

the Weather

From records of Fred Byerly, Rotan Weather Observer

Wed. 6th	98	72
Thurs. 7th	101	75
Fri. 8th	101	73
Sat. 9th	103	75
Sun. 10th	105	74
Mon. 11th	107	75
Tues. 12th	107	78

Total Precipitation to date 1968, 17.05

Total precipitation to date 1969, 11.68.

Art Club To Offer Showing

On Saturday afternoon, August 23rd, Rotan Palette and Brush Club is presenting the works of four young Rotan artists in the Rotan Community Center from 3:00 o'clock until 5:00 o'clock. The public is invited to see paintings of Diane Phillips Dycus, Linda Brown Murray, Mike Thornton and Chris McCasland.

Diane studied under Miriam A. Lawrence and Ron Reynolds of Sul Ross State University and Ziya N. Saver of Thomas Nelson College, Virginia. She graduated with a B.S. in Art from Sul Ross State University in June.

Beginning in 1959, Lida studied oils for two weeks under Sherwood Suter of McMurray College. In the summer of 1962, she studied for two weeks under Harold Roney at the Ramon Froman Art Colony in Cloudcroft, New Mexico. Her twelve hours of practical art education at the University of Texas were supervised by Jeanette Walty.

Mike will graduate from East Texas State University in January 1970 with a major in studio painting. He then plans to continue with work on a master's degree in art. He studied under Mrs. Tinnie Heddins, Earl Umlauf, Charles McGouch, James Watral, Bill Lamb, Dr. Paul Kelpe and Dr. James Allumbaugh.

Chris studied with Maisie Sirois, Abilene, and Sherwood Suter of McMurray College, Otis Lumpkin at Angelo State College, and has just returned from six weeks study in Rome, Florence, Paris, London and St. Cergue, Switzerland. He plans to continue his studies at Angelo State this fall.

Roby Revival Opens Sunday

C. A. Sanders, pastor and members of Westside Baptist Church, Roby announce their Revival to open August 17 and continue thru 24th.

Rev. Jim Sellers, pastor, First Baptist Church, Trent, will be Evangelist. Services will be held each evening at 7:30. J. D. McCormick will be Director of Music, with Mrs. Upshaw accompanying at the piano.

POSTMASTERS ATTEND TRAINING SCHOOL

Mrs. Alba Tettler, Roby Postmaster and Mrs. Ruth Brown Sylvester PM are in Nacogdoches attending the Postmasters Training School this week.

Hospital News

Patients admitted to Calan Hospital Aug. 5 thru Aug. 11 are local patients Kelly Martin, Mrs. J. O. Cooper, Mrs. E. D. Sharp, Mrs. F. A. Sosbee, Charley Seaton, Mrs. W. S. Etheredge, Gregoria Garcia, David Gauna and Karen Allen.

Out of town patients include Mrs. Jo Weeks, Roby; Connie Williams, Hermleigh; Mrs. R. M. Sizemore, Hamlin; Glenda Jameson, Stinnett; Mark Jameson, Stinnett; Mrs. C. J. King, Roby; Mrs. Leo Larkin, Odessa; Kim Copedge, Sime, Calif.; W. L. Burk, Roby; Mrs. Bruce Randolph, Snyder; Ivie H. Johnson, Levelland; Casey D. Rinker, Roby; Moody Meixner, Roby; David Noles, Roby; Mrs. A. P. Smith, Dermott; Jim Simpson, Roby; and Mrs. J. E. Patton, Aspermont.

Many Fires Over County

Weather continues to be the principal subject of the day. Rotan and Roby Fire Departments have been busy again this week with numerous grass and residence fires. Many pasture fires have occurred and the Rotan Department has average from to to 4 each day.

Fred Byerly reports a 107 high both Monday and Tuesday and at press time Wednesday, seemed it would be about the same. The weather bureau gives little prospect for immediate relief.

Cotton over the county is suffering and no doubt the crop is being hurt considerably.

This is the most uncomfortable summer for several years, but we have survived a number as bad and worse, and the same condition exists over most of the state.

Represents Area In Contest



Miss Sandra Stansell of Fluvanna will represent several Electric Cooperatives in the West Texas area for the title of Miss Texas Rural Electrification.

Sandra will be among six finalists from over the State competing for the title at the annual meeting of the Texas Electric Cooperatives to be held in San Antonio, August 13-15.

Miss Stansell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Stansell of Fluvanna and are served by Midwest Electric Cooperative. She is a graduate of Fluvanna High School and attends West Texas State University in Canyon.

Winner of the title of Miss Texas Rural Electrification will compete for the title of Miss Rural Electrification in Las Vegas, Nevada in February, 1970.

Davis Holding 'Usual Sale'

H. L. Davis & Co. is having their 'Usual' Clearance Sale this week. The event closes Saturday.

They have large stock of merchandise for your selection and this is ideal time to get the children ready for school.

PHILLIPS ATTENDS TRAINING SCHOOL

Robert Phillips, Rotan Postmaster attended a four-day training school for Postmasters, held at Stephen F. Austin State College in Nacogdoches. This is an annual affair held each August.

Mr. Phillips will also visit his sister, Miss Mae Phillips who is with the telephone company in La Grange.

New Items For Vehicle Insp.

Two new items are listed for Motor Vehicle State inspection for the new sticker eligibility. While the new stickers are not required until April 1970, inspection may be made starting September 1 and sticker installed.

New inspection stickers will be placed on left (drivers) side of windshield. The new phases of inspection are exhaust system for all vehicles and smog device on 1968 and later models, using gasoline for fuel. New fee is \$2.00.

A number of Fisher County mechanics attended school of instruction at Sweetwater Tuesday night along with mechanics from over the area. This was conducted by Department of Public Safety officers, in regard to the new inspection law.

The inspection work is proving to greatly decrease fatal traffic accidents in Texas. In 1951 13 percent of fatal traffic accidents were caused by faulty vehicles. In 1968 only 3 percent was blamed.

Hobbs Revival August 17-24th

Hobbs Baptist Church will open Revival August 17 to run one week. Bro. J. H. Skiles, will lead the services and Travis Angel of Ave. D, Baptist Church, Snyder, will be song leader.

Services will be held each evening with Prayer Service 7:30; Song Service at 8:00 and Worship at 8:30.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Dr. Stanley Gilbert, Mrs. Gilbert, Lisa, Jan, Stan, and Susan of Dallas visited in Rotan Saturday night and Sunday with H. T. Fillingim.

