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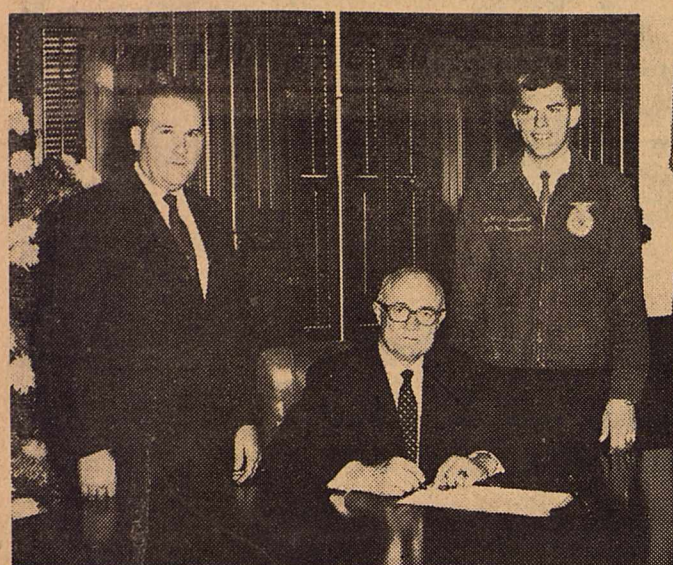


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PICTURED - Governor Preston Smith signing the proclamation as he proclaims the week of February 16-22, 1969, as FFA Week in Texas. To the right of Governor Smith is Bill Sarpalius of Boys Ranch, President of the Texas Association, Future Farmers of America. G. G. Scroggins, Executive Secretary of the Texas Association is pictured at the left.

## Congratulations Members During FFA Week

WHAT IS FFA  
By LOWELL FREEMAN  
ROCHESTER - National Future Farmers of America Week starts February 16 and continues through February 22. At this time of the year FFA boys around the country begin thinking of their proud heritage. The Future Farmers of America evolved as an integral part of the vocational education program in the Public School System in November of 1928. FFA is designed for boys 14 through 21 years of age to prepare the boys for a career in agriculture. When we speak of agriculture we do not refer entirely to the phase of agriculture which deals with production of animals and plants. FFA helps train people for careers in agriculture, marketing, processing, and management. FFA is a non-profit, non-political, non-sectarian rural youth organization designed to produce a better citizen and American.

chapter goal for 1969 project year is 5 or more calves, 12 or more fat lambs, and 15 to 20 head of swine. Our pending goal for 1969 is a local stock show which could be sponsored by the FFA and Rochester merchants providing our FFA and 4-H boys and girls a chance to display their projects and hard work before our local community. The Rochester FFA would like to thank the merchants of Rochester for making the project program a financial success. We deeply appreciate the extra money paid per pound by Newton Implement Company, Farmers Gin and Smith Funeral Home.

## Rule Bobcats Cop District Championship In Basketball

RULE - The Rule Bobcats, with victories over Goree and Old Glory, clinched the 1969 District 26-B championship. The victories were the 39th and 40th in a row in District competition over the past three seasons, and insured the Bobcats of their third consecutive District championship.

The Bobcats took a big step toward the championship Tuesday night by beating Goree's Wildcats 63-53. The Cats took a 19-11 first quarter lead and were never headed. In the second quarter, Jimmy Lisle pumped in three field goals to lead Rule to a 16 point quarter and a 35-23 halftime lead.

Rule's tough defense held Garon Jetton, the districts leading scorer, to just three field goals in the first two periods. Both teams suffered from a cold shooting hand in the third quarter, and the two teams could score only 25 points, 12 for Rule and 13 for Goree.

## Rites For Walter Hadley Conducted At Munday

RULE - Funeral for the Rev. Walter Hadley, 50, pastor of First United Methodist Churches in Munday and Goree, was held at 3 p.m. Thursday in First United Methodist Church in Munday. Rev. S. Duane Bruce, conference program director from Lubbock, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Lee Crouch, pastor of First United Methodist Church in Crosbyton. Burial was in Dreamland Cemetery in Canyon at 11 a.m. Friday under direction of McCauley-Smith Funeral Home of Munday.

The Rev. Hadley was found dead about 1:30 p.m. Tuesday in his office at the church in Munday. Munday Justice of the Peace Billie Montgomery ruled the death due to self-inflicted gunshot wound. Born Jan. 21, 1919 in Pontiac, Ill., he moved with his family at the age of 11 to Texaco, N. M., where he attended schools, graduating in 1936. He then entered Texas Tech where he graduated in 1940 with a degree in vocational agriculture.

## Mrs. Barnett Speaker For FHA Meeting

ROCHESTER - Mrs. T. P. Barnett of Haskell was guest speaker at the regular FHA meeting for February. She gave an educational talk concerning communism and its goals and operations. Mrs. Barnett was reared in Berlin and felt some of the things she knew "first-hand", especially being a young person during Hitler's reign could be of interest to us. She feels if we are dedicated to the things that stand for America as Russians are communism, we would have no fear. A child is reared by the state, educated by the state and works for the state when he finishes his education, or works physically hard if they feel he is not qualified for their need.

Mrs. Barnett states the home is what makes the difference and in America we can establish homes where God is introduced to our children and love and discipline is given, making for a strong America.

The Social Committee used the Valentine theme. FHA president, Carolyn Greenwood conducted the business of the meeting and Istvice-president, Patsy Ballard, introduced the speaker. Other chapter members attending were: Martha Nell Chambers, Martha Ann Hicks, Nancy Rose, Karen Sanderson, Jeanie Hayne, Kay Davidson, Wanda Strickland, Era Mae Session, Trudy Hearn, Nancy English, Pam Speck, Shirley Duncan, Lonnetta Strickland, Janis Roberson, Kay Newsom, Louetta Patterson and Patricia Howard.

## Girls Cinch Dist., All Wins; Boys Beat Weinert-Benjamin

ROCHESTER - The Rochester High School Steers and Steerettes traveled for four games last week and brought home all four victories. Tuesday night the Steers bounced out a 22-7 first quarter lead and went on to win 78-57. Randy Goode hit 29; Bill Alvis, 14; Larry Wadzeck, 4; Robert Slaughter, 17; Chris Fletcher, 3; Mack Martin, 3; Mike Newberry, 2 and Larry Martin 6.

In the Rochester-Weinert girls' game the Steerettes won 46-41. Sherry Tibbets hit 18 for Rochester, Wanda Strickland, 13; Louise Byrd 6; Cinda Sherley, 8 and Janay Tibbets, 1.

The first quarter of play ended with a 14-8 and halftime score was 25-14. A 33-25 third quarter kept the Steerettes rolling in the game.

## Mrs. Lucy Bishop Dies Sat. In Haskell Hospital

RULE - Mrs. Lucy Bell Bishop, 66, died at 6 a.m. Saturday in Haskell Memorial Hospital after suffering an apparent heart attack. Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Sunday in Calvary Baptist Church here, with the Rev. Danny Johnson, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Mike Herrington. Burial was in the Rule Cemetery under direction of Pinkard Funeral Home. She was born April 15, 1902, at Oxford, Miss., and had been a resident of Rule the past 49 years. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church. She married E. G. Bishop here Oct. 27, 1922. He died in 1963.

Surviving are two sons, Enis Dale of Stamford and W. G. (Buddy) of Rule; five grandchildren; four sisters, Mrs. Annie Edna Setzler of Norman, Texas, Mrs. J. F. Dornier of Rule, Mrs. Lilly Forsythe of Rule and Mrs. Mable Lea Mullins of Santa Fe, N. M.; two brothers, John Gibson of Rule and Norris Gibson of Haskell.

