

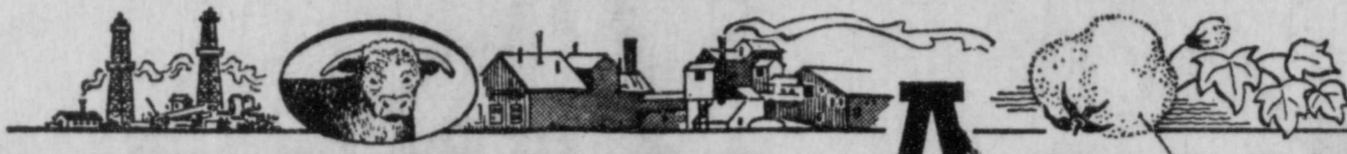
The Weather

From records of Fred Byerly
Rotan Weather Observer.

Mar. 1970 Prec.	Hi	Lo
Wed. 4	69	38
Thurs. 5	73	35
Fri. 6	.40	62
Sat. 7	.95	52
Sun. 8	.02	69
Mon. 9	77	49
Tues. 10	72	31
	1.37	

Total participation to date:
1969..... 1.52
1970..... 3.00

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Young Farmers Attend Field Day

Four members of the Fisher County Young Farmers attended the Area II young farmer Field Day at Wall Saturday. Members attending were Jerry Hoodenpyle, Kiefer Cauble, Charlie Joe Nunn and Jim Laurie. The group toured the Newman Feed yards after an interesting session on cattle feeding. The Newman Feed Yards of Very Best Cattle Co. feeds out 30 thousand head of cattle each year and had on feed 13 thousand head. The group was shown through the feed mixing and processing plant.

The most interesting part of the tour was going through the Milo popping plant. The cattle in the Newman yards are fed to where 80 percent of the cattle will grade Choice or animals around 1050 pounds.

Hospital News

Patients admitted to Callan Hospital March 3 through March 9.

Local patients: Mrs. Clifton Blount, Dan H. Frendiger, Mrs. W. T. Helms, Floyd Garcia, Jr., Cindy Kiker, Curtis Carr, Nina Eeds.

Out of town patients: Mrs. B. F. Campbell, Lubbock; Mrs. B. J. Stanley, Jayton; Mrs. C. W. Till, Claremont; Mrs. Carol Braze, Aspermont; J. W. Criswell, Peacock; Ben Harris, Roby; Lutie Harris, Roby; Mrs. Ernest Henry, Roby and Alice Jones, Spur.

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Mrs. Dee Summerlin, a patient in the Callan Hospital, was transferred to Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene Wednesday for observation and tests.

Land Bank Officials Attend Meeting

No Opposition In City Election

No opposition developed in Rotan City Councilman race this year, when deadline of March 4th found names of incumbent Councilmen Sam Hamm and newcomer Jack Jones to fill two vacancies.

Election will be held April 4 at City Hall with Ed Patton as election judge and Cecil Edwards alternate.

Absentee balloting will open March 15th.

Afternoon Mail Service Is Cut

The Sweetwater Post Office announced Saturday that they are discontinuing a 3:30 p. m. bussed mail run from Sweetwater to Roby and Rotan.

Asst. Postmaster Francis Womersaid the afternoon mail run to these towns will be discontinued Monday because of the small amount of mail which was delivered to the area towns by the afternoon bus.

He added that all this meant was that those people used to getting their mail in these towns in the afternoon would have to wait until the next morning.

Variety Show Plans Shaping Up

Huckabee Injured In Cycle Accident

Roy Huckabee, former Rotan resident was seriously injured about 7:00 p. m. Monday in a motorcycle-station wagon traffic accident in San Angelo.

Huckabee with his family lived in Rotan 3 years, when he was with Rotan Advance. They moved to San Angelo in June last year and he was employed Standard-Times in San Angelo.

He was riding his motorcycle to work when the accident occurred.

Late reports gave his condition "poor" and he remained in intensive ward at Shannon Hospital.

If you have not yet entered the Calendar Club Variety Show, please contact Mrs. Jerry Marshall or Mrs. Glen Gruben by Monday, March 16. The show is not competitive, and needs your time and talent to make it the best show ever.

All proceeds go to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene to aid in rehabilitation of the handicapped.

The show will be held March 20, at 7:30 p. m. in the Rotan High School auditorium. Admission will be \$1.00 for adults and 50¢ for those under 12 years old. Anyone who will occupy a seat must have a ticket.

Tickets are now available from any Calendar Club member or you may get one at Thriftway Supermarket.

Five File For Roby Trustee

Five names were filed for Trustee of Roby School, before deadline of March 4. These are to fill two places.

Filing are, Ben Neeper, Jack McClure, Joe DeLos Santos, Hubert Bennett and Derwayne Rasco.

Election will be held April 4.

Three File For Rotan Trustee

Three names were filed for Trustee of Rotan Independent School District before deadline.

Mrs. C. M. Callan filed last Wednesday and incumbent Trustees, Dick Edwards and Dwight Nowlin had previously submitted their names.

Election will be held April 4, 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. at Primary School with Stanley Nowlin as election judge.

Rotan Has New Trash Receptacles

Twelve new trash receptacles are being installed on edge of sidewalk on main street in Rotan. These have been badly needed for some time and is a joint project of Rotan Lions and Chamber of Commerce.

These are being spaced for convenience of pedestrians and everyone is urged to place all trash in them to make for a cleaner town.

This is splendid move by both organizations and with cooperation of citizens will prove very beneficial.

Rotan Lily Day Is Saturday

Lily Day will be Saturday, March 14, beginning at 9:00 a. m. Various Calendar Club members will be stationed in front of H. L. Davis & Co. during the day.

All donations are for Easter Seals, and will go to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

Track Relays Are Postponed Mar. 28

Double Mountain Track Relays scheduled for last Saturday in Rotan were postponed until March 28th because of muddy track, following the rains last weekend.

The event will open at 9:30 a. m. and finals will begin at 1:30 p. m.

Teams expected to participate are Roby, Wylie, Aspermont, Hawley, Trent, Leuders-Avoca, Hobbs, McCaully and Rotan.

Admission will be \$1 for adults and 50¢ for students.

Easter Seal Drive In Rotan Today

The annual house-to-house canvass for Easter Seals will be held Thursday, March 12, beginning at 6:30 p. m. The drive will be made this year by the Boy Scouts, who will be in uniform.

All donations go directly to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, and checks may be made payable to them.

Calendar Club members are asked to have their refreshments at the Scout hut by 7:00 p. m.

County Fair-Rodeo Planned For August



Fisher County Fair & Rodeo Officials for 1970--center, President Derwayne Rasco, left, Johnny Farrar, Vice-President; right, Richard Spencer. Not in picture Gene Terry, Treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Kemp, of Roby, spent last weekend in Denton with their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Jacobs Jr. and children, they attended the Methodist Church for their youngest grand child's christening on Sunday morning. Their daughter and children, Kyle Rex and Trey accompanied them to Roby for a weeks visit here.

Directors of Fisher County Fair and Rodeo met Monday night at Pink Building in Roby. In business session, President Derwayne Rasco read minutes which were approved. Bids accepted for this year's events included Day Concessions, Home Demonstration Club, Night Concessions, Roby Lions Club. Catalogue printing by Roby Star-Record and Rotan Advance.

Money was approved for Women's Exhibits, \$80; Parade Prizes, \$150; and Stock Show, \$260.

The group discussed additional improvements for Rodeo Arena. Much work was done last year on the entire system.

Show dates this year are Aug. 27, 28 and 29th.

Duaine Coan Injured At Mill

Duaine Coan suffered injury to his right hand late Tuesday at his work at National Cypsum Company Plant.

We were unable to get particulars at press time but reports were that he lost one finger and had others damaged.