Huge Crowd Attends Midwest Meeting Thurs.



Around 3,000 people attended the annual meeting of Midwest Electric Cooperative Thursday night at the Rodeo grounds in Roby. Johnnie Ammons, Manager of the cooperative was master of ceremonies for the evening.

Following the barbecue by Underwoods of Abilene, reports from officials of the Cooperative were given. Ammons stated that toward the end of 1969 he cooperative will make a giant step forward. The co-op will convert energy billing and record keeping to electronic data processing.

Rotan Golf Tourney 23-24th

Annual Rotan Golf Tournament will be held August 23-24. This will be a 36-hole tourney with 18 holes on Saturday and 18 on Sunday afternoon.

First 18 holes will determine the contestants flight and will be added to the second 18 for the total score. Qualifying rounds may be played anytime Saturday in threesomes or foursomes, and attested score cards must be turned in Saturday.

Entry fees are \$2.50 for paidup Club members and \$3.50 for non-members. Please contact Neil Wright, Arvin White or W. W. McNaron for further details.

Three flights are expected, with trophies awarded to first and second place finishers. In case of ties, there will be 'sudden death' play-offs to determine trophy winners.

Calvary VBS Opens Monday

Calvary Baptist Church welcomes all young people from 4 to 15 years of age to Vacation Bible School next week. Preparation Day will be this Saturday at 10:00 a.m. Vacation Bible School will be each evening beginning Monday the 18th at 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. An excellent staff of workers will conduct the school, so mother send your child to Vacation Bible School.

This will be a week filled with educational and spiritual growth for your child. If your child needs a ride call 5-2525 or 5-2482.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collier of Abilene visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker, Rotan, Sunday.

Much Work Done For Fair-Rodeo

All plans are well underway for the 24th annual production of Fisher County Fair, Rodeo and Livestock Show to be staged in Roby, August 28, 29 and 30th.

Improvement work at Rodeo grounds is practically completed, according to Donald Coker, President of the organization. Current catalogues have been distributed, and anyone desiring a copy may secure one at County Agent office.

Don Ballenger, Parade chairman asks cooperation of everyone who will have float, car, etc. for the parade.

Queen contest needs more entries but considerable interest is being shown in this event. Home Demonstration Council plans a "Coke Party" for Queen contestants in Midwest Electric Community Room.

Rodeo contestants entries are coming in nicely, assuring spectators a good show.

Roby Football Practice to Start

Football practice will begin Monday, August 18th at 7:00 a.m. All boys interested in playing football should be at the gym at 6:30 a.m. in Roby.

The Lions will begin regular season play against the Anson "B" team at 8:00 p.m., September 13 at Roby.

Roby's football opponents this year will be Anson, Trent, Hamlin, Loraine, Jayton, Sands, Wilson, New Home and Hermleigh, the last five of whom are district contenders. Freddie Stuart is head coach and Ted Posey is assistant coach. The pep squad will be replaced this year by a drill team led by Lena Hughey.

Hobbs School Opens Sept. 2

Hobbs School has several new members of faculty this year, they are:

Kenneth Wink, Vocational Agriculture.

Mrs. Kenneth Wink, Home Economics.

W. M. Jamison, Sixth grade.

Mrs. Maudie Gaber, Fourth grade.

Mrs. Helen Mack, Third grade.

Mrs. Zella Gordon, Second grade.

Registration for the 1969-70 school year will be at 9:00 a.m. August 28. Buses will run in time for students to be at school by 9:00 a.m. Buses will leave school at 11:45 to return students home. School will start at 8:30 a.m., Tuesday, September 2.

All students entering the first grade must have vaccination (smallpox) before entering school.

Roby Ex'es Plan Homecoming

Roby Ex-Student Association officers and committees met Monday night, August 11 at Midwest Electric building for discussion and planning of 16th Homecoming of Roby Exes, set for October 3 and 4.

President, Don Waddell presided and chairmen and committees named:

Program—Don Waddell, Jimmy Hayes, Roland Ray Jr.

Refreshments—Mrs. Wayne Pursley, Emogene Hale Kiker, Mrs. Geraldine Parker.

Registration—Mrs. L. W. Knox, Mrs. Kyle Moore, Mrs. Garland Moore, Mrs. Jimmy Price, Mrs. Charlie Horton, Mrs. Terry Breeden.

Invitations—Mrs. Archie Rivers, Mrs. Geneva Perkins.

Parade—Roland Ray, Jr. Nominating:

Queen Candidates and Officers—Mrs. J. T. Pope, Keifer Cauble, Mrs. W. J. Hale.

Queen Election—Jimmy Hayes, Mrs. Zanna Anderson.

Entertainment—Parker Wetsel, Jimmy Waddell.

Historian—Mrs. Preston Campbell.

Need Exes Names Mrs. Archie Rivers, secretary-treasurer states that she needs change of address of Exes and also names of any that have not received card in the past. Contact her if you know of any change.

Program planned for this year is:

Friday 5:00 p. m.—Downtown parade.

7 p. m.—Pep Rally at school gym.

8:00 p. m.—Football game, Roby vs. Hawley.

Registration, coffee, donuts cookies and pop for all Ex'es after game in grade school lunchroom.

Saturday 9:00 a. m.—Registration, coffee and get-together.

11:30 a. m.—Luncheon.

2:00 p. m.—Entertainment, high school auditorium.

2:30 p. m.—Homecoming program.

8:30 p. m.—Annual get-together.

Attending Monday night's meeting were, Don Waddell, Mrs. Archie Rivers, Mrs. Wanda Horton, Roland Ray, Jr., Mrs. Mutt Knox, Mrs. Garland Moore, Mrs. J. T. Pope, Mrs. Preston Campbell,

Roby Schools To Open August 25

The Roby Schools will open on August 25 at 8:15 a.m. The buses will run on regular schedule. Lunches will be served the first day at the following prices:

Grades 1-4 — 30c; Grades 5-8 — 35c and High School, 40c.

School will be dismissed for Labor Day the following Monday, September 1.

Enrollment is expected to be about the same as last year. The teaching staff will be the same as last year with the exception of the science and English positions. C. L. Evers of Girard was employed as science teacher. The English position is still open due to a late resignation.

Approval of Consolidated Application Funds has been received by the Roby Schools.

We are looking forward to an improved school year.