Friday night Rochester boys again took a victory over the Benjamin team in a District 26-B game to the tune of 56-20. Rochester came out with a 11-0 first quarter and a 30-12 halftime.

The Steers were not to be held as they fought for a 46-18 third quarter for a 56-20 win.

Goode had 11; Alvis, 15; Slaughter, 6; Fletcher, 6; Mack Martin, 8; Larry Martin, 7 and Mike Newberry 3.

The Rochester girls heaved a big sigh of relief and at least a few screams of joy as they won handily over the Benjamin girls 60-24. Louise Byrd meshed the ball 19 points to pace the winners to a cinch for the District 26-B title. However they still lack two games being through with the district play.

they now have the district title cinched. Wanda Strickland hit for 12 points; Sherry Tibbets, 10; Cinda Sherley, 9; Pam Speck, 6; Carolyn Greenwood, 2 and Lonetta Strickland, 2.

Tuesday night the Steers and Steerettes played host to O'Brien here at 7 p.m. Friday night they will be host to the teams from Goree at 7 p.m. This will end District play for both teams. The girls will go on to bi-district play later on and the boys will begin track. Rule won the boys', 26-B District and will be playing bi-district in the near future.

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Two Injured In Wreck Here Tuesday  
RULE - Henry Callahan, 65, and Claude Foster, 72, of Jud were taken to Haskell Memorial Hospital after receiving injuries Tuesday at 6:45 p.m. in a one-car accident about two miles north of Rule on State Highway 283.

The pickup, driven by Callahan, was traveling south when it hit a concrete abutment. Foster remains in the hospital at this time. Callahan was released after two days.

Sgt. Frank Jirick and patrolmen Rodney Miller and James A. Davis from the Department of Public Safety and Haskell County Sheriff Garth Garrett investigated the accident.

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Home State Bank Named Depository  
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Coming Events  
The annual John Deere Show will be held at 7:30 p.m. February 20 in the Rochester Public School Cafeteria. Refreshments will be served. All farmers and interested persons are invited to attend.

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The Weinert Matrons Club will meet at the regular time Thursday at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. W. B. Guess for an Americanism program. Speakers will be Mrs. R. C. Liles and Mrs. W. A. King who will speak on "Our American Heritage", and "United In Diversity".

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FLETCHER BALLARD and William Greenwood are all smiles. Wonder if it was the food, or their pretty daughters which brought on the smiles? Patsy and Carolyn seem to have a certain twinkle in their eyes which might be something special for them as an appreciation gift for the Daddy-Date dinner.

## Daddy-Date Night Very Successful

ROCHESTER - Rochester FHA Chapters first Daddy-Date Night was a great success, if the fathers enjoyed the dinner and games as much as the girls. A dinner prepared by the girls especially to be appealing in taste and amounts served to the following: William Greenwood and Carolyn, Fletcher Ballard and Patsy, Darwin Davidson and Kay, Albert English and Nancy, Vernon Speck and Pam, Herman Hearn and Trudy, Vernon Sessions and Era Mae, Ira Strickland and Lonnetta, Junior Duncan and Shirley, Lesley Tibbets and Sherry, Joe Howard and Patricia, Gene Rose and Nancy, Norris Anders and

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A second semester sophomore, Cheryl has a 3.60 grade point average on a 4 point system. Her major is elementary education.

She is a 1967 graduate of Rule High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Counts. She is enrolled at ACC for the Spring semester.

## Sagerton To Hold Musical Saturday Nite

RULE - A country and western musical will be held at the school auditorium in Sagerton at 7 p.m. Saturday night.

Everyone is invited and anyone in the area with a musical band has a special invitation to come and join in the fun. Refreshments are available. There will be no admission charge. Come one, come all.

## Write VIP's

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Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hudson of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Pete Helton Sunday.

## City Council Sets Election

RULE - A city election for three council members has been set for April 5. Deadline for the names to appear on ballot is March 4.

The election will be held with E. O. Morgan as election judge. Councilmembers whose terms expire are L. R. Denton, Henry Townsend and Herbert Rinn.

## Mrs. Murphy Makes OES Official Visit

RULE - Rule Chapter No. 989 Order of the Eastern Star met at the Masonic Hall February 6 for the regular meeting and official visit of the Deputy Grand Matron, Mrs. Faye Murphy of Abilene.

Preceding the business meeting a salad supper was served. Herbert Rinn, Worth Patron, gave the invocation.

Other officers of Grand Chapter present were Mrs. Della Mae Moore, Grand Representative from Kansas to Texas, Mrs. Geneva Worsham, member Founders Day Comm. and Mrs. Eula Parrock, member Fraternal Visitation Comm.

Forty-one members and visitors registered from Haskell No. 892, Stimett No. 342, Queen Esther No. 833, Abilene and Anson No. 867.

for the championship. Throughout the first half, it looked as if the Pirates would do just that. Although getting the good shots, the Cats could not put the ball through the hoop, either from the field, (7-27), or from the foul line (4-8), and trailed the Pirates by 6, 24-18 at the half.

Old Glory could also manage only seven field goals but canned 10 out of 17 shots from the free throw line.

Coming out in the third quarter, it looked as if the Bobcats would take a 12-0 lead. See BOBCATS, Page 2

## Lions Discuss Exchange At Meeting

RULE - At a regular meeting of the Rule Lions Club Monday night plans on the Youth Exchange program were discussed for the coming year.

The exchange program was very successful the past year and the Lions Club will again sponsor a youth from this community on a six-week visit to Japan this summer. In return the club will be host for six weeks to an exchange youth from Scandinavia.

Children of the Lions Club members will have first chance for the trip to Japan. If it should be impossible for any of these to take part in the program, others desiring to go may contact Pete Kittle, chairman of the exchange student program for this club.

To meet expenses a money raising project is being offered by the Lions Club for a tree trimming service for the public. Anyone desiring this service may contact any Lion Club member or call City Hall for information.

A large number attended the meeting.

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Jimmie Alvis and Mrs. Earlene Austin and Todd of Denton spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alvis and other relatives.

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### BOBCATS

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cats might stay cold picking up only four points the first two minutes. Then the full court press began to pay off as first Mike Summers, then Jimmy Lisle and Summers again picked off passes for six straight points to tie the score at 28 all. The pressing Cats kept going and built a 38-34 lead at the three-quarter mark.

The third quarter surge was led by Lisle and Anderson with 8 points each and Lott with 4. Significantly, all of Rule's third quarter points came on field goals as the Cats missed 4 of 4 from the foul line.

The Bobcats continued the fast pace in the fourth quarter and the lead mounted to twelve points with 2 1/2 minutes to play. Rule slowed the action

down, and the Pirates, needing the ball, were forced to foul. This proved costly as the Pirates had already lost high scoring Russell Letz via the foul route. First Weldon Spitzer then Kenneth Jones and finally Ricky Boles joined Letz on the bench because of fouls.

The Bobcats were able to cash in on only 9 of 19 from the foul line in the fourth quarter, but the loss of Letz cost the Pirates on rebounding and the others cost them both offensively and defensively.

In the final analysis, it was probably the Rule bench that made the big difference in the ball game. The second unit, Eddie Elmore, Alan Matysiak, Kent LeFevre, Bill Jones, and Benson Badley played the last two minutes of the first quarter and the first five minutes of the second. They scored a valuable 8 points, but more importantly, it kept the starters on the bench and out of foul troubles. Both Mike Summers and James Anderson fouled out in the fourth quarter. Donny Barbee and LeFevre each had four and Lisle three.

"The play of our second unit seemed to give the starters a lift and they played a much better second half," stated coach Schatte. "Had the starting five been in the entire first half, we might have lost some of them sooner. It could have made a difference in the ball game."