Sexton Shows Improvement

Report on condition of Don Sexton at press time, given by his father, J. P. Sexton was that the doctors are encouraged and planned to curtail amount of oxygen given him immediately.

They felt he could probably be able to start some therapy in the next few days. Although his condition remains serious, this is an improvement.

Subscription Notice

Majority of subscriptions have been paid for Roby Star-Record and Rotan Advance.

Under our second-class mailing permit we are allowed to mail only paid-up subscriptions, so we will be forced to stop delinquent subscriptions.

We appreciate your cooperation on this.

Accident Makes Calvin's A Drive-in Food Market



Snyder Water Rates Are Being Increased

We take the following article from Snyder Daily News in regard to water rate increase in Snyder. This is caused partly by construction program of the \$33 million Robert Lee Dam.

The Robert Lee Dam project appears to be a very wise move of Colorado River Municipal Water District, as it will assure all cities of the district additional supply. Lake J. B. Thomas, present supply for CRMWD is far below normal, and as the article states there is no immediate need for alarm, but the district could be in trouble should spring rains miss the Lake as they have done for several years.

Rotan buys municipal water from Snyder and is very fortunate to have assurance of reserve at Robert Lee.

The article from the News: "If you are an 'average customer,' your water bill in Snyder is going up about eight per cent in April.

The city council last night approved new rates reflecting increases handed the city earlier by the Colorado River Municipal Water District. Both the city's fixed charge and its rate per 1,000 gallons of water were increased by CRMWD effective Jan. 1 this year. This followed a construction program costing over \$33 million involving erection of the Robert Lee Dam and building of Lake E. V. Spence, plus pipelines, pump stations and other equipment required to produce water for member cities from that source.

Snyder's minimum rate to its customers will remain at \$3.50 which pays for the first 3,000 gallons of water used in a month. The rate for the next 272,000 gallons will increase from 35 cents per 1,000 to 42 cents per 1,000 gallons. For customers which use more than 275,000 gallons the rate above that figure will increase from 30 cents per 1,000 gallons to

35 cents per 1,000.

In the past two years the city has had increases in its payments to CRMWD of 27.6 per cent. Until the current action none of this had been passed along to the consumer. In fact, the city rates have been changed only once since 1953 when it began taking water from CRMWD.

Rates to outside users will be hiked in proportion to those for city consumers.

Before taking action on the rates, the council conferred with Snyder's representatives on the CRMWD board. The four CRMWD-board members, W. A. McClain, Dr. John Blum, Rex Fields and Lyle Deffenbach, said they believed the district had reached a plateau in its requirements for additional funds. They noted that one bond issue will be paid off in 1973. The cost of the Robert Lee project was originally pegged at \$30 million but rising costs of materials and construction work, plus higher interest rates on bonds, added substantially to the original estimates.

Also the board members noted that Snyder's rate fluctuated additionally this year because with the completion of new facilities, it is farther from the center of production. The distance from main production sources figures in the rate formula of the district.

City councilmen noted that Snyder still was able to offer its consumers lower rates than the other two cities, Big Spring and Odessa.

The CRMWD board members assured that despite the fact that surface supplies are far below normal, there is no immediate cause for alarm, since the district has enough sources to supplement the lake supplies as needed for some time ahead. Hopefully, spring rains will boost the surface supplies in the next two or three months.

Roby Easter Seal Drive To Begin Tuesday Mar. 17

Ramby Now With Calvins Store

John Edd Ramby, a native of Rotan is now in charge of the meat department at Calvin's Store in Rotan. He has much experience in this work, having worked 18 years in Super Markets in Lubbock and in O'Donnell.

He was reared in Rotan, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ramby. He and his wife, the former Joyce Denton, have 5 children and they will reside at 203 E. Burnside.

Mr. Ramby invites his friends and the general public to visit him at Calvin's.

Technical Opportunity Night In Rotan Friday

On this Friday evening, March 13, at 7:30 p. m. a cordial invitation is extended to each interested person of our area to attend TECHNICAL OPPORTUNITY NIGHT at Rotan High School.

The purpose of this important meeting is to offer students, ex-students, parents, teachers, administrators, church and civic leaders, and other interested persons an opportunity to learn of the technical and vocational training programs available at each college. Representatives from Cisco Junior College, South Plains Junior College, Howard County Junior College, Odessa College, and Texas State Technical Institute (formerly Connally Technical Institute) will discuss technical offerings at their school as well as financial

aid, housing, job opportunities and admission.

Area counselors, principals, and superintendents from schools in Fisher, Jones, Haskell, Scurry, Kent, Knox and Nolan Counties who meet regularly in Stamford felt a real need to better inform the students and parents of the vast demand for qualified technicians in our working world. Rotan High School is host. Mrs. Patsy Hamric, Fisher County Cooperative Counselor, is chairman of arrangements. Jerry Schubert, coordinator for Stamford Distributive Education program is preparing posters and handbills for the meeting. Mrs. Hubert Watson, Stamford counselor and Mrs. Irene Stewart, Haskell County counselor are in charge of news media.

4-Hers Get High Prices at Houston

Fisher County 4-Hers received better than average prices from the sale of animals at the Houston Livestock Show March 1-7.

Brad Stuart placed third in the heavy weight Southdown lamb class. He received \$1.25 a pound for the lamb. Brad also sold a 30th place Hampshire lamb for 40¢ a pound. The Southdown was bred by Freddie Stuart of Roby.

Belynda Stuart batted 100% with her two pigs entered. She placed 2nd in medium Duroc class and ninth in the heavy Hampshire class. The pigs sold for \$1.25 and .42 cents a pound respectively. The pigs were bred by Tommy J. Stuart of Roby and Dwain Williams of Hemleigh.

In the steer division, Karla Kreidel finished her 4-H showing career by placing 4th in the middle Hereford class and 12th in the heavy Angus class. Jana Jeffrey placed 6th in the heavy Shorthorn class, and Mike Herron placed 14th in the light Angus class. The steers sold from 41 to 55 cents a pound.

Mike Herron continued to do well with his Angus heifers by placing high in all classes entered. He placed first in the late Junior Yearling class and received a large trophy. He was also runner up in the showmanship contest.

Saving Bond Sales Report

According to R.L. Springer, Chairman of the Fisher County Savings Bonds Committee, the 1970 Savings Bonds goal for Fisher County is \$50,000. January sales totaled \$4,943 for 10 per cent of the sales goal.

The 1970 sales goal for Texas is \$179.9 million. During the month sales were \$15,862,542 with 9 per cent of the state's goal achieved.

The Treasury Department announced that sales over the nation totaled \$407 million--3.8 per cent below January a year ago. Exchanges of Series E for Series H Savings Bonds during the month amounted to \$17.2 million--3 per cent above the \$16.7 million exchanged in January 1969.

O.E.S. Members To Abilene School

A number of Roby and Rotan Easter Star members will attend School of Instruction in Abilene this weekend. The school will be at Masonic Temple, 1265-1/2 N. 2nd.

Registration will open at 8:30 a. m. Saturday. At 9 a. m. worthy matrons and associate matrons of District 2 will present a drill.

Examining rooms will be open during morning, afternoon and evening sessions. Mrs. Austin will conduct examinations for certificates of proficiency.

Host chapters will serve a noon luncheon. Anson and Sweetwater chapters will host a 6 p. m. banquet at the Starlite Inn.

The evening program will include a drill by worthy matrons and associate matrons, a welfare program and the fraternal visit of the worthy grand matron Mrs. Matranga.

A reception in the dining room will mark conclusion of the day's activities.

Abilene Chapter No. 30 and Queen Esther Chapter No. 833 will be in charge of a covered dish supper Friday at 7 p. m. at Lytle Shores Auditorium. The supper will honor visiting grand officers, guests and area members.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ramby and children have recently moved back to Rotan after living away from here in Lubbock and O'Donnell about fourteen years.