The elementary faculty this year consists of J. H. McHaney, principal, Shirley McHaney, Annycy Brown, Merle Lovett, Jessie Nunn, Georgia Cox, Janeyl Beck, Ted Posey, Marjorie Mitchell, Ruth Davis, Lovell Stuart, Forrest Price and Jeffie Williams.

Roby secondary faculty includes Ray Pruitt, Superintendent, Freddie Stuart, principal, Lena Hughey, Dudley Hambricht, John Hayton, Wanda Pruitt, Jimmie Laurie, Harris Davis, C. L. Evers, Mary Jo Pope and Leroy Early.

Homer Rucker, Bert Hale, C. L. Evers, Edith Lankford and Buck Hughes will be taking care of the bus driving this year. Lunchroom personnel is Floy Lou Pursley, Margie Upshaw and Edith Lankford.

Carter G-Son Wounded In V-N

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carter received message from U.S. Marine Corps, Saturday advising that their grandson, Pfc. Gary L. Carter had been seriously wounded in Viet Nam. He sustained gunshot wound in left side of chest with Hemothorax and ruptured diaphragm from hostile rifle fire and multiple fragmentation wounds to his left arm, left thigh and abdomen as well as his colon, liver and spleen, while on patrol. He is presently receiving treatment aboard the Naval hospital ship USS Sanctuary.

Gary is the oldest son of Mrs. Emma Carter and the late O. C. (Budge) Carter of Stoney Point, N. Y. He had just returned to combat after recovering from a combat injury in his hip and malaria. Another report from the Corps Tuesday states his condition continues to be serious.

FLOWER GARDEN AT COURTHOUSE YARD

Despite the hot, dry weather the east side of Courthouse square has beautiful array of assorted flowers, that are result of much hard work by several of the office gals at the Courthouse.

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Sylvester News

By Mrs. R. M. Babb
Still very hot and dry but we still have hopes it will rain real soon!
Mrs. Ruth Brown, our Postmaster, Mrs. Alba Tefteller, Postmaster at Roby and the Postmaster from Roscoe attended a postal school at Stephen F. Austin in Nacogdoches, Tx. his week.
Mrs. Tommy Wilson and daughter, Tommy Gene of Hartley are spending some time in the home of Mrs. Gladys Williams, also visiting with her last week was her son and wife of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Williams.
Bro. Bill Petty of Brownfield came before the Baptist Church on Sunday in view of a call, Sunday night the Church voted to call him as Pastor and he accepted and will move in the parsonage in the very near future, we are very glad to have he and his wife in our town.
Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dobbs and son of Eulesp spent Sunday night in the W. M. Lawlis home.
Mrs. Nell Self shopped in Sweetwater on Monday.
Lt. Col. Hal Tindal and family are visiting in his Mother's home and with his sisters, Mrs. J. E. Tindal, Mrs. Guy Mauldin, and Mrs. A. J. Ford. The Hal Tindal family have finished his appointment in Germany and he will

be stationed at Oakland Army Base in Oakland, Calif.
Mrs. M. D. Brown is in Hamlin hospital ill and also having many tests made.
Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey of Kingsland, former residents of our community visited with friends on Saturday and Sunday, it was nice to have them back.
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Davis drove to Plainview on Sunday to visit with his sister who just recently lost her husband.
Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hood of Odessa spent the week end in the Hugh Hood home.
Cecil Kiser drove to Okla. on Saturday to take his grandson home. He had spent some two weeks visiting here, he is Cecil Jr.'s son.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Green drove to Lovington, N. M. on Saturday to take their grandsons home, they had been here for two weeks.
Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Douglass and family were here over the weekend visiting in the A. P. Douglass home. They are living in Sweetwater.
Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Pursley stopped by and talked for a few minutes, she is still sore and bruised from her car wreck, weekend before last, so glad she wasn't badly hurt.
Mark Ashton of Abilene spent last week in Rotan with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ashton.

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Hand Sewn Quilt Tops, \$3, no fancies, Mrs. Joe Roberts.

Wanted—Man to run Borden Milk Route in Rotan and Roby. Part time, good pay, short hours. Contact Troy Dawkins on Route in Rotan between 7 and 9 a. m. Monday and Thursday or in Roby between 9:30 and 10:30 a. m. Call or write phone 692-8234 Borden's Inc. 309 So. Pioneer Dr., Abilene, 79603. 27-2tp

Need a Fry Cook, Lee's Cafe in Hamlin, from 2 to 9:30 p. m. Closed on Sunday. 27-2tp

GOLDEN HAVEN Nursing Home NEWS



Mrs. H. D. Mitchell

Everyone is doing pretty well, except suffering from the heat. Looks like we will have to do as that old saying, "Maybe if we don't talk about it, it will go away". Let's hope so.

We are always happy to have visitors come by. You should see how Mrs. Millie Drennon beamed when her grandson, Jerry and wife of Kansas came in. He is a radio announcer and his voice carried over the building. Millie also had other visitors, sister, Mrs. Wishert of Snyder; Tom of Abilene. She went to Hamlin Sunday for lunch with relatives.

Fred Owens' daughters visited with him. Robert Martin's sisters, Mrs. Unnether of Roby, Mrs. Alva McHoney of Sweetwater stopped in. Mrs. Ella Sears, daughter Mrs. Enid Turner of Snyder her friend Mrs. Parks visited a while. Edd Roberts of Sylvester visited Mr. Burnham and Mrs. Lofland.

Miss Greenway's sister-in-law from Weatherford and a friend, Mrs. Hayes of Sweetwater visited.

Our hearts were saddened, along with Mary Cooper, over the loss of her favorite cousin, Elmo Favor, who died of heart attack while attending a Quarter Horse Show in Santa Fe, N. M. Elmo helped look after Mary's business affairs for several years. He was an excellent singer with the guitar.

Mrs. Omelia Dallas was out for the weekend.

Ellen Ray is back early, couldn't wait to get home.

Don't forget, come by anytime for a visit. V.L.M.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rivers, Rotan, were Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Hyde of Houston; Mrs. Chester Rivers and sons, Eastland. Mr. and Mrs. Hyde and Mrs. Charlie Rivers also visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Flake and children in Borger, Wednesday.

Rev. Doyle Morton of Beeville visited his mother, Mrs. Neely Morton in Rotan Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. His wife was not able to come with him, but is improving nicely from major surgery, she had several weeks ago.

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Insect Report Number 9 . . .

by Emary F. Boring III Area Entomologist

Situation at a glance — Bollworm populations are causing excessive damage to both dryland and irrigated cotton in many Rolling Plains counties. Boll weevil damage continues to increase in fields near overwintering quarters. Fleahoppers continue to cause damage in fields where the fruit load is light.

