

## Editorial Comment

By Kim Pease

The time to make a decision is at hand. In all probability the members of the Fisher County Hospital Steering Committee will move off "dead center" next week and commit themselves to some course of action.

What follows is one person's opinion. Take it for what its worth. First, it does not take a genius to ascertain that the only hospital, presently in operation in Fisher County, is destined to die. It is old and in many ways does not meet the rigid requirements being imposed by the Federal Government and Texas State Health Department.

Therefore, we, the residents of Fisher County must make up our minds to do one of two things. (1) Sit idly by and let the hospital be closed, or, (2) build a new hospital. It's that simple.

The Fisher County Hospital Steering Committee is expected to make a "go" or "no-go" decision next week. They are simply going to begin working toward some unknown end or drop the idea of a new hospital for the present time. Up until this week all that this committee has done is gather information to help make this decision.

They have graphs, scales, charts and projections on everything under the sun involving the future hospital structure of Fisher County.

If the committee decides to "go", they will make certain recommendations to the voters of Fisher County on a new hospital. The voters in the end will decide the county's medical destiny. If the committee decides to "no-go", then the new hospital plan is dead for the present.

The members of this committee represent a cross section of Fisher County. They don't know yet where the hospital will be located, how much it will cost, how the money will be raised or even what the hospital will look like if they decide to go ahead. The first major decision, after all the fact finding, comes next week.

We respectfully urge them to move forward for the continued progress of Fisher County. We urge them to make the decision to build and let the voters decide if that is what they want.

Decisions on location, cost, funding and design will be easier to make after the "go" - "no-go" decision is made.

The location of the Fisher County Hospital, as previously stated in this paper by Wayne Harris, head of the Fisher County Hospital Steering Committee, will probably be between Roby and Rotan. It will have to be close to water and sewer lines and must be on a site approved by the Texas State Health Department. We wholeheartedly support the plan of locating the new county hospital between Roby and Rotan. In fact this is almost a must if we are going to keep peace in the county.

The cost originally had been estimated at \$1,400,000. A revised estimate lists costs at \$1,200,000. A Hill Burton grant is not out of the question but very doubtful at this time. Foundation grants, personal donations and pledges would trim the \$1,200,000 considerably. In all likelihood the remainder would come in the form of voting a bond issue.

At this point we feel the location and cost is secondary to the need. What would the future of this county be without adequate medical facilities? Without adequate medical facilities how can we hope to even hold the doctors that are here let alone attract additional doctors in future years.

We are in favor of a county hospital. We're in favor of it being built between the county's two largest communities. We're in favor of it even if the entire \$1,200,000 has to be financed in the form of bonds.

The time to make a decision is at hand and without reservation we say "go".



DISCUSSING HOSPITAL: These three individuals ponder the fate of the future Fisher County Medical situation. Left to right, E. P. Vineyard, with Vineyard and Street of Austin; Jack Lyon, of Hewitt and Royer of Kansas City; and Wayne Harris, chairman.

## Roby Lions Set Ladies Night

The Roby Lions Club met Thursday, October 26, at the Silver Spur Cafe in Roby.

President Jimmy Price called the meeting to order and M. A. Hughes, program chairman for

that day, introduced Fisher County Attorney, Rudy Hamric, Mr. Hamric discussed and explained the pro's and con's of the 14 Constitutional Amendments to be voted on November 7th in the general election.

## Robert Callan Named New Rotan 4-H Club President

The Rotan Boys 4-H Club met Monday, Oct. 30, at 7:30 p. m. in the Community Room of the First National Bank.

Officers for the year were elected; President, Robert Callan; Vice-President, Monte Morrow; Secretary, Dale Wilfong; Reporter, Dan Burk; Council Delegate, Clay Wilfong; Refreshment Chairman, Tommy Whitefield. The club will meet the 4th Monday of each month.

## Roby Rotan Telephone Book For 73 In Mail

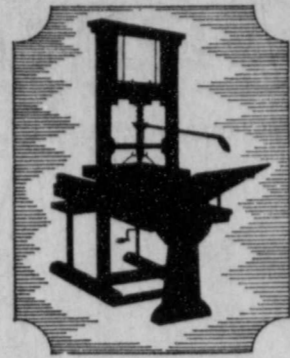
Delivery of the new Rotan-Roby telephone directories is scheduled to begin November 7th. Bud McCasland, manager of Southwestern Bell, said that approximately 2,420 directories will be mailed to customers in the two cities.

The new directory includes 8 pages of alphabetical listings for Rotan and 5 for Roby. The cover features a four color reproduction of a water color ranch scene by Dallas artist, Bud Biggs.

## Book Review Meeting Site

Book Review Club officials have announced a meeting place change for the November review only. The organization will meet at the Rotan High School Auditorium for the November meeting.

Bob Reilly, Colorado City, Texas is going to review a book entitled "Eleanor and Franklin" at the Tuesday meeting scheduled to start at 3:00 P. M.



## Mrs Harmon Holcomb & Dr. Barry Allen Recipients

# 4-H SPUR CLIP WINNERS NAMED

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The Annual 4-H Achievement Banquet was held Saturday, Oct. 28, at 7 p. m. in the Roby School Cafeteria, according to County Agents, Richard Spencer and Mrs. Alice Ballenger.

Master of Ceremonies for the event was Stuart Carey. The invocation was given by Arvinelle Smith. Revis Cauble led the 4-H Pledge and Motto. Terry Posey gave the welcome and Glen

Wilfong introduced guests. The guest speaker, Harry Holt KRBC radio and TV Farm Director was introduced by Mark Guelker.

County Judge Ralph Ammons presented the Gold Star Awards to James Park, 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Park, and Audrey Carey, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alford Carey. Both are from Roby.

Plains Key Awards were presented to Mark Guelker and Audrey Carey.

4-H members receiving awards were: Achievement; Dale Wilfong, Glen Wilfong, Terry Posey, Phillip Cleveland, Agricultural, Clay Wilfong, David Posey and

Shiela Jeffrey, Beef; Judy Wright, Jan Wright, Britt Jeffrey, James Jeffrey, Bread, Lois Ann Cauble, Kayla Tibbles, Tammi Sparks,

## Barbara Mitchell TIP Historian At McMurry

Barbara Mitchell has been elected Historian of TIP Social Club at McMurry College. The club's purpose is to contribute all that is possible to the cultural, spiritual, and physical growth of young womanhood. The aim of TIP is sisterhood.

Barbara is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell of Roby. She is a 1970 graduate of Roby High School and is a senior student at McMurry.

Melinda McGinnis, Clothing, Shelly Boyd, Carol Barrington, Karri Waddell, Conservation of Natural Resources, Mike Herron, James Park, David Gaona, Dairy Foods, Tommi Sparks, Sylvia Gaona, Patricia Posey, Dress Review, Revis Cauble, Leslie Carey, Entomology, Max Kemp, James Kemp, Foot Nutrition; Vanessa Hardwick, Cindy Posey, Rebecca LeBlau, Linda Hoodenpyle, Food Preservation; Julia Posey, Carmen Sparks, Mary Barrington, Home Management; Arvinelle Smith, Horse; Craig Diddle, Genia Terry, Cheryl Terry, Dianne Terry, Dan Burk, Lisa Hoodenpyle, Donna Hataway, Randy Ethredge, Greg Underwood, Penny Coker, Danny Terry, Mike Terry and Brad Stuart. Citizenship, Stuart Carey; Sheep, Lyndol Underwood; Swine; Britt Stuart, Pub-

lic Speaking; Audrey Carey, Veterinary Science, Mark Guelker.

Leader awards were presented by James Park and Audrey Carey. Five year pins were presented to Mrs. Ted and Posey and Mrs. Keifer Cauble; 10 year pins to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cleveland; 15 year pins to Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Schubert. Alumni awards were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jeffrey, Mrs. C. D. Herron and Charles Church.

Spur clip awards were presented to Dr. Barry Allen of Rotan and Mrs. Harmon Holcomb, Jr., of Roby.

The banquet was sponsored by Citizens State Bank and Midwest Electric Cooperative of Roby. Spur clip awards were sponsored by First National Bank of Rotan. Programs were courtesy of Farmers Union Cooperative of Roby, 140 4-H'ers, leaders, and friends attended the banquet.

## Jen Holcomb Is President Of Roby Choir

The Roby High School Choir elected officers on October 25. They are: Jen Holcomb, President; Linda Lawlis, Vice-President; Audrey Carey, Sec.-Treas; and Susan Deaton, Reporter.

The Choir, directed by Mrs. Ruth Davis, has been working on a selection of Christmas songs for their Christmas Concert in December.

## Roby IF Plans Remodeling

The Roby Industrial Foundation has announced they will soon begin remodeling the front of the old buildings in downtown Roby, to make for a better appearance.

Several organizations will be helping with this "Outstanding Project". They are: the Roby Lions Club; donations of material by Roby Fiberglass; and the Roby Garden Club is to be asked if they will help make the vacant lot between the Roby Flower Shop and Noles Drug a more presentable place by planting shrubbery and flowers. They will also tear the front off the old Roby Theatre and make it a more presentable place. Everyone in Roby is asked to help make this tribute more successful by helping these persons out.



Mrs. Harmon Holcomb



Dr. Barry Allen

## Horace Carter To Head Farm Bureau

Horace Carter was re-elected President of the Fisher County Farm Bureau in a Directors meeting following the Annual Convention. Glenn Copeland was elected to serve as Vice-President with Glen Gruben as Treasurer. Mrs. Horace Carter again will serve as Secretary of the Board.

Delegates to the State Farm Bureau Convention in Houston, November 13-15 will be Glenn Copeland, Glen Gruben, Alton Smith and Odell Rains, along with the President.

Several new services for members will start November 1. Included in these will be the Property Protection Program, Bail Bond Service, and an Accidental Death Insurance. The benefits under the accidental death program include \$1000

for the member \$1000 for his spouse and \$500 for each unmarried child under 19. These and all other services are included in the \$17.50 annual membership fee. Other services are being studied by the Directors and may become a reality before the year ends.

## Ruby Clegg At Oklahoma State

Ruby Frances Clegg of Rotan, a graduate student of Oklahoma State University, is among 18,213 students enrolled on the Stillwater campus this fall.

By classes there are 3,668 freshmen, 3,652 sophomore, 3,689 juniors, 4,083 seniors, 2,941 graduate students and 180 special and unclassified students.

# Hammers Nail Merkel In 54 Point Scoring Bonanza

"Every player on the Rotan squad walked away from the Merkel game with a dirty uniform, and that's good", remarked an ardent Yellowhammer fan after the 54-6 shellacking of the Badgers.

It must have been one of the greatest games this year for the Hammers, as they upped their district record to 2-1-1 and nailed down fourth place in district competition behind Baird, Wylie and Albany.

Bruce Jones, Mike Cade, Neal Summers, William Duke, David Markham, William Cleveland.

Jack McCall, Bub Allen, Joe Murphree, Marsh Hill and Earl Pearson started offensively against the winless Badgers. The fumble bug bit William Duke on Rotan's first possession as Duke and the "pigskin" separated at the Merkel 5 yard line.

On Merkel's first possession Duke blasted Jeff Cox for a 1 yard loss, a second down pass fell incomplete and on 3-11 from their own 30 Merkel tried a "quick kick". Ken Smith, Morris Womack, and Clay Helms charged the kicker but the play was called back on account of

a Merkel lineman crossing the line of scrimmage. The Badgers successfully punted on the following fourth down play and speedy Ken Smith rambled from his own 45-yard line to the Merkel 32 before being stopped.

Neal Summers picked up one yard over left guard and with 2-9 from the 31 David Markham followed downfield blocks by William Duke and Neal Summers to put Rotan's first points on the board. Duke's run on the PAT made the score 8-0.

On Merkel's next possession David Markham and Morris Womack stopped Merkel's Albert Castillo for no gain and two incomplete passes by Steve Teaff set up another punting situation. Rotan drove from their own

## Rotan Students To Finish By 2:30 On Friday

All Rotan grades will dismiss by 2:30 Friday afternoon, Nov. 3, according to Principal Neil Wright.

Parents are advised that all buses will make their regular runs beginning at 2:30. This is necessary in order to get the buses back in time to transport the band and football team to Baird.

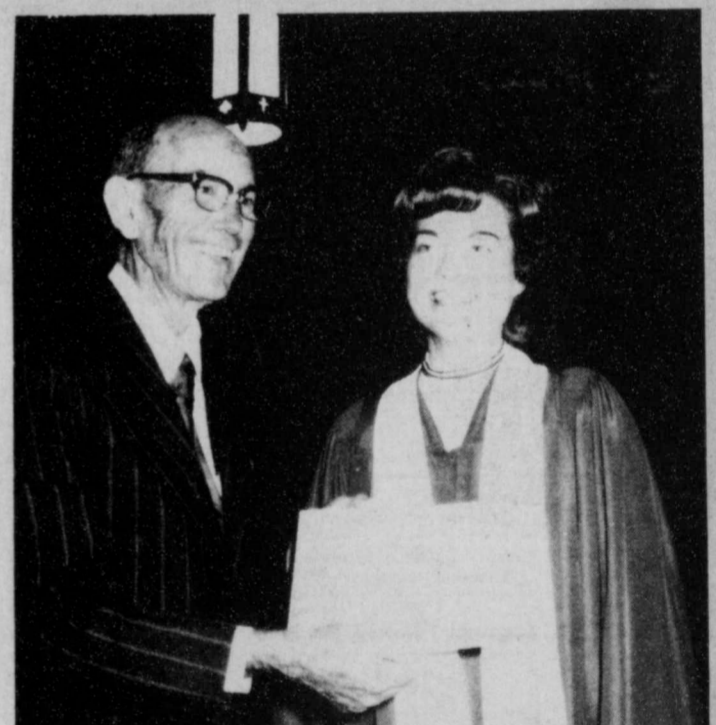
## R.D. Terry New Policy Delegate To TFC Meet

R. D. Terry of Roby will be in Waco on November 13 and 14 to participate in preparing a rough policy draft for consideration by delegates attending the 69th annual Texas Farmers Union State convention. The farm organization's annual convention will be held at the Inn of the Six Flags in Arlington on December 7-9. At that time, the rough policy draft will be given thorough consideration by delegates representing approximately eighty Texas counties. The Program Drafting Committee on which Terry serves is charged with the responsibility of compiling classifying, as well as organizing the resolutions

which have poured in from annual meetings held by TFU chartered counties during the fall months.

