

**County 4-H & FFA Livestock Show Sat.**

The 1962 Fisher County 4-H and FFA Livestock Show will be held at the fair grounds in Roby Saturday Jan. 13, beginning at 9:00 a. m.

The show sponsored by the Fisher County Farmers Union will be judged by Clemon Montgomery, Executive Secretary of the Association of Future Farmers of America of Austin. Judging will begin at 9:30 a. m.

Among animals to be exhibited will be pigs, lambs, calves, heifers, commercial steers, cows and calves.

Foy Mitchell is general superintendent with C. D. Herron as assistant superintendent. Other officials will include James Cave, Carolyn Herron, Earl Hammit, beef calf exhibit; Max Stuart, Jim Bob Cave and Orvel Hill, Jr., sheep; Jimmy Wright, Don Stuart and Billy Dycus, dairy cattle; Richard Floyd, Weldon Van Liew and Eddie Smith, swine; Gary Floyd and Stanley Baker, poultry.

Ribbons will be awarded the top ten places in each class. Money prizes will be awarded each exhibit or in each class but only two money places will be awarded any one individual in any class. Ribbons only will be awarded. Pens of three in all divisions.

This is expected to be one of the outstanding shows for the 4-H and FFA.

**Ashley Asks Re-election As County Clerk**

In announcing for re-election for County Clerk of Fisher County I would like for everyone to know how much I appreciate the confidence and consideration shown me during the time that I have served as County Clerk. I would also like for you to know that I will appreciate your support and consideration in the elections.

Thanks very much  
John W. Ashley

**Lunchroom Menu**

**Monday, Jan. 15**  
Meat loaf, cream potatoes, black-eye peas, hot rolls, butter, honey and milk.

**Tuesday, Jan. 16**  
Tomatoes-macaroni, slice cheese, lima, beans, hot rolls, butter, apple sauce and milk.

**Wednesday, Jan. 17**  
Salmon patties, cream potatoes, english peas with sauce, hot rolls, butter, peach halves and milk.

**Thursday, Jan. 18**  
Hamburgers, potato chips pork & beans, banana pudding and milk.

**Friday, Jan. 19**  
Pinto beans, potatoes in jacket, spinach, corn bread, butter, milk and apricot pie.

Mrs. Hub Goolsby and Mrs. Phil J. Melouf visited Mrs. R. W. Reeves of Trent, a cousin of Mrs. Goolsby in the Sweetwater Hospital Monday. They also visited Mr. Nayfa and Mrs. Freddie Jones who are in the hospital there for treatment of a heart ailment.

Pfc. Wayland Goodwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Goodwin left December 21 for Ft. Eustis where he is stationed with the 1097 T Co. Mrs. Goodwin and Brent will remain here for a longer visit.

**Hospital News**

Local patients admitted to Callan Hospital January 3 to January 10 were Mrs. S. B. Marr, Jimmy LaWayne Harris (Mrs. A. C. Carnathan, Mrs. Jack Gillitte, Mrs. J. W. Price, Roberta Cooper, Geo. Fields, Mrs. Wayne Poer, Rickey Bailey, Mrs. Alfonso Soliz, Jr., Loyd Senn, Danny Martinez, Mrs. Steve Velez, L. J. Laughlin, Mrs. Dorothy Barron, J. R. Ramey, Mrs. J. R. Ramey, Rudy Maldonado Joe Pardue, A. G. McClung, Jack Clegg, Mrs. Jack Clegg, Mrs. Bill Pearce, Mrs. Huron Polnac.

Out of two patients were Tont Lynn Astron, Randolph A. F. B.; Boyd Neves, Roby; Foy Beene, Roby; Mrs. Billy Glen Polk, Roby; Gene Gilliland, Roby; Freddy Williamson, Roby; Mrs. Jack Cox, Roby; Mrs. Candelario Barjas, Roby; Mrs. Preston Campbell, Roby.

A girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Candelario Barjas.

A girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Billy Glen Polk.

A boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Soliz.

A boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pearce.

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**Polio Drive To Open Here Monday**

1962 Polio Drive will be held in Rotan next Monday. Although Polio has been almost brought under control over the nation, many victims require assistance and treatment, the preventative program must be carried out, also.

Lions Club members will open the drive Monday afternoon with their canvass of the business section.

The Firemen will hold their street blockade from 5 to 6 p. m., catch-all traffic on main street between these hours. This always raises considerable amount of funds.

Mothers will make their March from 5 to 7 p. m. with attempt made to contact every home in town.

Following the canvass all groups will meet at school cafeteria to turn in funds collected and will be served coffee and donuts. List of Mothers March block chairmen and workers will be published next week.

**Joe Pardue Dies Of Heart Attack**

Joe Pardue, 68, retired National Gypsum Co., employee died Sunday in Callan Hospital following a heart attack.

Mr. Pardue was born April 17, 1893 in Hill County. He was son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pardue and was married to Miss Ethel Helms, Nov. 20, 1915 in Roscoe. They moved to Rotan in 1932 from Big Spring. He retired from the plant here last April after 25 years.

Services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from Weathersbee Chapel. Martin Kamstra, minister of the Church of Christ officiated. Burial was in Belview cemetery under direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home. Pallbearers were former associate at the Gypsum plant.

Survivors include the wife; one son, Marion of Roby; four sisters, Mrs. Kyle Laningham and Mrs. Charles Hawkins, both of Abilene; Mrs. Spencer Leshwood of Tacoma, Wash., and Mrs. Ada Witterman of Lubbock; one brother, Robert Pardue of Abilene; nine grandchildren. A son, Gerald died Nov. 8, 1952 in Abilene.

**Band Students Do Well At Regional**

Saturday, January 6, was the day chosen for the annual all-region Band tryouts. This year it was held at McMurry College, Abilene.

Band members from Rotan attending were, Celia Reese, Mike Byrly, Carolyn McDaniel, Sue Mercer, Mac Eades, Mike Bennett, Jimmy Hughes, Patricia Riley, Barbara Eades and Richard Johnston.

Celia was placed as 4th chair flute Mac as 2nd chair baritone saxophone, Barbara, 12th chair clarinet and Pat, 23rd, clarinet.

The group reports a very enjoyable day.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Awalt and family of Twas Bay, Michigan visited Mr. and Mrs. Worth Smith and other friends here last week. Mr. Awalt was formerly personnel manager of National Gypsum Co., here.