The Cats wind up district play this week playing Paint Creek at Rule on Tuesday before traveling to Weinert Friday for the District finale.

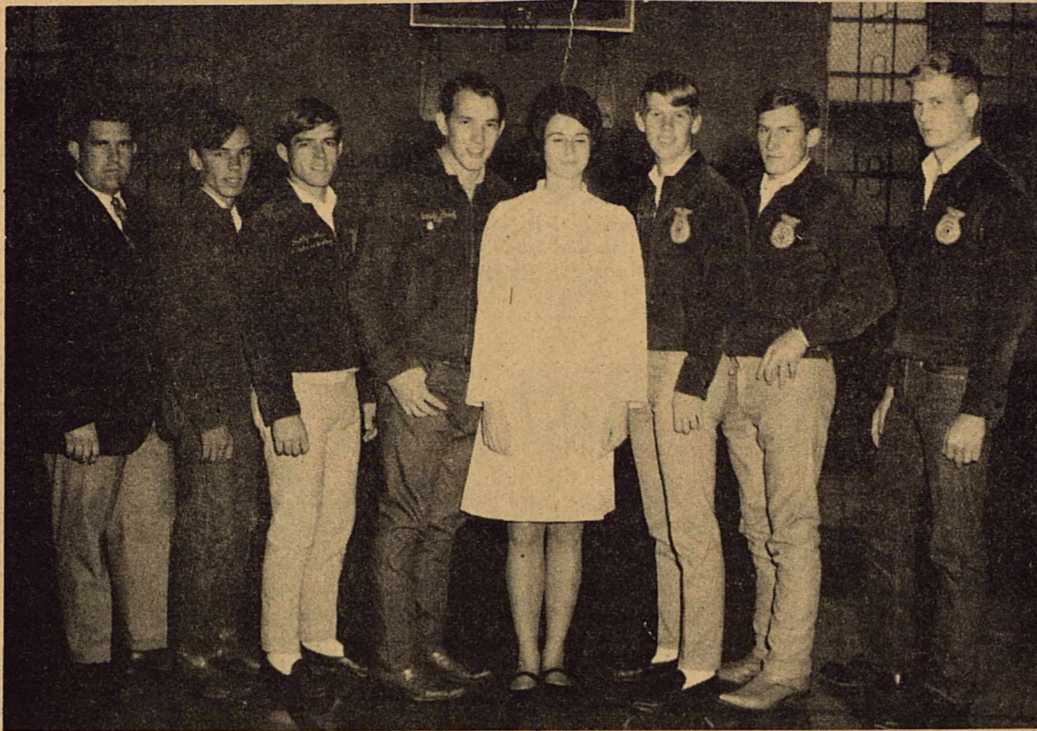
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chairman of the United Fund Drive.

Survivors include his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Gerry Haggard of Lubbock; one son, Bill of Beaumont; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hadley of Texaco, N. M.; one brother, John of Texaco; two sisters, Mrs. Marvin Rohovec of Alamogordo, N. M. and Mrs. Stan Utterback of Heggerman, N. M.

The family requests that memorials be made to some fund at either Munday or Goree Methodist Church.



WHERE THERE IS A DOLL there is a flock of FFA boys. As you can see, these FFA boys and their sweetheart are all smiles. These are the leaders and officers of the Rochester FFA, and their sweetheart Martha Ann Hicks. From left, advisor, Lowell Freeman; president, Keith Gaunt; vice-president, Roger Webb; reporter, Tommy Byrd; secretary, Chris Fletcher; sentinel, Sid Smart; and treasurer, Tony Hollingsworth. These boys will take an active part in FFA week which is February 16-22.

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Martha Nell Chambers, W. H. Patterson and Karen, Dick Roberson and Janis, Grady Newsom and Kay, Rev. Aubrey Headstream and Darra, J. D.

Holmes and Rita. Special guests were Misses, Susan Eskew and Peggy Henry. Mrs. Louise Chambers is Chapter Advisor.

After the dinner, Darra Headstream as Chapter 4th vice-president directed the group in games.

### BI-DISTRICT

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ceed the varsity contest beginning at 6 p.m.

A second ball game is scheduled for Friday February 21st but right now it is up in the air.

"We have scheduled a game with Throckmorton for the 21st to be held at Rule. This is tentative because they haven't clinched their district championship yet," commented coach Schatte. "If it turns out that they don't win the championship, we will have to try to find another game somewhere else."

The "B" team game will start at 7 p.m. with the varsity game to follow.



CAUGHT with a mouth-full of food is Grady Newsom and his daughter Kay, and Dee Hicks and Martha Ann. They were attending the Daddy-Date Night given by the Rochester FHA girls, for their fathers.



NOT INTERESTED in the photographer were Alton Byrd and Jeanie Haney and W. H. Patterson and Karen Sanderson. By the way, just what do you suppose the FHA girls served at that banquet to keep their daddys so busy eating?

### Mrs. LeFevre Makes Dean's Honor List

CISCO JUNIOR COLLEGE - The Dean's List for the fall semester of 1968-69 at Cisco Junior College includes one student from Rochester. She is Mrs. Lois LeFevre.

Criteria for making the Dean's List are: no grade less than "C"; at least 12 semester hours of academic courses; and a grade point average of 2.500 or better, under the 3-point system. (3 points per hour for each "A", 2 points for each "B", and 1 point for each "C"). Announcement of the list was made by Ralph Glenn, Dean of CJC.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Egger and Kenneth of Morton visited last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Cross.

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and a halftime of 17-7 with Rochester all the way. The third quarter of play ended 28-11 and the final score was Rochester 34 and O'Brien 21. Debbie Beauchamp hit 15; Sharon Foster meshed 9 followed by Susan Stegemoeller with 8, and Melissa Roberson with 4. The B-team also played some. Carmen Conn was high for O'Brien with 11 points.

Thursday afternoon the O'Brien teams will invade our courts with an attempt to get vengeance for the past losses. Plans now are that the fifth and sixth grade teams will begin play at 4:30 and the other games will follow as near an hour apart as possible. The fifth and sixth grade boys will play at 5:30 with the A-string girls at 6:30 and A-string boys at 7:30.

Beginning next Tuesday night Feb. 18, the Rochester Junior High boys' and girls' teams will be entered in the District Tournament at Paint Creek.

The Rochester girls will play Old Glory, Tuesday night at 6:20 p.m. and the boys will play the following game also with Old Glory about 7:30 p.m. The winners of these two games will play the winners of Rule and Goree games at 6:20 and about 7:30 p.m. Friday. The finals will be played Saturday night beginning at 7:20 p.m. with the girls and boys at about with the girls, and boys at about 8:30 p.m.

This tournament is what these youngsters have worked toward all basketball season, so they will be putting their best toward a District victory. "Back them."

### BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bell had as visitors Saturday in their home to help celebrate Mrs. Bell's birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bell of Haskell; Rev. and Mrs. Lennol Hester of Seymour; Jimmie Alvis and Mrs.

Earlene Austin and Todd of Denton; and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alvis of Rochester. Mrs. Alvis prepared most of the birthday dinner.

Gwen McGuire of ACC in

Abilene spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ocie McGuire and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Martin. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Scoggins.

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RULE, TEXAS



**Johnston Off To Navy Soon**

ROCHESTER - Ricky Johnston of Corpus Christi is here visiting his grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Johnston. He is leaving for the Navy March 3. He will take his basic training in San Diego.

He is the son of Mrs. Jack Johnston of Corpus Christi. His father Jack Johnston was killed in Australia several years ago, where the family was living at that time.