Terry and his wife Lois have three children and are active farmers in Fisher County. Terry farms 850 acres, of which cotton and milo are his principle crops, as well as running a beef cattle operation. He is active in the local Farmers Union organization as well as the Church of Christ. He is the son of Mrs. Ophelia Terry of Roby.

Due to election night, the regular singing at Crestview has been changed to Monday, Nov. 6, at 7:30.



MUSIC DIRECTORS CERTIFICATE: Mary Ann Marshall, right, received a Music Directors Certificate during morning worship services last Sunday from Rev. Albert Cooper, pastor of Rotan First Methodist Church.

## Mary Ann Marshall Presented Music Directors Certificate

Mary Ann Marshall was presented a Music Directors Certificate in the morning worship service at the Rotan First Methodist Church last Sunday.

The certificate was presented by Rev. Albert Cooper on behalf of the Board of Education of the Northwest Texas Annual Conference, South Central Jurisdiction of the United Methodist Church.

A cover letter accompanying the certificate read as follows: "Enclosed is a Certificate showing that you are now a Director of Music in the United Methodist Church. This is a very notable achievement and we want to extend to you our very warmest congratulations. I'm sure that the members of the Conference COUNCIL ON MUSIC will be and the members of the Board of Education join me in congratulating you." The letter was signed by H. Doyle Ragle, Annual Conference Director of Education.

Mary Ann Marshall holds a Bachelor of Music Degree in Music Education from Texas Tech University and presently has completed 12 hours at Abilene Christian College toward her Master Degree.

She has been involved in the musical facet of the Methodist Church for several years, starting at the Saint Andrews By The Sea Methodist Church in San Clemente, California, followed by service at the First Methodist Church in Brady, Texas. She was involved in leadership of the Junior and Adult Choirs at both Churches. Mary Ann Marshall has been involved in all phases of the musical ministry at the First United Methodist Church in Rotan for the past six years.

She is presently teaching in the elementary school at Hobbs, She and her husband, Dr. Jerry Marshall, have one daughter, Jerilyn in the Rotan Primary School.



DEMOLISHED COURT HOUSE: Wrecking crews put the finishing touches on the old Fisher County Court House last Monday.

# FISHER COUNTY REACTION

## THIS WEEKS QUESTION

What qualities do you consider most important when choosing a candidate?



Ben V. Ramon, Roby

I think the most important qualities for a candidate are personality, wisdom and truthfulness.



Randy Murphree, Rotan

I will look for a candidate who has good horse sense-- that just about covers everything.



Mike Goodrum, Roby

The most important qualities for a candidate are intelligence, honesty and responsiveness to people.



Morris Womack, Rotan

I want a candidate who can end the war, work for peace, and who can lead the people but still let the people lead him. I want one who doesn't make a bunch of promises that he can't keep.



Bill Duke, Rotan

I will look for a strong conservative who is for the working class of people.



Robert Morgan, Roby

I look for a person who is broad minded about issues, has a good background, and with experience to do the job he is running for.

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100 FT ROLL **31¢**

KEITH 1 1/4# FROZEN  
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PKG **39¢**

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**\$1.25**

**Gandy's PURE ICE CREAM** 1/2 GAL  
**69¢**

**Wishbone 8 oz Italian Dressing**  
**39¢**

ALCOA **Wrap Foil**  
Reg 25 Ft Roll **39¢**

**Wood Preen**  
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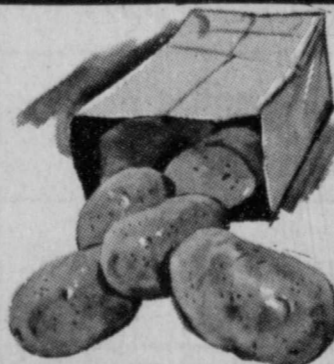
**Bananas**  
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THIS IS GRASS: Department of Public Safety officer Carl Reece shows Mrs. Whit Clark, Rotan Classroom Teachers Association Program Chairman, a sample of confiscated marijuana. This took place at last Monday's teacher drug lecture.

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Kim's Korner

By Kim Pease

A PLAY ON WORDS: I was in the grocery store last week and overheard a young lad just bubbling over the fact that he had conquered the art of working a yo-yo. The boy was Brian Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Smith. Brian was explaining to one of the clerks that he could "yo the yo-yo". There is a certain 4 year old boy in my family that describes the art of roasting marshmallows as "marshing marshmallows". Leave it to the youngsters to completely get our complicated English language back to basics.

FIRST PLACE AWARD: Bob Cave, son of Mrs. Ruby Cave, won first place with a wood carving at the Texas State Fair in Dallas last month. His carving won a blue ribbon, some cash money and was whittled from a Fisher County Mesquite stump.

What the fool does in the end the wise man does in the beginning.

COURT HOUSE: The old Fisher County Court House is history now. Nothing remains but a pile of busted bricks and debris. Erection of the new facility is expected to begin in the very near future.

CHANGE OF COMMAND: Fisher County Judge Ralph Ammons relinquishes the reign of Fisher County Judge to Dwight Lovett this month. Election day is November 7th and after votes are canvassed at the regular meeting of the Fisher County Commissioners Court on November 13. Dwight Lovett will be "The Judge".

MASS REMODELING: Some of the construction in progress in Fisher County is... a new addition on Hayes Food Store in Roby, Tom Collins is remodeling the front of his laundry in Rotan, Glen Holt is adding a new section to Glen's Thriftway, Jessie Ray Hicks is remodeling the old cafe building next to Atwell Cleaners.

PROGRESS REPORT: Bill Day was rushed to the Callan Hospital early Sunday morning and spent over 3 hours in the operating room Monday night. He has our prayers and wishes for a speedy recovery.

PICTURE OF THE WEEK: Terry Lou Posey was featured in the "Picture of the Week" sponsored by Hallmark Studio last Sunday. Terry is a senior at Roby High School, active in school projects and an outstanding 4-H individual. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Posey, and grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Max Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Posey.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: Many of us spend half our time wishing for things we could have if we didn't spend half our time wishing.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Rotan, Texas Jerry Berry, Minister Bible Study - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 10:30	CROSS ROADS BAPTIST 6 miles SW of Rotan Rev. Ross Anderson, Pastor Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Worship - 11:00 a.m.	FIRST UNITED METHODIST Roby, Texas Rev. S. Homer Salley, Pastor Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Worship - 11:00 a.m.	HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH Hobbs Community J. H. Skiles, Pastor Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Worship - 11:00 a.m.	ROTAN FOURSQUARE CHURCH Eighth and Genevieve John Waldren, Pastor Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Worship - 11:00 a.m.	EL PASO BAPTIST CHURCH South of Roby F. E. Healer, Pastor Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Worship - 10:00 a.m.
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FIRST UNITED METHODIST  
Rotan, Texas  
Albert W. Cooper, Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Worship - 10:30 a.m.

HIGHLAND HOME BAPTIST  
Rotan, Texas  
Joe R. Edwards, Pastor  
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

CHURCH OF NAZARENE  
Rotan, Texas  
H. D. Williams, Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Worship - 10:40 a.m.

SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH  
Sylvester, Texas  
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Night - 7:00 p.m.

SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH  
9 miles SW of Rotan  
Rev. Bob Camerson, Pastor  
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD  
Rotan, Texas  
Rev. Earl Cravens  
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.  
Church - 11:00 a.m.  
Night Services - 5:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Rotan Latin American  
Bible Class - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
Roby, Texas  
Rev. Charles Whitlock, Pastor  
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST  
Sylvester, Texas  
Morning Worship - 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.  
Monthly Prayer Meeting

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH  
Rotan, Texas  
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

center of life

At our house bedtime reading ranges from the "just so stories" to the encyclopedia, from "Mary Poppins" to the Bible, depending upon Billy's interest.

And always there are the questions. "How high are the stars, Daddy?" "Where did the dinosaurs go?" "Daddy, did Adam love Eve?" "What makes electricity spark?"

How challenging to watch the alert mind of a youngster mature! I know I'll have to keep on my toes with new ideas in every field, if I want answers for Billy as his questions grow more profound.

Of one thing I am confident, the age-old truths of my church and the Bible never change. Integrity, responsibility and the love of God are a source of strength now as in every age. I have no qualms about teaching my son that God's Church is the center of a man's life.



Scriptures selected by the American Bible Society



Sunday  
Nehemiah 2:11-20  
Monday  
I Chronicles 22:1-12  
Tuesday  
Ezra 10:1-5  
Wednesday  
Isaiah 25:1-8  
Thursday  
Jeremiah 1:1-10  
Friday  
Ezekiel 2:1-7  
Saturday  
Daniel 6:10-23



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Mrs Edd Carter Enjoys Gardening.....

Roby Garden Club Charter Member

--By Della Baird  
 Mrs. Edd Carter is an enthusiastic booster of Roby Garden Club of which she is a Charter Member.  
 Mrs. Carter, in speaking of the Club, said, "It was organized in 1958 with thirty-four regular members, five associate members, and one honorary member. Each year we have had the County Home Demonstration Agent as our honorary member. She helps us with programs and in many other ways.  
 "Roby Garden Club is a Standard Club and has been a member of the Federated Clubs since 1958. To be a Standard Club one must be a member of both the state and national clubs."  
 Objectives of the Garden Club, as stated in the yearbook, are, to stimulate an interest in and a knowledge of different forms of gardening, particularly the building of private gardens, and the general improvement of home grounds, and to promote general civic improvement in this community and its environs.  
 Mrs. Carter stated, "There are requirements that must be met if a club is a member of the Federated Club. These include having regular meetings with planned programs on some phase of gardening. A club must have a yearbook and by-laws based on Robert's Rules of Order. There must be a yearly flower show, a horticulture pilgrimage, and a civic beautification project. Representation by at least one club member is required at a state or district meeting each year. We must also support state and national projects. We do not try to make money, but we do sell Christmas wrapping paper and ribbon for the Light House for the Blind--

mostly to our own members. Other than this we have only our dues. We pay for one program each year in order to have an authoritative speaker on horticulture or a related subject.  
 "Among things we have done each year," Mrs. Carter continued, "is planting at least one shrub or tree on Arbor Day. We did the landscaping for the REA Building, the Community Building, the Golden Haven Rest Home, and the boulevard at the school. We furnished all of the plants excepting those at the REA. We join with the Roby Lions Club, usually once a year, in the City Clean Up project. We also assist non-members with landscaping and often with gifts of plants.  
 "On Pilgrimages we go to different gardens in nearby towns. It is very informal and we never fail to find something new.  
 "Our Flower Show is usually held during the last week-end of April; but if there is a late Spring freeze, then it may be in the fall. For some this is the highlight of the year--it all depends on whether the member prefers gardening for flower arranging. Usually the best gardeners never make arrangements but have horticulture specimens to exhibit at the show.  
 "One important program of our club is working with our juniors. These are the Homemaking girls at school. Usually in March of each year we have a work shop for the three classes at the school house. They enter in the flower show where there is a special junior division.  
 "The Roby Garden Club meets at 9:30 a.m. on the 2nd Thursday of each month, September through May. This year we have

twenty-two regular members, one associate and 1 honorary member. Six of the Charter Members remain active in the club today. The other five are Mrs. Max Carriker, Mrs. Johnnie Ammons, Mrs. Jesse Goforth, Mrs. W.W. Morton, and Mrs. Roscoe Smith. Mrs. Farrest Tefeller was an associate member every year until her retirement from the Post Office. She is now a regular member.  
 "It is difficult to get young women interested in working in the Garden Club because most have family responsibilities that curtail their activities outside the home. After their children are grown they have time for other interests such as this. Any person who evidences a sincere interest in the purposes for which the organization is formed may be eligible for membership by invitation."  
 Mrs. Carter feels that the Roby Garden Club, in carrying out its purpose, is rendering a service to the community. Personally, she finds it a rewarding experience.  
 Love of flowers and trees is universal and as old as recorded time. As noted in "Famous Trees of Texas", God created man in his own image, and "planted a garden...."



Mrs. Edd Carter

Farm Bureau Convention Names Eight

Mr. J. T. Woodson, Texas Farm Bureau President, in his address to the County Convention spoke concerning the new expanded Program for Texas Farm Bureau. He told of several new programs being offered to the membership. These Programs and Services include Accidental Death Insurance, Property Protection, Bail Bond, Income Tax Service, Livestock Market and Automobile Financing. He told about the Public Image Survey made in the Dallas area this year on Farmers and Ranchers. He quoted Dr. James C. Makers, who headed the survey, as saying, "The results of our study revealed that the Farmer-Rancher is viewed on a very favorable light by the resident of Dallas and its surrounding suburbs." A complete copy of this lengthy survey was received by each county.

