS Class Enjoys Party Monday Night

A dinner party for the Anna Jenkins Sunday School class was given Monday night, February 13 in the home of Mrs. J. P. Cyphers.

The Valentine theme was used for decoration.

A contest was held between the members of the class and the losing side furnished food for the party.

It was enjoyed very much by all who attended.

Mrs. Jim Chester and daughter of Grandview, Washington arrived last week for a visit with her father who has been ill for several weeks and with other relatives here.

Mrs. Emmett Cave and Mrs. H. D. Black attended the Antique Show on Saturday afternoon at Abilene.

Rotan Lions Club Pancake Supper, February 24

Rotan Lions Club is active in sponsoring and promoting as well as helping with the finances on any worthwhile project that is brought before them and the only means they have to keep abreast with the money contributed is to promote some worthwhile money-raising objective. Therefore the Lions are asking citizens of Rotan and surrounding communities to take part in the Pancake Supper Friday night, Feb. 24 at high school cafeteria. Serving will start at 5:00 p. m. and will continue until everyone has eaten.

The Lions Club invites everyone to come and eat with them and enjoy the occasion, helping with the objective and at the same time get your moneys worth.

Tickets are now on sale at various business houses and individuals will be asking you to buy two or more tickets at 50c each. They will also be on sale at the door.

The Club urges your cooperation.

Mrs. Morrow Dies Of Extended Illness

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Mrs. B. K. Newhouse of Roby, Mrs. Cleo Noles and Ralph and Mrs. H. C. Shelton, went to Miami Friday afternoon where Mrs. Newhouse and Mrs. Noles and Ralph visited Mr. and Mrs. Bright Newhouse and three children. Mrs. Newhouse, Soil Conservation Agent at Miami is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Newhouse and his wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Noles. Mrs. Shelton went with them and visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Locke. Just after arriving in Miami, Mrs. Newhouse Sr., received a message telling of the death of a cousin in Turkey, Texas and Sunday morning she received a message telling of the sudden death of a brother-in-law, B. W. Newhouse of Lorenzo. The group returned home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bright Newhouse attended the funeral in Abilene Monday afternoon and their three children remained here with their maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Noles.

Rotan Boxers Do Well In Golden Gloves Tourney At Abilene

Twenty fighters of Primary and Elementary Schools left at 2:00 p. m. Friday to make weigh-in and be examined by doctor for the Abilene Golden Gloves Tournament.

Ted Posey worked the group of boys eight days and every boy learned one thing, that was to protect himself well. All the boys that lost bouts were shy on experience, but all protected themselves well enough that no one was hurt.

None of the 51 boys working out had boxed before and had only the eight days before Tournament in Abilene. All of the opponents had been working out for over two months and had several warm-up bouts this year.

Rotan boxes won six bouts with four Elementary boys having to box in high school class because of their weight.

Rotan is fortunate in having Ted Posey to work the boys. He has won several titles in Golden Gloves in recent years. Charles McCall, Truitt Strickland and Buddy Edwards also helped on the program by taking the boys to Abilene.

If enough boys are interested, and place for work-out can be arranged a Novice division team will enter the Midget Gloves Boxing Tournament at Snyder, Feb. 24, 25 and 26. This will be for boys under 15 and have less than 5 fights, from 45 to 105 pounds. Trophies will be awarded to Champions and Runner-up in each division and team trophies to Champion ship team and Runner-up.

Results of the Abilene Tournament:

FRIDAY NIGHT
(55-65 lbs.)
Stephen McCall 65 lbs. lost decision to Kenneth Brown, Abilene, 65 lbs.
Carlos Ramon, 65 lbs. decision vs. Tommy Gouch, Cisco, 65 lbs.
(66-75 lbs.)
Eddie Edwards, 68 lbs., Rotan decision vs. Joe Noper, 67 lbs., Cisco.

(76-85 lbs.)
Stephen Baugh, 83 lbs., Rotan decision to Lupe Sanchez, 85 lbs., Abilene.
Gary Strickland, 85 lbs., Rotan lost decision to Rudy Benitez, 77 lbs., Snyder.

Charles McCall, 83 lbs., Rotan lost to Eddie Dickenson, 85 lbs., Lamesa, who became champion of this division Monday night.
Joe Ramon, 79 lbs., Rotan lost decision to Freddy Benitez, 77 lbs., Snyder.
David Canbera, 85 lbs., Rotan, lost decision to Sammy Ortiz, 85 lbs., Abilene.

Donald Gruben, 85 lbs., Rotan TKO over Preston Midkiff, 80 lbs., Cisco, 2nd round.
Louis Ramon, 78 lbs., Rotan decision to Brent Rice, 77 lbs., Cisco.
Johnny Seaton, 84 lbs., Rotan lost decision to Gary Jones, 82 lbs., Colorado City.

(86-95 lbs.)
Rayford Hargrove, 91 lbs., Rotan lost decision to Donnie Simmons, 93 lbs., Abilene.
(96 to 105 lbs.)
Perry Hunsaker, 98, Rotan lost to Ramon Saucelo, 101 lbs., Abilene. This was extra good fight and crowd enjoyed bout.

Gary Trim, 103, Rotan lost decision to Willis Wardell, 97 lbs., Stamford high school.
(Fly Weights)
Joe Carrillo, 111 lbs., Rotan lost decision to Nat Garcia, 110 lbs., Abilene.
Tony DeLeon, 110 lbs., Rotan lost decision to Vasilio Aqera, 105 lbs., Abilene.

Phillip Alamonza, 109 lbs., Rotan lost to Valiente Briones, 110 lbs., Lamesa, who became champion Monday night.
Bantam Weight
Encarnacion Castillo, 115 lbs., Rotan lost decision to Lloyd Carpenter, 118 lbs., Lamesa, who became champion Monday night.

There were 3 bouts Friday night that our boys lost, that could have gone either way they were so close. These boys were Stephen McCall, Joe Ramon and Gary Trim.

SATURDAY NIGHT

(55-65 lbs.)

Silage To Be Discussed At Roby Meeting

There will be a county-wide meeting, covering all phases of silage, Tuesday night, February 21, at 7:30 p. m. in the Agriculture Building on Fair Grounds in Roby, according to James S. Norman, County Agent.