Mrs. Clara Fuqua, District Deputy, district 2, section 7, of Sweetwater will make her official visit to the Rotan Chapter 52, Order of Eastern Star, Tuesday night, the regular meeting date.

A program is being prepared.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cox and family of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Terry Sunday. They celebrated Mrs. Cox's birthday with a family supper.

Mrs. C. E. Whitfield and Mrs. J. C. Parks were in Abilene on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sandusky and Linda of Merkel visited her sister, Mrs. W. L. Terrell Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn and Mrs. Snyder and Post Sunday.

**Real Winter Weather Blows In Monday Night**

Following Monday's balmy 70 degree temperature, the big frigid blast blew into this section early Monday night with high winds and a sudden dip in temperature. The strong east wind caused much concern at local gins, greatly increasing fire danger and some considered closing down operation for the night, but the wind subsided somewhat after a few hours and the gins continued their work.

Temperature remained low all day Tuesday and by nightfall had reached a low of 8 degrees early Wednesday morning. The Advance thermometer registered 6, but National Gypsum Co., registered 8 degrees, which is considered very accurate as plant operations are regulated by temperature changes. Temperature remained low all Wednesday with the plant registering 12-1-2 degrees at 3 p. m. Regardless of what your thermometer gauged it has been as cold in this area as in recent years.

Gas pressure lowered slightly early Wednesday morning but soon came up and no shortage has been reported.

Light snow fell Tuesday morning, but melted quickly, and streets, sidewalks and roads remain dry, which has kept accidents to a minimum.

Small snow flakes again began falling at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday, but little precipitation is forecast. Little relief from the bitter cold is expected for several days, due to the huge area of snow and cold mass in the northern states.

**Dist. B-B Play To Open Friday**

The Yellowhammers open district play Friday night when the boys travel to Roscoe.

The Hammers got off to a fast start in the Jayton tournament last weekend by defeating Roaring Springs 49 to 19. They were edged out of the tournament the next game when Paducah beat them four points.

Rotan girls open district play Tuesday, January 16 when the boys and girls are host to Coahoma.

The girls bowed to Roaring Springs 33-32 in their opener at Jayton. After that defeat they bounced back and beat Girard 49-38. Their next victory over Patton Springs won the consolation division of the tournament and sent them home with a trophy.

Schedule for district game:

- Jan. 12, Rotan at Roscoe (boys only)
- Jan. 16, Coahoma at Rotan
- Jan. 19, Rotan at Merkel
- Jan. 23, Open
- Jan. 26, Rotan at Wylie
- Jan. 30, Roscoe at Rotan (boys only)
- Feb. 2, Rotan at Coahoma
- Feb. 6, Merkel at Rotan
- Feb. 9, Open
- Feb. 13, Wylie at Rotan.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arvin White Sunday were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nath White and his grandfather, Duke Biggs, all of Abilene. Mr. White is recovering from a severe heart attack he suffered before Christmas and expects to be able to go home from the hospital soon, but will be required to remain at home for some time.

M. P. McGrew received information Monday that his mother, Mrs. Minnie McGrew was very ill and in the hospital in Yoakum. Mr. and Mrs. McGrew had planned to go to Yoakum Tuesday, but due to bad weather will wait until later.

Mrs. George Kiker of Big Spring visited her mother, Mrs. L. C. Miller in Callan Hospital Sunday.

Miss Eunice Shamburger of Goretta, N. M. came Wednesday of last week and visited her sister, Mrs. John McCombs until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hedgcock of Lubbock brought her mother, Mrs. Walter Price to the hospital here Sunday for treatment.

**Gins Nearing 25,000 Bale Mark For Season**

Local gins began catching up with cotton waiting around the gins, late Tuesday for the first time since before Christmas. Mechanical gathering has kept them swamped, even with operations being carried out around the clock, 7 days each week.

The gins shut down about midnight Tuesday due to the extreme cold.

A total of 24,178 was reached Wednesday afternoon. Most farmers in the territory have about completed their harvest and ginners expect about a thousand bales remaining in fields.

**Sister of Mrs. Bostick Dies In Abilene**

Mrs. James B. Day and Mrs. Nash Miers visited and attended to business in Abilene Saturday. They visited with Misses Delila and Josie Baird and their mother Mr. A. A. Bostick who had spent several weeks in Abilene to be with Mrs. J. B. Alvis of Weatherford who had been in Hendrick Memorial Hospital for treatment. She was a sister of Mrs. Bostick.

Mrs. Alvis died Sunday night and the body was carried to Weatherford, where she had lived for many years. Surviving are one brother and three sisters.

**To Citizens of Fisher County**

I wish to announce for another term as your County Treasurer. I appreciate all the help and support I received last term. I would also be grateful for your help and support again. I like my work very much, also enjoy working and being with the Court House Associates. Come by and say hello to me when you are in the Court House, I would enjoy it very much.

Your County Treasurer  
Ina Goodwin

**Official Cites Benefits To Veterans in County**

According to Charles L. Morris, Executive Director Veterans Affairs Commission, "more than \$228,267.00 was distributed to veterans and their dependents in Fisher County, during the past year by the Veterans Administration. This figure represents payments in the form of disability compensation, pension and training allowances to living veterans; death compensation and pension paid to widows, orphans and dependent parents of deceased veterans; burial allowance paid to survivors of deceased veterans, and many other benefits which are less frequently paid. This amount of money only represents the cases that were handled through organizations that this department is accredited with.

These figures do not reflect the inestimable benefits received by our citizens in the form of hospital care, outpatient treatment, and otherwise counsel and assistance which have been rendered in various other highly technical fields.

Through the years, it is all too easy for the people of our Country to forget those who bore arms in our Nation's defense, and the families of those who did not return, or returned to a disrupted life. However, it is gratifying to see that your County still remembers those who served so well, by providing a Veterans County Service Officer who is well versed in his duties, energetic in the performance of those duties, and is possessed with the sympathetic human understanding necessary to properly fulfill those duties."

World War I veterans will meet Sunday at the Legion Hut in Rotan, 2:00 p. m.

All WWI vets and Auxiliary members are urged to attend and help formulate program for the year.

Mrs. Elwood Freeman and daughters Leigh, Kathy and Laurie of Lubbock came Friday and visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Morris Watson until Sunday.