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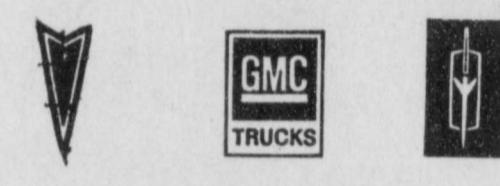
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WYLIE HEADS 6-A ALL-DISTRICT

State Class A girls champion Wylie dominated the 6-A all district squad, with four girls on the first team.

Forwards Pam Raughton and Anita Cowan and guards Shirley McKee and Brenda Brzozowski were chosen first teamers from Wylie.

First Team: Forwards, Pam Raughton, Anita Cowan, Wylie; Jan Kincaid, Rotan; Belinda Gauntt, Aspermont.

Guards, Brenda Brzozowski, Shirley McKee, Wylie; Brenda Alsop, Aspermont; Mary Ann Whorton, Roscoe; Rebecca Walker, Robert Lee.

Second Team: Forwards, Pam Brazil, Roscoe; Jackie Conley, Robert Lee; Patsy Pelzel, Wall.

Guards, Mara Hammit, Rotan; Becky Tomlin, Roscoe.

Honorable Mention, Forwards Sharon Martin, Wylie; Theresa Strube, Wall; Brenda Alsop, Aspermont.

Guards, Debbie Dickerson, Cynthia Spect, Aspermont; Anita Franklin, Rhonda Coan, Rotan; Peggy Green, Robert Lee; Shirley Freyer, Roscoe; Jeanann Block, Wall.

Judi Powell

R. J. H. VOLLEYBALL NOW IN SEASON

Rotan Junior High's volleyball team has been chosen. The eight girls are: Kelly Tidwell, Toni Irvin, Connie Conner, Connie Mahaffey, Elaine Rameriz, Vera Rodriguez, Cindy Helms and Janie Fowler. The eight boys are: Joey Vann, Scott McKinney, Barry Allen, Steve Webb, Bob Rodgers, Raymond Carrillo, Bruce Jones, and Clay Helms.

The first game of the season was at the Hamlin Tournament on March 5 against Anson. Judi Powell

KNOW YOUR SENIOR

Birthday, August 11, 1952
Color of Eyes, Green
Color of Hair, Light Brown
Height, 5'6"
Favorite Sport, Basketball
Favorite Color, Gold
Favorite Artists, Buck Owens
Political Party, Democrat
Favorite Food, Fried Steak and Gravy
Church, Lutheran
How Long in Rotan, 7 years
Favorite TV Program, Hee-Haw
College Choice, San Angelo State
Favorite Alibi: I saw duma-dilly down on the drag and I just couldn't get away.
Name, Linda Kingsfield
Cathy Allen

Empty heads appreciate empty honors, and there are plenty of them in every community.

CONCERT HELD FOR GRADES 1-6

The fifth and sixth grade bands will play for grades 1-6 on Thursday, March 12 at 9:30 a. m. in the high school auditorium.

Judi Powell

U. I. L. SPELLING CONTEST IN R. J. H.

There are only three members in the seventh and eighth grade U. I. L. Spelling Contest. The three are Sue Tonn, Bruce Jones, and Scott McKinney.

Judi Powell

KNOW YOUR SENIOR

Birthday, August 23, 1950
Color of Eyes, Dark Brown
Color of Hair, Black
Height, 5'
Favorite Sport, Volleyball
Favorite Color, Green
Favorite Artists, Johnny Cash and Tom Jones
Political Party, Lemoocrat
Favorite Food, Meat Loaf and Tamales
Church, Catholic
How Long in Rotan, 9 years
Favorite TV Program, Mod Squad
College Choice, None
Favorite Alibi: I was only thinking,
Name, Eilda Garcia
Cathy Allen

FHA AREA MEETING HELD IN ODESSA

The spring meeting of the Future Homemakers of America, Texas Association Area II will be held March 14 in the auditorium of Ector High School, Odessa, Texas, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

This is an open meeting for all FHA chapters whose sponsors have been authorized to attend.

Registration will be at 8:30 a. m. March 14. There will be a registration fee of 50¢ per member and sponsor.

The Nominating Committee will meet the evening of March 13 for the nomination of state officers.

The House of Delegates will meet the evening of March 14 with present area officers, nominees for area officers for 1970-71, and candidates for state office for 1970-71.

The installment ceremony will be on March 14. Debby Loving

BIRTHDAYS FOR THIS WEEK ARE:

Harrell Freeman and Patti Upshaw are the only students having birthdays during the week of March 5-12.
Linda Kingsfield

COST OF RUNNING SCHOOL BUSES

The bus report comes into the high schools principal's office at the end of each month. This report gives the total cost of running each of the seven buses for a one month period.

The seven buses are driven by Mrs. Edwards, Mr. Hendricks, Mr. Payne, Mr. Armstrong, Mr. Soliz, Mr. Petty, and Mr. Tonn. Each of these drivers receive \$100 salary each month for driving.

The month of December was a very short school month. School was in session only two weeks out of this month. For this reason, the bus report for the month was much shorter than usual.

The buses only made 30 runs during the month of December compared to the usual 40 runs. The total gallons of gasoline used was only 857, about 200 gallons below normal. Each bus is washed, greased, and has the oil changed once a month. A new filter is put on if necessary. A bus will normally average \$15.00 for wash, grease, and filter, and \$5.00 for mechanics per month. The amount spent on these for December was only \$27.60. The total quarts of oil used was only 26 compared to the usual 47 quarts. The cost of the oil was \$16.30. Each bus usually averages about 6 quarts of oil per month.

The total amount of miles traveled by all the buses was 14,120. This includes two trips to Roscoe at 38 miles, and one trip to Hemleigh at about 28 miles.

The total cost for running the buses during the short month of December was \$1,023.11. This includes the salary of the drivers, cost of gasoline, and cost of wash, grease, filter, and mechanics.

The month of January was a normal month. The buses each made 40 runs using 1,034.5 gallons of gasoline in all. The cost of the gas was \$344.62.

The total quarts of oil used was 47 at \$30.41. Each bus was washed, greased, and the oil was changed, and a new filter put on. The cost of this was \$40.01. The cost of mechanics for January was \$4.52

The buses traveled a total of 19,228 this month. There were four trips made this last month for ball games or various other trips; one to Roscoe which is 38 miles, one to Abilene at 65 miles, one to Aspermont which is 29 miles, and one to Anson at 40 miles. The total miles of these four trips is 346.

It would be simple to find out approximately how much it costs the school to run the buses for one year. There are nine months in a school year. Multiply nine by \$1,119.56, the average cost per month. It costs the school approximately \$10,076.04. \$3,101.58 for gas, \$273.69 for oil, \$360.09 for wash, grease, and filters, and \$40.68 for mechanics. Also, \$6,300.00 for salary.

March A Good Time To File Tax Return

Refund checks are less likely to be delayed when tax returns are filed early, Ellis Campbell, Jr., District Director of Internal Revenue for North Texas, said today.

He urged taxpayers to send their returns in now if they have not already done so. It will help taxpayers get their refunds sooner and reduce Government processing costs by enabling IRS to spread workloads more evenly.

The IRS refunded \$179,496, -975.36 to 1,046,659 North Texas taxpayers last year, and has already refunded \$38,556,840.05 to 191,999 North Texas taxpayers this year.

He, Campbell, advised taxpayers to use the pre-addressed name label that came with their Form 1040 to expedite processing. Returns should be sent direct to the Service Center in the envelope provided.