Fleahoppers — Fleahopper populations ranging from 20 to 40 fleahoppers per 100 terminals were reported from Cottle, Hardeman, Fisher, Jones and Donley counties. Fleahoppers are causing damage only in those fields that have failed to set a good fruit load.

Boll Weevils — Heavy boll weevil damage, 80 percent squares, was found in isolated fields in Donley and Stone-wall counties. Other fields in these counties had damage of 15 to 35 percent punctured squares, as did fields in Baylor, Mitchell, Childress, Cottle, Hardeman, Jones, Wilbarger and McCulloch counties. Lighter damage was reported from Concho, Haskell, Fisher, Wichita and Hall counties.

With the emergence of second generation boll weevil adults, which can be expected in the next two or three weeks, boll weevil damage will increase greatly in fields that have had little damage. Producers are urged to inspect their fields regularly.

Bollworms — Heaviest bollworm damage was reported from Fisher, Cottle and Childress counties, where damage from 30 to 40 percent square damage and from 8 to 20 bollworms were found per 100 plants. Moderate infestations of bollworms ranging from 4 to 8 per 100 plants were observed in Wilbarger, Collingsworth, Jones, Baylor and Donley counties. Light bollworm damage was reported from Mitchell, Hardeman, Hall, Wichita and Haskell counties.

Other Insects — Leafworms, careless weed worms and cabbage loopers were reported causing light damage in Jones and Fisher counties. Grasshoppers are causing damage to edges of fields in Donley and Hall counties.

For control recommendations, refer to L-508 (1969). "Texas Guide for Controlling Cotton Insects in the High Plains, Rolling Plains and Trans-Pecos Areas of Texas." Copies of this guide may be obtained at the office of the County Agricultural Agent.

Information used in the Rolling Plains Cotton Insect Report is compiled from local reports by County Agricultural Agents, personnel of Texas A&M University System, branches of the USDA, chemical companies, and cotton producers. We hope that everyone who does any field checking will send us a report of the situation as he finds it.

Mrs. Craig Stone and children, Skyler, Jon Sanford and Sharla Ann of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson, Rotan, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. They toured Carlsbad Cavern as they were returning home.

Guests of Mrs. Dono Day, Rotan, last Tuesday were her granddaughter, Mrs. Walter Parris, Mr. Parris and their daughter, Whitney of Hereford.

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Shrine Circus Sept. 9th

Sweetwater area Shrine Club announces their annual Shrine Circus in Sweetwater, Sept. 9th. Two appearances will be offered, 4 and 8 p. m. in Nolan County Coliseum.

Benefits from the Circus helps support their Children's Hospitals including the Burns Hospital, all of which are doing a wonderful work.

Frost Supt. At Georgetown

Jack Frost, former resident of Rotan and recently superintendent of the New Deal Public Schools will move to Georgetown as superintendent of schools there. Frost, who has been coach and principal in Weatherford Public Schools; principal and curriculum director in Falfurrias, and superintendent of schools at Alpine and Weslaco and commanding officer of Naval and Marine Corps Training Center in Abilene until July 1.

He has a varied and outstanding background in educational field and has been recognized as such.

Mrs. Flora Blackwell and son, Joe and Miss Evelyn Howard of Crane visited Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Turner, in Rotan, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark and children of Harrah, Oklahoma spent the weekend in Rotan with Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark.

Mrs. W. L. Terrell, Rotan, went to McAllen Wednesday to visit her son, Dr. P. D. Terrell, Mrs. Terrell and Julie.

Mrs. Hugh Huckaby, Rotan, visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Huber in Irving. Mrs. John Lewis Ashton returned with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Swearingen, W. B. Swearingen, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. David Swearingen and daughters of Duncanville attended the annual Swearingen reunion in San Angelo.

Peggy Simmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Woolf, Rotan, has completed IBM course at Abilene Commercial College.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melton and Paul of Midland have visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Melton, Roby.

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Here we are again this week, only our regular reporter is still on vacation, as she was hurrying off last week.

We have had lots of visitors this week. Lee Williams had two brothers and families visiting. George from Fort Davis and Ben of Stephenville, also Melvin and Pauline Chandler and Kelly of Dublin and Belle Williams of Abilene.

Mrs. Shelton was on top of the world this week with a grandson, C. R. Shelton and her great granddaughter, Bliss of Detroit visiting her. Zada Craft's brother, Jes-

se of Stephenville was by. We are so happy to report that our patients are home from the hospital. We say welcome home to Joe Kersh and Callie Acker.

Well our Mr. Holder is gone again, impossible to keep him home. He is at a daughter's in Coleman.

Last, but not least Mable Reese had visitors this week end. Guess who, of course that granddaughter, and her mother and dad.

That is about it for this week, maybe it will be better next week as the regular gal will be here.

Mrs. Mark Strickland, Rotan and daughter, Miss Rebecca Strickland of Dallas were in Lubbock Friday to see Mrs. R. D. Sartor who is recovering from major surgery.

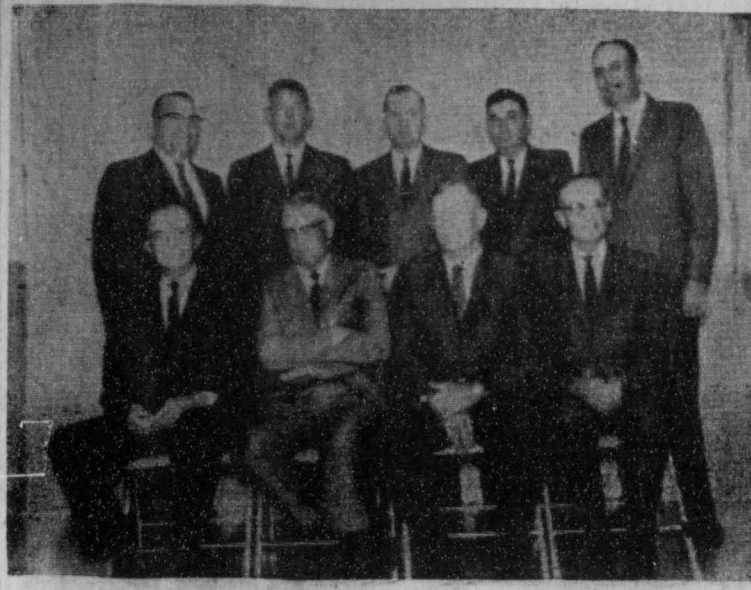
Burch Serving
At Kingsville

Kingsville, Tex. (FHTNC) Aug. 8—Storekeeper Third Class Donald W. Burch, USN, son of W. R. Burch of 612 Richard St., Rotan is serving at U. S. Naval Air Station, Kingsville. The Kingsville Air Station provides pilots with the final phase of jet aviation training.