Mr. Ben Reaid, County Service Agent, stated that over \$100,000 hall damage was paid to members this year, and 85% of this within seven days after the hall.  
 Thirty-two members were reported for the year. Several resolutions were passed by the convention. One to the County Commissioners Court concerning dumping trash on roadsides, and one to the State Convention concerning Water Quality Board membership and Government Programs.  
 Eight directors elected to serve for two years included Horace Carter, Danie Gruben, Martin Warren, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Singley, John Wallace, James Carter and Milton Webb.  
 Other directors now serving in-

clude Glenn Copeland, Alton Smith, Glen Gruben, Richard Posey, Ernest Webb, Odell Rains, and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Weems.  
**Party Planned For J. Currie**  
 There will be a going away party for Jean Currie, Nov. 7th at 4:00 p. m. in the Community Center in Rotan. Mrs. M. G. Polk and Mrs. Freddie Rasberry will be hostess for the party.  
 Jean will have surgery at Lubbock Methodist Hospital in the near future. She will have grafting on her left foot.  
 All of Jean's friends are invited to attend the party.  
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McGovern's Agricultural Record

- Senator McGovern sits on the Senate Agriculture and Forestry Committee, as well as the Agricultural Credit and Rural Electrification Subcommittee and the Agricultural Production, Marketing and Stabilization of Prices Subcommittee. In 1969, he chaired the Senate Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs.
- 1963 -**  
 -S1270--Amend the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, to strengthen independent competition by providing for competitive enterprise in the retail sales of meat, meat food products, livestock products and other food items. Sponsor.  
 -S1697--Establish a Commission on Rural Life to study the changing scope of rural America. Co-sponsor.  
 -S1852--Amend the Consolidated Farmers Home Ad. Act of 1961 in order to increase the limitation on the amount of loans which may be insured under subtitle A of this Act. Co-sponsor.  
 -S1946--Provide for a voluntary wheat adjustment and price support program. Sponsor.
- 1964 -**  
 -S1925--Amend title II of Public Law 480, 83rd Congress, to authorize the use of foreign currencies by the President to carry out more effectively programs undertaken under titles II and III. Sponsor.
- 1965 -**  
 -S598--Amend the AAA of 1938, as amended, to provide for continuation of the voluntary wheat certificate program. Sponsor.  
 -S1126--Amend the emergency loan authority of the Sec. of Agriculture under Subtitle C of the Consolidated Farmers Home Administration of 1961 to authorize such loans in areas where credit is not otherwise available because of serious economic conditions for farmers or ranchers. Co-sponsor.  
 -S1838--Make dairy products available for domestic and foreign feeding programs. Sponsor.  
 -S2229--Amend section 203 of the Public Law 480 of the 83rd Congress, as amended. Sponsor.  
 -S2280--Provide for granting feed grain base acreage or wheat allotment to former sugar bean producers. Sponsor.
- 1966 -**  
 -S2832--Provides for a nationwide marketing order for Chicken table eggs. Sponsor.  
 -S2921--Children's Special Milk Act. Co-sponsor.  
 -S2934--Community Development District Act--Authorizes the Sec. of Agriculture after consulting with the Sec. of HUD to designate community development districts. Co-sponsor.  
 -S3273--Dairy Import Act. Co-sponsor.  
 -S3522--Requires the Sec. of Agriculture to publish and to submit to Congress each year an annual standard reference work combining material on government and commercial exports and impacts of agricultural products and their net effects on the balance of payments position of the U. S. Co-sponsor.  
 -S3662--Establishes a price support level for milk used for manufacturing purposes. Sponsor.

- 1967 -**  
 -S7--Provides for additional price support payments on wheat; provides a minimum for the price support for corn to which the price support of other feed grains is related. Sponsor.  
 -S852--Authorizes the Sec. of Agriculture to bear an equitably proportionate share of the cost of any works of improvement relating to public fish, wildlife, or recreational development. Co-sponsor.  
 -S1322--Requires Sec. of Agriculture to maintain separate accounting of certain funds requested for Dept. of Agriculture. Co-sponsor.  
 -S2226--Cattle Industry Trade Conference Act. Co-sponsor.  
 -S2273--International Agriculture Service Corps Act--provides for grants to institutions of higher learning to develop programs for 4-H clubs and other recognized youth organizations in relation to the world farm and food situation and to stimulate youth to consider a career in international agriculture. Authorizes annual appropriations of \$1,250,000 for the five fiscal years beginning July 1, 1968. Sponsor.  
 -S2617--Establishes producer-owned and controlled emergency reserves of wheat, feed grains, soybeans, rice, cotton and flaxseed. Sponsor.
- 1968 -**  
 -S1504--Providing for loans and grants under the Consolidated Home Administration Act of 1961. Sponsor.  
 -S20--National Water Commission Act; providing funding for a commission to consider more efficient ways of providing water and better ways of meeting U.S. water requirements. Co-sponsor.
- 1969 -**  
 -S644--Authorizes appropriation of \$400 million for special milk program for children. Co-sponsor.  
 -S2014--Provides free food stamps to families with monthly incomes of less than \$80.50 a month. Sponsor.  
 -S2547--Similar to S2014; expanded program of free food stamps to neediest of the poor. Sponsor.
- 1970 -**  
 -S1076--Establish Pilot Youth Conservation Corps; Depts. Interior and Agriculture. Co-sponsor.
- 1971 -**  
 -HR9270--Amendment to Agriculture Appropriation Bill; increased from \$16.1 million to \$33 million child nutrition funds earmarked for school lunch programs; adds approximately \$500 million addition to food stamp program. Sponsor.  
 -S2308--Emergency Loan Guarantee; amendment adding authorization of \$2 billion for guarantees to farmers and small businessmen. Sponsor.  
 -92-167--Increase authorization for small reclamation projects program. Co-sponsor.
- 1972 -**  
 -S3314--Amend agriculture Act of 1949 to extend repayment period for price support loans for 1972 and 1973 crops of feed grains and wheat. Co-sponsor.  
 -S3138--Provides price supports of not less than 90% of parity for milk producers. Sponsor.  
 -S3229--Bill designed to protect the incomes of wheat and feed grain producers. Co-sponsor.

Nixon Administration Farm Record

- 1969 -**  
 -Reduced soybean price support loans by some 30%.  
 -Refused to raise dairy support prices to 90%.  
 -Undercut International Grains Arrangement by reducing minimum negotiated and approved by U. S. Senate  
 -Restricted loans for farm storage and drying facilities.  
 -Cut wheat acreage by 12% but failed to provide compensating increases in supports to offset losses to farmers.  
 -Recommended \$100 million cut in ACP funds.  
 -Abandoned advance payments in 70 Feed Grains Act until after July 1 for book-keeping image building purposes--failed to increase support rates to compensate for 5% interest cost during 1969.  
 -Administration decisions cost farmers about \$1 billion.
- 1970 -**  
 -Administration opposes coalition farm bill.  
 -Administration denies having a farm plan.  
 -Administration demands Set-Aside, lower commodity loans and abandonment of parity concept in '70 Farm Act.  
 -Administration delays special milk program until furor develops forcing announcement.  
 -Administration goes all out to defeat Senate version of '70 Farm Act in conference committee.  
 -Parity hits 67% lowest since depression.  
 -Administration announces '71 farm program, freezing farm income in face of continuing inflation.  
 -Administration frees ACP funds late in fiscal year.
- 1971 -**  
 -Administration introduces "paper parity"--ratio jumps 23% overnight.  
 -President Nixon proposes abolishing the USDA in State of the Union message.  
 -USDA announces '71 Set-Aside program--with world level price supports and inadequate supply control features.  
 -Administration proposes Rural Revenue Sharing providing for local determination for continuation of many critical programs such as REAP.  
 -Hardin first refuses, then yields to raising milk supports to 85% of parity.

- President Nixon holds "Salute to Agriculture" on White House grounds but prices continue sagging.  
 -School Lunch program funds are cut.  
 -President Nixon announces wage-price freeze.  
 -Set-Aside produces largest feed grain surplus in history.  
 -Agriculture Secretary Clifford Hardin resigns.  
 -Earl L. Butz leaves Ralston Purina to take over at USDA--Hardin goes to Ralston Purina in musical chairs arrangement.  
 -Administration announces voluntary additional Set-Aside wheat program giving most advantage to farmers who planted maximum wheat in prior year.
- 1972 -**  
 -President Nixon avoids parity question on national T.V. saying "You can't eat it."  
 -Administration opposes 25% emergency Wheat and Feed Grains price support increase--Sec. Butz kills measure in Senate.  
 -Administration Agriculture budget calls for cuts in REAP, REA, Food for Peace, rural water and waste disposal grants, food stamps, school lunch program.  
 -Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz says he is spending money "like a drunken sailor" trying to prop up farm prices during election year.  
 -After blaming dock strikes for sagging farm economy, USDA announces record exports for 1971.  
 -Administration again refuses to raise milk support prices to 90% of parity.  
 -Administration threatens price controls on raw agriculture products--Secretary Butz says he will fight "like a wounded deer" against Administration threats.  
 -Administration admits consumer price problem stems from middlemen profit margins.  
 -Administration supports bill to take FmIA and REA out of Agriculture Dept.  
 -Administration successful in efforts to kill new rural banking system in Rural Development bill.  
 -Administration ignores new Senate requests to abide by Sense of the Senate resolution calling for price minimums in ICA.  
 -USDA "Young Executives" report resurrects farm program phase-out idea.  
 -Administration lifts all import quotas on beef.  
 -Administration restricts export of cattle hides.

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We are very happy to have a new resident, Mrs. May Day, who has come to make her home with us.

Mrs. Harris is doing well in Callan Hospital after suffering a fall in the Home Thursday. Hope she will be back with us in a few days. Mr. Bickerstaff has been ill this week, but now seems to be doing better.

Visiting with Mable Reese this week were her daughter Celia Waldrop and family of Abilene, Mrs. F. O. Crawford of Odessa spent part of the week with her father, Joe Kersh. Visiting Mrs. Hardy were West Hardy of Roby and Mrs. Billie Norwood and Jimmy of Lusders, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Babb of Sylvester visited Mrs. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. William Hazel of Calif. have been visiting her mother Mrs. Amalie Martin.

Visiting Mrs. Shelley were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Oran Shelley and son.

Among local visitors were Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Polk, Al Polk, Mattie Key, Calvin Crow, Lee Martin, Corilla Turnbow, Ruby Champion, Mrs. Bud Puryear, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kingsfield, Mrs. J. C. Alls, and Mr. and Mrs. Fate Young.

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Why don't you come visit us we would love to have you.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy King of Roby have had as their guests the past several days Mr. Kings brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. King of Ft. Worth; Betty Jo Granger and Lisa Jo of Garbor, Okla.; Glenn King of Robstown; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Headstream of Hobbs, N. M.; and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McCombs of Rotan.

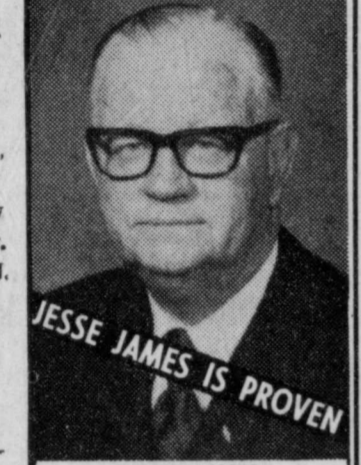
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Grade 7: Vanessa Hardwick, 96.60; Lana Hall, 95.00; Donna Hataway, 93.40.

Grade 6: Melinda McGinnis, 96.67; Karri Waddell 96.50; Lois Ann Cauble, 93.50; Shelley Boyd 92.67.

Grade 5: Tammy Stuart 96.50; Sue Hall, 96.17; Shelby Thompson, 94.33; Jan Wright, 94.00; Linda Hoodenpyle, 93.50; Tina Hataway, 92.83; Debra Stuart, 91.33.

Grade 4: Darlene Harmon, 95.00; Paige Farrar, 92.38; Mark Pope, 91.25; David Stewart, 90.75; Jill Wright, 90.75; Michael McGinnis, 90.25.

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Thur, 26	.05	54	46
Fri, 27	.62	68	45
Sat, 28	Tr	67	50
Sun, 29		76	50
Mon, 30	.47	79	46
Tues, 31	.11	46	35
Total	1.60		

Total precipitation to date:  
October, ..... 4.70  
1971, ..... 27.87  
1972, ..... 25.61

# Why You Should Re-Elect President Richard Nixon Nov. 7

## LET'S LOOK At AGRICULTURE And STOCK RAISING

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- CROWN PIG STARTER
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- PURINA FARROWING CHOW
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### Chris Hubbard Given Unusual Tossed Salad

Members of the Rotan First Baptist Church honored former Music-Youth Director Chris Hubbard with a most unusual "tossed salad".

Chris Hubbard resigned his church position on October 15,

### Roby Junior Hi Cubs Hosted By Freddie Stuart

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Stuart hosted a coke party for the Roby Junior High students following the game last Thursday. It was a victory party in honor of the Cubs for their successful season of 5 wins, 1 loss and one tie. Approximately 75 students attended.

### Rotan WSCS Finishes Study

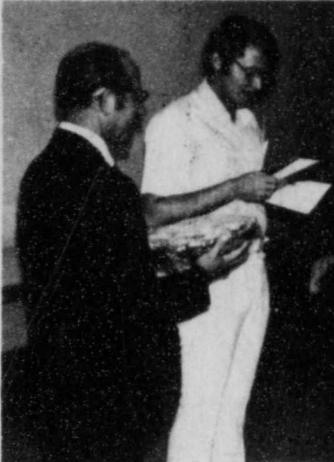
The WSCS of Rotan Methodist Church finished, last Wednesday, a study of the book of Romans, presented by Rev. Albert Cooper.

The study was very interesting and informative. Attendance was good.

and will be attending Hardin-Simmons University full time during his senior year.

He had been associated with the church since May 1971. The members of the church presented Hubbard with a "Tossed Salad" of \$1.00, \$5.00, and \$10.00 bills.