Deadline Passed Mail Vehicle Registration

The deadline is passed to order 1970 Texas motor vehicle registration plates by mail, but there still is time for motorists to register their vehicles without a lot of the bother of former years.

The cutoff date for mail orders was March 1. But the three-part computerized form which all Texas vehicle owners received just after January 1 still will save time. . . . if motorists act quickly.

All one needs to do is to take the registration application to his county tax collector's office or sub-station with the fee.

The process is greatly simplified and the lines--if any--are fast-moving.

That's still no guarantee there won't be long lines facing those who wait until the last few days before the midnight April 1st deadline. Each year, thousands of motorists put off registering their vehicles until the last minute.

And, each year, the final days of the registration season find tax collectors' offices and substations jammed with procrastinating drivers.

The Texas Highway Department has these tips for quick and easy registration:

Don't throw away your registration application; don't write on it or mar it. However, if the address is incorrect, you should show your correct residence address in accordance with instructions on the form.

Don't separate the three parts of the form. Take it to the county tax office or substation in one piece.

Don't send your application to the Highway Department in Austin; and, remember, the deadline is passed for ordering license plates by mail from your county tax office.

If you did not receive a three-part registration form by mail, or if you have lost it, take your last year's motor vehicle registration receipt and your car title to the county tax collector's office or sub-station. Your vehicle registration will be processed as before, and you'll receive a time-saving computerized form next year.

A.C.C Spring High School Day

The annual spring high school day at Abilene Christian College is scheduled Saturday, March 21, according to Charles (Kip) Jordan, ACC director of special services.

The one-day event begins with a president's reception at 9 a.m. in the main room of McGlothlin Campus Center. Also scheduled during the morning are a special chapel program, a performance by the ACC gymnastics team and a concert by the ACC stage band.

Highlighting the afternoon schedule are: 1 p.m. college academic and financial planning sessions with key ACC administrators and a 2:15 p.m. track meet with ACC hosting Birgham Young University and University of Texas at Arlington.

The ACC Hilltop Singers, veterans of a USO tour to Germany, will perform at 7 p.m. High school day annually attracts several thousand high school students to the Abilene Christian College campus.

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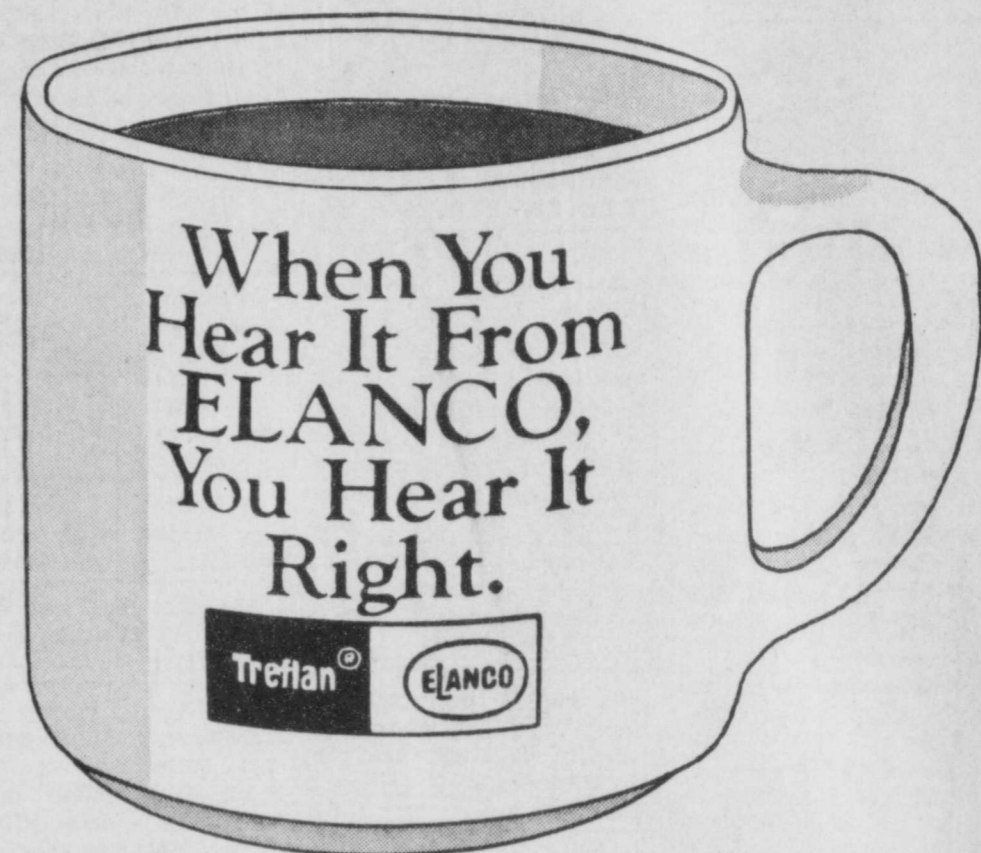
District Convention of Veterans of World War I will be held in Merkel March 21.

All WWI veterans and Ladies Auxiliary are reminded also that State Convention will be in Abilene, in July and should be supported by these members of District 17.

H. V. Huckaby, Commander of Fisher County Barracks states that registration fee, including a good dinner will be about \$2.00.

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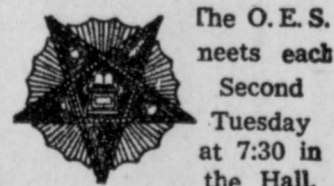
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Shortly after moving to Rotan I married the former Mrs. Nell Frazier who has been a nurse at the Callan Hospital for a number of years.

At the present time I am only engaged in stock farming as I resigned my position as Chief of Police on February 28, 1970 so I could devote my entire time to making the race for Commissioner of Precinct 2.

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A man cuts his wisdom teeth when he bites off more than he can chew.—Elizabeth W. Spalding, The (Bardstown, Ky.) Standard.

This talk about "a new source of revenue" simply means tapping the same old taxpayer in a brand new place.

Service Held For Lonnie Masters

Funeral services for Lonnie F. Masters, 50, were held at 3 p. m. Saturday, March 7 at the Oyster Creek Baptist Church. Rev. W. R. Reagan officiated. Military graveside rites were held at Restwood Memorial Park.

The Lakewood Funeral Chapel was in charge of arrangements. Masters, a 16-year resident of the area, died Wednesday at Community Hospital. He served in the army in WW II, and was a member of the Veterans of Foreign War. He was a machinist at the Brazosport Machine Shop and a native of Rotan.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Masters; two sons, Jerry Masters of Freeport and Ted Masters of Oyster Creek; one daughter, Becky Masters of Oyster Creek and a brother, Roy Lee Masters of Rotan.

According to the VA about 3,300 payments, not to exceed \$1,600 each toward the purchase of an automobile will be made in fiscal year 1970 to Veterans who, as a result of performance of military duty, lost the use of an extremity or were blinded.

Flash-Bits from Fisher County Nursing Home

Hello to everyone from all of us here at FCNH. Just about everyone is doing fine with the exception of Mr. Morgan who is still in Callan Hospital. We're all sitting tight just waiting for spring to get here.

Our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ivy who are proud great-grandparents again. The little great-grand daughter, Cindy DeAnn was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brazee of Aspermont.

A big thank you to Mr. Bratton of Winn for all the yum-yum good chocolate candy he gave us. Know a few around here who are afraid to step on the scales after eating all those calories.

Our sympathy to Uncle Lee Williams in the passing of his brother, George at Ft. Davis.

Uncle Lee attended the funeral services there Friday.

Among our visitors this week were the following: Mrs. Joe Stephens of Arlington and Mrs. Faye McClure of Roby visiting with Mrs. Whitfield, Mrs. Preston Campbell of Roby was by to see Mrs. Whitfield and Mrs. Tillotson, Mrs. Roger Smith and Mrs. Roy Noles visited with Parker Kennedy, Warren Copeage was in to see Gyp Foy and Dewey Donham visited with his Dad, Sam Donham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy had both sons, L. C. of Brownfield and Walter of Aspermont, here visiting with them.