**Ed Perkins Enters County Judge Race**

E. G. (Ed) Perkins entered the race for County Judge this week. He has been Superintendent of Roby School system since 1957 and last year his contract was extended to June 30, 1964.

Mr. Perkins has had a successful teaching career with 13 years experience, 11 of which have been as Superintendent of schools. The 39-year old man received his B. S. degree from AOC; M. A. degree from Hardin-Simmons University and has had special courses at Baylor and A&M College. In the management of the schools he has had much business experience.

He was born in Ponta, Cherokee County, Texas, and graduated from Rusk High School, being reared on a farm. He married Miss Dorothy Zerber of Abilene and they have four children. They have owned their home in Roby several years and are members of Roby Church of Christ.

Perkins is a World War II veteran of 38 months service, 28 of these in the European Theatre. He has been active in civic affairs of the county since living here and is member of the Lions Club, Fisher County Sheriff Posse, American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Roby Fire Department, Masonic Lodge, Farmers Union and Fasm Bureau.

He will have a statement in regard to the race in the near future, and states that he will make every effort to contact each voter during his active campaign.

**Delegates To Report On PTA State Convention**

Junior High PTA will meet Wednesday, January 17 at 4 p. m. at Jr. Hi building. Delegates to PTA convention in Houston will present a panel program on their attendance at the convention. This program will prove most interesting to everyone and all interested are urged to attend.

Delegates making the Houston convention were, Meses. Marshall Hill, W. D. Hariman, Earl Martin and M. F. Gerland.

All three PTA's have an invitation, the high school, primary and Jr. High, the PTA Council has a special invitation to attend and anyone interested in the school program.

**Mrs. McKinney Feted On 100th Birthday**

Mrs. Nettie McKinney celebrated her 100th birthday, January 8 at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McKinney in Carlton, Texas.

It was a gala affair with a big turkey dinner. Lots of pictures were made during the day. Forty three relatives and several friends attended the celebration. Mrs. McKinney was up all day, sitting in her rocking chair and enjoying everything.

Children from Rotan attending were Charlie McKinney, Clyde McKinney, Mrs. M. P. McGrew and Mrs. Dewey Dry. Grandchildren from Rotan were Mrs. Lute Kilgo, Earl D. McGrew, Mrs. Hal Dean Cave, Mrs. Douglas Weathersbee and Murl McKinney. Grandchildren from Dallas attending were Mrs. Virgil (Maxine) Robbins, Mrs. Nell Owen and Melvin McGrew. Also 5 great grandchildren attended from Dallas.

It was a very enjoyable occasion for all and the honoree received lots of gifts. Mrs. McKinney has visited here with her children and has a large number of friends here who extend congratulations.

Guests in the home of Mr. and J. A. Cauble of Roby for New Years dinner were Mrs. F. O. Lovling and Dbeby, Rotan; Mrs. Wayland Goodwin and Brent, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Donal Barnes and Nonea of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pendergrass, Euless, Texas and Mrs. Lois Cauble, Roby.

Joe Burnes of A&M College, Bryan, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Burnes during Christmas holidays.

**B-B Tournament Here Saturday**

B teams of Rotan School will be host to Roby, Hemleigh and Aspermont Saturday in a one-day tournament.

Both Rotan teams won a consolation trophy in the Hemleigh tournament last week.

The Rotan girls open tournament Saturday at 8:30 a. m. when they play Roby. The Yellowhammers play Hemleigh at 12:15 for final game of the morning session. Final four games begin at 5:15 p. m.

**'Martin Luther' To Be Shown At Church**

"Martin Luther", the unforgettable documentary film of the leader of the Reformation in the 16th century, will be shown at First Methodist Church, Rotan, on Sunday, January 14th, beginning at 7:00 p. m.

"Martin Luther" was produced several years ago by the Lutheran Church Productions, and was shown throughout the United States at road show prices before being re-circulated at regular prices. In many cities, new attendance records were set by the peoples wanting to see this portrayal of faith.

First Methodist Church extends an invitation to you to come Sunday night at 7:00 p. m. to see this wonderful and inspiring picture of the century.

**Book Review Club To Hear Abilene Lady**

The Book Review Club will meet Tuesday, January 16 at 8 p. m. at First Baptist Church.

Mrs. E. L. Skiles of Abilene will be guest speaker and will talk on the countries in the Far East that she and Dr. Skiles visited during 1960.

This program has been designated as "Guest Day" of the Club year. As usual all club members are expected.

The Club welcomes anyone who is interested in hearing this marvelous program for the small fee of \$1.00 per person.

**Roby Grocer Dies Of Heart Attack**

Boyd Neves, 59, a Roby grocer since 1945, died in Callan Hospital in Rotan Saturday at 9:30 a. m. after a long illness.

Neves, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Neves of Fisher County, Texas. He came to Fisher Co. with his parents in 1914 and married Mary Smith here on Feb. 10, 1921. The couple farmed near Roby until 1943 when they moved into Roby. Mr. Neves engaged the trucking business until 1945 when he went into the grocery business.

Funeral services were held Sunday in the First Baptist Church with Rev. E. L. Yeats, Rev. Fred Blake and Rev. E. H. Cole officiating.

Burial followed in the Roby Cemetery.

Survivors include the wife, three sons, Eugene of San Angelo, James T. of Ft. Stockton and Jerry Neves of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Wilson Lewis of Sheffield and Mrs. L. W. Knox of Roby; three brothers, Ed Neves of Roby, Albert of Levelland, Harold of Lubbock; two sisters, Mrs. Joe Morris of Roby and Mrs. Cecil Kidd of Lovington, N. M.; eleven grandchildren. Nephews were pallbearers.

Mrs. E. N. Pool and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Art Weise of Tullahoma, Tennessee and Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Mattheys and sons of Nashville, Tennessee visited Mr. and Mrs. Nealy Morton and family in the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Pool is a niece of Mrs. Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Odell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Milliken and son Robert of Olney visited Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smith Sunday.

Mrs. Cecil Barnes of Lubbock visited her mother, Mrs. Paul Barnes, Saturday.

**Clues to Clothing Care-**

Alice Kemp, o. HD Agent

Next time you shop for fabrics or ready-to-wear, be sure to check the fiber label. That's an important clue to the kind of care and wear you can expect, according to extension clothing specialists of the A&M College of Texas.