A committee has been appointed at the church to seek the services of a new Music-Youth Director.



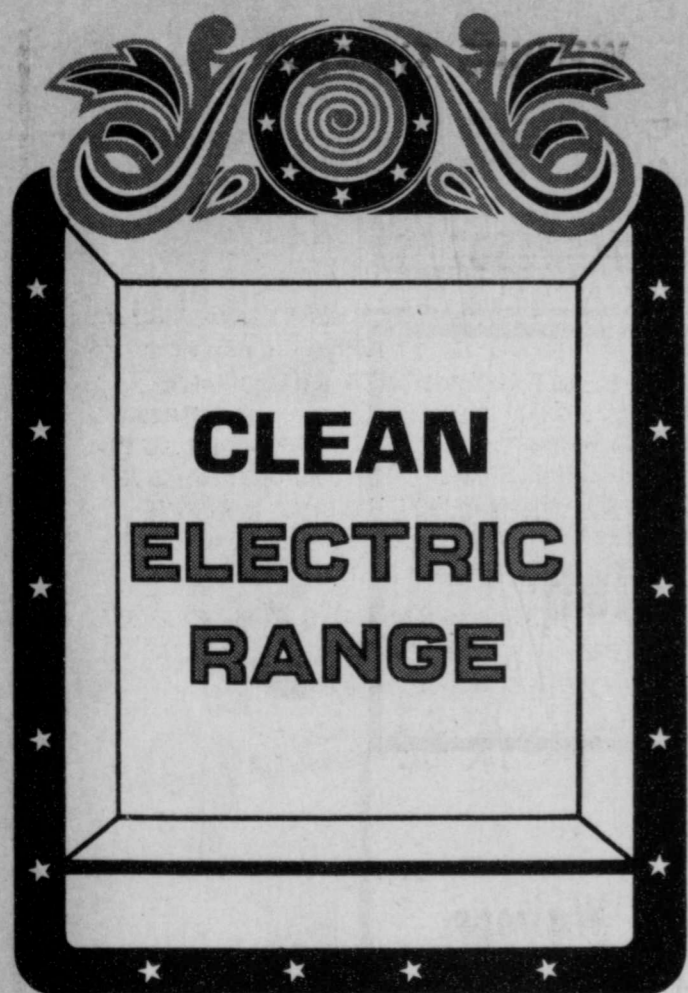
TOSSED SALAD: Rev. Fred Thomas presents tossed salad to Chris Hubbard.

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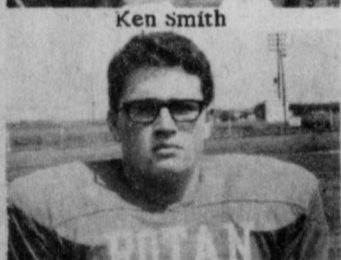
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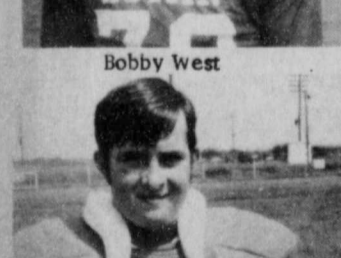
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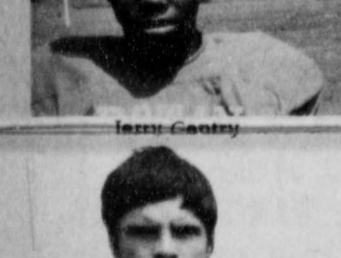
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# FOOTBALL

## ROTAN YELLOWHAMMERS vs.

### BAIRD

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## BLAST BAIRD

ROTAN VARSITY SCHEDULE				
			US	THEM
Sept. 8	Hamlin	T	22	18
15	Anson	H	14	7
29	Spur	T	39	0
Oct. 6	Roscoe	H	30	7
13	Albany	T	6	33
20	Wylie	H	0	0
27	Merkel	H	54	6
Nov. 3	Baird	T		
10	Jim Ned	H		
17	Aspermont	T		

Friday

Nov. 3 1972  
7:30 P.M.

Away Game



Morris Womack



Lewis Yancey



Alan Weathersbee



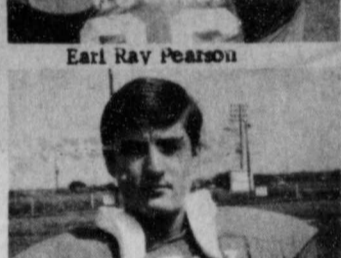
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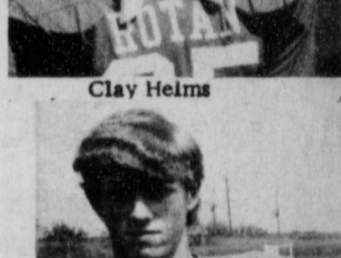
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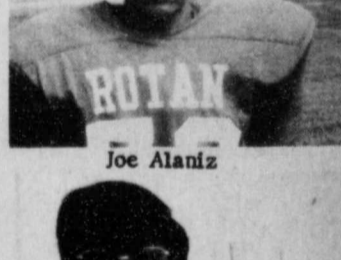
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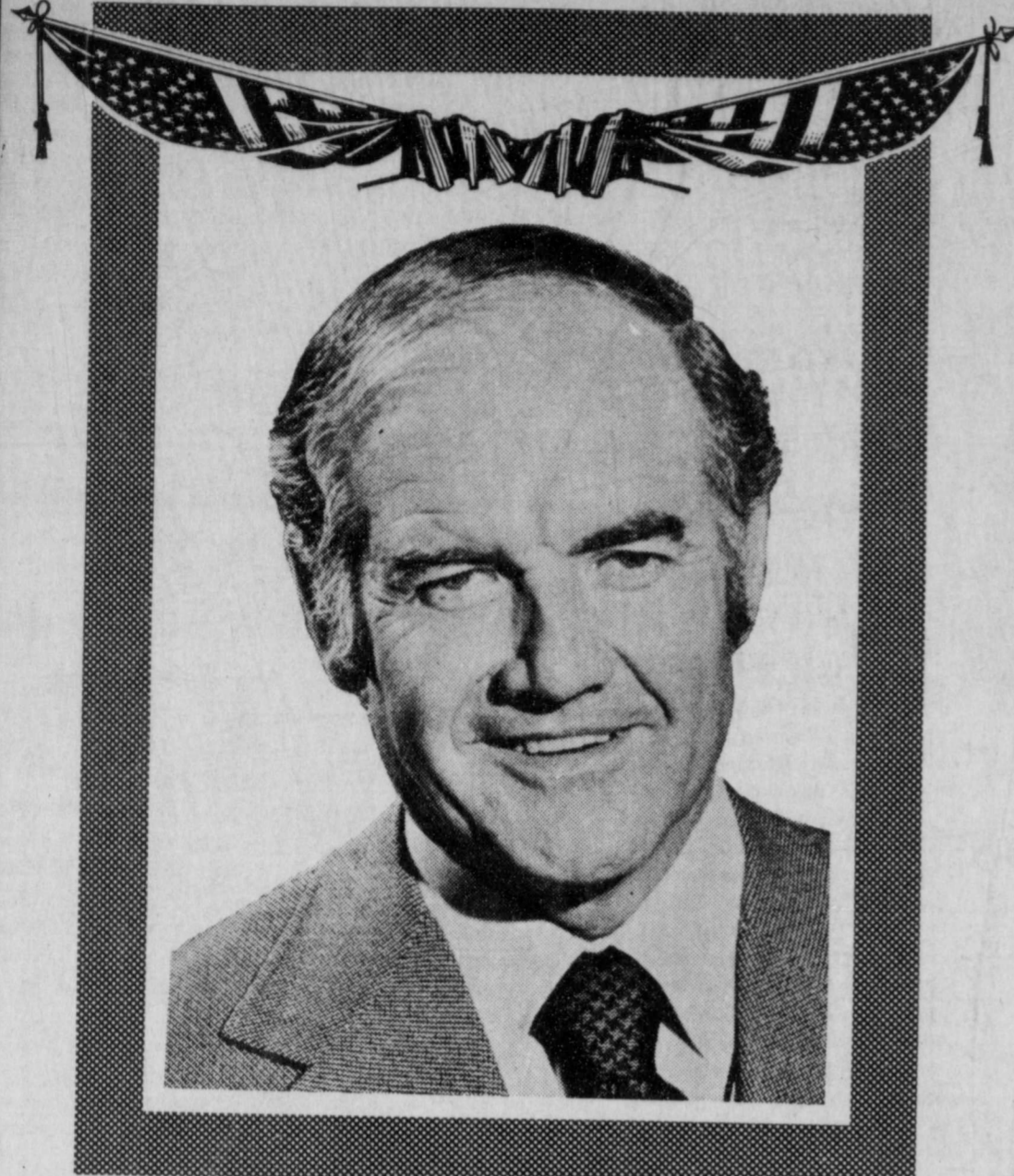
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Lee and Elya Mae Decker  
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Daphene, Dink and Mickey Early  
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Glen and Sandra Holt, Kristi, Kevin, Ken  
Melton O. Jo Ann and Leigh Ann Field  
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Dwight, Irene, and Kathy Nowlin  
Stan, Evelyn, Mark and Dana Nowlin  
Jack, Betty, Bruce and Brent Jones  
Janis and Tom Collins  
Joe and Karen Helms, Darren and David Stevens  
Leon, Bonnie, James and Ginger Duke  
N. G., Shirely, Renee and Ronda Underwood  
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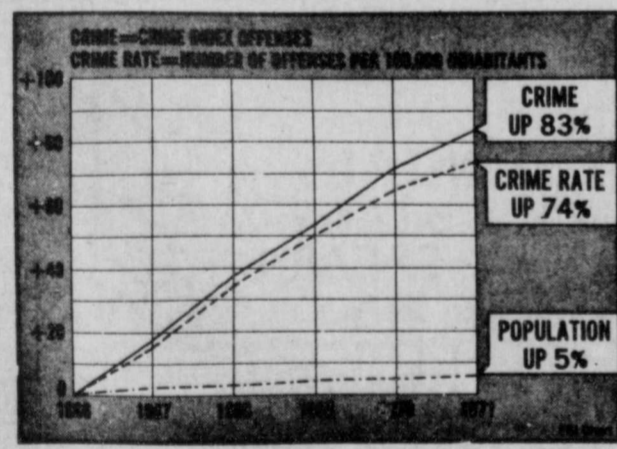
# THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY



## Vote For "The Peoples Party" Vote A Straight Democratic Ticket

### Violent Crime Is Up 38% Since Nixon Took Office

"We have solid evidence that our unrelenting war on crime is being won," reads the astounding statement in Richard Nixon's 1972 Republican platform. But the latest F.B.I. statistics on crime in the U.S. tell a startlingly different story.



If Nixon keeps "winning" the war on crime at this rate, we'll have 8 million major crimes per year in this country by 1976!

#### WHERE NIXON FAILED

- In 1968 Candidate Nixon complained that "only a paltry \$20 million" was being spent on crime research. But for 1971 his Attorney General requested even less!
- 92% of the dollars appropriated by Congress in fiscal 1971 to help local police were still undistributed at the end of the fiscal year.
- Today there are 200,000 more heroin addicts than when Nixon took office. Over 75% of urban crime is committed by drug addicts.
- The H.E.W. program for dealing with juvenile delinquency has been abandoned by Nixon.
- Overcrowded conditions in our prisons make prisoners into repeat offenders.
- In 1967 Mr. Nixon stated, "I have a full program for improving law enforcement." After 4 years in office, that "full program" is still one of Mr. Nixon's secret plans.

### McGovern Means Business in Fighting Crime

Senator McGovern believes it's not enough just to "talk tough." We've got to get tough and smart, and start fighting crime vigorously and intelligently.

#### He advocates:

- A Policeman's G.I. Bill to enable them to get more education for dealing with complex problems and to attract young men to a police career.
- A crack down on drug pushers, providing drug education in our schools, and guaranteeing treatment for addicts who are arrested or ask for help. Three months worth of the bombs dropped in Vietnam (\$1.5 billion) would pay for these programs.
- Stricter control of handguns...better prisons and more true rehabilitation...more police and street lighting.
- All-out war against organized crime.

George McGovern and Richard Nixon agree on just one thing—something must be done about crime in America. Mr. Nixon has had his chance and failed.



## We May Not Be The Perfect Party. But Look At What The Democrats Have Done For FISHER COUNTY.

FOR THE ELDERLY ; THEY GAVE US SOCIAL SECURITY AND JUST VOTED A 20% INCREASE WHICH WE RECEIVED IN OUR OCTOBER CHECK. THE NOTE WE RECEIVED WITH OUR CHECK FROM NIXON IS DECEIVING ; NIXON DID NOT WANT US TO HAVE THIS INCREASE, BUT HE WAS AFRAID TO VETO IT.

THEY GAVE US MEDICARE INSURANCE TO PAY OUR HOSPITAL AND DOCTOR BILLS.

FOR US IN THE COUNTRY ; THEY GAVE US RURAL ELECTRICITY TO MODERNIZE AND LIGHT OUR COUNTRY HOMES.

THEY GAVE US FARM-TO-MARKET ROADS SO THAT WE CAN GO TO TOWN.

THEY GAVE US RURAL TELEPHONES SO THAT WE CAN TALK TO OUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS.

FOR ALL OF US :

THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY GAVE US THE FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION TO GUARANTEE OUR SMALL SAVINGS ARE SAFE IN THE BANK.

THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY IS THE PEOPLE'S PARTY.