Dr. P. T. Marion, superintendent of the Agricultural Experiment Station at Spur will discuss varieties, harvesting, storing and the feeding of ensilage.

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.

The conducting of this educational meeting will be carrying out one of the recommendations of the livestock committee of the Fisher County Extension Program Building Committee.

Members of the livestock committee are: Glen Webb, Glenn Jameson, C. D. Herron and Royce Green.

15 Girls To Attend HS-U Houseparty

Fifteen girls from the First Baptist Church of Rotan will take part in the Baptist Young Women's Auxiliary Houseparty to be held at Hardin-Simmons University, February 24-26.

In all, more than 1,200 girls from throughout the state are expected for the "houseparty". They will be quartered on the HS-U campus and in Abilene hotels.

Theme of the 1961 program will be "To Tell the World".

Atwell Cleaners Pass 25th Anniversary

This week marks the 25th Anniversary of business in Rotan for Atwell Cleaners.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atwell have operated the business since 1936. They have recently installed new equipment in addition to redecorating the building into one of the most modern plants in the area.

We join the friends and customers in wishing them many more years of operation of their business in Rotan.

Former Area Schoolman Dies At Lorenzo

Funeral for Benjamin Willard Newhouse, 56, former mayor and superintendent of school at Trent was held Monday at 10 a. m. in the Lorenzo High School auditorium.

Graveside rites were at 5 p. m. Monday at Cedar Hill cemetery, Abilene. Mr. Newhouse died about 7 a. m. Sunday after suffering a heart attack.

He had been principal of Lorenzo high school for the past two years.

Survivors include his wife, Cora; one son, Thomas Willard of Dallas; three daughters, Allie Doris and Mary Lois, both students at ACC, and Edna Vera of the home; five brothers, B. K. Newhouse of Roby, Flavil of Harlingen, John of Abilene, Sam and Tom of Honey Grove; two sisters, Mrs. Esther Mahaffey of Clarendon and Ms. Mary Lou Dobbs of Honey Grove.

Donald Gruben drew bye in Monday night semi-finals.
55-65 lbs.)

Carlos Ramon, 65 lbs., Rotan lost decision to Vern Sutterfield, 58 lbs., Sweetwater, who won championship.
(76-85 lbs.)
Donald Gruben, 85 lbs., Rotan lost close decision to Jodie Oliver, 80 lbs., Abilene. This was best fight for crowd to watch. Donald gave Jodie such a rough time with uppercuts to the body that the fight was stopped, with Jodie exhausted.

All of the boys displayed good sportsmanship and had big hearts to go into their bouts knowing as little as they did of the sport.

Other boys of the group working out with Posey were, Leon McCombs, Gerald Ashbrook, Arch Overby, Sammy McClure, Sammy Sharp, Jessie Hudnell, Duddy McClure, Robert Rives, Ricky Young, Bobbie Edwards, Wayne McCombs, Joe Kelly, Glenn Murphree, Jimmy Mathies, Jimmy Rives, Jim Kelly, Dicky Gann, Eddie Self, Don Rollins, Cary Lyles, Randy Upshaw, Neil Lyles, Larry Helms, Robert Patton, Epifona Gasper, Juan Montez, Frank Medrone, Alfred Cralas, Joe Malina, John Carrillo and Edward Carrillo.

Dr. and Mrs. O. W. English and Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Couch of Lubbock visited their sister, Mrs. H. T. Fillingim and Mr. Fillingim Sunday afternoon. They were enroute to Mexico for a week of fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Aaron and family of Dallas spent last weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. Ab Aaron and attended the funeral of Mrs. Morrow.

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

As almost everyone knows, our delicious fruit trees such as peaches, apples and plums, require a certain amount of cold weather during the winter in order to break their dormancy. If this cold is not forthcoming, these trees will not leaf out or fruit normally the following spring—this condition is commonly called delayed foliation. Two winters in the last ten years were mild to the extent that many varieties of fruit over a large section of our state suffered severely from delayed foliation.

The amount of cold required is measured by hours of 45°F or lower received during the dormant season. It has been found by research work that a good many of our peach varieties require 850 hours of cold (45° or lower). Such common varieties as Elberta and Hale-Haven fall into this group. There is another fairly large group that requires more than 850 hours of cold. Dixired and Early Wheeler are two examples of this group. Some varieties require as much as 100 to 1200 hours of cold.

There is a much smaller group of varieties that requires less than 850 hours of cold. Most of these require 750 hours. Many of our newer varieties are in this category—for example, Hiland, Redcap, Keystone, Loring and Redskin. Two old standard varieties that are in this range are Frank and Burbank July Elberta.

The way it looks now we will have more than enough cold hours accumulated.

According to A. A. Melton, Animal Husbandman, the Agricultural Experiment Station at Balmorhea, Texas, will be holding its annual field day, Saturday, February 25.

As usual the morning period will be spent looking over the cattle, and their records. The afternoon session will be as follows:

Master of Ceremonies—Roy L. Wuckabee, District Agent, Dist. 7, San Angelo, Texas.

Supplements for Range Cattle—J. H. Knox, Head, Animal Husbandry Department, New Mexico State University.

Liquid Supplements for Range Cattle—J. K. Riggs, Professor, Animal Husbandry Department, Texas A&M College.

The Future of Performance Testing—Dr. Ray Woodward, Advisor American Breeder's Service. (Dr. Woodward was for several years with the U. S. Livestock Station at Miles City, Montana).

On battle against insects and plant diseases is far from won. Foreign pests are always trying to invade our rich farm lands, even using jet aircraft, ships to inland ports on the St. Lawrence Seaway and hitching in on the clothes of travellers.

Thanks to scientists and to research efforts of government and industry, we are getting the know-how and the materials to combat any pests that attack our food and fiber supplies. But much more research is needed. We must all understand—city consumers as well as farmers—that continuing agricultural research is our shield against hunger and disease.

During the next several weeks most of you will be noticing the portable cattle headgates being used by personell taking blood samples for the Animal Health Commission. Those of you interested in making one of these headgates for your own use, may obtain a blueprint at the local extension office in the courthouse.