Since March 3, 1960 the new Textile Fiber Products Identification Act has been in effect. This means that all textile fiber products must now carry a label which gives the generic (family) names and percentages by weight of the fibers in the product.

We all recognize the natural fibers—cotton, linen, silk and wool; but, some of the man-made fibers have unfamiliar generic names. Specialists point out that it is very important to learn these new names because they give an important clue to proper washing, drying and pressing temperatures and to spot removal.

Trade names also exist for many fibers. But when a manufacturer uses a trade name he must pair it with the generic names of fibers, so that you still have this important clue to clothing care.

Specialists give a practical five-point plan for buying clothing in a leaflet, "For clues to clothing care—read your fiber label."

Ask for a copy of this new bulletin from your county home demonstration agent's office.

**JEWELRY REFLECTS YOUR TASTE AND PERSONALITY . . .**

The jewelry you wear reflects a bit of your own taste and personality. Even inexpensive jewelry can add just the right accent to your costume, if it is carefully chosen, according to Rhea Merle Boylese, extension clothing specialist of the A&M College of Texas.

Proper choice means that certain styles and textures are best for different occasions. And when more than one piece of jewelry is worn, the pieces should be related in texture and type . . . but not necessarily "matched sets." Look for modern and conventionalized pieces rather than those that have a naturalistic design.

"Accessories Around The Clock", a colorful bulletin written by extension clothing specialists, gives suggestions for choosing jewelry for street, travel or business costumes, as well as for dress and party wear. Get a copy from County H. D. Agent's office.

**Letter From Redden**

Roby, Texas, Jan. 9, 1962

Dear Bro. and Sister in Christ:

As we pass the Christmas season everybody is thinking about what to do, their main thing is to give God a chance, and to see what we can do for the cause around the world and we think what can be done here at home and around the world and Jesus said in Acts 1:8, "But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you, and ye shall be my witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem and in all Judea and in Samaria and unto the uttermost part of the earth. Matthew 28 chapter, 19 verse, Jesus said go and he meant to go into all the world and preach Gospel to every creature. We use our time and talent and money for ourselves. We take our time and fail to read, study and go to church and let God lead in a great and mighty way. We take our talents instead of using them for God, we hide them or fail to use them. If we use what God has given us He will give us more to use for God's Glory. If we use what we have, God will give us more to use for Him and to honor Him with. We take our money and use it for everything in the world instead of God. We pay all kinds of tax, but fail to realize where it all comes from.

Blessed be the name of the Lord, He gives, and takes away.

Yours in Christ, E. L. Redden.

**Approaching Marriage Is Announced**

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shelburne of Ballinger announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ellen Louise to Bobby Gruben, son of Mrs. Alvin Gruben.

The wedding will be January 19 at 7:30 p. m. in First Methodist Church. Officiating at the ceremony will be Rev. Edgar Jones of Breckenridge and Rev. Thurman Upshaw of Pampa.

The public is invited to attend.

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January 11, 12 and 13

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- PEARS** Libby's 303 4 for
- CATSUP** Sniders 14 oz. 6 for
- FLOUR** Light Crust 2 5 lb. boxes
- OLEO** Food King 6 lbs.
- BISCUITS** SHURFRESH 12 Cans



- Luncheon MEAT** OSCAR MAYER 12 oz. Can 39c
- Instant Coffee** FOLGER'S INSTANT 6 oz. Jar 69c
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- BEEF LIVER** FRESH lb. 39c

- BACON** TALL KORF lb. 49c

- SAUSAGE** COUNTRY STYLE 5 pound Bag \$1.79

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Kiker of Refugia, Texas, visited relatives in Roby and Rotan this week.



**DON'T DO IT YOURSELF**

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Wellbourne Porter is in the VA Hospital in Big Spring after becoming ill here several days ago, with what was feared was a heart attack. He was under oxygen 24 hours after entering the hospital, but is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dill of Dallas visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson over the weekend. Sunday the group went to Coahoma to visit Mr. Jackson's mother, Mrs. W. J. Jackson.



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**Senator Ratliff Asks Reelection**



SENATOR DAVID RATLIFF

State Senator David Ratliff of Stamford this week announced for re-election as Senator for the 13 county 24th Senatorial District, which includes Fisher County.

Before his election to the Texas Senate, Ratliff was elected three times to the House of Representatives. He was elected to the Senate in 1954 and reelected in 1958.

It is generally recognized that a Senator's usefulness to his State and district is immeasurably increased by seniority. With several members of the Senate retiring this year, Ratliff's eight years of seniority will be invaluable to the people of this district.

Senator Ratliff is highly regarded by his fellow Senators. Last year, as a token of their respect and esteem, they elected him President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the highest honor the Senate can confer on one of its members.

Ratliff now serves 12 Standing Senate Committees, including some of the most powerful in the Senate. In addition, because of his steady influence and demonstrated interest in sound government, he has been appointed to such key interim study groups as the Tax Study Commission, the Cost of Government Study Committee, the Legislative Budget Board, and a special committee to study the problems of the aging. Based on the broad knowledge of state fiscal affairs, gained from his wide experience as a member of these several committees and agencies, Senator Ratliff says that he sees "no need whatever for further state tax increases anytime in the foreseeable future." He does insist, however, that amendments are definitely required to remove inequities and to simplify collection of the sales tax. "Recent experience has proved that this law should be corrected to prevent certain injustices and to eliminate unnecessary complications," Ratliff said.

Senator Ratliff's primary legislative interest through the years has been the major problem of West Texas—water.

He has co-authored legislation making water available to the cities of Abilene, Anson, Albany, Breckenridge, Hamlin and Stamford. He also co-sponsored legislation creating the White River Authority which will bring an adequate supply of water to Post and Spur, and legislation creating a water supply for Roby and Rotan. In addition, Senator Ratliff co-authored legis-

lation to provide water for the school at Gail.

Senator Ratliff in making his announcement expressed his gratitude for the many honors extended to him by the people of the 24th Senatorial District and pledged his continued dedication to sound and stable governmental policies. "I am running on my past record," Ratliff said.