### Vote McGovern, Shriver and the Democrats/Nov.7



## Roby Lions Outscored By Jayton Jaybirds

The Roby Lions played the Jayton Jaybirds Friday night at 7:30 in District 3-B action. The Lions went into action without three first string players, but a strong defensive team fought hard to hold the aggressive Jayton team to the final whistle. Jayton won over the Lions

15-0, not scoring until late into the 3rd quarter, running over from the three for a two point conversion. They again scored on the Lions in the 4th quarter making the PAT, to make it a 15-0 ballgame. The Jaybirds knew the Roby Lions were there when David

Clark and Robert Morgan did some fine tackling, and for some reason Robert Morgan seemed after their quarter-back and No. 18 knew Robert was there. Dale Evers led the Lions in some fine quarterbacking, not playing that position for the last three games come on strong,

and it is well worth mentioning that our little #11 Pilar Lujan turned in a fine pass-catching game. Also, Gilbert Brown came into the game, without seeing much action this year, and promises to be a fine quarter-back. James Park did some fine offensive and defensive playing. And it goes for all our team, we are still proud of you and we are hoping for a win against Sands to be played here in Lion Stadium November 10, as this Friday night is an open night for the Lions.

--- By Pansy Hale

### Roby Lunchroom Menu

Roby school lunchroom menu November 6-12, 1972.

#### MONDAY

Beef and Macaroni Casserole, Carrot Sticks, Green Beans, Fruit, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk, Bread.

#### TUESDAY

Sloppy Joe on Bun, French Fries, Pineapple Chunk, Peanutbutter Cookie, Milk, Bread.

#### WEDNESDAY

Meat balls, Cream Potatoes, Pork & Beans, Lettuce, Apple Crunch, Milk, Bread.

#### THURSDAY

Fish Stick, Tartar Sauce, Potato in White Sauce, Peas, Cinnamon Rolls, Milk, Bread.

#### FRIDAY

Hamburger, Potato Chips, Lettuce, Tomato, Brownie, Milk.

## Roby Girls Begin Hoop Season

Basketball play has started for the high-school girls at Roby. October 17 Hawley played at Roby. A good Hawley team defeated the Roby girls 62-37. Roby's B team was victorious over Hawley B 46-38. In the return game at Hawley, Roby A team lost 38-36. In each of the Hawley games, Roby's guards, Jill Laurie, Judy Kiser, Kim Boyd and Judy Wright were unable to stop Diane Beasley. There were times when the guards were effective but not enough. They did show promise of becoming a strong, tenacious players. A guard must be very aggressive and tough to weather the storms of competi-

tion. In the 8 games played to date, one with Hawley, and one with Jayton, Roby has won both against Hawley 46-38 and 46-21 over Jayton.

Monday night, Roby defeated Jayton A & B. The A team won 48-35 without the service of 2 starters, both out with injuries, and the B team won 46-21.

There are 17 girls out for basketball. Players and their positions and classifications are Terry Posey, senior, forward; Susan Knox, junior, forward; Genia Terry, sophomore, forward; Dana Anderson, junior, guard; Sheree Thompson, sophomore, forward; Judy Kiser, junior, guard; Jill

Laurie, sophomore, guard; Kim Boyd, sophomore, guard; Judy Wright, freshman, guard; Revis Cauble, freshman, guard; Linda Reed, freshman, guard; Penny Anderson, freshman, forward; Vickie Faight, freshmen, forward; Ruth Grametbauer, freshman, forward; Donna Goodrum, sophomore, guard; Rayenona McCombs, freshman, guard; Linda Williamson, freshman, guard; Cindy Mash is manager, she is a junior.

The next opponent is O'Donnell in Roby, November 7. The B game starts at 5:30 and the A game at 7:00.

### Roby A Team vs. Jayton 48-35

FORWARD	FIELD GOALS	FREE THROWS	TOTAL POINTS
TERRY POSEY	7	7	21
SUSAN KNOX	3	1	7
SHEREE THOMPSON	4	4	12
GENIA TERRY	1	3	5
DANA ANDERSON	1	1	3

A TEAM	1ST GAME	2ND GAME				
FORWARDS	FIELD GOALS	FREE THROWS	TOTAL POINTS	FIELD GOALS	FREE THROWS	TOTAL POINTS
TERRY POSEY	5	9	19	3	3	9
SUSAN KNOX	3	0	6	7	0	14
SHEREE THOMPSON	3	1	7	1	1	3
GENIA TERRY	2	1	5	2	6	10

FORWARDS	HAWLEY B	JAYTON B				
DANA ANDERSON	6	7	19	0	0	0
PENNY ANDERSON	4	7	12	12	5	29
ROTH GRAMETBAUR	6	0	12	6	2	14
LINDA REED	0	0	0	1	1	3

## Zana Beth Anderson And Joe Carl Ford Will Marry

Mr. and Mrs. Zanna Anderson wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Zana Beth, to Joe Carl Ford of Sweetwater. He is the son of Mrs. Charles Tyson

of Evant, Texas. The bride-elect is a graduate of Roby High School. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Sweetwater High School and is employed by Western Electric.

The wedding date has been set for November 19, at 3:00 p. m. in the home of the bride-elect.



Zanna Beth Anderson

### Roby Garden Club Meeting

The Roby Garden Club will meet Thursday, Nov. 9, at 8:30 a. m. in the REA Building. Hostesses will be Mrs. Rex Kemp and Mrs. Richard Ray.

Mrs. Alice Ballenger will give a program on "Our Friends the Birds". This will be a most enjoyable and interesting program. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

FOR SALE: 25th and 50th Wedding Anniversary Cards. Pink paper, silver or gold lettering. Package of 10 for 59¢. Advance Star Record. Rotan. 6-tfc

### Band Boosters Plan Meeting

Roby Band Booster Club will meet Tuesday, November 7, at 6:00 P. M. at the Roby Band Hall.

All members are urged to attend the meeting.

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### Rotan Chamber of Commerce Regular Monthly Meeting

1 st. Tuesday Each Month 7:00 A. M. Cecil Champion - Pres. Larry Landes - Sec.

## Roby Cubs Win Over Jayton

Roby Cubs ended their season by defeating Jayton 28-6 Thursday night.

The Cubs' first touchdown was a result of a pass play by Roby quarterback Brad Stuart to Joe Green. Stuart ran over the PAT. Leonard Roby intercepted a pass and ran 60 yards for the second score. Stuart passed to Ricky Morton for the extra points. The third score came by Stuart passing to Ricky Morton for 30 yards. The extra point failed. Half-

time score was 22-0, Roby. The Cubs scored in the 4th quarter when Mark Pruitt passed to Stuart for 40 yards. The final points failed. Jayton's only points came in the final quarter on a pass and their extra points failed, ending the game 28-6.

Lena Smith of Roby will enter West Texas Medical Center in Abilene Wednesday to undergo eye surgery.

### Ye Shall Know The Truth

Wardell Halliburton



#### MECHANIZED MAN??

One of the great truths taught in God's word is that man was created in the "image of God;" that he is a moral being capable of moral choice, and as such, is responsible for his conduct. One basic difference between man and the animal of the field or the inanimate creation of the forest is that man can choose his course and respond to teachings of right and wrong. He can choose to respond to the Lord's instruction and be saved or reject it and be lost forever.

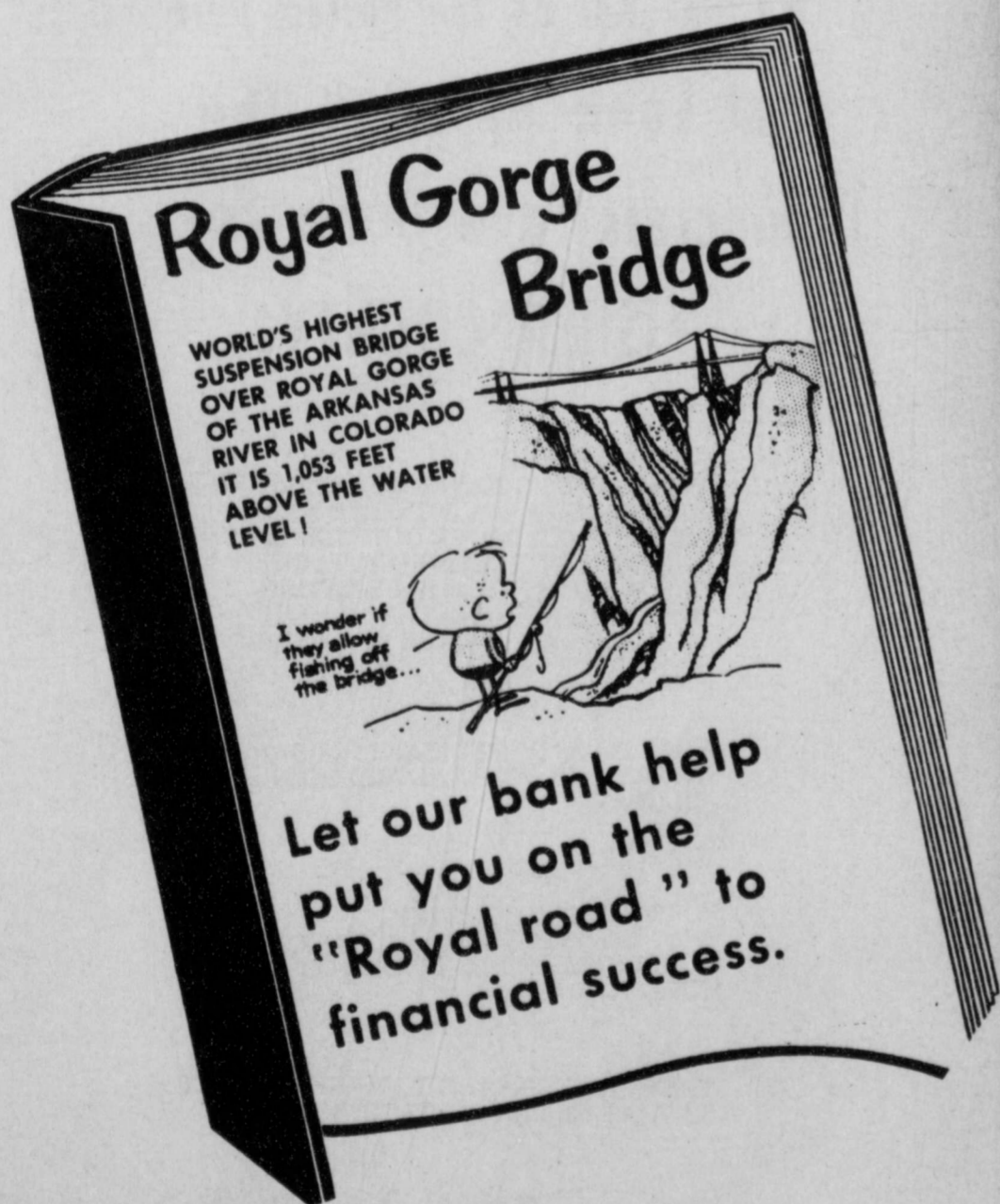
Without the power of volition man is no more like his Creator who is a personal being, but like a machine which, when programmed, cannot act otherwise, or like the inanimate tree in which God's will is impressed, rather than a moral being to whom God's will is expressed.

There are certain doctrines taught by men which deny man's capability of choosing in regard to his soul's salvation. The doctrines of Predestination, Unconditional Election, Total Inherent Depravity and the Impossibility of Apostasy (can't fall from grace) are among those doctrines. These doctrines combine to teach that man lost can do nothing to be saved and that man saved can do nothing to be lost. How different to the Divine teaching!!!

Jesus said, "Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest," implying that every man has the ability to come to the Lord and appropriate by faith the salvation provided by God. The Apostle Paul said, "I make known unto you, brethren, the gospel. . . which also ye received, where in also ye stand, by which also ye are saved, if ye hold fast the word which I preached unto you," implying that the "end of your faith, the salvation of your souls" (1 Pet. 1:9) can be attained only by holding fast.

The alien sinner must determine whether or not he will come to Jesus and the Christian must determine whether or not he will remain with Him. God has not unalterably programmed you for either one.

Church of Christ, Roby



## Royal Gorge Bridge

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I am so glad all of you are enjoying the column, I received a letter from Mrs. W. R. Noles last week telling me how much she likes the column. She says, each week I feel like I've read a letter from home as I enjoy what is going on with our friends there. Thank you! Thank you! You helped me win the contest we correspondents were in. I sold the most subscriptions, thanks to all of you. . . . MR. AND MRS. WILLIE MARTIN have returned from a trip to Las Vegas, Nevada, Mr. Martin attended the United Cement Gypsum and Lime International Union, A.F.L.C.I.O. Convention, while they were there. . . . MRS. JACK PATTON attended the Texas-Arkansas Football game weekend before last. Her daughter, Carol Ann Patton, has moved to Dallas to live. . . .

