

*Latexo*

Thursday, Nov. 22, 1973

## Roy Thomas Dees

Mr. Roy Thomas Dees, 70, of Latexo died Nov. 13 in a Tyler, Texas hospital.

Mr. Dees was born Dec. 4, 1902 in Gibsland, La. He was a veteran of World War II and a retired machinist.

Funeral services were held Thursday, Nov. 15, at 2 p.m. in the Callaway Memorial Chapel, with Rev. E. D. Sarratt officiating. Burial was in the Latexo cemetery.

Pallbearers were Merle Johnson, George Lane, Alfred Minter, Doyle Bennett, R. L. Hazlett and D. R. Hazlett.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ollie M. Dees of Latexo; two sons, Tommie Gean Dees of Lindale, and Howard Morgeson of Pasadena; two brother Earl and Arthur Dees of Gainsville; three sisters, Mrs. Mamie Gueran of McKinney, Mrs. Lillian Edwards of Navada, Texas and Mrs. Vivian Kirkpatrick of Gunter; four grandchildren.

Callaway Funeral Home of Crockett was in charge of arrangements.

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