Final dates have been set by the State Stabilization and Conservation Committee for cotton producers to release 1961 allotments and for those desiring additional acres to make application. Final date in southern third of the state is February 17; February 24 in Austin-Houston area; March in northeast third of the state; April 7 in western Texas and April 14 in north-west Texas. Producers desiring detailed information on the release and reallocation provisions of the present law should contact their county ASC officials. It's very important.

Ronald D. Appling has recently returned to his base at Camp Pendleton, Calif., after spending thirty days visiting relatives here. Ronald is Chief Petty Officer in the Navy, attached to Marine Corps and had just returned from a year of duty in Okinawa.

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POP CORN Jolly Time 20 oz. 27c

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MEAT BALLS LIBBY SPAGHETTI 303 can 25c

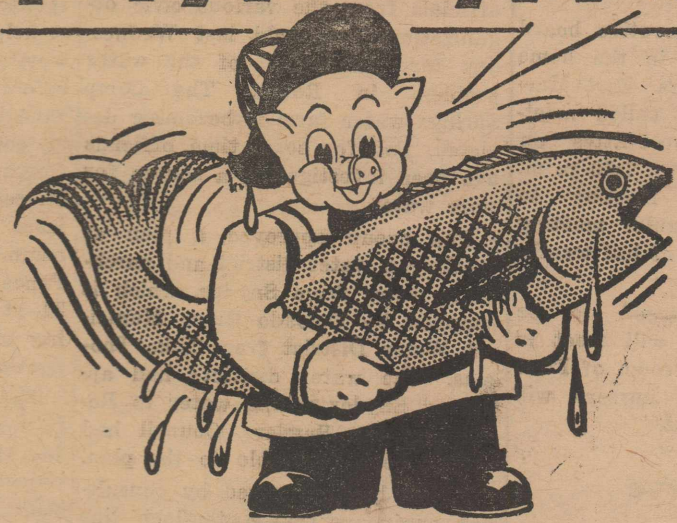
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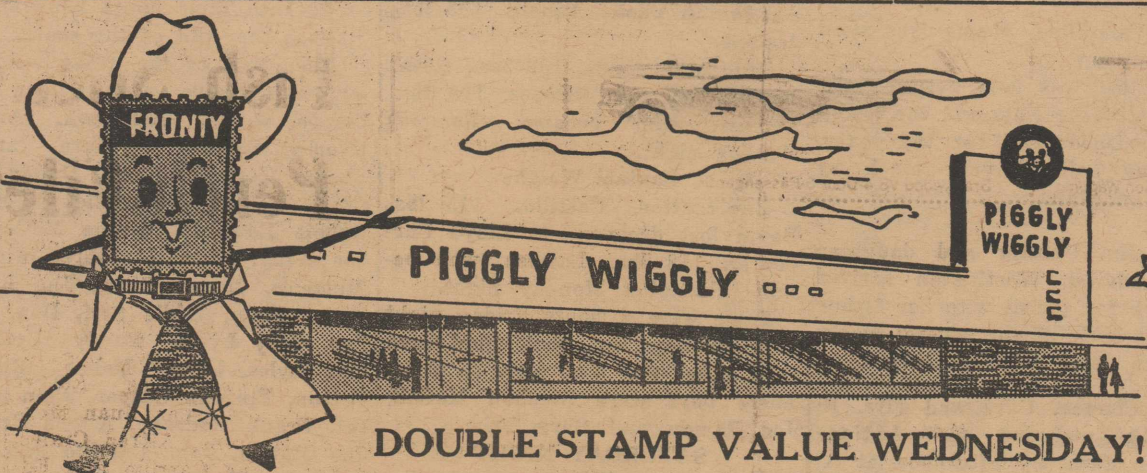
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WSCS Continues Study Course

The WSCS met in the Church Sanctuary Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Clarence Huckaby in charge. The group sang "Take The Name of Jesus With You" and Mrs. Edna Colwell gave the prayer. During the business session plans were made for members to attend the all-day sub-district meeting Wednesday at Hamlin.

For the devotional Mrs. Huckaby read the 121st Psalm. Mrs. Richard Ray continued the study she is teaching. Mrs. R. T. William led the group in repeating the Mizpah for dismissal.

Those present were, Mesdames H. F. Grindstaff, Williams, Huckaby, J. W. Porter, Nancy White, W. A. Rives, Bill Parker, W. A. McCright, Edna Colwell, Richard Ray and Phil J. Melouf.

Mrs. C. M. Forth of Woodson and Mrs. J. R. Clark of Roby visited with Miss Donnell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Bigham visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bigham in San Angelo Sunday.

Service Sunday Christian Science

An effective approach to world problems of disunity and inharmonious may be found in the Lesson-Sermon on "Mind" which will be read at Christian Science churches Sunday.

This hopeful promise from 11 Corinthians will be among the Bible citations read (13:11: "Be perfect, be of good comfort, be of one mind, live in peace; and the God of love

and peace shall be with you." From "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy the following passage will be cited (276:4-9): "When the divine precepts are understood, they unfold the foundation of fellowship, in which one mind is not at war with another, but all have one Spirit, God, one intelligent source, in accordance with the Scriptural command: 'Let this Mind be in you' which was also in Christ Jesus."

ADVANCE WANT ADS, P. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Millinder, former band director in the Rotan schools, wish to announce the birth of a new daughter, Debra Ann, on January 26, at 8:35 p. m. Debra was born at North Plains Hospital, Borger, Texas. She weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces and was 20 inches

long. The Millinders have two other daughters, Elizabeth Ann, 4 years and Marsha Ann, 3 years. They now reside at Stinnett, where Mr. Millinder is band director of the public schools.