Senator Ratliff was born in Wise County, Texas, and comes from a large family, having seven brothers and three sisters. His widowed mother, Mrs. L. D. Ratliff, resides in Haskell. Senator Ratliff graduated from Haskell High School in 1930, attended Austin College in Sherman and North Texas State University in Denton. The Senator married Priscilla Gladish, a Springtown, Texas, girl whom he met in college. They have two sons, David and John, two daughters Lynnora and Janie, and two grandchildren, Robert and Rebecca. Mrs. Ratliff is now a student at Abilene Christian College and taking extension work from Hardin-Simmons University. Lynnora is a Junior at Baylor University.

Senator Ratliff is an elder in the Christian Church, a Rotarian, a

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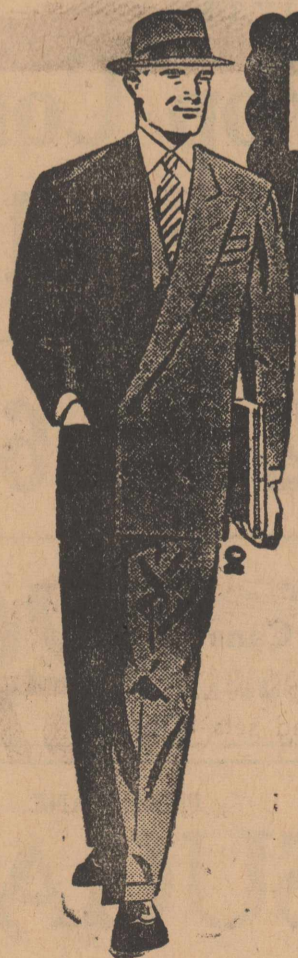
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in color  
Kooky Young Hood & Ruby who was their girl

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**Political Announcements**

The Advance is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to action of Democratic Primary:

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For Rent nice 4 room house on Royston highway, 6 miles East and 2 miles South, B. A. Knight. 47-tfc

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Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark, Vickie and June of Anson visited over the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark.

W. F. Morton visited Mr. and Mrs. Nealy Morton and family Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Posey and children moved Monday to near Wichita Falls.

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<b>Budget Sliced BACON</b>		lb. 35c
LARGE RUBY RED	EACH	12 OZ. BAMA RED PLUM
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300 SIZE RENOWN		
<b>TOMATOES</b>	2 Cans	25c
HERSHEYS	Almond or Plain	Box 24 Bars 89c
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25 OZ. HEINZ	Kosher, Dills or Hamburger	35c
<b>PICKLES</b>		
KING SIZE		
<b>MR. CLEAN</b>		95c
<b>Milk</b>	Tennessee Homo Every Day Low Price	39c
	1-2 Gallon	
LARGE, FRESH, CRISP		
<b>CELERY</b>	Stalk	15c
HEINZ		
<b>CATSUP</b>	14 oz. Bottle	25c
32 OZ. WESTFIELD	ORANGE OR GRAPE	
<b>TREAT</b> 2 Cans	44c	MEADOWLAKE 2 LBS. <b>OLEO</b> 49c
ARMOUR'S VEGETOLE 3-LB. CRT.		
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1-2 Gallon	43c	25c
		98c

## Latimer Enters State Senatorial Race

Truett Latimer, Texas legislator from Taylor County for the last ten years, will be a candidate for State Senator from the 13-county 24th Senatorial district, he announced Wednesday.

He said he will make an aggressive campaign for the office and promised to maintain personal contact with every community in the district. Latimer said he will formally file as a candidate with the individual county Democratic chairmen "in the very near future."

In announcing that he had decided to offer his services to voters of the 24th Senatorial District, Latimer issued this statement: "During my ten years in the legislature, I have served on many important committees and have handled much legislation of local and state-wide significance. I believe my experience fully qualifies me for the office of State Senator. I promise the most aggressive all-out campaign that this district has seen in many years. I feel that the 250,000 people who live in this 13-county district are entitled to representation in the Senate that is not afraid to speak out on issues which affect them. As a candidate and as Senator, I will make myself available at all times—not just in election years—to every community in the district."

A native of Shackelford County Latimer was reared in Jones County where he attended public school at Lueders. He moved to Abilene to attend Hardin-Simmons University where he received the bachelor of arts degree in 1951.

He was elected to the Texas Legislature from the 34th District (Taylor County) in 1952 and has served in the 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th and 57th sessions. He has held many committee posts in the Legislature, including chairmanships and vice-chairmanships of important committees. He has served on twelve (12) of the Legislature's 43 standing committees; two on Appropriations, two on water, three on Agriculture and four on Insurance.

In 1955 he helped rewrite the Texas Insurance Code after scandal almost wrecked the state's insurance industry. He was author of the 1957 Texas Water Planning Act, the Texas Feed Control Act of 1957, and also sponsored legislation calling for study of the state's Constitution with a view of possible revision. Among the bills of local importance he sponsored in the

House was the one creating the West Central Texas Municipal Water District which now is constructing a multi-city water reservoir on Hubbard Creek for the cities of Albany, Anson, Abilene and Breckenridge.

Latimer operated an insurance agency in Abilene from 1952 to 1955. Since then he has served as alumni director for Hardin-Simmons University. He also has served

twelve (12) years in the Texas National Guard and one year in the Army Reserve. He is a member of Abilene Rotary Club and Junior Chamber of Commerce and is a board member of the Texas YMCA Youth-In-Government Program.

He is married to the former Judy Johnson of Morton. They have two children, Jeffery Allan, born August 25, 1958; and Laura Gail,

born July 6, 1961.