Visiting MR. AND MRS. CURTIS ACKER over the Homecoming weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sparks, Steve and Melissa from Brownfield. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scarborough, and Brian of Midland and Cathy Allen and a room mate from Lubbock visited MR. AND MRS. ARNOLD ALLEN and attended the Homecoming activities during last weekend. . . . MR. AND MRS. J. C. ALLS and Pam visited Sue Alls in Abilene weekend before last. Recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alls were Mrs. Willie Alls and Mrs. Lena Collins, both of Hamlin. . . . Larry Blakeley of San Marcos visited his mother MRS. JOHNNIE BLAKELEY and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ashton weekend before last. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Larry Miller of Abilene visited MRS. JOHNNIE BLAKELEY recently on their way to Germany. . . . MR. AND MRS. O. C. ASHTON spent weekend before last in Lubbock where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ashton, Laddy, Melody, Landy, and Lindy, Mrs. Trina Rojas and Tiffnie. . . . Visiting MR. AND MRS. EARL R. BURNES recently were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnes of Tahoka and Sam Burnes of Stephenville. . . . Visiting MR. AND MRS. MELVIN CLEMENTS over the weekend recently were Rev. and Mrs. Loren Gardner and Chad, Dawn and Trey of Hermleigh, and Trudy Clements from Cisco Jr. College. . . . Mrs. Ruth Riddels and Wade of Dallas visited MRS. SAM CLEVELAND weekend before last. . . . MR. AND MRS. MELTON FIELD and Leigh Ann spent weekend before last in Del Rio. . . . Visiting MR. AND MRS. C.V. COUNTS over the weekend recently were Mr. and Mrs. Reece Schooley and Shelley of Ft. Worth. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Mack Eastus, David and Matt from Lubbock spent the weekend recently with MR. AND MRS. J.E. COUNTS. . . . Mrs. F.O. Crawford of Odessa visited MR. AND MRS. G. W. CRAWFORD and other relatives in the Rotan area last week. . . . Mr. and Mrs. James Bailey of Friona, W.H. BAILEY of Rotan, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hendon and Brenda of Hawley visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cummings weekend before last. . . . MR. AND MRS. P. C. HARRIS of Rotan and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Snapp have a new granddaughter, named Tonya Louise, 5 pounds, 14 ounces. The little miss was born October 17, her mother and father are Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Snapp of Odessa. . . . Jerry Dean Edwards of San Angelo visited MR. AND MRS. DICK EDWARDS over the Homecoming weekend. . . . Visiting MR. AND MRS. T. B. FOSTER over the weekend recently were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dickson and family of Hawley. . . . Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whitley of Lubbock visited MR. AND MRS. BILL STARNES and MRS. DONA WHITLEY last week. Danny Whitley is home visiting his mother, Mrs. Dona Whitley, and other friends and relatives in the Rotan area, Danny is enroute to Korea where he will be stationed the next few months. . . . MR. AND MRS. HOLLIS SWARINGIN, MR. AND MRS. RODNEY TAKERSLEY and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hendon and Brenda of Hawley had lunch with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hendon Sunday before last. . . . Sgt. Johnny Hicks is enroute to England for a few months on T. D. Y. Johnny Hicks home last week telling his parents, MR. AND MRS. JESSIE R. HICKS about his orders. . . . Recently visiting MR. AND MRS. RICHARD HERRON over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Williams and family of Pecos. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Messick and Tommy Jr. of Blackwell ate supper with MR. AND MRS. C. F. MESSICK, Saturday night before last. . . . MR. AND MRS. JEB M. LONG have returned from a trip to Arlington, Mass. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Long and family-- what they really did was spoil that grandbaby. . . . Visiting MR. AND MRS. JOE KIKER last week were Mr. and Mrs. John Estes of South Fork, Colo. Mrs. Estes is Joe Kiker's sister. . . . MRS. FRANK KINGFIELD has returned from a 10 days visit with Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Tut and family in Houston. . . . MR. AND MRS. LOYS LANDES, and MRS. LARRY LANDES spent Sunday before last in Dublin and Stephenville. In Dublin they visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Landes and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Whitehead in Stephenville. . . . Jimmy Markham was home from San Angelo weekend before last to visit his parents, MR. AND MRS. ELLIS MARKHAM. . . . Mrs. Edgar Patterson of Abilene and Mrs. Roy Nash of Rotan visited MR. AND MRS. GLENN GABEL Sunday before last. . . . Visiting COACH AND MRS. CHARLIE DAVIS over the weekend recently were Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Davis and children of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Langford of Odessa. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Button Lewis and family of Freeport visited in Rotan over the Homecoming weekend. They visited with MR. AND MRS. JOHN SEATON and MR. AND MRS. JOHN LEACH and family and other friends in the Rotan area. . . . MR. AND MRS. WENDELL MORROW and family spent weekend before last in Midland visiting Miss Lois Rogge. . . . Mrs. Odis Watkins of Cooper, Texas and Mrs. Linda White and Rodney of Dallas visited MR. AND MRS. CECIL PARKS week before last. Also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Parks over the weekend recently were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Orr, Mike and Tony of Pecos, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Parks and family of Rotan. . . . Visiting MR. AND MRS. OTTIE POLK last week were Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Odum of Odessa. . . . Visiting MRS. CALLIE SHIPP last week was Mrs. LeRoy Waldon of Abilene. . . . MRS. CALLIE SHIPP and MRS. BEATRICE ATWOOD visited Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Coan and family in Deleon recently. . . . MR. AND MRS. LYNN GIBSON and Todd of Eastland visited MR. AND MRS. L. A. SPARKS weekend before last. . . . Recent visitors of MR. AND MRS. DOUGLAS EATON were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eaton and family of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dyess and family of Roscoe. . . . KEVIN WRIGHT and Martha Campbell of Lookout Mountain, Tennessee visited Mr. and Mrs. Neil Wright weekend before last. Kevin and Martha are students at Sam Houston University. . . . RITA KERSH, student at South Plains College at Levelland, spent weekend before last in Rotan visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kersh. . . . MRS. CARL RICE AND MRS. ADDIE SIEBERT have returned home from Dallas where they visited Pauline Mathies for a week. . . . Mr. and Mrs. John Rector of Menard visited MR. AND MRS. J. A. RECTOR weekend before last. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seaton and family of Jayton visited MR. AND MRS. F. H. SAWYER over the Homecoming weekend. . . . MISS VERNA MAE PITTMAN AND MISS JACKIE HANCOCK visited Jackie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hancock at Tuscola weekend before last. . . . MR. AND MRS. EARL HOLCOMB and MR. AND MRS. FORREST ACKER visited in Abilene Saturday before last. . . . Oops! I goofed, instead of Emory Keener visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alexander it was Mr. and Mrs. Alread at Seminole, Sorry Mr. and Mrs. Alread and Mr. Keener. . . . MRS. CLAUD BAGWELL is back home in Rotan. She has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Scifers in Hamlin. . . . MRS. ROMIE KERSH has returned home from a two weeks stay in Port Arthur with Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Williams and in Houston with

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## Willardene Parker In TNHA Odessa Workshop

Miss Willardene Parker, Administrator representing the Fisher County Nursing Home in Rotan has just returned from a three day educational workshop held October 27-29 at the Inn of the Golden West in Odessa.

The workshop was co-sponsored by the Texas Nursing Home Association and Texas League for Nursing and was directed by the University of Texas at Austin, Division of Extension, Distributive Education Department.

Miss Parker, 17 year old senior of Georgetown High Schools, is one of the nominees for Homecoming Queen. She is a member of the Georgetown High School sweepstakes band and is active in many other school activities.

Gay is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Frost of Hamlin. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Frost. Her father is Superintendent of Georgetown Schools and is a 1944 graduate of Rotan High School.

## Roger Graham On Tech Who's Who List 1973

Thirty-six students at Texas Tech University have been nominated to "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" for the academic year of 1972-73.

Names of the nominees were released by the office of Joy Cox, assistant dean of students for programs. This year's list includes 21 men and 15 women. Twenty-seven are seniors, one is a junior, three are graduate students and 5 are in the School of Law.

The 36 nominees were selected on the basis of academic achievement, service to the community, leadership in extracurricular activities, and future potential.

The nominees include Roger Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Graham of Rotan, senior petroleum engineering major.

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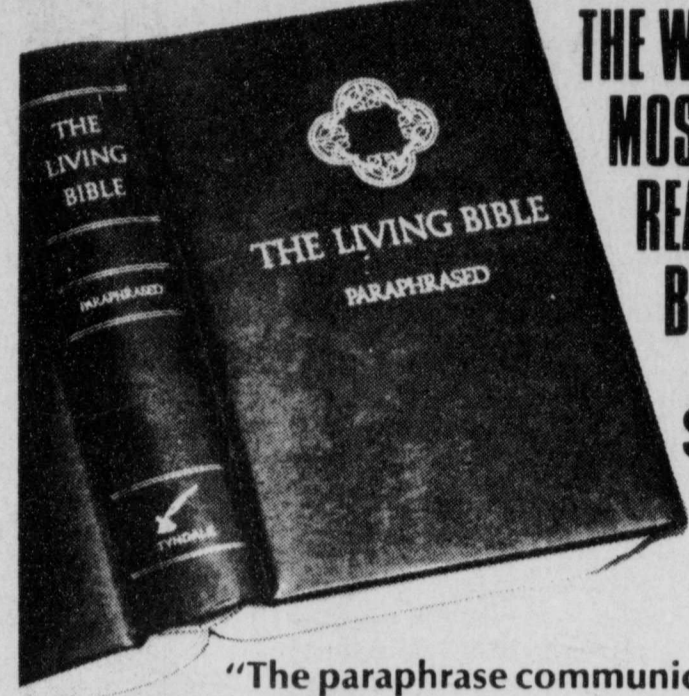
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FOR SALE: 1966 Oldsmobile runs good lots of extra motors and parts. \$150.00 for all. Call 776-2573. 38-2tp

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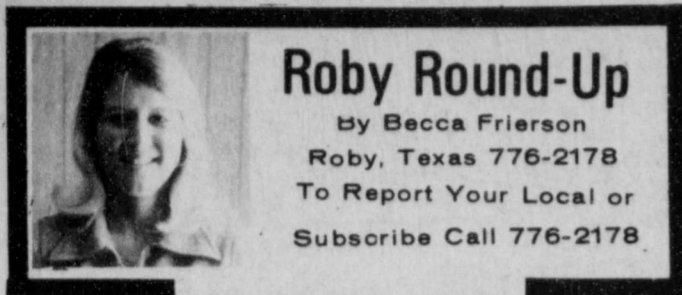
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T. SGT. BILL COMEAUS who is stationed at Dyess AFB is retiring from the Air Force. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Comeaux of Lawtell, La. have visited in Roby last week. Sgt. Comeaux and his wife, Lena, have been living in Roby but will soon move to Abilene to make their home. . . . DEBRA SIMMONS and Terry Younggen were home this weekend visiting with Debra's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Simmons. Terry is Debra's fiance. MONA SIMMONS was also home from W.T.C. She is a freshman there. . . . PATTI DAVIS was home from school this weekend. Patti is the daughter of Mrs. Ruth Davis and a freshman at W. T. C. in Snyder. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Limuel Brown of Phoenix, Arizona have been visiting with MR. AND MRS. FRANK LEACH. . . . ALONZO LUJAN and IRENE MARTINEZ will be married Nov. 4th at 2:00 in St. Joseph Catholic Church. . . . MR. AND MRS. PETE DRIVER had supper with Mrs. Driver's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Clark have built a new home. They are also new members of the Coop. . . . Mr. George Turner and family of Sweetwater and Mr. Freddy Hale and family of Abilene visited MR. AND MRS. FORREST PERKINS recently. . . . Maurice Dry from California visited with his parents, MR. AND MRS. FRED KELTON. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Pete Landers of Padens, Texas spent the night on the 18th with MR. AND MRS. H. GIBSON, they are friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson. On the 19th, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edmiston from Crane spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Gibson. Mrs. Edmiston is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson. Saturday, the 21st, F. O. Pritchard and wife of Santa Cruz, Calif. came to spend a few days. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gibson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Price and Francis Keiner visited also, Tuesday morning Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and the Pritchards drove to Bowie to visit friends and relatives until Wednesday. . . . The Methodist had a Halloween Party Tuesday night at 7:00. . . . Tina Rodriguez, Rita Alvarado, Mary Lopez and Helen Galon hosted a birthday party Friday evening for BASILIA ORTIZ, MRS. LUJAN and MRS. MAX LOPEZ. The party was held at the American Legion Hall at 8:30. The following attended: Mr. and Mrs. Floy Alvarado and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lujan and children, Mr. and Mrs. Max Lopez and son, Mr. and Mrs. Aurora Martinez, Helen Galon, Mrs. Moreno, Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Rodriguez and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Perales & Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Lujan. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Jake McAnally and Mrs. Edd Kafer visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O.D. Knox and Garland and Glenna Gene Moore over the weekend, Mrs. McAnally is the former Oline Knox and Mrs. Kafer is the former Willa Dene Knox, they are sisters of Glenna Gene Moore. . . . MRS. JESS ASHLEY and MRS. LOU ASHLEY had traveled to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ashley in Dallas and were returning home when they were victims of a traffic accident. They were spun around by another car several times. Lou was taken by ambulance to Saint Joseph Hospital. Lou suffered a broken jaw. Jess has several large bruises on her legs and small ones on her face and arm but no broken bones. Lou came home Thursday afternoon and is improving. We hope she gets to feeling much better. . . . MRS. LENA SMITH is to have eye surgery next Thursday. We hope everything will go smoothly. . . . A very interesting thing happened in Roby Sunday morning. A man named Richard Gardenour from Dallas was at the Mobil with a trailer full of pigeons. Mr. Gardenour hauls the pigeons for three different Racing Pigeon Clubs in Dallas. They are the Mesquite Pigeon Racing Club, Dallas Racing Pigeon Club and Farmers Branch Racing Pigeon Club, in these 3 clubs he had 56 shippers. He had 600 pigeons Sunday but usually carries more when it is good weather. These birds were young birds and some came from Japan and England. These birds are priced from \$25 to \$150. They have a white build-up on their bill that is not on a common pigeon. They young pigeons Sunday had only been trained 100 miles and from Roby to Dallas it is 200 air miles. They train these homing pigeons at 25 miles, 50 miles, then 100. The young pigeons are never raced more than 300 miles. The older pigeons are raced 600 miles. They take the pigeons out 2 and 3 times a week for training. Each bird has a steel identification band on one leg. This band is registered so that if a bird is lost or hurt you can call one of these clubs and they can tell you what club and its owner. The birds also have a rubber band that identifies the club it belongs to. As these birds come to the finish line they take the rubber band off and clock the time it arrived on a bottle holding the gander. Mr. Gardenour released the first 300 birds at 8:00 and the second 300 at 9:00. He said the pigeons traveled at 60 miles per hour and would reach Dallas in approximately 4 hours. The first bird to come in would win \$100. The birds hadn't been fed but he said they would not stop to eat or for anything, until they got at the end of the race which is at their homing place. Next week there will be a North Texas Futurity Race at Midland. There will be clubs from Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana entered. Mr. Gardenour explained, "these pigeons' eyesight is fantastic, I'm not sure just what the distance is but at least 50 miles and possibly farther." The birds stormed out of the 2000 pound trailer and flew in circles approximately 25 minutes over town and then hit the sky towards Dallas and disappeared. . . . A reminder to everyone to be on hand for the Roby Volunteer Fire Department Turkey Shoot this Sunday. Money raised from this project helps bring Christmas to many that would not have it otherwise. . . . The Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star met in Fort Worth a few weeks ago. Those attending from Roby were Helen Thornburg, Alba Tetteiler, Nancy Clark, Joyce Noles and Clem J. Wilson and Vela Smith. . . . MR. AND MRS. RAYMOND GRAMETBAUR spent the weekend visiting her parents in Denver City. . . . MR. AND MRS. M. T. WILSON of Roby and MR. AND MRS. HOOVER WILKINSON of Haskell attended funeral service for Jack Bedding Field in Mulleshoe Wednesday, Oct. 25. Mr. Field was the nephew of the Wilsons. He passed away on Oct. 22 and was 52 years old. . . . I'd like to thank everyone for the nice compliments on my article and I feel that if anyone has any suggestions to let me know, but for the people who don't let me know when you have news, you don't any room to criticize. See you next week.