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Mrs. Robert Poer of Tahoka Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ogle of Dublin spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. Hattie McWhirter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Poer and Lynna Lou visited with Mr. and

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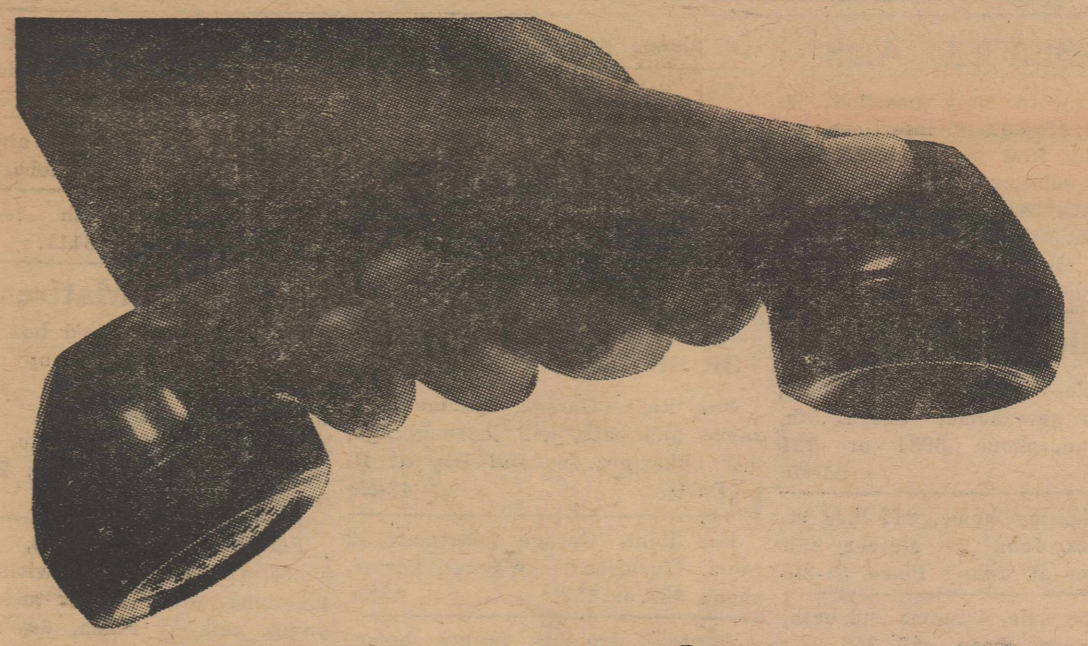
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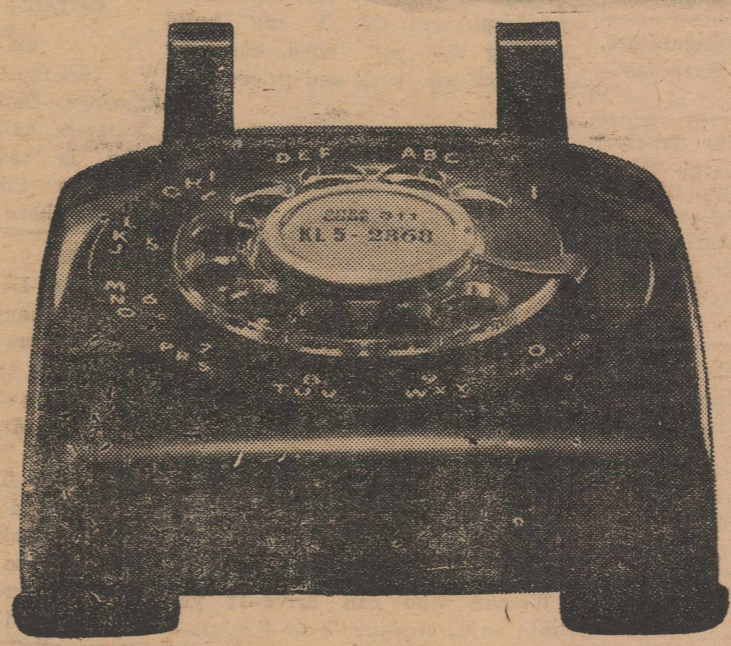
Lubricates Itself—You'll normally go 30,000 miles between chassis lubrications (which cost only about \$4.00 and take about 20 minutes) because Ford has replaced conventional grease fittings with a sealed-in lubrication system. ... Cleans Its Own Oil—You'll go 4,000 miles between oil changes because Ford's Full-Flow oil filter gives you filtration through filters... trapping more dirt than any other type of filter made. Adjusts Its Own Brakes—New Truck Size brakes adjust themselves—automatically. Guards Its Own Muffler—Ford mufflers are double-wrapped and aluminumized—to last 2 times as long as ordinary mufflers. Protects Its Own Body—All vital underbody parts are specially processed to resist rust and corrosion, even to galvanizing the body panels beneath the doors. Takes Care Of Its Own Finish—New Diamond Lustre Finish never needs waxing.

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ROTAN, TEXAS



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FIRST, give the operator the Area Code for the city you want to call.

NEXT, tell her the telephone number you're calling.

LAST, when the operator asks, give her the number you're calling from.

It's easy and fast. For example, just say, "Area Code 214, RI 2-1432," and then when the operator asks your number, say, "KL 5-2368." You'll not only save time yourself, but help speed along your call as well.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company

Call by number... it's twice as fast

Southwest GROWTH

Excellent yardstick to determine plant location

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... personal income rose over 61%
... retail sales increased 64%
... value added by manufacture up 65%
... This phenomenal growth means there is probable potential here for industry today, and above average potential for the future.

As an industry operating in and serving the CENTER OF THE SOUTHWEST, we benefit from and contribute to the growth of the area. Our KWH increase of 165% in the past decade is a vivid picture of the industrial opportunities. Because we are a part of the area, we have information about markets, labor, taxes, climate, distribution, community attitudes and growth factors. We are prepared to compile market data, business facts and plant location studies designed for your specific needs.

Let our area representatives start to work for you in confidence and without obligation.

Write, tele or call today for our information filled folder on Southwest Growth Facts. Southwestern Bell Telephone, Public Service Department, West Texas Utilities Company, Telephone OR 5-3251, P. O. Box 414, Abilene, Texas.

West Texas Utilities Company
Member of the Central and South West System

INVITING NEW INDUSTRY

is one way we work to help build this community

The advertisement reproduced above is appearing in a number of national publications to promote the industrial advantages of this area. It is the first of our 1961 area development national advertising schedule which is to run throughout the year.