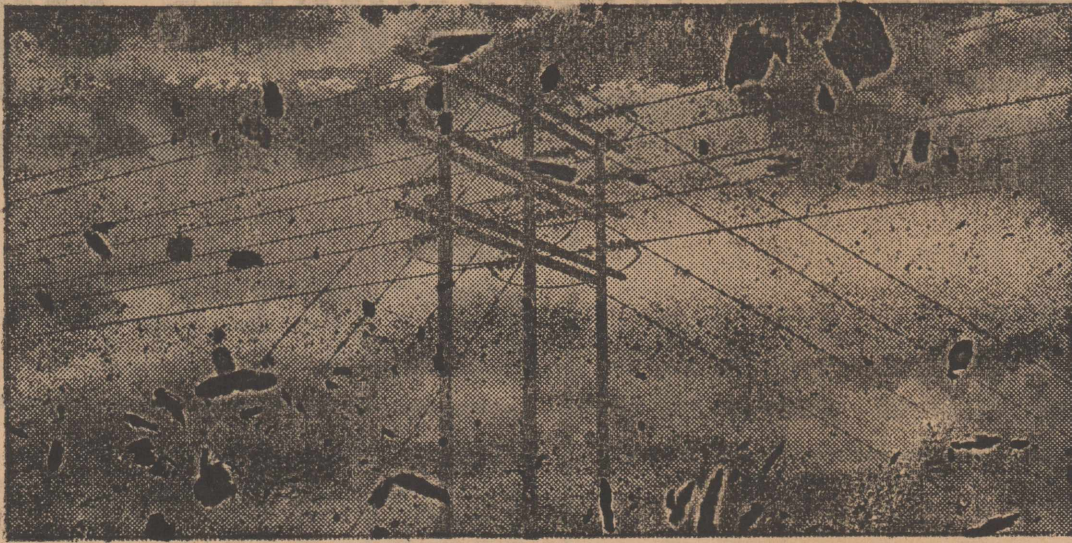
Latimer's mother, Mrs. Zora Latimer, still resides at Lueders. His father, Charlie L. Latimer, died in 1943.

Counties in the 24th Senatorial District are Garza, Kent, Stonewall, Hakell, Borden, Scurry, Fisher, Jones, Shackelford, Taylor, Nolan, Mitchell and Howard.

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Visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vittitow Sunday were his sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Conorod and Mrs. Hall of Abilene, and brother Mr.

The Rotan Advance  
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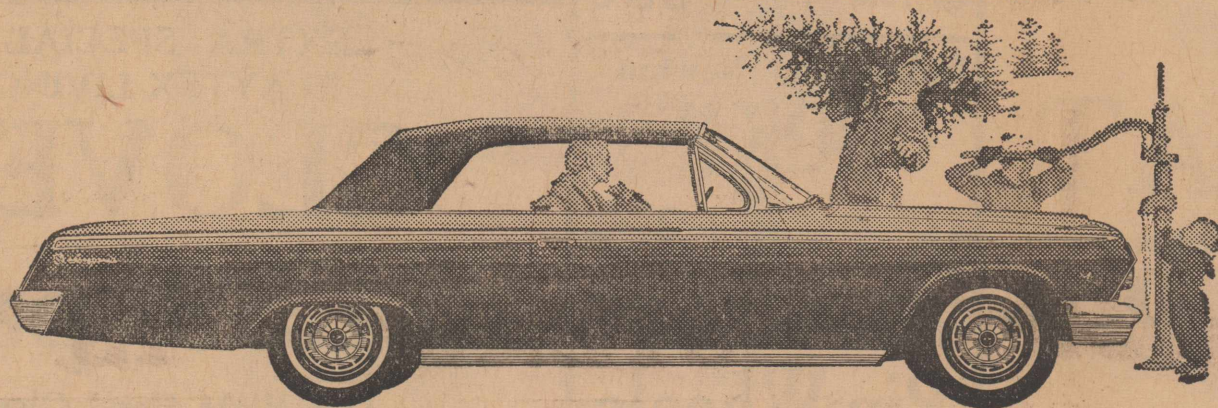


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	Quart	
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Lettuce	Large Head	18c
Grape Fruit	5 lb. Bag	29c
Strawberry		
Preserves	18 oz. Jar	39c
Folgers		
COFFEE	1 lb.	59c
Table Napkins	200 Count	35c
Folgers Instant		
Coffee	6 oz. Jar	79c
Austex Spaghetti &		
Meat Ball	4 No. 300 Cans	99c
Gladiola		
MEAL	5 lb.	39c
Pure Lard	3 Lb. ctn.	49c
Dressed Hens	lb.	39c
Delite		
Sausage	2 lbs.	69c
Mexican Style		
Dinners	Pkg.	43c

YOUNG'S MARKET

**Delayed From Last Week--**

Mrs. O. R. Clark and Mrs. Arlie Keener visited relatives in Lubbock Monday.

Brenda Tennyson of Hendricks Memorial Hospital, Abilene visited her family Rev. and Mrs. Merwin Tennyson during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill G. Smith and sons of New Orleans spent Christmas holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. James Aaron and son Johnny of Socorro, New Mexico visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Aaron over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. John Young spent Christmas with their son Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Young and daughter in Midland.

Mrs. Lena Birdsong visited in Fort Worth with her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Hattox during the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Barron were in Fort Worth over the week end to visit her mother and sister, Mrs. J. A. Price and Mrs. J. D. Blevins and Mrs. Birdsong returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren G. Whitfield and daughter Colleen of Arlington, California visited Mrs. C. E. Whitfield on Thursday, December 21st.

Gayleta Little returned to Hardin Simmons University Monday after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Little and grandmother, Mrs. I. M. Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ash visited in Amarillo over the week end with her father, a sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Douglas Harrell and son Bruce, Ft. Polk La., visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Harrell during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Watson and her mother, Mrs. J. M. Montgomery visited relatives in Big Spring Tuesday. Mrs. Kate Hinds came home with them and will visit her sister, Mrs. Montgomery several days.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Darden were their children Jo Alice Darden of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Northrup and children of Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark sent Christmas Eve in Anson with their son Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clark of Anson and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark spent Christmas Day in Brownfield with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nitsch and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill House visited during the holidays their sons, Mr. and Mrs. Bookout of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bookout and Mike of Richardson, also her brother the Dee Bradfords of Sherman.

Guests of Judge and Mrs. H. F. Grindstaff during the Christmas season were Charles Thedford and daughter Betty of Austin and Miss Mary Grindstaff of Fort Collins, Colorado. Judge and Mrs. Grindstaff and Miss Mary visited in Abilene Thursday of last week.

Judge and Mrs. H. F. Grindstaff attended to business in Sweetwater Tuesday.