**Rochester Locals**

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond

Greenwood and Anissa of Monday visited Mr. and Mrs. William Greenwood and family on Sunday.

**SLIGHTLY INJURED**

Allen Bell received a broken rib and sprained wrist last week when he accidentally slipped and fell. However, at last report he was improving.

**HAS SURGERY**

Mrs. Lesley Tibbets was reported to be resting well after her surgery Monday in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Scoggins, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Townsend and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hitt were in Merkel Monday night to see the Flying Queens play the Ranger Anns.

Cary Headstream of Cisco Junior College spent the weekend with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Aubrey Headstream.

**IN AUSTIN**

Larry Wadzeck was in Austin over the weekend attending a Boy Scout report to the Governor of Texas. He was selected from the Chisholm Trail Boy Scout Council to attend this meeting.

**INJURED IN CAR WRECK**

Mrs. Estell Redd, daughter of Mrs. Ella Moseley was hospitalized at Huntsville Hospital Sunday after her car was involved in a car accident near there. Mrs. Redd (last report from relatives to Mrs. Moseley) had an ankle broken on one foot and a knee and leg broken on the other leg, and numerous bruises, cuts and other injuries may be found later. She is very ill but at last reports she had been able to talk a little.

Mrs. Ercel Speck of Waco spent several days this past week with Mr. and Mrs. Palo Speck and Mr. and Mrs. Hob Smith and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Green of Paint Creek visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert English and family Sunday.

Buck Ballard of Spur visited his mother, Mrs. Ethel Ballard Friday and attended to some business here.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Ray of Hart visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ray over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ernest Smart of Abilene spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Smart Sr. and Sid.

**BULLETIN**

Announcement of a 3-day convention of Jehovah's Witnesses will be held March 7-9 in the High School Auditorium in Snyder, Texas. More than 500 delegates from the Panhandle of Texas are planning to attend.



ROY NIERDIECK

**Nierdieck On Slate For USAFC**

RULE - Roy Duane Nierdieck of Route 1, Sagerton, is one of the seven nominees of the 17th Congressional District appointed by Representative Omar Burleson to slates for the U. S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, for admission this year.

The academies will now examine and appraise the slates of nominees and select Principals for admission, and qualified Alternates. Alternates may be given further consideration, depending upon available vacancies.

Nierdieck is a senior at Stamford High School and has met all requirements. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Nierdieck of Sagerton.

**Ladies Attend Coffee Monday**

RULE - A coffee and general meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Malcolm Herttner Monday morning to discuss plans for the Senior Banquet, sponsored each year by the Church of Christ.

Nelwyn Beakley gave instructions on how to make flowers out of tissue paper to be used in the decorations.

Coffee and cookies were served to Mes. Ruth Wilcox, Jo Ruth Lisle, Joyce Turner, Gerry Kittley, Opal Yarbrough, Nelwyn Beakley, Orheana Green, Paula Oliver, Jean Bell, Jewel Ousley, and the hostess.

Guests Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Morrison were her mother, Mrs. Ruth Brewer and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Park all of Red Springs.

Mrs. Roy Tribbey, Mrs. Howard Tribbey and Mrs. Ennis Webb were in Abilene last Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Yarbrough and Mae Hamilton visited Mr. and Mrs. Otta Johnson in Moody, Texas from Tuesday until Friday.

**Kittens Beat Old Glory O'Brien Thurs., Mon.**

RULE - The Rule Kittens tuning up for the district tournament next week beat Old Glory and O'Brien Thursday and Monday respectively.

The Kittens working the press effectively, ran by Old Glory by the score of 44-32. Larry Barbee scored 12 and Calvin Stegemoeller 11 to pace the Kitten win.

With a definite height advantage, the Kittens were able to out rebound Old Glory and work the fast break for easy baskets.

The press and the fast break were again the best weapons in the Kittens 37-34 triumph over O'Brien.

Jumping to a quick 8-0 lead in the first quarter, the Kittens were never really threatened despite the closeness of the score. The last three minutes of the ball game was played by the second team after the starters had built a 37-25 lead.

O'Brien's man to man press cut the lead to 37-34 with 24 seconds left and Rule in possession of the ball. A violation gave O'Brien the ball with 17 seconds to go. Three shots were taken by O'Brien, none of which fell through the hoop. But the officials spotted a foul on one of the Kittens on the last shot giving O'Brien two free throws with only two seconds left. The first one was short and the second bounced away no good. In the scramble for the rebound the clock ran out and the Kittens chalked up victory number 7

against 3 defeats.

Stegemoeller and Barbee again topped Rule scorers with 15 and 11 points respectively. But it was the all around team play of the Kittens and their hustle which gave them the win.

Tony Thomas, Don Hisey, Larry Simpson, and Rob Kittley played well defensively and made the Kittens zone press results in numerous turnovers. They also fed the ball in to Stegemoeller and to Barbee on the fast break.

The district tournament begins Mondays, and will be played at Paint Creek rather than at Rule as was previously announced.

The Kittens will not play until Tuesday at 5:10 p.m. and open against Goree. The Rule girls play Goree at 4:00 Tuesday.

**Fifth Grade Basketball Finish Season**

RULE - The fifth grade basketball boys finished their playing season Tuesday night. The team, whose games were played during halftime of the varsity boys and girls games, is made up of 15 boys.

"We have about an hour after lunch on Tuesdays and Thursdays to work with these boys," stated Coach Schatte. "We feel that is tremendously help-

ful to the kids to have the opportunity to participate. It is a real thrill for them to be able to play in front of the crowd."

The boys are taught the basic fundamentals during their workout period. Shooting, dribbling, and passing take a large part of the period. Relays are run, and some time is spent in game like scrimmages.

Fifth grade boys who have participated in the program this year are: Leonard Rhoads, Jimmy Macias, Corky Wilson, Chris Schatte, Eddie Roach, Johnny Baitz, Johnny Sanchez, Freddy Granado, Steve Rosas, David Trussell, Robert Tribbey, John Manchacca, Benito Hernandez, Garland Anderson, and Angel Navarrette.

Denise Morrison, Faye Wright and Clare Halliburton spent Monday in Rotan with friends.

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## News & Notes From O'Brien

By Melanie Whitley Phone 658-4391

### CORRECTION

In the recent engagement announcement of Miss Connie Bryant, the last name of the prospective bridegroom was omitted in the head of the story and should have read, James David Howard Mims.

Also his fraternity affiliation should have read, Alpha Phi Omega.

### GIN OFFICE BURGLARIZED

Junior Reeves went to work last Thursday morning and discovered that the office of the O'Brien Co-op Gin had been broken into. The thief entered through a window sometime during the night and took the money from the cigarette and Coke machines and four tires.

Investigating officers were Haskell Sheriff Garth Garrett and Texas Ranger Homer T. Melton. Charges have not been filed at this time.

### SCHOOL NEWS

Friday night at Benjamin, the O'Brien basketball teams will play their last games of the year.

The district grade school basketball teams will play their last games of the year. The district grade school basketball tournament will be held at Paint Creek all next week. O'Brien girls will play Paint Creek at 4 p.m. Monday, February 17, with the boys playing at 5:30.

Beginning February 24, a fifth and sixth grade B tourney will be played here at O'Brien. Teams are entered from Knox City, Rochester, Munday, Paint Creek, Old Glory and O'Brien.

School will be dismissed March 7 for an Oil Belt Teachers Meeting in Abilene.

Fourteen teachers, six board members and their wives and

husbands attended a Haskell Co. TSTA meeting last Monday night at Rochester. Reports are that the meeting was well attended and the food was delicious. O'Brien will host another TSTA meeting later in the year.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

Eddie Adkins was surprised with a birthday supper and 42 party, at his home, Wednesday night, Feb. 5, 1969.