The three training squadrons based at Kingsville designate more than 500 Navy and Marine Corps aviators a year.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ray and James of Lovington, N. M. spent several days in Rotan with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ray and Tom-

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'Camp Meeting'
At Snyder 18-24

"Give Me That Old Time Religion" was more or less the favorite song used in the Camp Meeting Days of long ago. Now in our modern space age, we are searching once again for "That Old Time Religion."

Have you ever had the opportunity to sit and listen to the pioneers of Scurry County speak of the Old Meeting Days on the Elkins Ranch north of Snyder? Or maybe you are one that attended these Camp Meetings. There are several of the pioneers who still live in the area.

People came far and wide to visit these Camp Meetings but there were many families who came horseback, buggies covered wagons and camped for two weeks holding their Revival under the brush arbors. All the ranchers furnished a beef and each ranch paid their part to hire two cooks. They camped out, sang praises and listened to the Gospel preached out under the open sky. For some this was the only opportunity to attend church service of any kind.

The memories of these Pioneer Days will be recalled in Scurry County August 18-24 in the rodeo arena for the "Cowboys Camp Meeting" sponsored by Scurry County Sheriff Posse.

Orin Hardenbrook of Clayton, Washington will be the Revivalist. He has used the saddle as his pulpit on many occasions which will be the occasion at Sunday morning service.

W. A. (Bill) Anderson of Lovington, New Mexico will be leading the singing. He has sang over the area at many occasions, has recorded two albums of beautiful songs. Ranching is his business, but he spends most of his time and talents working for the Lord.

Services will be held each night at 8:00 p. m. in the arena. Sunday morning services will be held horseback and everyone is urged to attend on his horse.

Barbecue dinner will be cooked on the ground at noon Sunday. Team roping and calf roping will follow and Sunday night service will close the Camp Meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. Jimmie Williams of Corpus Christi were joined by Mrs. Mollie Hammit on July 14 for a vacation that took them to 7 states and Canada, where they spent a week at the Thomsen Tumble Inn at beautiful Lake Carlyle. They went from there to Culbertson, Montana where they attended the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Marnus Langard, and were honor guests at a banquet. Mr. and Mrs. Thomson held open house Aug. 3, their 25th wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Thomson are daughter and son in law of Mrs. Williams and niece of Mrs. Hammit. They served refreshments and were recognized as coming the greatest distance. 135 guests registered from 8 different states. Mrs. Hammit states the trip was wonderful especially the Black Hills of South Dakota, but it is good to get back to Texas.

Hot, windless days of August and September are the times pond owners should watch ponds for summer die-off of fish.

Oxygen depletion usually is the major cause for fish die-off and is due to dying and rapid decay of water weeds and other organic substances when the weather is hot and still.

All animal life in a pond uses oxygen 24 hours a day, but oxygen is replaced by surface absorption from air and release from microscopic plants only during hours of sunlight.

Oxygen is lowest in ponds at daybreak. If it is dangerously low, fish will come to the surface early in the morning and gasp for air.

To relieve the oxygen shortage, it is suggested to broadcast from 50 to 100 lbs. of superphosphate per acre over the pond. This buffers toxic effects of carbon dioxide and ammonia and stimulates microscopic plants to produce more oxygen. If treated soon after fish show distress, the situation is usually relieved within an hour.

Using outboard motors to stir up the water and replenish the oxygen supply is often recommended for small ponds. If a pump is available, water can be pumped from the bottom and sprayed back on the surface. Suffocation from oxygen is not only cause of fish die-off. Careless use of agricultural chemicals can also cause a lot of trouble. Therefore, possible contamination

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Former Roby
Lady Dies

Mrs. Florence Bridges, 80, a Knox City resident since 1917, died at 5:15 a.m. Saturday in Knox County Hospital where she had been a patient six days.

Funeral was at 3:30 p.m. Sunday in Knox City Methodist church with the Rev. B. J. Foster, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Roger Butler.

Burial was in Knox City Cemetery.

Born March 23, 1889, in Seguin, she married L. N. Bridges Feb. 14, 1906, in Roby. He died in 1960. They moved to Knox City from McCaulley in 1917. She was a member of the Methodist church and a life member and president of the Knox City study club and first worthy matron of the Knox City Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include three sons, Jim of Anton, Vernon of Knox City and L. N. of Amarillo; a daughter, Mrs. Ercy Cubine of McLean; six grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren; three brothers, J. D. Simmons of Roby, Tom of Haileyville, Okla., and O. S. Simmons of Midland; two sisters, Mrs. Walter Neves of Roby and Mrs. Herman Taylor of Ventura, Calif.

Among relatives attending the service from Roby were, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Neves, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Melton, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Simmons, Mrs. Alford Carey, Tom M. Simmons and Mrs. James Shelley, Rotan. They were joined there by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Simmons of Haileyville, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Neves of Amarillo.

FORMER ROTAN
RESIDENTS ON VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Bonner of Milledgeville, Georgia visited in Rotan with his cousin, George Moore and Mrs. Moore last Friday. The Bonners operated a small grocery and variety store in Rotan during the 1920's, next door to the Advance office. They left Rotan in 1924 for Mr. Bonner to complete his higher education. He retired from teaching profession last month as chairman of the history department University of Georgia. They were very glad to see a number of old friends and stated they enjoyed their stay in Rotan, and to see the progress that has been made.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ray and children of Austin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Higgins, Rotan, last week.

ROBY SEWER NOTICE

All Sewer Connections are Required to be Made by September 15, 1969.

The monthly sewer service fee will be assessed and effective October 1, 1969, whether connections are made or not.