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## Rotan Lunchroom Menu

Rotan school lunchroom menu November 6-10, 1972.

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Meat Loaf, Catsup, Buttered Potatoes, Green Lima Beans, Lettuce Wedge, French Dressing, Hot Rolls, Butter, Pineapple Upside Down Cake, Milk.

**TUESDAY**  
Fried Chicken, Gravy, Buttered Whole Kernel Corn, Black-eyed Peas, Fruit Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Honey, Milk.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Baked Ham, Baked Potatoes, Seasoned French Cut Green Beans, Waldorf Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Pruce Spice Cake, Milk.

**THURSDAY**  
Hamburgers, Kitchen Baked Beans, Potato Chips, Cabbage-Carrot Salad, Chocolate Pudding, Milk.

**FRIDAY**  
Fish Sticks, Tartar Sauce, Whip ped Potatoes, Green Peas and Onions, Vegetable Salad, Cornbread, Butter, Orange Cake Squares, Milk.

## NOTICE

**Notice to Bidders:**  
Bids will be accepted by the Fisher County Commissioners Court at the next regular meeting on November 13, 1972 at 10:00 a. m., in the Fisher County Judge's Office in Roby, Texas on the following:  
For an operator to lease the Golden Haven Rest Home in Roby, Texas subject to the following: Lease will be for one year and renewal will be at the option of the Fisher County Commissioners Court and leasee will be required to furnish all lines and all supplies needed to operate. Bids will be accepted on a per bed basis with repairs and maintenance and new equipment to be furnished by Fisher County. Bids are to be submitted in writing to Fisher County Judge, Roby, Texas. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. For further information contact the Fisher County Judge, Roby, Texas. 39-2tc

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For further information contact A. J. Ford, Commissioner Precinct #1. 39-2tc

Mrs. Roy Eaton of Roby is confined in the Callan Hospital for treatment and tests.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Boughman and Mrs. R. W. Bonfio, On Sunday before the came home, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gaddis of Dallas went to Houston so they could have a family get-together. Mrs. Kersh went back to Dallas with them and then on home to Rotan. . . . Mrs. Dan Eckert of Ballinger is visiting in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, MR. AND MRS. MEL MATTHIES for a few days. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Holcomb and family of Midland and Phil Little of Abilene visited MR. AND MRS. JOE LITTLE and Loran during the Homecoming weekend. Mr. Phil Little is a former teacher in the Rotan Schools in the 1920s. . . . Mrs. T. A. Upshaw of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Carlton of Hamlin visited MR. AND MRS. DALLAS NEAL last week. . . . Welcome back to town BOBBY, JEAN AND CANDI HAYES, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes and Candi now live on Johnston St. in our town. . . . MR. AND MRS. HAROLD GRUBEN have moved into the Jim Hayes home. . . . MR. AND MRS. GLEN STRICKLAND and family attended the State Fair of Texas in Dallas recently. . . . Visiting MRS. G. D. WELCH last week were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith of Snyder. . . . MR. AND MRS. DONALD RUARK received some welcome news last Saturday. They have a new niece, Annett Fogle, born Oct. 27, 1972, weight 7 lbs. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Fogle of Bossier City, La. . . . HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Cathy Jones, Donna Gruben, Glen Gruben, Lynda Cleveland, Mrs. Bobby Yates, Garvis Hinson, Beet Clements, Thelma McDonald, Charlie Alls, LaDonna Teichelmann Mrs. Joe Roberts, Mary Dossey, Dean Hudgins, Rhonda Underwood, Genelle and Luther Summers. . . . Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Martinez and Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Callan on their wedding anniversaries. . . . MR. AND MRS. MACK BLAIR have returned from a two weeks vacation at Falcon in South Texas. . . . MR. AND MRS. DAVID KLEPPER have returned from a weeks vacation in McAllen. Mrs. Klepper's sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Lee Everheart of San Angelo went with them on their trip. They visited Frank Klepper at A&M and at McAllen they visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Finch and family and did some sight-seeing. . . . Visiting MR. AND MRS. DAVID KLEPPER last weekend was their son Frank Klepper from College Station. . . . MR. AND MRS. J. C. McCULLOUGH visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCullough last Saturday night in Sweetwater. . . . MR. AND MRS. SAM HAMM visited Mr. and Mrs. Foy Acker in Tullia last Sunday. . . . MR. AND MRS. RAYMOND RAINS visited Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Rains in Stephenville last weekend. While visiting there, they went to visit Mrs. Sara Quiett and Mrs. Ora Stanley at Euless. . . . MRS. CLEO NEOLES and MRS. PERRY EATON have returned from Florida. They and two sisters of Mrs. Noles, Madene Yarborough of Aspermont and Genieve Simmons of Abilene, went to Ft. Walton, Florida week before last to visit M. Sgt. and Mrs. John L. Aultman and family. Mrs. Aultman, the former Darlene Eaton of Rotan, had knee surgery and is recovering as well as can be expected. . . . MRS. A. D. TURNER spent last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Waddell and family in Vernon. . . . MR. B. A. KNIGHT was honored with a birthday dinner last Sunday on his 74th birthday. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Knight of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Knight and family, Hurst, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Click and son of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Graham of Lubbock, Mrs. Dovie Priddin of Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Murphree and family, Mr. and Mrs. George McBeth, Mrs. V. B. Murphree, all from Rotan, and Lana Archie of Abilene. . . . MR. AND MRS. R. T. WILLIAMS have returned from a trip through Arkansas, Missouri, and Illinois. Mrs. Williams stated, "the fall colors are out of this world, they are gorgeous this time of the year." . . . MRS. ERA BOEN, MRS. L. G. GOODMAN, MRS. OCTAVIA JONES and MRS. RUBY GREEN attended the 5th Sunday meeting at Munday last weekend. . . . MRS. ERA BOEN and MRS. CLYDE GREEN returned last week from a visit to Elkhart, Tex. with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Soggin and attended the 100th year Grapeland Centennial. They also attended the Homecoming of the Rock Hill community where Mrs. Boen was raised. . . . MRS. C. C. ROACH has returned from a visit to Ft. Worth and Dallas. Mrs. LaVern Vancil of Ft. Worth came to Rotan and got her mother. She visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil in Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Murff and family in Ft. Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Murff of Abilene brought her back to Rotan. . . . Visiting MR. AND MRS. RAY ASHTON and MR. AND MRS. WILLIE MARTIN last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ashton and family of Abilene. . . . MRS. BRUCE CAMPBELL spent a few days last week with Lt. Col. and Mrs. Thomas O. Levens in Abilene. She's back home in Rotan now. . . . Mrs. Altha Pearce of Anson visited MR. AND MRS. C. C. CARTER last Sunday evening. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kennedy and family of Carrollton visited MR. AND MRS. J. O. KENNEDY last weekend. . . . MR. AND MRS. C. C. CARTER visited Mr. and Mrs. Art Carter at Santa Anna last Saturday. They had a fish fry honoring Mrs. Carter who had a birthday Saturday. Those attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Singley, Mr. and Mrs. Odell McQueen, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McQueen and family, all of Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Lynn Carter of San Antonio and Roy Carter from Howard Payne at Brownwood. . . . MR. AND MRS. DALLAS NEAL and family went to Brady last weekend and visited Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Smith, Kathy and Craig. . . . Visiting MARY LOU GOODWIN this past Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Goodwin from Guthrie; Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hull; Eula Mae, Reva Jo, Brenda, Mike and Kathy Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hull and Shannon, Mrs. D. L. Goodwin, James and Todd and Mary B. Hull all of Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farrar from Roby and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. 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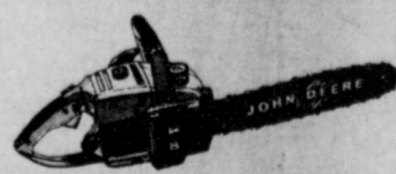
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Well here we are again and another wet week has gone by, and it seems as though its never going to quit raining. We had over an inch this last spell and the roads are beginning to get pretty muddy. O well, the pastures sure do look good and the sun is trying to come out this morning. We haven't had many visitors in the community this past week; guess the weather was too bad for anyone to venture out. LEE WILLIAMS spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Williams, ... BRO. AND MRS. J. H. STILES ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Josh Phillips, ... MR. AND MRS. DALE CAVE and MR. AND MRS. CALVIN PHILLIPS are in Fort Worth. They attended an Art Show which was held Saturday and Sunday. ... MR. AND MRS. JIMMY WALKER and Melody went to Breckenridge Saturday to a Junior Rodeo, and it rained all the way down there and all the time during the rodeo. It was sure unpleasant sitting out but the arena wasn't too muddy, although they had over 5 inches of rain during the past two weeks. Melody was sure lucky as she placed 3rd in the Barrel Race in the 19 and under age group and she would have placed 2nd in the Pole Bending but she had the 5 second penalty again for knocking over a pole. It was sure foggy coming home, so we were sure glad to get back home safely. ... We have lots of people on the sick list this week and three of them are in the hospital. MRS. STERLING WILKINGHAM has been in the Rotan Hospital, but we hear that she is feeling much better and may get to come home Monday. We hope that she will continue to improve. ... TODD ETHEREDGE son of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Wayne Etheredge, is also in the hospital at Rotan. He seems to be feeling some better but isn't coming out of the hospital last Friday night, and he has a broken leg. He is the son of Mrs. Eva Soliz and is a sophomore at Hobbs High. We hope that he is feeling better. ... MRS. VIDA BOYER visited Mrs. Sterling Wilkingham at the hospital on Sunday. ... MR. AND MRS. DAVID WILLIAMS have moved over to Rotan and we are sure going to miss them out here. ... Hobbs Junior High football game was at Hemleigh this week, and it was sure a good one. The score was Hemleigh 24 and Hobbs 12. Monday night we played two good basketball games, and won both of them. Miss Peggy Adams is the girl's coach this year and she is really doing a good job. The Junior High Girls score was 31 and McCaulley 21, and the High School Girls won their game against McCaulley 58 to 34. So looks like we are going to have some good basketball this year. ... Well this is about all the news for this week, see you next Thursday. Be sure and call me if you have any news to report.

41-yard line to the Merkel 15 yard line to set up Rotan's second Tally. From the 16-yard line David Markham blasted over right tackle for 9 yards followed by a 6-yard scamper by Neal Summers around right end and the score. Neal Summers also converted the 2 point PAT run with sheer second effort and tremendous balance. His efforts gave Rotan a 16-0 lead with 1:05 left in the first quarter. Bub Allen cleared the way for the third TD of the evening as he opened a huge hole for Summers at the Merkel 30 yard line. Summers started a sweep right then slashed back toward the flag on the left side of the end zone to pick up another TD for the Hammers. William Duke abruptly ended Merkel's next possession with a pass interception that the 200 pound fullback ran back 50 yards for the score. Duke's score came with 7:50 left in the half and increased the Hammer lead 23-0. Just before Rotan's final score of the half, Morris Womack replaced Marsh Hill, Eddie Medrano replaced Bruce Jones and Reid Cave substituted for Earl Ray Pearson. Jerry Gentry rambled 19 yards to the Merkel 6 and quarterback Bruce Jones put the 6 points on the board with a keeper. Earl Pearson's extra point gave Rotan a 39-0 lead. Mike Cade, Bub Allen, Joey Vann, Kenneth Acorn, Bobby Rodgers, Clay Helms, Eddie Medrano, Morris Womack, Frankie Gaspar, Ken Smith lined up for the kickoff by Rotan's Lewis Yanez. Clay Helms, Morris Womack, Donald Bilbo and Reid Cave stopped Merkel's Jackie Sims to set up a 3-6 from their own 36. Joey Vann stopped a sure first down by nailing Castillo in his tracks forcing the Badgers to punt. Bobby Rodgers, Alan Weatherbee, Frankie Gaspar, Jerry Gentry and Ken Smith worked with the regular offensive team just before the end of the first half. Merkel scored their only TD of the night late in the first half. Gentry, Gaspar, Lewis Yanez, Alan Weatherbee, Kenneth Acorn, Earl Leach, Donald Bilbo, and Ken Smith operated the offense in the final minutes of the first half. Clay Helms began the second half of action by nailing Jeff Cox on the opening kickoff. Joey Vann, Mike Cade, Bruce Jones, Neal Summers, Jack McCall, Clay Helms, Earl Pearson, William Duke, David Markham,

Marsh Hill and Joe Murphee made up the defensive team at the start of the final half. Clay Helms decked quarterback Teaff for a two yard loss on 3rd and six forcing the punt. Enroute to Rotan's 42nd point Neal Summers picked up good yardage on a 27 yard scamper then took a swing pass from Bruce Jones and scampered 16 yards to paydirt. Don Aldridge, Joey Vann and Earl Leach made good defensive plays late in the third period, but it was Reid Cave that recovered a Badger fumble to give Rotan another offensive scoring opportunity. Reid Cave bobbled a snap from center that was recovered by Merkel but Rotan's Joey Vann regained possession on an intercepted pass that he ran back 12 yards. Dan Smith recovered a Merkel fumble early in the final period and Rotan's Jerry Gentry electrified the crowd in the last minute of action as he trotted 21 yards for the final score of the evening.