Those helping him celebrate were: Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Adkins, Wilburn, Kat, Mike, Pam and Toney Adkins of Rochester, Mrs. J. W. Tankersley, Mrs. Maggie Talbot, Ruth and Floyd Middlebrook, Ozelle and C. W. Stephens, Jay, Estelle and Don Tankersley, Buddy and Flora Tankersley all of Knox City, Mamie and Dempsey of O'Brien and the hostess Mary Lynn and Virginia Adkins.

### LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edd Adkins of Cisco visited over the weekend with their parents.

## Sisters Make Dean's List At Texas Tech

RULE - Judy New and Nan Jones, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jones Jr., made the Dean's List at Texas Tech of Lubbock for the fall semester.

Judy, a senior, is majoring in Home Economics Education and maintained a 3-point grade average on a 4-point system taking 17 semester hours.

Nan, a freshman, has a double major in Home Economics Education and Child Development. She had a 3.6 grade average on the 4-point system with 18 semester hours. Both are graduates of Rule High School.

## Rule Adult Basic Education Classes Soon

RULE - "Our Adult Basic Education classes will start as soon as we get our starting date from the Texas Education Agency", stated Mr. Connor Horton, superintendent of school at Rule.

Much interest has been shown by the number of inquiries that have been made through the superintendent's office.

If anyone has not contacted the Rule School and is interested in enrolling please contact Mr. Connor Horton at once.

Classes will probably start in ten days or two weeks.

## Valentine Party Held For Class

RULE - A Valentine party was given for the Junior Sunday School class taught by Mrs. Jewel Ousley and Mrs. Bertha McQuinn in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Novis Ousley Sunday night.

After games were played refreshments of sandwiches, Cokes, Frito corn chips, potato chips, cookies and cake were served to Vickie Greeson, Sandy Oliver, Randy Sharp of Rochester, and two guests, Melinda Webb of Rule and Karen Sharp of Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy New and Charles and Nan Jones of Lubbock visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jones Jr. and Bill.

Mrs. James Barr of Dalhart spent Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kittley.

## Former Resident, Mrs. R. H. Smith Buried Here Thursday

RULE - Mrs. R. H. (Ruth) Smith, 81, former Rule resident, died at 1:20 p.m. Tuesday in Caprock Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Thursday at First Baptist Church at Rule with the Rev. F. C. Bradley, pastor of First Baptist Church of Floydada, officiating. Burial was in Rule Cemetery under direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Floydada.

Mrs. Smith was born Ruth Turner August 1, 1887, at Italy in Ellis County and moved to Haskell County when a child. She was a resident here many years, moving to Floydada several years ago.

Survivors include three sons, M. C. of Floydada, Billy T. of Big Spring, and Ted of Fort Mead, S. D.; one daughter, Mamie Sue Carlile of Hurst; three brothers, Frank and Robert Turner both of Rule, and Homer Turner of Sweetwater; two sisters, Mrs. Elmer Teniek

of Rule and Mrs. R. E. Gooch of Ennis; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Casey were her father, Mr. T. D. Camper of Morrelton, Arkansas, her brothers, Pete Camper who has retired from service in Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Camper and daughter, Tamara, who has returned after three years in Germany, their daughter, Sonja and her friend, David Parr, both students at McMurry.

Lynda Matysiak attended the Rule-Old Glory basketball game Friday night and returned to Abilene Saturday where she is a student at McMurry.

Doss Fuller was admitted to Haskell Memorial Hospital Monday morning for medical treatment.

Ann and Tommy Jo Anders and college friends, Karen

Carlton of Irvin and Wanda Joyner of Mt. Vernon spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Norris Anders and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Mc-

Gaughey and family of Bangs and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Creswell and family of Lewisville visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Smith.

Charles New of Lubbock is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jones, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Jones

Jr., Mrs. Charles McBeath of Amarillo and Mrs. Gene Overton of Paint Creek spent Friday in Abilene.

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## Looking Back

Rochester

APRIL 8, 1932

**PERSONALS**  
Roy W. Arledge of Stamford had business in our city Thursday.

J. D. Speck and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Johnson near Munday.

We are glad to see our good friend, Clifford Abarnatha, able to be up after a tussle with the flu.

Don't miss Ken Maynard and his white horse, Tarzan, Saturday night, this week. Admission 10¢ and 20¢. Rochester Theatre.

Mr. Paul Duncan brought Mrs. Duncan over from Stamford Wednesday, who will nurse the baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Walton which is seriously ill.

L. M. Kay and O. A. Riddle.

**CITY ELECTION**

In the city election Tuesday there were a mayor and two aldermen to be elected. The result of the election was the selection of J. L. Teal as Mayor and Messrs. Allen Bell and J. S. Walton to keep on serving as Aldermen. The other aldermen are R. A. Baker, J. E. Mansell and R. A. Shaver. A splendid group of men who will handle the city's affairs in an efficient manner.

**FOSTER NEWS**

We are sorry to report that there is a lot of whooping cough in this section.

Noble Glover spent Saturday night with Elmer Reid. Tommy Fay Westmoreland spent Sunday with Sybil and Hazel Boles.

Wilma Pearl Reid spent Saturday night and Sunday with Annie Pearl Aaron at Haskell.

Mr. Hugh Gauntt and family spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. A. A. Gauntt of the New Mid Community.

Eddie Harris spent Friday night with Jack Adkins.

We are sorry to report that little Miss Mary Nell Allen was taken to the Knox City Hospital for an operation Saturday.

Mrs. George Pool spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. L. Reid.

Miss Violet Harrell spent Sunday night with Miss Mildred Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Ward and family spent Sunday with Mr. Jim Hewitt and family.

**JUST MARRIED**

Mr. Jack Smith and Miss Nina Murphey surprised their many friends here last Saturday evening when they drove to the Methodist parsonage and at 8:15 were united in the holy bonds of wedlock by Rev. M. R. Pike.

Mrs. Bessie Webb and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Glover visited their daughters, and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams, Mrs. Hazel Hindman and Vicki and Mrs. Creola Cone in Abilene over the weekend.

## Steer 'Stampede'

By CAROLYN GREENWOOD

The Rochester Steers and Steerettes both came out victorious in their games against Weibert last Tuesday night. The Steerettes won over the Weibert girls, 46-41. The Steers also came out ahead with a 78-57 score.

Friday night at Benjamin the Steerettes won their district title. A couple of more games are still to be played but the Steerettes are the district winner. They won over Benjamin in an easy game 60-24. The Steers also came out victorious. Their score was 56-20.

Last Thursday night, the FHA girls entertained their dads at Daddy-Date Night supper. The girls and their dads were served turkey, dressing and all the trimmings. Games were played

and everyone really enjoyed themselves.

The speech class will put on two one-act plays, Thursday afternoon. Details were still in the making so look downtown for signs as to the time. The plays are "Patchwork Quilt" and "The Happy Journey to Trenton and Camden". Mrs. Simmons is in charge of the plays.

Next week is six-week test week. Every student will probably be busy studying. Can you believe it? Only twelve weeks of school left.