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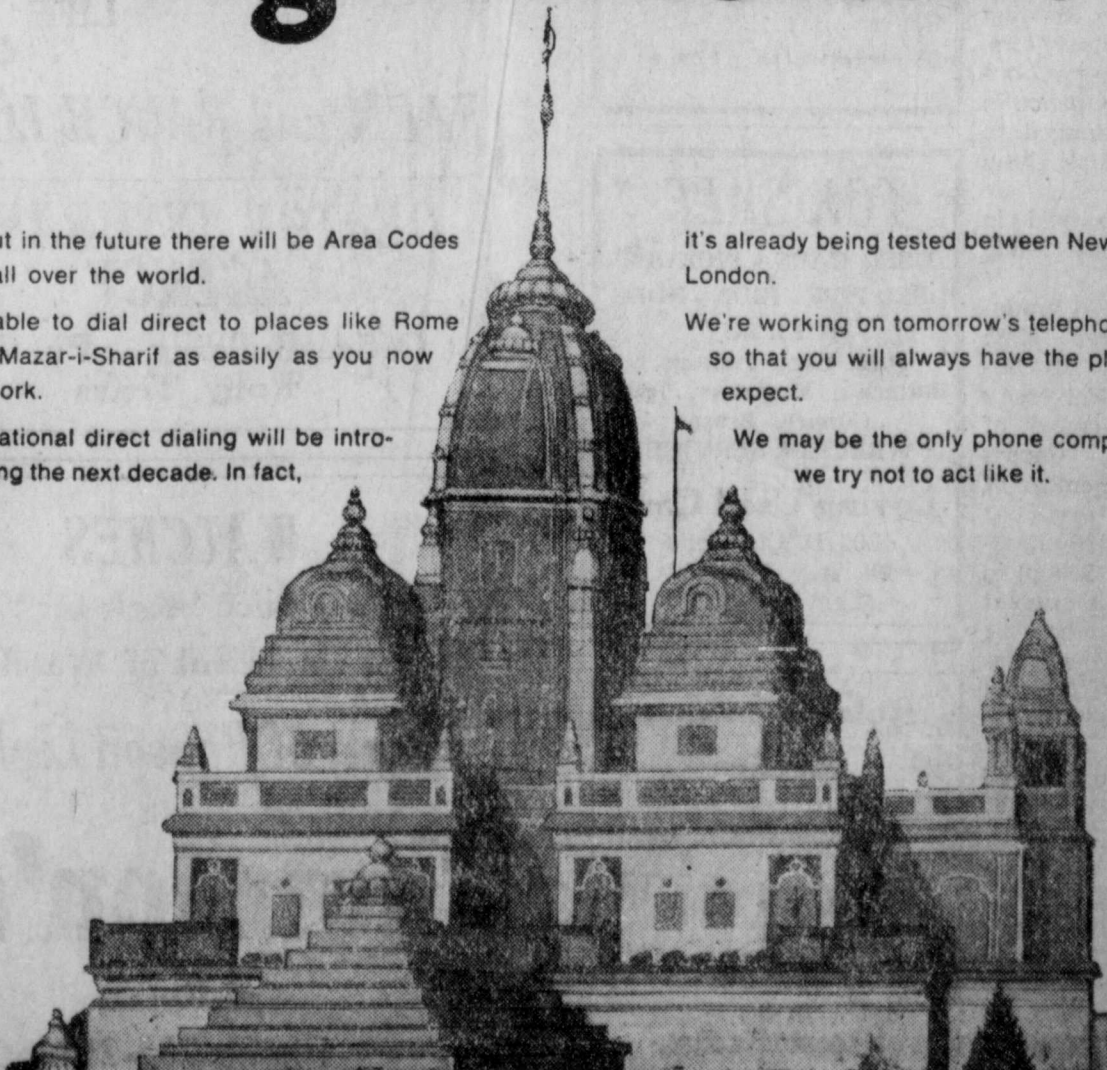
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Roby Majorettes For 1969-70



Mrs. J. C. Cave, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cave, Mike and Kenneth, Rotan, visited in Throckmorton with Mrs. Cave's mother, Mrs. J. C. Whitby.

Mrs. H. L. Wood, O'Donnell, and her sister of Post, visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. Harold T. Timmons, Roby.

Mrs. Grover Waddell, Buena Park, Calif., and Mrs. Grace Keener, Welch, Tex. were visitors this past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daniel, Roby. Mrs. Waddell and Mrs. Keener are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Schliesing of Uvalde, Tina and Chip were joined in Rotan by her father, H. T. Fillingim and they left Tuesday for a vacation in Colorado.

Mrs. Fred Parker, Roby, had as her guests Thursday and Friday her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Doyle Parker and granddaughters, Paige and Hilery of Lubbock.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byerly last weekend were their children, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hull, Janee and Suzy, presently of Vienna, Austria; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byerly and four children of Greenville, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Petty and three children of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Byerly and two sons, San Angelo and also Mrs. Charles McFatter of Eastland, a sister of Mrs. Byerly.

Roby High School majorettes, leading the RHS Band for the 1969-70 school year are Miss Aletha Morgan and Miss Diane Carriker. Aletha is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Morgan, and will be a junior, she has taken part in basketball, volleyball, track, FHA and Band for the past two years; is a member of the Beta Club and Most Popular from her class. The past two years she and her teammates have gone to state on the Co-op demonstration in 4-H, was selected runner-up in "Government In Action Tour." Club reporter for the S-71 Club. Is a member of the Baptist area youth council.

Diane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Carriker, is a member of the school band, FHA, basketball, volleyball teams—serving as class treasurer for the past two years and a band representative her freshman year. She was elected class Bauty and Miss R.H.S. and participated in the U.T.I. district typing, also won the homemaking award along with English and history.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cleveland, Gill and Teddy of Corpus Christi spent several days in Rotan with his mother, Mrs. Sam Cleveland and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Loneheart of Fort Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Nolen of Virginia have visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cooper in Rotan.

Hawkins-Keener Vows Said



Mrs. C. J. King, mother of Cecil King, Roby, was taken to Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene, Tuesday for x-rays and treatment.

Mrs. J. R. Helms and Mrs. Charlie Joe Helms, Rotan, attended a Bottle Show in Dallas last weekend. Mrs. Parker Kennedy and Mrs. Conan Albert accompanied them to Weatherford where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Martin. Mrs. Albert and Mrs. Martin are sisters. The group returned home Saturday.

Z. H. Anderson and Mrs. P. M. Neep, Roby, both of whom have been confined to Callan Hospital, Rotan, were released last week, and both are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Kidd Morris Waddell and sons Britt, Glen and Barry of Salt Lake City, Utah, have been here visiting his parents for several days, Mr. and Mrs. Kidd Waddell, Roby.

Lewis Gardner of Stockton California came last week to visit his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Worth Smith and Brad in Rotan.