Mr. Galon had several of his children and other friends in to see him.

Mrs. Hyde was out Friday night to spend the night with her son J. P. Sexton.

Guess that's about all the "Bits" we can round up for this time. See you next week.

GOLDEN HAVEN Nursing Home NEWS



Mrs. H. D. Mitchell

Everyone enjoyed the good rain, and now the sunshine. Too bad it was cloudy on Saturday and we couldn't see the eclipse of the sun. Not too many of us will be around in 2024. We can hope.

We sure had the visitors this week. Mrs. Cathey's husband, Mr. and Mrs. Barrington and the Baptist Preacher Mr. and Mrs. Sanders were here to see her.

Mrs. Dunlop's son Jack of Lubbock and her daughter Mrs. Tefeller were here.

Mrs. Leo Jones to see Sam Lambert. Sam also attended the regular 42 party Saturday night.

Robert Martin is happy, since Mrs. Martin has moved to town she is here everyday, sometimes twice.

Vern Cardwell's wife and daughter Betty are here every day.

Mrs. Simpson's daughter is

here every day. Grannie Polk's son-in-law Clifford Carr and daughter were here to see her. Fred Owens' daughter, Lucille Black and son of Carlsbad, N. M. were here. Fred still hangs around the telephone every Sunday morning about seven o'clock comes that call from El Paso—Hello Pop how are you doing?

Edd Roberts' brother, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts of Rotan were here. Mrs. Roberts visited Mrs. Millwee.

Mrs. Roy Smith and her father Mr. Terry visited in the home, we were happy to have them, we had Mrs. Terry in the home before her passing.

Mrs. Dona Lofland's sister-in-law, Mrs. Mamie Wells, Mrs. Cora Holdsmith and Mrs. Mayfield from Hamlin were here to see her.

Wouldn't you know Millie Drennon topped the list on visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams of Lubbock, Mr. H. C. Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rogers of Tahoka, Mrs. Alice Wisler of Snyder, a son Tom Drennon of Abilene and Mrs. B. T. Williams of Roby.

We are always glad to welcome visitors. I'm sure there were some here we missed, if so please come again and let us know. We'll be glad and you'll be glad you came.

V. L. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Kelly of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kelly in Rotan last weekend.

Willing Workers Study Breads

The Willing Workers 4-H Club, Roby, held their regular monthly meeting March 3 at the Midwest Electric Co-op. There were five members and their leader present.

Vice-president, Karri Waddell called the meeting to order. Secretary, Lois Ann Cautle called the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting.

The Bread and Cereal Food Group was studied and the 4-H girls prepared brownies.

Another meeting was set for March 16 for the Club Members and their Mothers in preparation for the Food Show to be held in April.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenord Ratliff and Sherry of Midland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Crawford in Rotan over the weekend. Pattie Floyd also visited her grandparents.

Mrs. Clyde Green, Mrs. Era Boen, Mrs. J. B. Jones, Rotan, attended the Four County singing at Nolen Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grimm of Stamford visited Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Singley Sunday and the Arthur Singleys in Rotan.

Mrs. A. B. Parham of Noodle visited with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Driver and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Driver Thursday in Roby.



"Ye Shall Know The Truth"

John 8:32

The End Does Not Justify The Means

If the end justifies the means, then the desperado, Jesse James, was justified for some of his robberies, since he sometimes gave money he had taken from some wealthy man or company to some poor widow. If it were true that the end justifies the means, a man would be justified for selling whiskey, gambling, or making music for the dance, if he gave liberally to the church.

Paul said it was sadly reported that we say, "Let us do evil that good may come." (Rom. 3:8) so, regardless of the good we intend to do, we cannot sin in order to accomplish it. Good results must be achieved by good and righteous means, if we want to please God. To do otherwise is disgraceful, and to accuse the just of doing or teaching otherwise is slander.

There are numerous applications of this principal to this day and age. There are those who neglect duty now and feel justified because they hope to prepare for better service later. If a student cheats on examination and excuses himself on the grounds that he can finish the course more quickly and at a much earlier date begin his life's work and do good, he has sinned regardless of worthy plans for the future. Parents who neglect to give their children time and companionship now in a mad rush to make money to educate them later are robbing them now. If one neglects to worship, or if he neglects any known duty in order to do great things for the Lord later, he is doing evil that good may come. Some have been known to engage in some practice that is admittedly evil in order to win some friend, who does the same evil, to Christ. Such would be an abomination to the Lord.

Too many are going to do great things tomorrow by doing something crooked today. It is good to plan for the future, if we do not neglect today. Tomorrow might not come. Do right every day.

By Cecil Williams

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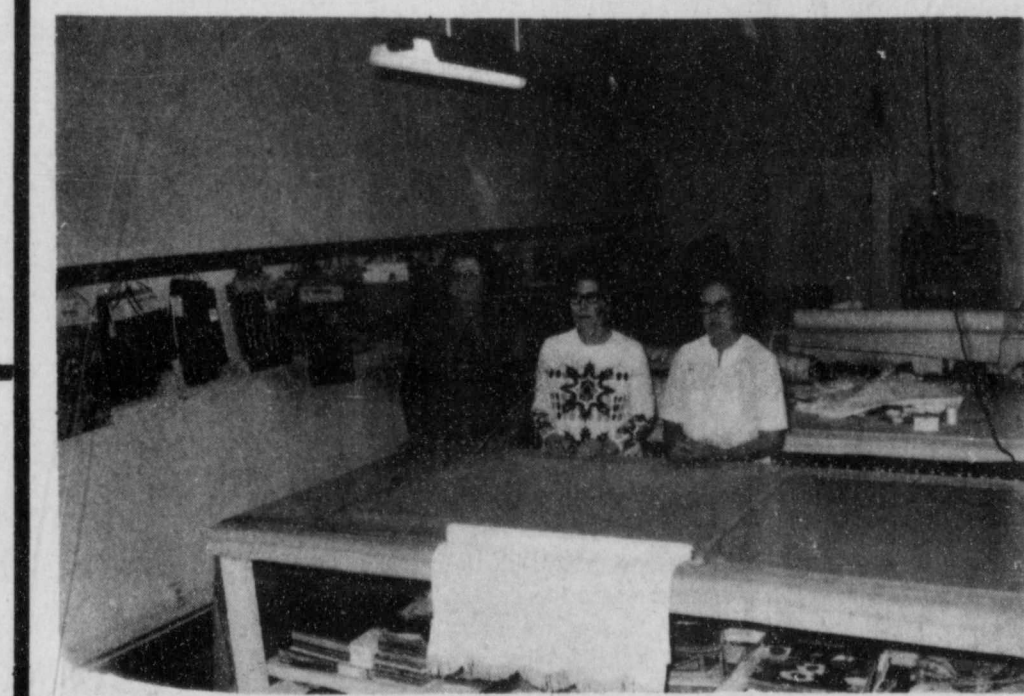
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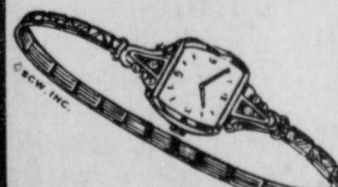
Portion of work area at Snyder Drapery, showing material sam-
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Young's Market

Fagan-Polk Engagement

Mrs. Ethel Hicks of Lubbock announces the engagement of her daughter, Linda Jean Fagan of Lubbock to Charles Ray Polk, son of Mrs. and Mrs. M. G. Polk of Rotan.

The Old Times



"Parents no longer bring children up. They finance them."