**ROCHESTER LOCALS**

**HOME FROM HOSPITAL**

Mike Sherley is home from a Fort Worth hospital where he had ankle surgery last Tues-

day. He came home Saturday and is reported to be doing pretty well. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sherley came home with him. \*\*\*\*\*

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Willis of Hurlwood and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Norton of Lubbock spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Blanche Corley, Mozelle and Eddie. \*\*\*\*\*

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sloan, Philda and Danny Wayne spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sloan, Becky and Sherry, Edna Adkins was also a visitor. \*\*\*\*\*

Mr. and Mrs. Manford Reid left Monday to spend a few days in San Angelo and Waco with Mr. and Mrs. Hollie Riggins and Lisa. \*\*\*\*\*

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oliver and David of Fort Worth spent the weekend with her grandfather, Henry Perry. \*\*\*\*\*

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**Couple Charged With Theft**

**RULE** — Mr. and Mrs. James Crosson, both aged 28, were taken into custody here at 7 p.m. Wednesday from theft of tools over \$50, taken Tuesday night from the Don Davis farm west of Rule. Arrest was made by Haskell County Sheriff Garth Garrett, deputies Pete Mercer and Buster Shelton and Sonny Pittcock, constable.

The couple was charged with the theft Wednesday night in Hubert Bledsoe's Justice of the Peace Court. Bond was set at \$2,500 each, pending action of the grand jury.

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### Mary Martha SS Class Has Social

RULE - The Mary Martha Sunday School class of First United Methodist Church met Monday afternoon for a monthly social at the home of Mrs. O. G. Lewis.

bert Rinn, Rex Murray, Ada Williamson, Bill Mason, Doc Rose, Herbert Hines, Herschel Hines, A. R. Eaton and the hostess.

Mrs. Juanita Smith of Hereford visited last week with her mother, Mrs. Grace Miller and other relatives.

Mrs. Dave Hunt is visiting her sister, Mrs. Kent Morgan of Lubbock, who is ill.

### Instructs Amateur Radio Course

RULE - N. S. Ousley is instructing an amateur radio course in his home each Monday night. Those interested and attending the class is Bob Penman and Benny Williams of Rochester, Lan Hertenberger and Mrs. Ousley.

and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Zachery of Dallas.

Mr. M. E. Trice is at home after her dismissal from Haskell Memorial Hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Collins and children of Rankin were weekend visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Kevil Jr.

E. B. Whorton has been released from Haskell Memorial Hospital after receiving medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Lewis, Mrs. Cash Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Novis Ousley attended the performance of the McMurry Chanters at McMurry Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woodridge are in Missouri to be with a brother-in-law, who is ill.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Morrow and Lydiabeth this week are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Morrow Sr., of Selma, Alabama.

Brenda Allison of Lubbock spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Allison, John and Jan.

Mrs. Emma Humphreys is improving after undergoing surgery on her hip at Haskell Memorial Hospital last Tuesday.

HAS SURGERY - Mrs. Joe B. Cloud was reported as doing fine Monday after having surgery at Scott and White Hospital in Temple Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGuire and boys, Danny Joe and Steve of Kermit visited Mr. and Mrs. Van Laughlin over the weekend.

Mrs. Claude Norman was taken to Haskell hospital Sunday night for observation.

Mr. and Mrs. Floy Cannon spent Friday in Abilene. They visited their son, Jerry, ACC student who is also working in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Todd of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hicks of Austin visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Webb and other friends here over the weekend.

Mrs. Mattie Norman was admitted to Haskell Memorial Hospital Friday afternoon for medical treatment.

A. T. Kutch, Rule Vo-Ag teacher and FFA boys, Rudy Casey, Donny Barbee, Sammy Simpson, Jessie Galindo, and Benson Bagley attended the San Antonio Fat Stock Show and Rodeo Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Davis is a patient in Haskell Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Frank Etter of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martin of Petersburg visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lewis.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Anderson and Terry were his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton White of Meadow.

John McQuinn Sr. was admitted Saturday to the hospital in Haskell for observation and tests.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Higgs and their daughter, Mrs. Don McKay and two children of Abilene attended church in Rule Sunday and had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Webb and Melinda.

BRAIN DAMAGE UNDETECTED - One out of five American schoolchildren probably suffers from some undetected brain damage, estimates Newell C. Kephart, former director of the Achievement Center for Children at Purdue University.

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### Commissioners' Court

REGULAR SESSION  
FEBRUARY 10, 1969

1. All members present.

2. Bledsoe makes motion to pay all approved bills, Perry seconds. All ayes.

3. Minutes of Jan. 28, 1969 were approved as read.

4. Thomas makes motion to accept bid of Haskell National Bank as Haskell County depository for County funds and Home State Bank for depository of School funds for the year 1969 and 1970. Perry seconds. Perry, Thomas and Bledsoe ayes. Collins abstaining.

5. Perry makes motion to accept low bid of Bill Wilson Motor Co. for delivering of a 2 ton truck for the amount of \$3194.46 delivered to Haskell, Texas. Collins seconds. All ayes.

6. Collins makes motion to install RainSoft water conditioner at Jail for the amount of \$675.00, turn key job. Bledsoe seconds. Collins, Bledsoe and Perry ayes. Thomas Nay.

7. Bledsoe makes motion to purchase 25 mattresses for County jail with covers. Perry seconds. All ayes.

8. Treasurers report was reviewed and approved as submitted.

9. Bledsoe makes motion to advertise for bids for 2 automobiles for Sheriff's Department. Police specials, automatic transmissions, air conditioned and heaters. One auto to be in the low price range and one in the medium price range. Collins seconds. All ayes.

10. Court entered into contractual agreement for Right of Way procurement with Texas Highway Department for project 8008-1-14 Highway US 277 2.3 miles north of Haskell to Knox County Line.

11. Thomas makes motion to allow Justice of Peace Bledsoe \$15.00 per month travel pay effective Feb. 1, 1969. Perry seconds. All ayes.

12. Thomas makes motion to recess until Feb. 25, 1969. Bledsoe seconds. All ayes.

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### 4-H Girls Hold Second Meeting

RULE - The 4-H girls of Rule held their second meeting on Food and Nutrition in the home of Mrs. Leroy Wilson after school last Tuesday, Feb. 4.

We prepared and served a delicious barbecue beef casserole.

Each week we contribute 25¢ for supplies needed for preparing these dishes. Also, our 4-H project books are brought up to date at each meeting.

All except one member were present.

Jami Barbee-reporter

### Rule School Menu

Monday - Six layer dinner, lettuce, cabbage, and applesalad, plain jello, light bread.

Tuesday - Meat loaf with gravy, oven cooked potatoes, turnip greens, wheat rolls, peach cobbler.

Wednesday - White beans with pork, cabbage, tomato, carrot salad, corn, cheese, corn bread, peanut butter cookies.

Thursday - Corn dog, sweet potatoes, kraut, fruit cup, chocolate cake.

Friday - Beef stew, crackers, cheese sandwiches, peach half, gingerbread.

Milk served with each meal.

### Rule Locals

Mrs. J. E. Andress of Fort Worth visited her sister, Mrs. C. Y. Morris last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pool and Jami Barbee spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Barbee and family of Bronte.

Fran Wilson spent Friday night and Saturday visiting her sister, Melinda Wilson in Abilene.

The Rex Murrays and Mrs. A. T. Kutch and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hilliard of Lubbock, Sunday.

Mrs. Dick Clark and son of Happy are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Reynolds this week.

Weekend guests of Mrs. Mary Sue Henry were her daughter

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# Haskell Happenings

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## SWEETHEART BANQUETS

St. Valentine's Day on February 14 is the pivotal point from which banquets in honor of sweethearts swing anywhere from February 1 to 28. The three saints named Valentine, all three were martyrs by reason of having been beheaded, would perhaps wonder at the culinary feasts with which they are remembered on and about February 14. To connect their martyrdom with sweethearts defies imagination, but then there may not be a connection anyway according to any encyclopedia, it probably was just one of those whimsical ideas planted in the unsuspecting mind of a vulnerable young man by a scheming little sweetheart.