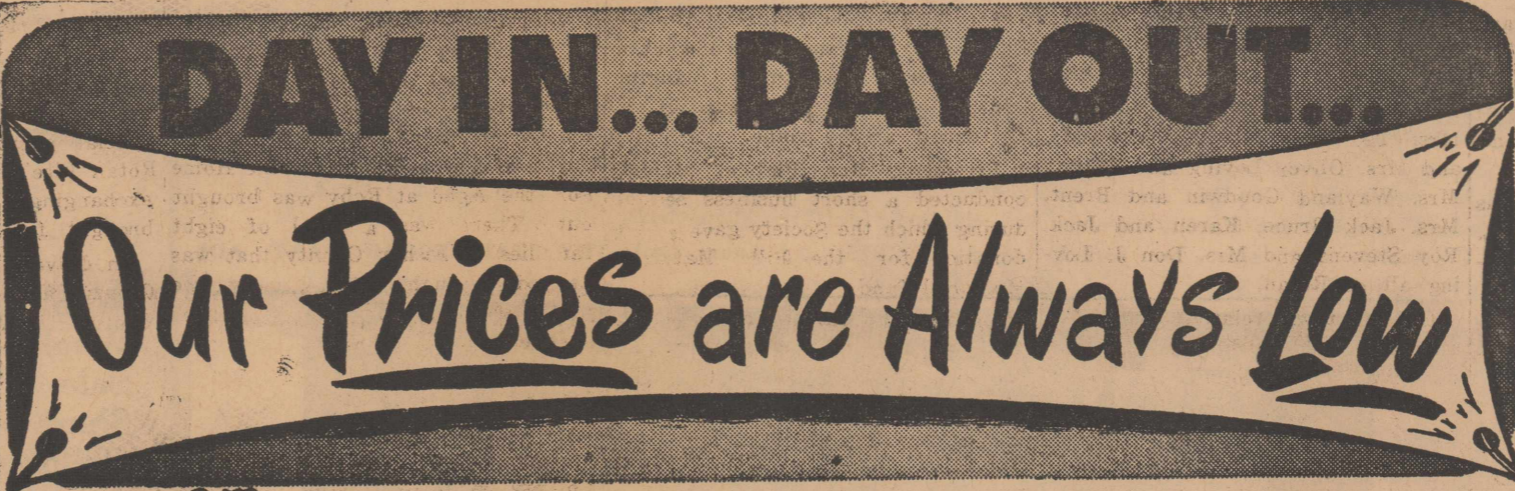
Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Callan spent several days visiting in Dallas and attended the Cotton Bowl game.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Marr spent Christmas in Canyon with their daughter and family the Craig Johnsons.

**Merribee Club Meets With Mrs. McCombs**

The Merribee Club met Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McCombs in regular meeting. The day was spent in visiting and doing needle work and a covered dish dinner was enjoyed at the noon hour.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Lala Horton, Feb. 13, with a Valentine party. Attending were Mes. Inez Ray, Eunice Hodo, Essie Eaton, Avis Aaron, Stella Senn, Polly Helm, Naomi Cauble and Mrs. McCombs.



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Swift Jewel  
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**TIDE Rege. Size Box 29c**

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Patio Mexican  
**DINNERS Each 59c**

**Fresh MEATS**

Pure Pork  
**Sausage 2 Lb. Sack 59c**

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**FRANKS lb. 49c**

Fresh Ground  
**MEAT lb. 39c**

Fresh Pork  
**LIVER lb. 29c**

Boneless  
**STEW MEAT pound 59c**

Ranch Style  
**BACON 2 Lb. Pack 89c**

Folgers  
**COFFEE lb. 59c**

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**CATSUP 14 oz. Bottle 25c**

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Skinner's  
**MACRONI 2 Boxes 25c**

Dottie  
**BISCUITS 3 Cans 25c**

Fauntless Spray  
**STARCH Can 65c**

Kraft  
**Cheez-Whiz 8 Oz. Jar 35c**

Nabisco-Fig Newton  
**COOKIES lb. 39c**

Nabisco Chocolate  
**Pin Wheels 12 oz. Bag 49c**

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**ORANGES 5 Lb. Bag 29c**

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### Tankersley-Sosebee Wedding Vows Said

A Dec. 16 wedding in Calvary Baptist Church united Doris Jean Tankersley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Acker, and Frank A. Sosebee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sosebee of Stamford.

The double ring service was read at 7 p. m. by the Rev. E. L. Redden, pastor of West Side Baptist Church in Roby.

Organist was Mrs. A. V. Shipp. Ushers were Mickey Martin of Kermit and Kenneth Hardin.

The bride, given in marriage by Mr. Acker, wore traditional white satin and lace dress with shoulder length veil of illusion fastened to a tiara of seed pearls. She carried white carnations and pink rosebuds.

She was attended by a sisiter, Mrs. Kenneth Hardin, and by Mary Lou Irwin, both of Rotan.

Mrs. Hardin wore light blue organza over taffeta, and carried white carnations. Miss Irwin wore pale pink organza over taffeta and also carried white carnations.

Ennis Bishop of Stamford was best man. Groomsman was Hallie Bassie, also of Stamford.

Reception was hosted in the home of the bride's parents. In the house-party, besides parents of the couple, were Messrs. and Mmes. Earl Holcomb, Bernice Hargrove, Loyd Cross and Ennis Bishop and Donna Strickland.

For a wedding trip to Corpus Christi, the bride chose a red wool dress with black accessories.

The couple is residing in Stamford where the bridegroom is in the grocery business.

### Approaching Marriage Is Announced

The engagement of Elaine Turner to Mr. Charles Denton Reed of Graham is being announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Turner. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Reed of Edna, Texas, are parents of her fiancé.

Mr. Reed was assistant manager of Winns Store here until recently when he was transferred to Graham in the same position.

The couple plan a summer wedding.

Mrs. Imogene Lane and Miss Sybil Howard of Lubbock visited their sister Mrs. Hattie Belle Howard Sunday.

### Relatives Enjoy Christmas Dinner

A Christmas dinner was hosted in the home of Mrs. Don J. Loving. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Loving and Kathy, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Loving and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Loving and Debby, Mrs. Wayland Goodwin and Brent, Mrs. Jack Bruce, Karen and Jack, Roy Stevens and Mrs. Don J. Loving all of Rotan.

Out of town relatives were Mr. and Mrs. Todd Rushing, Roby; Mrs. Joe Walker, O'Donnell; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Flint, J. Don, Beth and Ana of Atoka, Okla., Jimmy Don Loving of Arlington, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Arneal Chick and Danny of Abilene.

### Christian Science Service Sunday

A communion service will be held Sunday at all Christian Science churches.

"Sacrament" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read. It will lay special emphasis on commemorating the unselfish life of Christ Jesus by following his example.