Christian Science Hobbs Honor Roll Lesson

The subject of the Lesson-Sermon this Sunday in Christian Science churches, is "Matter."

A verse from Isaiah reads, "For as the earth bringeth forth her bud, and as the garden causeth the things that are sown in it to spring forth; so the Lord God will cause righteousness and praise to spring forth before all the nations."

Passages from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy included in the lesson are, "All nature teaches God's love to man, but man cannot love God supremely and set his whole affections on spiritual things, while loving the material or trusting in it more than in the spiritual" (p. 326).

Longworth H.D. Club News

Longworth Home Demonstration Club met Monday in the home of Mrs. Walter Wittie with president, Mrs. Bob Baker presiding.

Roll Call was answered with something I bought on credit and could, or should have paid for.

Program, Should you use credit was presented by leaders Mrs. Ray Scherwitz and Mrs. Walter Wittie.

They stated credit is easy to get. It is so easy that you may buy more than you can pay for.

Six things were listed as easy credit. They listed six reasons for not using credit. It cost more to use credit, buy things you don't need, buy more than you can pay for. Buying on credit is easier than handing over the money. Ask yourself, Do I need it? Do I need it now? Can I make the payments? What good will it do me? Should I risk owing so much money that I won't be able to get more should I get sick or have an accident.

Think about your answers. Is it better to use credit, or wait until you can pay cash?

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Ruby Ballenger, Edna Terry, Neva Cardwell, Bob Baker, W. P. Schubert, H. T. Guelker, Era Shed, Ray Scherwitz and Hostess Wittie.

Hobbs Honor Roll

4th Grade: "A" Melody Walker and Tammy Gober; "B" Penny Moore.

5th Grade: "A" Lisa Gober; "B" Alonzo Galindo, Ellen Jones, Mike Martin, Charles Wright.

6th Grade: "B" Olga Gonzales, Linda Aguilar, Mary Martinez.

7th Grade: "B" Randy Gee, Richard Martin, David Martinez James Solis.

8th Grade: "B" Carol Faulkenberry.

Freshman: "A" Rollie Cantu; "B" Randy Gordon.

Sophomore: "B" John Lee Brown and Mike Hull.

Junior: "A" Lois Cantu, "B" Sherry Nettleton, Carl Martin, Belle Martinez, Louise Aguilar.

Senior: "A" Kathy Davis; "B" Jan Dooley, Cris Martinez, John Ross Hale.

Art Club Met

The Palette and Brush Club met March 9 in the Rotan Community Center. Mrs. E. E. Shaw demonstrated drawing figures in a group, and gave instructions for putting the finishing touches on paintings.

The Club is inviting new members to join. Any person interested please call Mrs. Marie Phillips.

The art club's yearly exhibit will be held April 26 from 2 to 6. The next members' meeting will be March 16 with Connie Tutt as hostess. Members are to bring their art materials to paint during the afternoon.

Reporter

Roby School Thanks Masons

The Roby Elementary School wishes to thank the local Masonic Lodge for furnishing the ten dollars prize money again this year for the rooms having the largest number of registered visitors. The first grade won the five dollars for first place, the sixth grade won three dollars for second place, and the third grade two dollars for third place.

The ten class rooms, the one reading room, and the one library of elementary school registered a combined total of one hundred twenty-one visitors during the four class days last week.

McCollum-Allison Wedding



Diane McCollum and Richard I. Allison exchanged marriage vows in a candlelight service February 21 in the Davis Park Christian Church in Enid, Oklahoma with the Rev. John Dammarell reading the double ring ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Granger and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allison.

The bride given in marriage by her father, Charles Granger chose a street length white crepe dress fashioned with an empire waistline and long sleeves with wide buttoned cuffs. Pearls trimmed the neckline and waist of the dress which was made by the grandmother of the bride. She wore a lace mantilla with pearl accents made by her mother and carried turquoise baby carnations and white rosebuds. The traditional something old was her Grandmother King's first wedding band, something new, a pearl necklace and earrings, a gift from the groom. Something borrowed, the ring, and something blue was a blue garter.

Maid of honor was Miss Carol West who was attired in a turquoise velvet skirt with matching bolero and a lighter shade of crepe blouse. She carried carnations in multi-colors. Best man was a cousin of the groom, Ron Millard, ushers were Jim Olistad and Jack Stone. The bride honored her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy King of Roby by seating them in the front row and then presenting Mrs. King with her bridal bouquet.

Hal Headstream of Hobbs, N. M., a cousin of the bride was candlelighter for the services. Mrs. Cecil Headstream, aunt of the bride, Miss Barbara Madigen and Miss Lana Lukenbaugh assisted at the reception held in the church.

The bride is a 1969 graduate of Enid High School and is enrolled in Enid Business College. The groom recently returned from Viet Nam after serving 4 years in the Marines and is employed with his father. The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy King of Roby.

The group went into the dining room where a lovely decorated table laden with delicious fruit pies and spiced tea was served.

The club will meet March 19 with Mrs. C. G. Shell in an all day meeting. The program will be on foreign food and will all be prepared from foreign recipes.

Rotan HD Club Meets

The Rotan Home Demonstration Club met March 5th with Mrs. Viola Hendon with seventeen members and Miss Emily Garret, a guest.

Mrs. C. G. Shell, in a very interesting and informative way, gave the program on "Should you use credit?"

If you really don't need it, don't buy on credit, said Mrs. Shell.

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Roby Girl On Deans List

Helen M. Lovett, daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Dwight Lovett of Roby, recently made the Dean's List at Texas Tech.

Little Ronnie Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor of Lubbock, spent most of last week with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Rex Kemp in Roby. His mother teaches at Lubbock and he goes to nursery school but had the misfortune to have the measles so Granddad Kemp had to go for him and bring him to Roby. His parents came for him Sunday.

Bridal Shower Honors Miss Karen Driver

A bridal shower honoring Karen Driver, bride-elect of Glenn Lassater was held Thursday March 5 in the home of Mrs. O. D. Knox of Roby.

Calling hours were from 3:00 to 6:00 and the guests were served punch, coffee, cake squares, cookies, brownies, mints and nuts from a beautiful table covered with a net tablecloth over pink. The centerpiece was a tiny sugar house with trees adorned with pink rice bags, silver rings and white love birds.

Guests were registered by Mrs. John Kiker and gifts were displayed in the bedrooms which carried out the pink and white colors chosen by the bride-elect. Approximately 75 guests called.

Hostesses were Mrs. John Kiker, Mrs. H. A. Kiker, Mrs. Forrest Perkins, Mrs. Gladys Holcomb, Mrs. Fay Ray, Mrs. Tom Sharp, Mrs. Joe Morris, Mrs. Evalene Timmons, Mrs. Herman Mayfield, Mrs. John Hayes, Mrs. Vernon Allan and Mrs. O. D. Knox.

Mrs. Ethel Kilgo and her mother Mrs. Charlie McKinney attended services of Mrs. Kinison in Sweetwater Saturday afternoon.

Miss Pauline Ballew and her mother of Sweetwater were visitors in the home of Mrs. Tom Parker of Roby one day last week.

H.D. Council To Invite Dist. Meeting

The Fisher County home Demonstration Council met Tuesday March 3, in the Willie Wired Hand Room of Midwest Electric in Roby.

Mrs. Bill Hardy, Chairman, presided, Mrs. Fred Waddell Conducted recreation.

Mrs. Hardy asked the group to discuss in their clubs the idea of inviting the District III meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association to Fisher County for the 1971 spring meeting. Action will be taken on this matter in April.

Announcement was made that Mrs. Lowell Thornburg is a candidate for Director of District 3 T. H. D. A. This election will be held at the Spring meeting in Vernon April 17.

Finance committee was asked to meet with the Fair Board to bid on day concessions at the County Fair.