Mrs. Peggy Murff, Roby, entered Hendrick Memorial Hospital, Abilene, Tuesday morning and will undergo surgery Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Jack Waddell and Rickey, of Denton, visited over the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waddell, Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Underhill and Bob of Phillips visited Tuesday night and Wednesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts and other relatives in Rotan.

Miss Rebecca Strickland returned to Dallas Tuesday after spending two weeks in Rotan with her mother, Mrs. Mark Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Campbell and family of Houston visited last week in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Justiss, Roby.

Ten year old Dana Robinson of Fort Worth recently received a new Book of Knowledge set for asking the best question in a "Tell Me Why" contest of Fort Worth Star-Telegram. Her question was "Tell Me Why Hurricanes Need Moist Air and Heat?" Dana is granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith, Rotan.

THANKS
Mrs. Minnie Foreman, of Athens, formerly of Roby, wishes to take this opportunity to thank her many friends in Roby for remembering her while she was ill, their flowers, beautiful cards and letters were a blessing. Again I say, Thank You, Mrs. Minnie Foreman.

In a candlelit ceremony held in the Westside Baptist Church at Sweetwater, August 8 at 8 p.m., Miss Lynda Chrystelle Hawkins became the bride of Claude William Kenner III. Rev. Buddy Sipe officiated for the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Hawkins of Sweetwater and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude William Keener Jr. of Abilene.

Athenian columns in ascending heights topped by sculptured candles set in cascading English ivy formed the setting for the ceremony. A white floral arrangement marked the bapistry. Sculpture candles surrounded by English ivy also lighted the windows of the church.

Mrs. Wayne Pierce, accompanied by Mrs. Charles G. Powell, sang, "I Believe," "The Twelfth of Never," and "The Wedding Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a silk organza gown trimmed with Venice lace entwined with satin ribbon tracing the neckline with garlands extending down the front and around the skimmer skirt. The removable Watteau chapel train was trimmed with medallion lace edging and satin ribbons inserted in Venice lace.

She carried a crescent of arrangement featuring a white orchid nestled in stephanotis.

Her veil of silk illusion fell from a headpiece of fabric daisies. For something old the bride wore the watch that belonged to her late maternal grandmother, Mrs. Homer Campbell; something borrowed was her bridal veil; and something blue was her garter given by her dorm mother, Mrs. Moody. The wedding ring of her grandmother, Mrs. Campbell was tied in her bouquet. She wore a six pence in her slipper that belonged to her sister-in-law, Mrs. John Hawkins.

A reception was held in Fellowship Hall immediately after the ceremony.

The bride is a 1966 graduate of Sweetwater High School and a senior at Hardin-Simmons University where she is a member of Delta Social Club, Capers Drill Team, and a member of the varsity tennis team.

The groom is a 1965 graduate of Cooper High School in Abilene and a senior student of Hardin-Simmons where he is a member of Sigma Delta Social Club, a ROTC Cadet Major and a member of the track team.

The groom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Ranch House.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker, Rotan, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hicks in Stanton last Thursday. Their grandson, David Hicks recently had major surgery in Dallas and is now home, recovering nicely.

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Mrs. Lena Keisler and Mrs. Marie Dixon, Sweetwater, visited in the O. D. Knox home Sunday. Other visitors were, his sisters, Mrs. Nola Neeley of Azel; Mr. and Mrs. Mont Barnard of Justin; Mrs. Willard Burk, Mrs. Dee Mitchell and Dora Dee Mitchell, Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Baker and Roger Jr. are in Roby visiting her mother, Mrs. Carrie Holcomb and her brother Jack Holcomb.

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Band Practice Opens Aug. 25

Rotan High School Band will have the first practice of the school year on Monday, August 25. The practice will start at 9:00 a. m. in High School band room.

All members of the High School Band are urged to be at this first practice to meet their new director, Mr. W. E. Hendricks, and to help formulate plans for the coming marching season.

The Band will rehearse every day the week before school opens. Plans call for rehearsals to begin at 9:00 a. m. and end at 11:00 on these days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tillotson, Rotan, came home last Thursday from Abilene where recently had major surgery. He is recovering nicely.

Stephen Lee, a 6 pound, 12 ounce boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Erbie Rodgers Jr., in Elk City, Okla. on Aug. 7. Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers also have a 3½ year old son, James. Mr. and Mrs. Erbie Rodgers, Rotan, are paternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hardin, Rotan; Brian and Laura Lynn of Fort Worth, attended the wedding of Cynthia Hardin and Bruce Mesaka at Bellville last weekend.

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Dust Storms Light in 1969

Temple, Texas—Air pollution from dust storms was at a near record low in Texas this spring, according to a wind erosion report released this week by Clyde W. Graham, State Conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service. Graham credited favorable moisture conditions and the work of conservation farmers in the western part of the state with reducing the dust storms.

"Reduced dust pollution benefits a lot more people than you might think," said Graham. "Dust hurts people with asthma, emphysema,

hay fever, and other respiratory ailments. It ruins electric motors, cars, buses, trucks, tractors and anything else with moving parts. And it settles in homes, grinding furniture, floors and carpets."

Less than 500,000 acres, or about half the 5-year average, were damaged in Texas by wind erosion this year, Graham said. His report was the result of an annual survey made by SCS offices in the 34 million acre area of West Texas subject to severe blowing during November 1 to May 31 blow season.

Graham noted that during the dust bowl days in the "dirty 30's", dust blown from several million acres of Texas land darkened the skies along the eastern seaboard

and out into the Atlantic Ocean.

Of the land damaged this season, 460,000 acres were cropland and 9,600 were rangeland. Some 17,000 acres of non-farm land, such as roads and bare city land, were also damaged by blowing.

Graham said work done under the popular Great Plains Conservation Program in the northwest one-third of the state has been a big factor in reducing Texas dust storms. He pointed out that in the last 10 years in this 99-county area, soil-protecting grass has been planted on 700,000 acres of rangeland; 463,000 acres of highly erosive cropland has been retired from farming and planted to

grass; and strip cropping, stubble mulching, cover cropping, and other conservation measures have been applied to some 2.3 million acres of cropland. Vast areas of grassland have also been improved.

SCS conservationists help farmers, ranchmen, city officials, and other users of land plan and apply measures to prevent wind and water erosion. This work is done through 187 locally run soil and water conservation districts in Texas, Graham concluded.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SUNDAY SERVICE

"Soul" is the subject of the Christian Science Lesson-Sermon to be heard Sunday in

all Christian Science churches. The Responsive Reading includes these verses from Isaiah: "Arise, shine; for thy light is come, and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee — Violence shall no more be heard in thy lands, wasting nor destruction within thy borders."