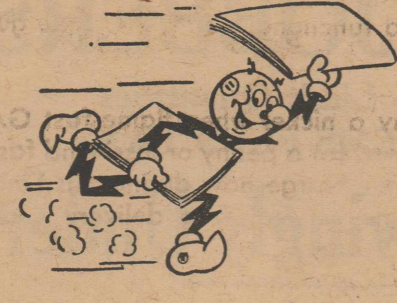
THIS year, West Texas Utilities Company is expanding its area development activities because we believe the growth opportunities ahead demand it.

We believe our service area faces growth unlimited because we are the center of the Southwest, and the Southwest is growing faster than the Nation.

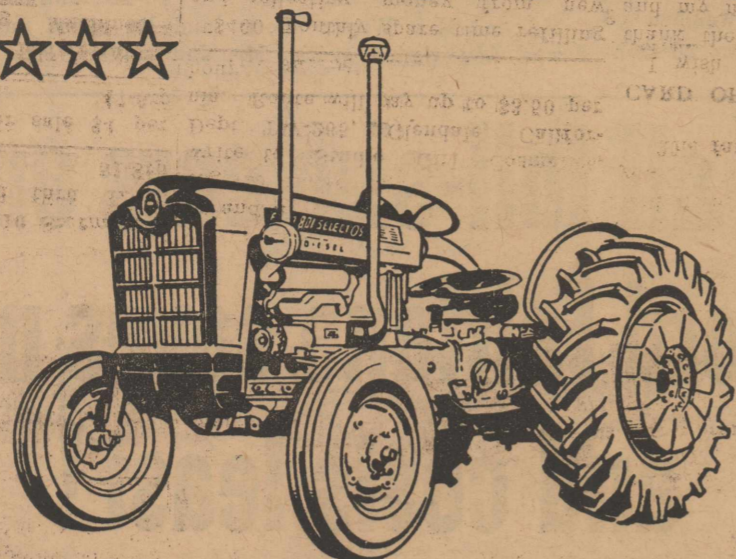
This is the kind of story we are telling American industrialists in our national area development advertising. It is being supplemented by colorful folders depicting the industrial advantages of the area, and by personal visits which our representatives will make during the year.

Through the expanded area development program, we are working to help build this community, because as the Southwest grows, so should West Texas Utilities grow... and the communities we serve.

West Texas Utilities Company
an investor owned company



FREE TRACTOR FUEL



WE'LL PAY HALF YOUR FUEL BILLS FOR SIX MONTHS ON THE PURCHASE OF A NEW FORD OR FORDSON DIESEL TRACTOR

This remarkable offer is made so that you will find out on your own farm the exceptional fuel economy you get with Ford diesel tractors. If you purchase a new Ford or Fordson diesel tractor anytime from January 1, through March 31, 1961, we will pay half your fuel costs during the first six months or 400 hours of operation, whichever occurs first. Ford diesels save you more . . . let us prove it . . . Pay-as-you-farm credit terms available. Come in and see us soon!

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For Sale, my home, 211 Lee st. Garner lots. John D. Mercer, call 4000 or see at John's Place. 51-3tc

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

Farmers, bring in your Tractor Batteries and let us charge them for you FREE. White Auto

For Sale, 20 John Deere 1958 tractor, all tools, see H. D. Black at Wallace & Cave or O. M. Polk, 45-tfc

For Sale 3 disc Massey-Ferguson Breaking Plow with 3-point hook-up reasonable, Preston Morrow. 51-4tc

For Sale—29 Angus Cows, 5 to 8 years old, calving now. Price \$215—John F. Cox, phone 6827. 52-tfc

For Sale equity in two bedroom home. 10 years left on loan. Located in northeast section of town, R. L. Young Insurance, 48-tfc

Order your Qualla 10 Stormproof Bagreed Cottonseed thru L. D. Harris, rt. 2, Rotan. 51-8tp

Used sheet iron for sale \$4 per square, O. R. Nowlin. 47-6tp

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

For Sale, 10 D-8 HI Oneway, Ernest Kolb, 5 miles west Asperment. 50-tfc

For Sale, My home at 309 N. Cleveland, Mrs. J. R. Phillips, or

call Robert Phillips 5272. 32-tfc

For Sale, large house, former C. J. Dalton home, phone 347. 28-c

Monuments and cemetery curbing, 308 4th, phone 4602, J. B. Smith. 51-tfc

Disc Rolling on farm, two or more one-way plows, 75¢ per disc, write S. W. Stockton, rt. 1, Anson. 41-8tp

FOR RENT

For Rent, Garage apartment, 3 rooms and bath, will share garage, 901 Lakeview, see Bill Day at H. L. Davis. 43-tfc

For Rent, Garage apartment, 3 room furnished, Wayne Porter, phone 367 or 362. 43-tfc

Wanted, Ironing in my home, \$1.50 dozen, Mrs. Willis Ogden, next door to Cliffs Drive In. 51-2tp

Sammie Smith now doing all kinds of Welding Work at Clark's Tractor and Implement Co. I can build anything that you need, come by and check my work and price.

Wanted, work of any kind, house cleaning, baby sitting, ironing, home nursing, experience, speak good English, Delfinia Tey and Celia Amaya. Call 7164 or see Mrs. Jim O'Briant.

Wanted, Post Cutters, piece work, Rush Callan, phone 5726 tfc

Custom Plowing, yard or garden plowing, W. D. Hariman, phone 7811. 1-4tp

Wanted—sewing and alterations Mrs. Oma Jones, phone 7631, 708 E. Snyder st. 1-3tp

Woman who can drive—If you would enjoy working 3 to 4 hours a day calling regularly each month on a group of Studio Girl Cosmetic clients on a route to be established in and around Rotan, and are willing to make light deliveries, etc., write to Studio Girl Cosmetics, Dept. TW-265, Glendale, California. Route will pay up to \$3.50 per hour.

\$400 monthly spare time refilling and collecting money from new type quality coin operated dispensers in this area. No selling. To qualify you must have car, references, \$600 to \$1900 c.h.s. Seven to twelve hours weekly can get up to \$400 monthly. More full time. For

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Wanted, man for farm and ranch work, phone 381, J. O. Roberts 51-tfc

Wanted—Blacksmith tools—Hub Cole's Shop, phone 8111.

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New or renovated and box springs quality made. Save up to 50% renovated. Choice size or firm ness. Guaranteed by Western Mattress Co., San Angelo, phone Hughes Furniture, Rotan, 259 and leave name.