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Roby, Texas

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Speakers and Subjects:

"PROBLEMS WE FACE"

Sunday, 10:45 a. m.

Wardell Halliburton

Problem of "ATHEISM AND EVOLUTION"

Sunday, 6:00 p. m.

Wardell Halliburton

Problem of "DISRESPECT FOR AUTHORITY"

Monday, 16th 7:30 p. m.

Howard Adams, Abilene

Problem of "DENOMINATIONALISM"

Tuesday, 17th 7:30 p. m.

Howard Swinney, Anson

Problem of "INDIFFERENCE"

Wednesday, 18th 7:30 p. m.

Richard Melton, Midland

Problem of "IMMORALITY"

Thursday, 19th 7:30 p. m.

Dan Johnson, Midland

Problem of "LIBERALISM"

Friday, 20th 7:30 p. m.

Preston Cotham, Sweetwater

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Evening Worship - 6:00 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Ladies Bible Class - 9:30 a. m.
Bible Study - 7:30 a. m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
McCaulley
Rev. James Taylor - Pastor
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
9:45 a. m. - Morning Worship
10:45 a. m. - Sunday School
7:00 p. m. - Evening Worship
Family Night
Every 3rd Thursday

MCCAULLEY BAPTIST CHURCH
Virgil Smith - Pastor
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
10:00 a. m. - Sunday School
11:00 a. m. - Morning Worship
6:00 p. m. - Training Union
7:00 p. m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p. m. - Prayer Service

CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. J. C. Abbleby - Pastor
(6 miles SW of Rotan)
Phone 735-2097 Rotan
Sunday School - 10:00a. m.
Morning Worship - 11:00a. m.
Training Union - 6:00p. m.
Evening Worship - 7:00p. m.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday - 7:00 p. m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Jackie Barnett - Pastor
Corner Genevieve and
Stonewall
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Training Union - 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship - 7:00 p. m.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday - 7:00 p. m.

ROBY CHURCH OF CHRIST
Wardell Halliburton - Minister
Sunday:
Bible Classes - 10:00 a. m.
Worship - 10:45 a. m.
Evening Worship - 6:00 p. m.
Wednesday:
Midweek Bible Study - 7:00 p. m.
Thursday:
Ladies Bible Class - 3:00 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Roby
Schedule of Services
10:00 a. m. - Sunday School
11:00 a. m. - Morning Worship
6:00 p. m. - Training Union
7:00 p. m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p. m. - Prayer Meeting
and Study Course
7:30 p. m. - Choir Practice

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rotan
209 N. McKinley - 735-2334
Robert D. Ford - Pastor
Parsonage 401 N. McKinley
Sunday School - 9:30 a. m.
Worship - 10:30 a. m.
U. M. Y. - 5:00 p. m.
Evening Service - 6:00 p. m.
W. S. C. S. Wednesday 9:30 a. m.
Choir Practice Wed. 7:00p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rotan
201 N. McKinley - 735-3471
Rev. Billy Hudnall - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship - 10:55 a. m.
Training Union - 6:00 p. m.
Sunday Night Service 7:00p. m.
Wed. Prayer Service - 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF NAZARENE
Rotan
H. D. Williams - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a. m.
Worship - 10:40 a. m.
N. Y. P. S. - 6:15 p. m.
Evening Service - 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday - 7:00 p. m.

HIGHLAND HOME BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Leonard Payne - Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Training Union - 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship - 7:30 p. m.
Wed. Prayer Service - 7:30 p. m.

SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Church Service - 11:00 a. m.
Training Union - 6:00 p. m.
Church Service - 7:00 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Prayer Service - 8:00 p. m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Sylvester
Rev. R. H. Meixner - Pastor
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
9:45 a. m. - Morning Worship
10:30 a. m. - Sunday School
Monthly Prayer Meeting

SAINT JOSEPH'S CHURCH
Rotan
305 E. Lee St. 735-3285
Rev. Robert C. Dillenbeck
Masses Sunday - 8-9:30 a. m.
Masses Weekday Consult Pastor
Confessions before Mass

IGLESIA BAUTSTA
1st Mexican Baptist Church
W. Johnston and N. Garfield
Sunday School - 10:00a. m.
Morning Worship - 11:00a. m.
Training Union - 7:00p. m.
Evening Worship - 7:45p. m.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday - 7:30 p. m.

LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Rotan
Rev. L. E. Pope - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a. m.
Morning Service - 11:00 a. m.
Mission Monday - 4:00 p. m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting - 7:30p. m.
No. Side Circle Thurs - 8:00p. m.

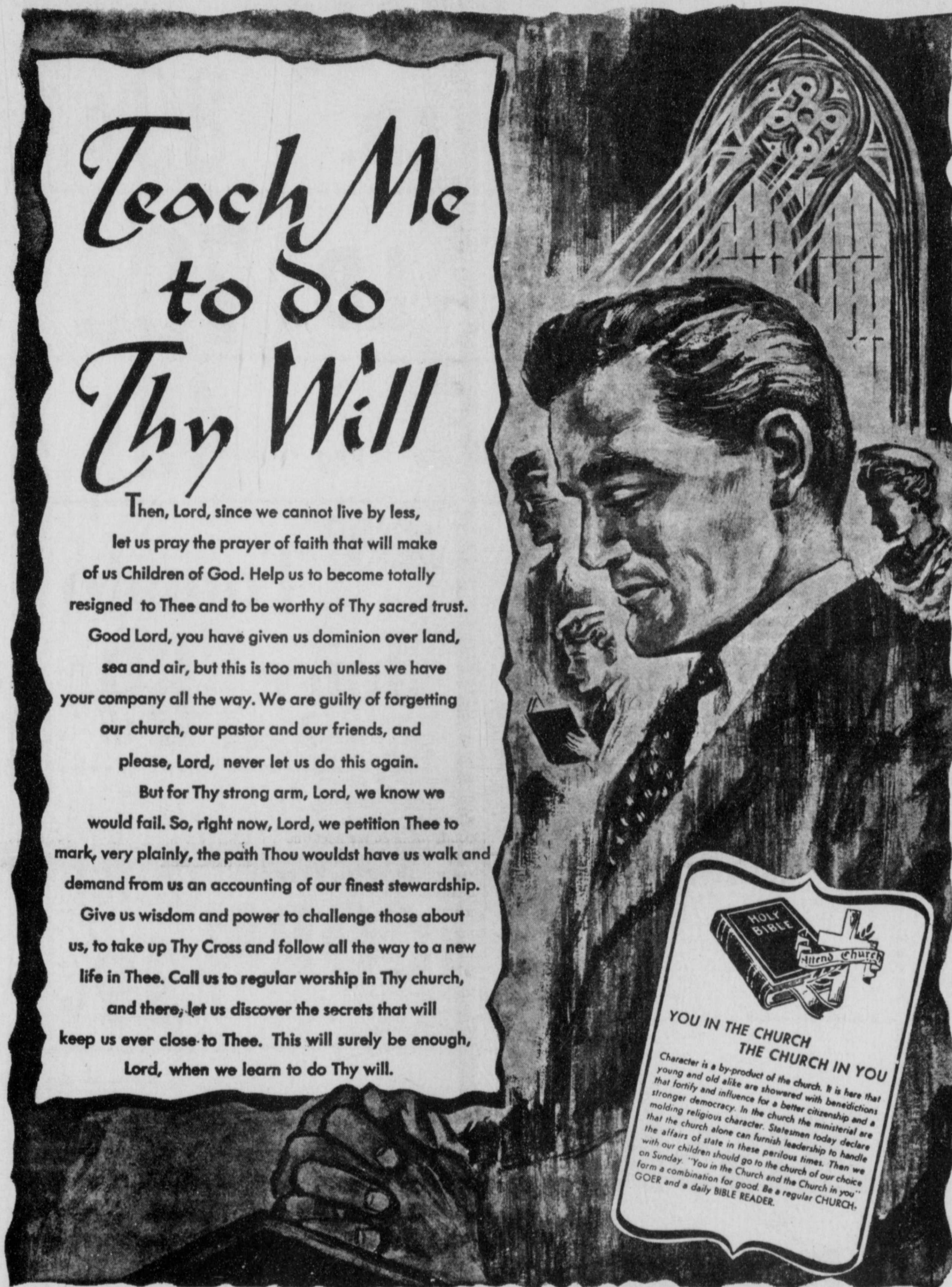
ROTAN FORESQUARE CHURCH
Eighth and Genevieve
John Waldren - Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Wed. Night Service - 7:30 p. m.