Nevertheless, Progressive Study Club members had

their sweethearts for special guests at a banquet at Felker's Restaurant, last Thursday night. Feasting on filet mignon, creamed asparagus, baked potato, and homemade cake, the festive gathering was entertained with a humorous sketch presented very well by Terry Kay Diggs and Jim Kemp, both senior students at Haskell High. The "Scarleteens", a twelve-member, eighth grade, singing group presented several "springy" numbers, directed by Mrs. Nancy Mickler.

Not to be outdone, the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church will have a banquet February 13 in the fellowship hall of the church. Special guests: sweethearts. Guest speaker for this occasion will be Don Timberlake, pastor of First Baptist Church, Rising

Star. For this banquet program he is billed as comedian, however.

On St. Valentine's Day proper the Chamber of Commerce is planning its gala banquet affair, president of Midwestern University, Dr. White is the speaker on this occasion. Tickets may be had yet from the Chamber of Commerce.

Last but not least, Haskell Cub Scout troops will banquet Feb. 28, 7:30 p.m. in the elementary school lunchroom. Presentation of awards will be made by Scoutmaster Darold Robertson. Guest speaker will be Mrs. T. P. Barnett.

## WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD STUDIES

Dr. Hazel Weaver, Haskell high school teacher and counselor, is directing a study of the Gospel of John for the Wesleyan Service Guild of the First United Methodist Church, Haskell. Mrs. Weaver is using a study "Coming To Life" by Ernest W. Saunders, Dean of Garrett Theological Seminary and Professor of New Testament Interpretation.

The guild has met for study Feb. 4 and Feb. 10 at 7:30 p.m., and will meet Feb. 17 and 24 to complete the study in four sessions.

## HD COUNCIL TO HEAR MRS. PERRY SPENNEY

The Haskell County Home Demonstration council representing 7 clubs in the county, will meet Feb. 19, 2 p.m., in the community room of the Haskell National Bank. Mrs. Lewis Corzine, Chairman of the Council, will preside. Mrs. Perry Spenny will present a program on "The American Cancer Society", the services the society provides in a community.

## HD CLUB PREVIEWS

The month of March will see Mrs. Mildred Robertson, Community Action Program Counselor, visit all seven clubs in Haskell county, with a program called "What Poverty Means in a Family." Ruth Ann Fansler Home Demonstration Agent, also will present a program on foot care entitled "Walk and Be Happy".

For the Weinert and Mattson Communities, an adult clothing workshop is scheduled in March, date to be announced.

A management correspondence course for anyone interested in the subject of budgets will be offered soon on an equal opportunity basis, that is for men and women. Six easy lessons will do the trick. Circulars and fly sheets will announce the exact time and place for participation.

## JUDGE AND COMMISSIONERS ATTEND A&M CONFERENCE

Haskell County Judge B. O. Robertson, County Commissioners C. A. Thomas Jr., Slover Bledsoe, Ray Perry, and County Agent Max Stapleton attended the 11th annual conference for judges and commissioners sponsored by the Texas A&M University Extension Service, Feb. 5 thru 7, at College Station.

"It was a real fine conference, everyone who attended benefitted much", said Judge Robertson. "Lots of problems common to all judges and commissioners in Texas were examined and several ideas for solving some should be useful in the months to come", he said.

"Assistant Attorney General J. C. Davis was the main speaker and moderator of the conference, 347 judges and commissioners attended from all parts of Texas. It was the best attendance in 11 years", Judge Robertson said.

The Haskell County visitors to Texas A&M were especially pleased to spend some time with other Haskell county ambassadors to that school, students Riley Couch, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Couch, Jr., Keith Chapman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chapman, Rickey Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Perry, John Gannaway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurycie Gannaway, and Don Ballard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Ballard of Rochester. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Elliott. Ted is a former Haskell county game warden. His wife Barbara was Home Demonstration Agent here in 1966 and 1967. Ted is in A&M Veterinary School.

Nan Jones of Texas Tech visited during the semester break with her former English teacher, Jackie Eason of Denver, Colorado. While there they went skiing.

## County Hospital Auxiliary To Meet At Weinert Feb. 19

The Haskell County Hospital Auxiliary will meet at the Community Center in Weinert for a regular monthly meeting on February 19, at 2 p.m., a week earlier than the usual time because of conflicting appointments.

Mrs. Faye Jetton of Rice Springs Convalescent Home in Haskell will instruct in "The Care and Welfare of Geriatric Patients". Every member is urged to attend, as well as any

Candy Stripper who is able to come at that time. The public is also welcomed, and especially those who have the care of elderly patients. (Even those who may one day be elderly themselves will greatly benefit from this instruction.)

The Weinert Pink Ladies will host the meeting with Mrs. Marvin Phemister in charge of arrangements. A quartet of Weinert Candy Strippers will furnish special music.

## Miss Neuman Honored With Bridal Shower Sat. Afternoon

RULE - Martha Ann Neuman, bride-elect of the Reverend Gary O. Bruns, pastor of the Faith Lutheran Church in Sagerton, was honored with a bridal shower in the basement of the church Saturday afternoon, February 8.

Mrs. Fred Kupatt greeted and introduced the guests to the honoree, her mother, Mrs. John Neuman, who were in the reception line.

The bride's chosen colors of red and white were used on the serving table in a white net cover over taffeta with an arrangement of red and white carnations.

Mrs. Tony Letz ladeled punch and angel food squares decorated with hearts and roses, were served by Mrs. John

## Club Valentine Dance Set

RULE - The Rule Recreation Club will sponsor a Valentine Dance Friday night at 8 p.m. Nick Andvitch's Band from Abilene will furnish the music. This band is highly recommended by Abilene and the surrounding communities.

The Haskell Club and their guests has a special invitation to attend the dance.

All members are urged to attend and enjoy the music. Guests may attend with a member.

The greens are in good condition and members are playing golf regularly. Everyone is welcome to play golf for a green fee.

urements, selection of material, and actual construction of draperies. This information may be obtained at the Home Demonstration Agent's office for anyone interested in making draperies for their home.

## Local Enters WTCC Art Show

RULE - Mrs. Henrietta Lott, Rule artist, will have works in the first West Texas Chamber of Commerce Art Show, scheduled for the Scurry County Coliseum in Snyder on February 18 where more than 400 entries have been made from all parts of West Texas, according to the latest report from Wacil McNair, general chairman.

First prize of \$500.00 for the winning entry of all classifications and other prizes of \$100, \$75 and \$50 in three categories have created wide-spread interest in the art show.

All entries must fall within three areas of subject matter: West Texas scenery, West Texas historical matter or West

Texas tourist attractions. Three categories are included: oil, watercolor and other media. The last category will include bronzes, ceramics, and other painting media but the subject matter remains the same for the other classifications.

The art show is being held in conjunction with the annual Tourists Development Conference sponsored by the W.T.C.C. The program for the conference will begin at 10:00 a.m. on February 18 and will be completed at 2:45 p.m. Art show prizes will be awarded at the luncheon and the winning pictures will be displayed.

A reception for all artists competing in the show will be held at the Snyder Country Club on Monday evening, February 17, at 7:00 p.m.

Mrs. Lott conducts three Art classes, two adult and one for children in her home each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kittley visited over the weekend with her mother, Mrs. G. S. Bradley, who is a patient in the hospital at Cleburne, Texas.