The Apostle Paul's advice to Timothy constitutes the Golden Text (1 Tim. 4): "Be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in clarity, in spirit, in faith, in purity."

From "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy the following will be read (p. 4): "What we most need is the prayer of fervent desire for growth in grace, expressed in patience, meekness, love, and good deeds. To keep the commandments of our Master and follow his example, is our proper debt to him and the only worthy evidence of our gratitude for all that he has done."

Mr. and Mrs. Hub Goolsby spent Sunday in Abilene with relatives.

### WSCS Makes Donation To Bill Matthews Fund

The WSCS met in the Church Sanctuary Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with the group singing "Jesus Calls Us," with Mrs. H. F. Grindstaff at the piano.

President, Mrs. Phil J. Malouf, conducted a short business session during which the Society gave a nice donation for the Bill Matthews Memorial fund.

Subject of the program given by Mrs. Lenna Birdsong was "Latin America Speaks". Others assisting in the discussion were Mrs. Alfred Rives, Mrs. Richard Ray, Mrs. Homer Aaron, Mrs. Bill Parker and Mrs. Grindstaff. Mrs. Birdsong also gave the prayer.

Mrs. R. T. Williams gave a report on sending discarded nylon hose and old Christmas cards to a foreign country. Closing prayer was by Mrs. Flora Blount.

Sixteen ladies were present for this meeting.

### Lt. Joe Stoeltje Completes Training

Fort Eustis, Va. (AHTNC) -- Army 2d Lt. Joe E. Stoeltje, whose wife, Beverly, lives in Rotan, Tex., completed the eight-week officer orientation course at The Transportation School, Fort Eustis, Va., Dec. 20.

Lieutenant Stoeltje was trained in the duties and responsibilities of a Transportation Corps officer. His instruction included logistics, operations and training, the role of the Transportation Corps in Army aviation, terminal and water transport, transportation movements and maintenance and operation.

The 25-year-old lieutenant, son of Dr. and Mrs. Joe Stoeltje, 1170 Simmons, Beaumont, is a 1954 graduate of Beaumont High School and a 1961 graduate of the University of Texas.

### VFW Holds Regular Meeting

Regular meeting of Post No. 5072, Fisher County Veterans of Foreign Wars held December 28 at Post Home. Regular business attended to. Verification of the purchase of a wheel chair for the Home For the Aged at Roby was brought out. There was a total of eight families in Fisher County that was helped through Christmas by the VFW and the Auxiliary. All former members of the VFW are urged to pay their dues for 1962 if they haven't done so, as this is the only way that we can continue to do things for the needy of Fisher County is through your continued membership. A report was given on the party that was given for the patients at the Veterans Hospital at Big Springs on Dec. 26. There was a large group present and everyone seemed to enjoy themselves immensely. Christmas presents and cigarettes were given to the patients. Coffee and cookies were served to them and they really seemed to enjoy it. The director of Activities for patients asked us to thank each and everyone that contributed magazines and books for the patients as that is what is really needed up there. Again we urge each and every former VFW member to pay his dues for 1962. We need you.

Reporter

Mr. and Mrs. Hill G. Smith and sons, Mike and Brad of New Orleans, La., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Smith during the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Arrington and J. P. Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright and family in Big Springs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Barnes and Nonea visited Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Loving and Debby during New Year holidays.

### Troop 394 Has Active Year in 1961

Troop 394 completed the year 1961 with a Christmas Party. Main attraction was a Christmas play in which every girl had a part. Special guests were parents and Rotan Fire Department. Instead of exchanging gifts, toys were brought for the needy children.

In November, the Troop gave a Circus Party for the Second grade Brownies. These parties are part of the 'fun' work on the badges the girls earn during the year.

Members of the Troop are, Mari-

lyn Thompson, Karen McKinney, Frances Baugh, Paula Heathington, Vera Decker, Cathy Berry, Jodie Helms, Debbie Sparks, Frances Yanez, Dominga Yanez, Lou Ann Driver, Linda Eaton and Barbara Neeley. Leaders are Mrs. Archie Neeley and Mrs. Lee Decker.

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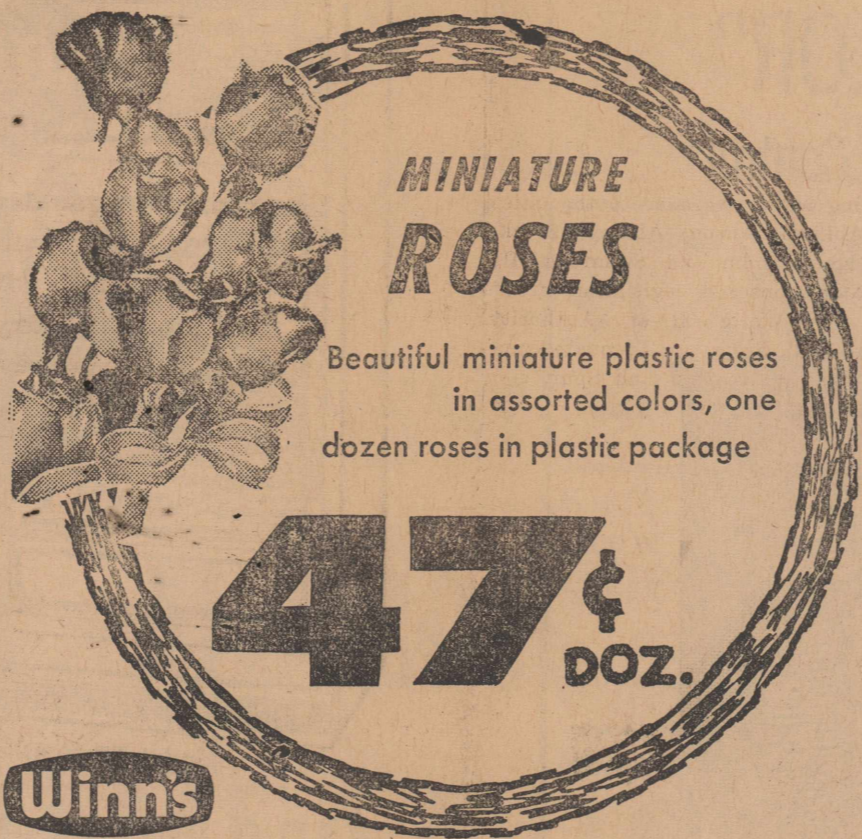


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