EL PASO BAPTIST CHURCH
F. E. Healer - Pastor
10:00 a. m. - Sunday School
11:00 a. m. - Morning Worship

HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH
J. H. Skiles - Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship - 11:00a. m.
Evening Worship - 6:00 p. m.
Wed. Prayer Service - 7:00 p. m.

LONGWORTH METHODIST CHURCH
Newton Daniel - Pastor
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
10:00 a. m. - Sunday School
11:00 a. m. - Morning Worship

ROTAN LATIN AMERICAN CHURCH OF CHRIST
Lincoln and Sherman Ave.
Jesse Salazar - Minister
Sunday Bible Classes - 10:00a. m.
Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service - 5:00 p. m.
Wednesday Service - 5:00 p. m.



Teach Me to do Thy Will

Then, Lord, since we cannot live by less,
let us pray the prayer of faith that will make
of us Children of God. Help us to become totally
resigned to Thee and to be worthy of Thy sacred trust.
Good Lord, you have given us dominion over land,
sea and air, but this is too much unless we have
your company all the way. We are guilty of forgetting
our church, our pastor and our friends, and
please, Lord, never let us do this again.
But for Thy strong arm, Lord, we know we
would fail. So, right now, Lord, we petition Thee to
mark, very plainly, the path Thou wouldst have us walk and
demand from us an accounting of our finest stewardship.
Give us wisdom and power to challenge those about
us, to take up Thy Cross and follow all the way to a new
life in Thee. Call us to regular worship in Thy church,
and there, let us discover the secrets that will
keep us ever close to Thee. This will surely be enough,
Lord, when we learn to do Thy will.

YOU IN THE CHURCH THE CHURCH IN YOU
Character is a by-product of the church. It is here that
young and old alike are showered with benedictions
stronger democracy. In the church the ministerial are
molding religious character. Statesmen today declare
that the church alone can furnish leadership to handle
the affairs of state in these perilous times. Then we
with our children should go to the church of our choice
on Sunday. "You in the Church and the Church in you"
form a combination for good & a regular CHURCH-
GOER and a daily BIBLE READER.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Roby
Rev. R. H. Meixner - Pastor
SUNDAY
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Worship - 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. - 5:30 p. m.
Evening Worship - 6:00 p. m.
W. S. C. S. Wednesday - 2:30
Guild Monday - 7:30

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Roby
Elder J. R. Knight
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Schedule of Services
10:00 a. m. - Song Services
every 4th Sunday
11:00 a. m. - - - - -
Worship every 4th Sunday
7:00 p. m. - Song Service
8:00 p. m. - - - - -
Worship Every 4th Saturday Night

WESTSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
Roby
Schedule of Services
10:00 a. m. - Sunday School
11:00 a. m. - Morning Worship
5:00 p. m. - Training Union
6:00 p. m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
6:00 p. m. - Prayer Meeting

SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH
(9 miles SW of Rotan)
Rev. Tom Robertson
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Training Union - 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship - 7:00 p. m.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday - 6:30 p. m.

LONGWORTH BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Cary Peacock - Pastor
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
10:00 a. m. - Sunday School
11:00 a. m. - Morning Worship
7:30 p. m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p. m. - Prayer Service

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
Rotan
Rev. Dan H. Freudiger
Come thou with us and we
will do thee good. Num. 10:29
Through Christian living and
fellowship we will find spiri-
tual strength.
Sunday School - 10:00a. m.
Morning Worship - 11:00a. m.
Evening Worship - 9:30p. m.
Thursday Night - 7:00p. m.

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Officials for the organization this year include Eugene Swenson, president; Carl Swenson, vice president; Mrs. Jimmie S. Walker, secretary; John R. Rice, treasurer. Directors are H. G. Andrews, Sr., Bernard Dule, Russel Crownover, A. C. Humphrey, A. J. Mills, A. M. G. Swenson, W. G. Swenson, Eugene Swenson, and Carl Swenson.

Working chairmen are local citizens interested in making the show one of the best each year, most of whom have served over 20 years in his capacity. Deans of this list are Sam Balz, chairman of stall reservations and Roy Craig, souvenir program chairman. Others are H. G. Andrews, Jr., legal affairs; John

Bennett, grandstand and parking; Charles Brownfield, decorations and concessions; Russell Crownover, lighting; George Humphrey parade; Lowell Longley, publicity; Stanley McKeever, gates and guards; A. J. Mills, sponsors; Gerald Proctor, chuck wagons; Dr. George Pryor, first aid; Charles Stenholm, Quarter Horse show; Carl Swenson, rodeo events; James H. West, tickets and admissions.

Improvements at the rodeo grounds are under way in order that everything may be ready for another big show this year.

Mrs. Joe Taggart, Buzz Taggart and Mrs. Ruth Yarborough, Rotan, visited Joe Taggart in Sweetwater Saturday morning. Mr. Taggart was recently moved from the Veteran Hospital in Big Spring to the new Nursing Home in Sweetwater that is located on Josephine Street at Abilene Hiway. He is improving and would be pleased for his friends to come by and visit him.

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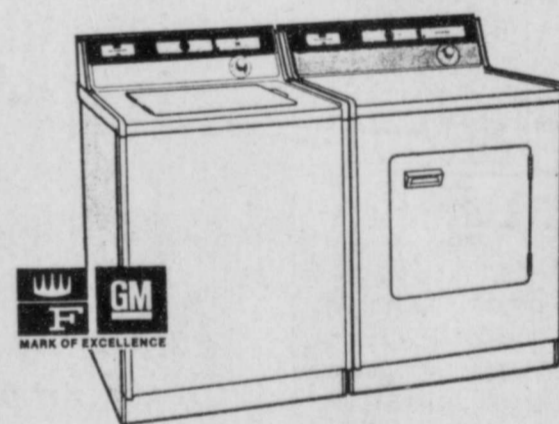
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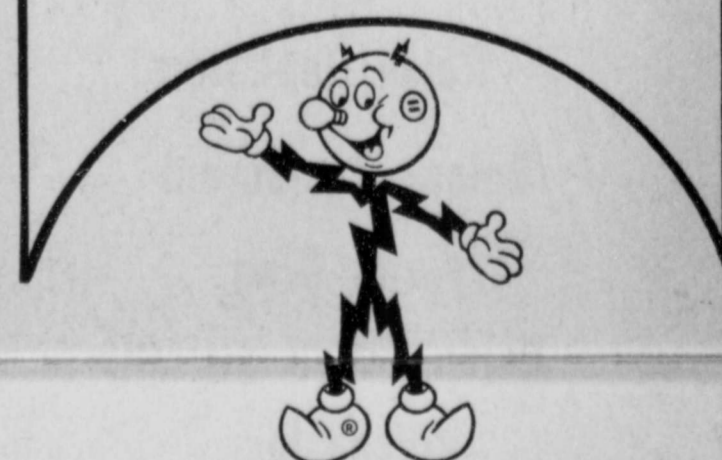
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