"A demonstration of the facts of Soul in Jesus' way resolves the dark visions of material sense into harmony and immortality." This correlative passage, also from the Lesson-Sermon, is from the denomination's textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy.

Services begin at 11:00 a. m. at Christian Science Society, 1001 Crane St., Sweet-

water.
* Isaiah 60:1, 18 to;
** page 428

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Roby Coaches Attend School

Roby coaches, Freddie Stuart, Ted Posey and John Hayden, were in Dallas last week to attend coaching school and clinic. Joining them there, Thursday were Mrs. Freddie Stuart, Brad and Britt, Mrs. Clara Fletcher also Mrs. Ted Posey, Terry, Cindy, David and Jeff, who had spent a week visiting Ted's sister and family, Mrs. Kent Westbrook of Crockett.

They attended the All-Star football game Thursday night, visited Six Flags and other points of interest, returning home Saturday.

SARGENT-NOLAN WEDDING MONDAY

Mr. Linnie Sargent and Ott Nolan were married Monday, 8 a. m. in Roby Church of Christ by Wardell Halliburton, minister. They left immediately on wedding trip to Clouderoft and Ruissa, N. M.

They are now at home in Rotan, and he is with the Dee Reese Saddle Shop.

EXTENSION COURSE AT ASPERMONT

An extension course will be offered in Aspermont, by Hardin-Simmons University, if at least 15 people are interested in taking either an education or psychology course.

If interested you may contact Jo Ann Aauntt, box 305, Aspermont or phone 989-2687 before August 26.

POLAR HOMECOMING

Sixth annual Polar Homecoming will be held Sunday, August 17 at Polar.

Everyone is invited. Please bring a basket lunch.

Mrs. Neil Moore (Darlene Coker) had major surgery Tuesday morning at Highland Hospital, Lubbock and is reported to be doing as well as possible. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Coker, Roby are in Lubbock to be with his sister. Other relatives and friends are there also. Her children Rocky, Rusty and Renee are in Roby with their grandmother, Mrs. Emma Moore.

Mrs. M. C. Adams and Mrs. Keith of Houston have visited their daughter and niece, respectively, Mrs. Richard Ray, Mr. Ray and Tommy. Mr. and Mrs. Ray returned them to Laguna Park to home of Mr. and Mrs. Chick Adams.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cave, Roby, this week has been Mr. and Mrs. Don R. Cave and family of Tripoli, Libya, Mrs. Jackie Cave and family of Farmington, New Mex.; Carla Robinson also of Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter and family, Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark, Rotan, accompanied their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nitsch and children to Abilene Monday morning to enplane for Tripoli, North Africa.

Rev. Jack O'Neal, Fresno, Calif., spent several days in Rotan visiting his mother, Mrs. Cora O'Neal and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Keener. Others joining them Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Clegg, Mr. and Mrs. Bus Rollans, Roby; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Schick, Mrs. Francis Upshaw, Patti and Peggy, Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Kidd of Capitola community had their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Casbeer, of Beaumont visiting over the past week. Other members of the family along with some grandchildren of Big Spring visited in the home, also. Mrs. Kidd and her twin brother, Clinton McCain of Eastland celebrated another birthday. They have always managed to be together for their birthdays. Mrs. Kidd received an orchid from Hawaii for her birthday from her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Waddell, who are vacation in Hawaii.

FISHER COUNTY

24th Annual FAIR & RODEO

August 28, 29, 30

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY

PERFORMANCES AT 8:00 O'CLOCK



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4-Hers Spruce Up Homes

Six teenagers who have improved their home surroundings through their own initiative and efforts will wind up the year richer by a \$600 scholarship. They will receive their reward early in December during the National 4-H Congress in Chicago.

These young people are 4-H members who will be named 1969 national winners in the 4-H Home Improvement program supervised by the Cooperative Extension Service, and supported by the S&H Foundation, Inc. They are fixing up their own rooms, or decorating and remodeling to add utility and beauty to the family dwelling.

Last year nearly 188,000 rural and urban 4-Hers participated from coast to coast. The youngsters generally are between 9 and 19 years old. They belong to a club or group having a volunteer adult leader competent to advise and teach them the why's and how's of home improvement. The Extension Service does the overall program planning and project evaluation.

"How-to-do-it" skills taught 4-Hers should be practical and yet help add beauty to home surroundings which the entire family can appreciate and enjoy" said a 4-H Leader. Creativity is encouraged.

Girls put their sewing skills to good use in making curtains, draperies, spreads and wall hangings. Among boys carrying a home improvement project can be found amateur carpenters, painters, and electricians.

Getting the most for the least money, or with no cash outlay at all, are shortcuts to home improvements, the 4-H youths soon learn. Restoring old or discarded items is a favorite hobby that adds value and variety to room furnishings.

Besides county honor medals, the S&H Foundations, Inc. sponsors an expense-paid trip to the National 4-H Congress for one winner per state. From the state champions, six national winners will be selected to receive \$600 S&H Scholarships. The scholarships may be used at a junior college, vocational school, or 4-year college or university.

Barrington Family Gathers

The 31st annual reunion of the children of the late John and Christina Barrington was held at the Agriculture Building on the Fair Grounds in Roby, August 8, 9 and 10. This was the tenth consecutive reunion to be held in Roby.

Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Neal of Lamesa; Mrs. Cecil Tate and Mrs. Bert Mathis of Muleshoe; Mrs. J. N. Calk and Mrs. A. L. Barrington of Coleman; Duard Howard of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Luther D. Miller of Ralls; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barrington of Crosbyton; Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Barrington of Santa Anna; Mrs. Edgar Barrington of Lubbock; L. H. Alldredge of Denver City and Jimmy and Shirley Barrington and sons Jeff and Russell also of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. James W. Lindsey of Abilene.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Hassler Strickland and Sheryl of Roswell, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Alldredge and Steve, Roger, Mark and Karen of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Miller of Sweetwater and Mrs. Jane V. McKimmey of Rest Haven Home in Rotan, a life-long friend of the family. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Barrington, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McKimmey, A. C. Cathey, Mrs. R. Lyndell Cathey and Little James Reeves all of Roby. They all said their good-byes Sunday afternoon, August 10, until they return again to the same place and at the same time in 1970.

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