For Sale to be moved, 5 room house with bath, new wiring and plumbing, water heater and cistern pump, call Al Finch, day 373 or nite 6737. 45-tfc

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Direct Mattress Co.
of Lubbock

for Innerspring, Foam Rubber, Box Springs, Orthopedic and King size Mattress call 6071 Morrow Hotel who is taking call for Direct Mattress Co of Lubbock. Our truck is here each Monday.

THANKS

To Dr. LeBleu and the nurses and the many friends who visited, sent flowers and cards. It made my stay in the hospital more cheerful and the days seem shorter.
Mrs. A. A. Polk.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to take this means to say Thank You to all the people who were so kind to us during our recent sorrow. Especially would we like to thank the Doctors and nurses at Callan Hospital, all those who sent food and flowers, those who served the food and for all the kind words and prayers. May God bless each and everyone of you.
The family of Mrs. E. F. Young.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this method to thank the staff of Callan Hospital and my many friends for the kind words of encouragement, the flowers, cards and letters I received during the eleven weeks I spent in the hospital. I shall never forget you. May God bless each of you.
Mrs. Frances George.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone who came to see me, sent cards, flowers and food while I was in the hospital. They sure were appreciated and we will never forget you. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wallace.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to each of the hospital staff for the care of our loved one during her stay in the hospital, and to the many friends for their help and sympathy at the time of her passing. We appreciate every act and word of kindness, the beautiful flowers and food, for each contribution we say, "Thanks" and may God bless you.

Mrs. W. L. Morrows family.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ashton over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Brinegar and daughter of Midland. Mrs. Brinegar and baby had been here several days while Mr. Brinegar was on a business trip to Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndle Rogers of Abilene spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stephenson.

Alathean SS Class Met At Church Feb. 2

The Alathean Sunday School class held regular business and social meeting, February 2 at the Church.

Mrs. Ira Morrow led the songs, followed with prayer by Mrs. Black. A brief business session was held in which reports from group captains and officers were made.

The social chairman, Mrs. C. E. Whitfield led the group in games and fun. Lovely refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, olives, fruit cake with whipped cream and coffee were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Ruth Denton, Mrs. C. E. Leon, Mrs. Joe Taggart, Mrs. H. L. Davis and Mrs. C. C. Rosch.

Others present were Mesdames. Gus Simmons, Hub Taggart, J. H. Thompson, Beulah Driver, Lon Adams, Lee Hefner, W. L. Terrell, J. A. Brown, H. D. Black, C. J. Dalton, Bernice Stockton, P. V. Hale, Edd Darden, J. W. Perry, C. E. Whitfield, Emmett Cave, Ira Morrow and Miss Myrtle Kersh.

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The Four-Square Church ladies will have a bake sale Saturday in front of Bennett Plumbing Co.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Gattis of Cross Plains were here last weekend.

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in Blue and Red—Reg. \$1.49
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All Styles and Colors
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MENS BLUE CHAMBRY SHIRTS
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TV TRAYS on Caster
Regular \$12.95
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REGULAR \$5.95
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ALL LUXURY ITEMS PLUS TAX

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206 PECAN SWEETWATER

About Your HEALTH

A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health. HENRY A. WOLLE, M. D., Commissioner of Health.



Texas deaths during 1960 showed the most substantial increase in 25 years according to provisional estimates compiled by the State Health Department's Records and Statistics Section.

Deaths for 1960 were seven percent above the 1959 figures with comparative death rates of 821.2 per 100,000 population for 1960; and 782.9 deaths per 100,000 for 1959.

Over two-thirds of the increase in Texas deaths occurred during the first months of 1960. This was during the peak period of last year's influenza outbreak.

Health Department statisticians point out that during the first three months last year, there were significant increases in the number of deaths from influenza, pneumonia, and heart diseases over the corresponding period during the previous year.

Because of the rapidly increasing number of elders in the State population, Texas authorities were not alarmed at the sharp rise in Texas deaths reflecting the overall trend for the entire United States during 1960, including the startling increases experienced during the early months.

(Still the number-one killer, heart disease, accounted for 26,000 of the total 79,000 deaths in Texas during 1960.

In second place on the 1960 statistics sheets, was malignant neoplasms (cancer), which claimed over 11,000 Texans lives.

On the credit side was the noticeable drop in the motor vehicle accident death rate from 26.9 per 100,000 population in 1960. All other accidents showed a slight rise in the death rate over the preceding year.

While the total number of live births for a single year was the second highest in history, the birth rate continued its slight decline over the past few years.

There were nearly 249,000 live births in 1960. However, there were 7,200 infant and 4,200 fetal deaths during the same period.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Carter of Santa Fe N. M. attended the funeral of Mrs. M. E. Morrow, Sunday, and visited friends and relatives here, Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Paulk and daughters of Buffalo Gap spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Aaron.

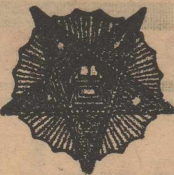


Meets Every Tuesday, 12:30.
At Texas Cafe
Visitors Welcome
Chester Cooper, President



V. F. W.
Meeting Nights
Second and Fourth Thursday
8:00 p. m. at the VFW Hall

Glenn Gabel, Commander
Milton Teague, Adutant
Austin McKinney, Quartermaster



The O. E. S.
meets each second Tuesday at 7:30 in the Hall.
Visitors welcome

Mrs. Josephine Martin, W. M.
Ted McArthur, W. P.
Edna C. Morgan, Secretary

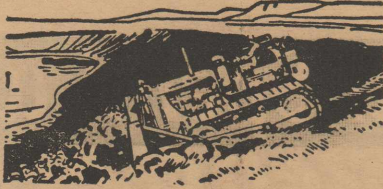
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Because the V. F. W., in protecting such laws as the G. I. Bill of Rights, believes all veterans are entitled to equal treatment in the application of policies dealing with readjustment benefits.

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Because the V. F. W. hand of comradeship is always ready to assist a comrade in distress and his dependents.

Because the V. F. W. is waging a two-fisted, militant fight against communism and other subversive movements that would destroy our form of government.