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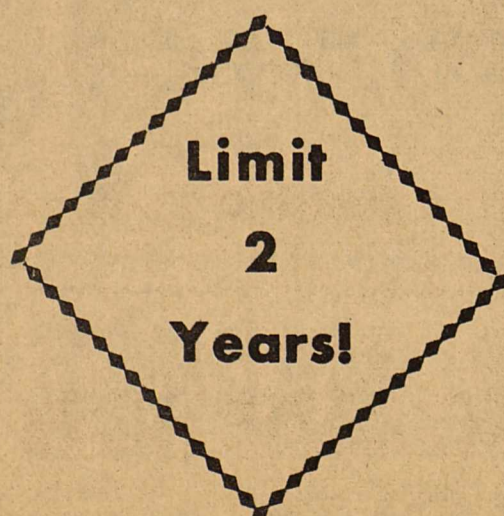
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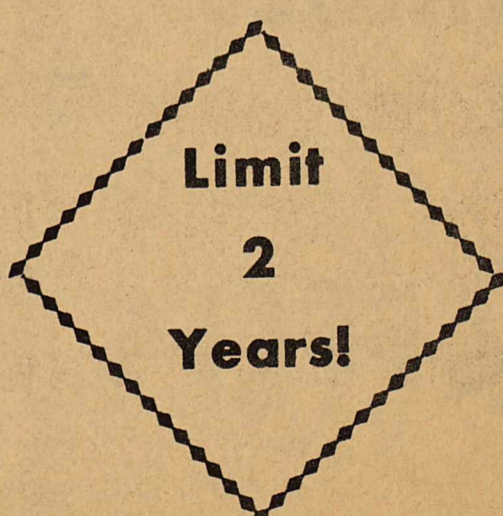
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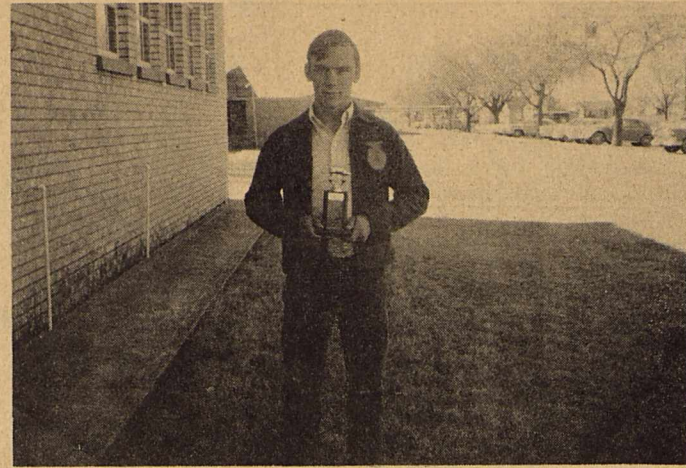


### K. Gauntt And L. Wadzeck On Rotary Program

ROCHESTER - The Rochester Rotary Club met in regular session Monday night, in the

school cafeteria. The meal was served and the meeting called to order by Phil Simmons, president. Special guests were Keith Gauntt, and Larry Wadzeck.

Keith was awarded the Rotary FFA trophy for being the best showman in the County Livestock Show from the Rochester FFA Chapter. The trophy was a



**TOP SHOWMAN** is Keith Gauntt of the Rochester FFA Chapter. Keith was awarded the top showman award Monday night by the Rochester Rotary Club for his showmanship as a Rochester FFA member in the recent Haskell County Livestock Show. Keith showed swine at the show and the trophy award is gold with a gold hog at the top. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gauntt.

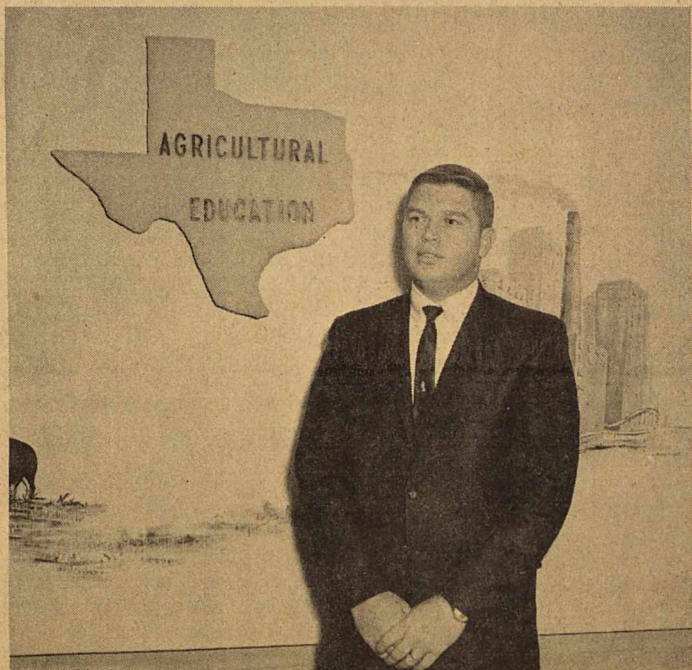
large gold trophy with a pig atop.

Larry gave a report on his trip to Austin. Larry made the trip this past weekend as a member of the Boy Scouts which was selected from this Council to represent the Boy Scouts on the Boy Scout report to the Governor of Texas, Preston Smith. He also took part in a parade and luncheon prepared for them. The meeting was adjourned

until next Monday night. Other business will be taken care of at that time.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Loe and daughter, Carol of Spur spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Scoggins. They all attended the Benjamin-Rochester basketball game Friday night at Benjamin.



**DONALD L. BALLARD** was elected advisor of the Texas A&M Collegiate FFA Chapter for the 1969 spring semester. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Ballard from Rochester, Texas. Don transferred to A&M from Cisco Junior College. He is a senior Agriculture Education major. He has been a member of the Collegiate FFA Chapter for two years.

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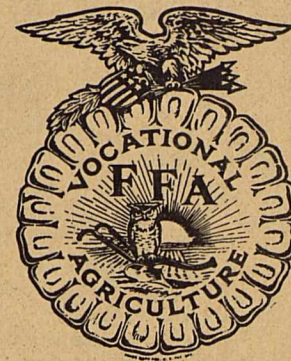
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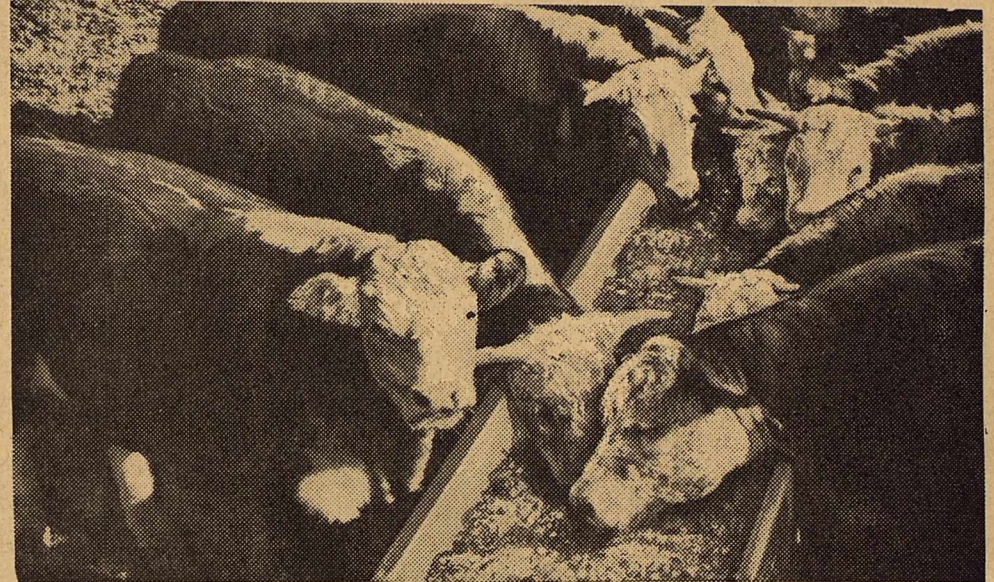
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