Because the V. F. W. vigorously opposes surrender of the rights and liberties of the American people to any form of world government.

Because the V. F. W. believes good citizenship is best expressed in terms of projects that help make each community a better place to live.

Because V. F. W. membership is restricted to overseas veterans exclusively, the Cross of Malta emblem is a priceless decoration—one which must be earned as a member of the Armed Forces—and one that can't be purchased with money, power or influence.

Fisher County Memorial Post 5072

Rotan, Texas

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COFFEE 2 lb. can \$1.29

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Coffee 6 oz. jar 79c

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JUICE 46 oz. can 29c

Crisco 3 lb. can 79c

Sugar 10 lb. 98c

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10 Pounds 79c

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Fish Sticks pkg. 29c

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 Biscayne V8 2-Door Sedan	 Nomad V8 4-Door 9-Passenger Station Wagon	
 Nomad Six 4-Door 9-Passenger Station Wagon	 Nomad Six 4-Door 6-Passenger Station Wagon	
 Nomad V8 4-Door 6-Passenger Station Wagon	 Parkwood Six 4-Door 9-Passenger Station Wagon	
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ROTAN, TEXAS

Letter to Editor

Rotan Advice, Gentlemen:
I wish to inform you that I take sharp exception to the article by Mr. Lotief which appeared in your publication of February 9.

We refer to that portion of his letter which implies that a certain lady in the group picture is a school teacher.

Now I consider that Mr. Lotief is my friend; but friend or foe where has Lotief been since you published that picture for I admit that through the City of Rotan has been buzzing with some comment about the lady's mistaken idea, it seems to be so much on the hush, hush order as to who she is. Frankly I'd like to know who she is and in what tower does she live. But it may be that Mr. Lotief has never been acquainted with the public enough to have the ability to better determine a cowhand from a school superintendent or understand the attitude of good people.

So I wish to here inform Mr. Lotief; that woman could not be a teacher.

Look at the picture again Mr. Lotief and you see the lady's purse on her left arm and her right arm reaching for more nickles to put in that thing on the pedestal in front of her.

You also see the lady is trying to be loyal to the home folks, by telling them of the progress the group is making on a trip away from home. A loyal woman to her friends and folks back home, in whatever town she was from and that they had been fortunate enough to have had a bite to eat, etc.

Mr. Lotief any school teacher knows a parking meter from a mike. Its plain enough to see the mistake the lady was making. Undoubtedly the lady came from some town where they have public phones, on street corners and thought that thing on a pedestal a public mike.

Too, why didn't that jellybean who was only a step or two away give her a hint of her mistake. Well, I suppose he didn't know either. About Mr. Lotief's political views we are ignorant in that field.

But folks would like to know who the lady is who thought that was a mike and if she was filling that thing with real nickles or lead slugs.

My respects to a good woman trying to do a good turn by radioing to the folks back home.

Will H. Pearson.

P. S. Mr. Lotief, just between you and I, you know and the world knows especially the folks up Washington way, that the best looking, finest women in the world live at or near Rotan, so I am puzzled. Could that lady be from Rotan? She looks too nice to be from anywhere else. And Mr. Lotief look at the other ladies too. Yes, everyone of the a dandy. The men, oh well, heck.

Of course Mr. Lotief we know you to be a shrewd man and no doubt you will try to tell the folks you were refering to a hand drawn picture of some other date, but seems to us, folks know you meant the picture of Posse, or are you trying to deceive as to what kind of pictures you look it.

P.

LANCE THEATRE

Rotan

Today and Friday, Feb. 16-17

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Saturday, Feb. 18

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The High Powered Rifle

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Stars are Willard Parker, Allison Hayes, Barbara Eden, Nico Minardos

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Maxwell House

COFFEE 1b. 59c

Choice Chuck

Roast lb. 49c

Choice Pork

Roast lb. 39c

Swifts Vienna

SAUSAGE 3 Cans 57c

Burleson Pure Ext.

Honey 3 Lb. jar \$1.15

Seedless

Raisins 2 Lb. Bag 39c

Zee

Tissue 4 Roll Pack 39c

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TUNA 3 Cans 87c

Mackerel 2 Tall Cans 39c

Cello

Franks 3 Lb. Bag 89c

Fresh Pork

LIVER 1b. 29c

Pure Pork

Sausage 2 Lb. Bag 69c

Pork

STEAK 1b. 49c

Beef

RIBS 1b. 29c

Firm Green

Cabbage lb. 5c

Longhorn

Cheese lb. 49c

Armours Cloverbloom

Oleo 1-2 Lb. FREE lb. 34

Swifts Prem

Luncheon Meat 12 oz. can 39c

Choice Red

POTATOES

25 Pound Sack

99c

Large

AVACADOS

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Your S & H Green Stamp Store

'As It Looks From Here'

Omar Burleson, M. C. 17th Dist.

Washington, D. C.—There are exceptions to everything, but generally speaking, Government employees—Federal, State and County—are dedicated and conscientious.

Occasionally a constituent will write that an examiner for the Labor Department or an agent of the Internal Revenue is not courteous or considerate when making his examinations.

It is unfortunate when this occurs and it should never happen. Of course, we as citizens are probably inclined to be sensitive in these matters and may not always return considerate treatment. We may forget that the representative of the Governmental or State agency is simply trying to do his job in accordance with his responsibility.

The vast majority of public servants are eager and willing to be of service.

Many letters of inquiry are received regarding veterans' benefits and Social Security. The laws governing these benefits are detailed and somewhat complicated. The representatives of these agencies have not and do not make the laws—they only administer them in accordance with the law. It might be helpful to mention a few pertinent points relating to Social Security.

Severely disabled workers no longer wait until age 50 to become entitled to disability insurance benefits.

Beginning with 1961, a beneficiary who earns \$1200 or less will get his benefit payments for all twelve months of the year. A beneficiary who earns more than \$1200 in a year will have \$1 of his benefits withheld for each \$2 that he earns from \$1200 up to \$1500. For every \$1 that his earnings go above \$1500, \$1 of benefits will be withheld.

Under the old law, many beneficiaries received more in total income (earnings plus benefits) if they limited their earnings to \$1200 a year. Under the new law, this will no longer be true. A beneficiary who earns over \$1200 in a year will always receive more in combined earnings and benefits than if he had earned \$1200 or less.

There is no change in the provis-

ion which states that regardless of how much a beneficiary earns in a year, he will get a benefit check for any month in which he neither earns more than \$100 in wages nor renders substantial services in self employment.

Under the new law, the aged dependent widower of a woman worker who died before September 1950 can get benefits if the woman worker, before her death, had worked under Social Security for at least a year and a half. To qualify for these payments, the widower must have been dependent upon his deceased wife for at least one-half his support and he must now be 65 years of age or older. The widowers of women workers who died before September 1950, must file this proof before October 1962 to get payments when they reach 65.

Anyone who has been told in the past that he did not have enough work under Social Security to qualify for payments should get in touch with his Social Security office now to see if he is eligible under the change in the law. However, no one can become entitled to benefits with less than a year and a half of work under Social Security. The survivors of workers who died after June 1954 and who were not eligible for benefits under the old law may now be eligible because of this change.

The Social Security District office serving most of the counties of the 17th Congressional District is in Abilene at 203 Fannin Street. Mr. R. R. Tuley, Jr. is district manager.

On request to the district offices a booklet entitled "Social Security Amendments of 1960" will be sent.

If you have questions on your Social Security, you will find Mr. Tuley eager to advise you, and he and his staff will do so with patience and courtesy.

Nolan-Fisher



B. L. Conley, Sec'y.-Treasurer
Roby, Texas

LVNA Holds Regular Meeting

The LVNA met in dining room of Gann's Cafe Monday night for a brief business session with a good number of members present.

After the business session, a bingo game was enjoyed by all. Refreshments of soft drinks and Gann's delicious home-made fried pies were served, after which members enjoyed leisurely visiting.

Next meeting is to be Monday, March 6 at 7:00 p. m. in the dining room.

Reporter.

Mrs. Arnold Allen returned home Saturday from a two weeks visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scarborough and little son in Midland. The baby was born January 21, weighed 5 pounds 13 ounces and has been named Brian Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Zill Reich of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn and Mrs. A. R. Tyson Sunday.

The man who has nothing to boast of except his ancestry is a lot like a potato—the best part is underground.

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Troop 394 Elects Officers Friday

Troop 394 elected officers February 10. These are the Fourth Grade Brownies and this was our first meeting since Day Camp in July. The officers are: President, Marilyn Thompson. Vice-President, Karen McKimney. Secretary, Paula Heathington.

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Treasurer, Frances Baugh.
Reporter, Barbara Neeley.
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Barbara Neeley served Cokes and Dr. Peppers.
Reporter.

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by Alice L. Kemp,

County Home Demonstration Agent
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Take time to read labels carefully. Choose the food best suited to your purpose and your budget.

Among Rotan friends and relatives attending the funeral of Mrs. R. T. Martin, mother of Mrs. Chester Callan in Anson, Monday morning were Dr. and Mrs. Callan, Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Callan, Mr. and Mrs. Rush Callan, Mrs. Raymond Dennis, Mrs. Willis Noles, Mrs. W. A. Hancock, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. J. O. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Hooper Shelton, Mr. and Mrs. Hasie Puryear, Mrs. John Ashton and Mrs. Dono Day.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wortham last weekend was a brother, Tommie Wortham of Kermit.

Mrs. John Ashton and Mrs. Eva Day visited in Abilene Monday afternoon.

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 Statutes 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) Councilmen 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

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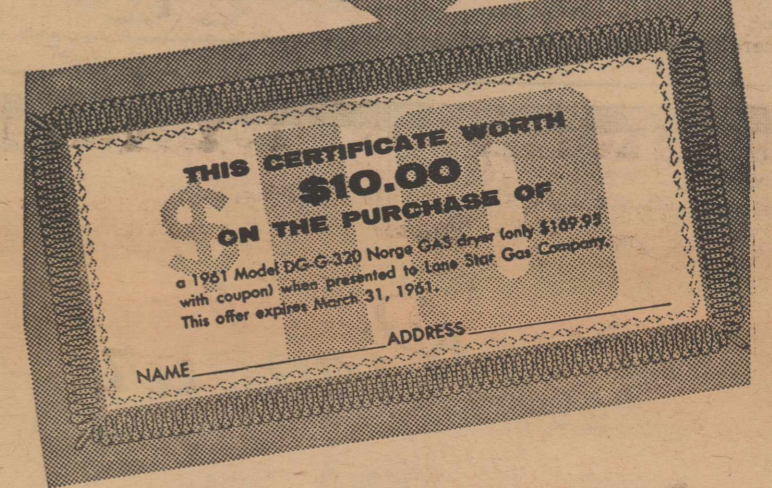
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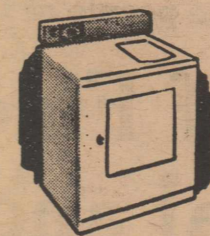
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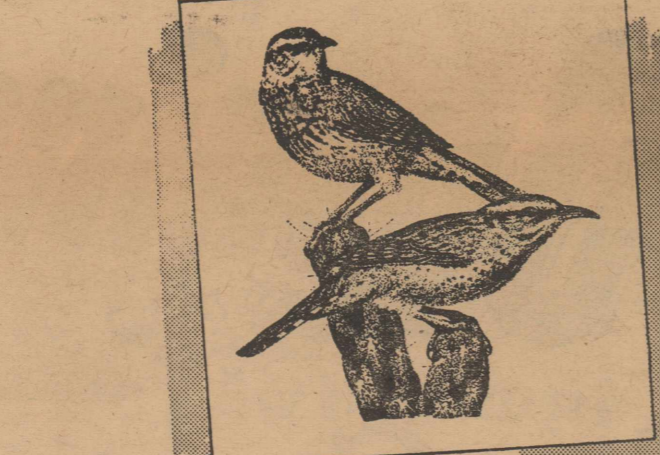
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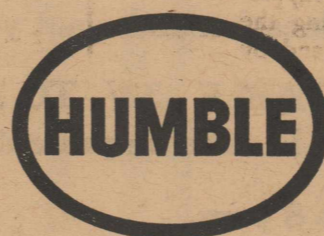
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