**Karen Coan & S.C. Dooley Exchange Wedding Vows**

Mr. and Mrs. Dueaine Coan of Rotan and Mr. and Mrs. Denis Dooley of Sweetwater take pleasure in announcing the marriage of their children, Karen and S. T. and the bride is a senior at Levelland High School.

**Hobbs HDC**

The Hobbs Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Bill Hardy Thursday, Oct. 26.

Plans for the Thanksgiving Luncheon was made for Nov. 9 at Mrs. L. E. Hardins.

Mrs. Turt gave a report on the Caribbean Tour she made recently. She visited Haiti, Puerto Rico. There was a steel band on ship and she had a record of the calypso music, which she played to the group.

Refreshments were served to one visitor, Mrs. Leona Levens; and members, Mmes. Walter Byrd, L. E. Hardin, James Nettleton, Dale Cave, Connie Turt and hostess Mrs. Hardy.

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**Proposed Amendments On Nov. 7 Ballot**

**Amendment No. 1 - Providing for a raise in salaries of legislators to \$8,400.**

**ARGUMENTS FOR:**

- The legislator can no longer be considered a part-time official. Increasing complexity in the problems of the state government and greater expenditure of time as a member of legislative and special interim committees meeting between sessions leaves the legislator little time to devote to his private business or profession. The \$8,400 annual salary now provides in the constitution a security adequate to meet present day costs of living.
- Many qualified persons do not become candidates for legislative seats because they are unable or unable to resist the financial sacrifice involved in an elected office. The present constitutional salary, raising the salary of members of the house of representatives and the senate to a more realistic level would provide a greater incentive for public service.
- Under the present salary provided, a legislator is forced to engage in outside employment as a means of providing for his family. This is a disgraceful situation and the public interest would be served by a more realistic level of salary.

**ARGUMENTS AGAINST:**

- The proposed amendment would increase the cost of state government at a time when state legislators are already overburdened in meeting the expectations of a growing population.
- Under the constitution the legislator is required to meet on regular session not to exceed 140 days each year. This job of a legislator is not a full-time job and the official holding a seat in the house of representatives or the senate should not receive a full-time salary.
- Because of high campaign costs, a potential legislator candidate without substantial financial resources would still be discouraged from running for office even if the proposed salary increase to \$8,400 should be adopted.

**Amendment No. 2 - Abolishing Lamer County Hospital District.**

**ARGUMENTS FOR:**

- The proposed amendment would promote integrity and better justice by removing the possibility of conflict of interest which could exist in a court in which the commissioner of the district of the state is also a member of the district. The proposed amendment would remove the commissioner of the district from the district and would thereby remove the possibility of a conflict of interest which could exist in a court in which the commissioner of the district of the state is also a member of the district.
- The proposed amendment would provide professional compensation of justices of the peace of the state on a fee basis actually twice over three times the compensation of neighboring justices who are paid on a salary basis.
- Under the present system, many cases are not tried, compounded on a fee basis are not tried, and the justice system is hampered. The proposed amendment would provide the administration of justice by bringing about a reduction in the number of cases appealed and a greater respect for the jurisdiction of the courts.

**ARGUMENTS AGAINST:**

- The fee system of compensation which is now in use in many of the justice courts of Texas has a tendency to encourage greater diligence among the justices of the peace in these courts inasmuch as they depend upon the performance of their duties.
- Under the present system, a justice of the peace may lose some of his independence by becoming subservient to the commissioner who provides his salary.
- A change from the fee basis to a salary basis of compensation for justices of the peace could result in the loss of excellent justices from the people, and if the State of Texas needs a peace could result in a much larger income from fees than that provided by the commissioner's court as a mandatory salary.

**Amendment No. 4 - Authorizing the 1973 Legislator to serve as a constitutional revision convention.**

**ARGUMENTS FOR:**

- This is a real need for a more workable basic law such as that of the proposed amendment, which would require less periodic revision.
- The legislature has not been successful in the function of organizing constitutional revision, the legislative body is the logical choice for responsibility in the preparation of a new or revised constitution.
- Constitutional revision is not a legislative function and should not be delegated as such. A constitutional convention should be called for the purpose of drafting a new constitution or a thorough revision of this basic law, then members of the convention should be elected by the people and subject to their approval.

**ARGUMENTS AGAINST:**

- The legislature cannot and should not be effected through an entirely new document, which is one of the alternatives open to the convention.
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**Amendment No. 5 - Authorizing a tax exemption for disabled veterans and a partial exemption for partially-disabled veterans.**

**ARGUMENTS FOR:**

- Persons disabled in the military service of the United States deserve to be compensated for their service, and the tax exemption proposed by Amendment No. 5 would be a token appreciation from the people of Texas.
- The tax relief which may be granted under the proposed amendment is subject to strict limitations. Only property taxes are affected, and in no case may the total property tax be reduced more than \$2,000. This tax relief is property tax revenue collected by the taxing authority would be negligible.
- The proposed amendment is a measure, having the necessary details of administration to be carried out by the legislature, which could be carried out by the legislature.

**ARGUMENTS AGAINST:**

- The compensation of disabled veterans is a federal rather than a state responsibility. General benefits are awarded to disabled veterans, and the state should not be deprived of income necessary to provide services to all Texas citizens just to benefit a few.
- Several districts and local governments depend heavily on property taxes for revenue, and granting the tax exemptions proposed to disabled veterans would further deplete the source of income.
- Granting tax exemptions to individuals as proposed by Amendment No. 5 would establish a bad precedent. Adoption of the proposed amendment could be but the beginning of other special benefits to exempt persons or classes of persons for taxation in direct conflict with the intent of "equal and uniform" taxation.

**Amendment No. 6 - Permitting local governments on population votes to exempt \$3,000 of assessed value or resident homeowners of persons 65 or older from all ad valorem taxes.**

**ARGUMENTS FOR:**

- Ad valorem tax is the basic form of taxation which counties, cities, towns, school districts, and other political subdivisions depend upon for revenue, and the largest taxes on real estate are levied for local purposes by local governments. Therefore, a general tax exemption does not grant any of the relief needed from the most burdensome ad valorem tax existing in Texas today.
- Texas has a long history of protecting the homestead. The senior citizen who lives on a fixed income is hurt by inflation and needs the protection and relief which the proposed amendment would allow.
- The proposed amendment protects the local government and its creditors by granting the option of allowing or not allowing the exemption and by authorizing governing officials of the political subdivision to continue collecting the tax against the homestead if it has been pledged for payment of a debt and is not needed to provide for the maintenance of that debt.

**ARGUMENTS AGAINST:**

- The reduction of tax revenues of city, school, and other taxing districts could handicap these districts in performing essential functions and services.
- A basic concept in Texas law demands that property taxes shall be equal and uniform, and property taxes in proportion to its value. Special tax treatment for one age group would be inequitable and discriminatory and result in shifting a greater tax burden to all the age groups which are not granted such exemptions.
- Social security, retirement, and welfare programs of today assist those over 65 that need further protection of the homestead as a consequence of disability.

**Amendment No. 7 - Guaranteeing the right of suffrage to all qualified persons in this state.**

**ARGUMENTS FOR:**

- The protection afforded by constitutional guarantees is more effective than statutory provisions and the right of suffrage is a basic right of every citizen. A four-year system of elections would give the citizen more control over his representatives. It is a basic right of every citizen to elect his representatives, and it is a basic right of every citizen to elect his representatives.
- Discrimination exists in many fields, and only a comprehensive equal rights amendment can change completely the status quo.

**ARGUMENTS AGAINST:**

- The proposed amendment is not necessary because discriminatory laws now existing may be repealed by the legislature.
- Addition of the proposed amendment could result in confusion and litigation as to the meaning of "qualified persons."

**Amendment No. 8 - Providing four year terms for governor and other statewide officials now limited to two-year terms.**

**ARGUMENTS FOR:**

- Being effective with the general election in 1974, an off-practical election year, the proposed amendment would precipitate elections for state office in non-practical election years.
- Expenses in campaigning for state office have become so exorbitant as to make it impossible for many highly qualified individuals to become candidates. A four-year system of elections would allow the campaign expense involved, thus making it unnecessary for candidates to accept support of special interests. Better candidates could result and greater integrity in office would be encouraged.

**ARGUMENTS AGAINST:**

- Long terms of office tend to alienate the official from the electorate, making him less responsive to the use and of public opinion. Forces to organize legislatively, the public official is under almost constant exposure to the wishes and needs of the people who elect him.
- Too much power is placed in four-year terms. For example, a governor serving two years under a four-year system would be in a position, through his appointments, to discontinue every state board or officer. Particularly, this would be true for those boards which members are named every two years for two-year terms.

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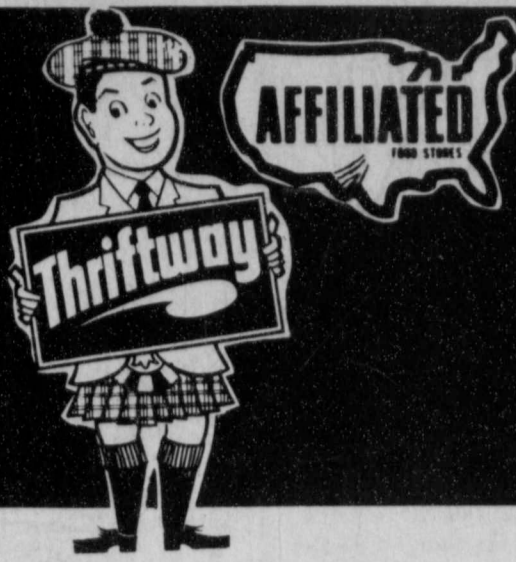
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**24 Karat DINNER KNIFE 69c**

**Colormode WHISTLING TEA KETTLE \$2.44**

**TENDERCRUST BREAD 1 1/2 # LOAF 3 FOR 89c**



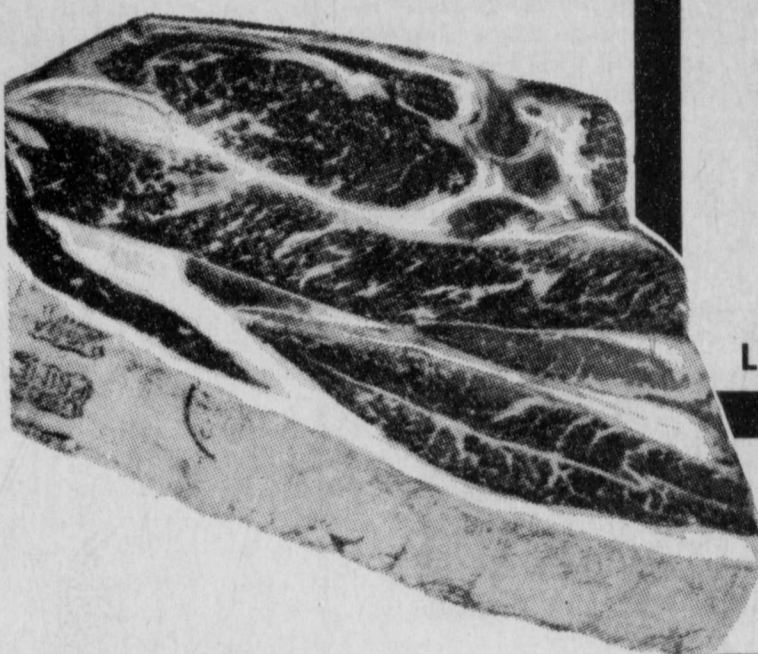
**AFFILIATED**

**THRIFTWAY**

SECOND WEEK OF

**SHURFINE CARNIVAL**

PRICES EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 30 THRU NOVEMBER 8, 1972



U.S.D.A. CHOICE  
**CHUCK ROAST**  
69c

U.S.D.A. CHOICE  
**ARM ROAST**  
95c

SHURFINE FULLY COOKED  
**BONELESS HAM**  
\$2.99

SHURFRESH PURE VEGETABLE  
**Oleo**

6 FOR \$1

USDA  
**Shoulder Roast** 79c

125 COUNT FACIAL  
**Kleenex Tissue** 5 FOR 89c

PURE VEGETABLE  
**Shortening** 3 # CAN 69c

JUMBO  
**Kleenex Towels** 3 FOR \$1

SHURFRESH 10 COUNT  
**Biscuits** 13 FOR \$1

GANDY'S 1/2 GAL. ROUND CARTON  
**Ice Cream** 69c

SHURFINE WHITE-YELLOW-DEVIL FOOD  
**Cake Mix** 4 FOR \$1

DELSEY  
**BATHROOM TISSUE**  
ASSORTED 4-ROLL PACK 49c

SHURFINE  
**GOLDEN CORN**  
CREAM STYLE OR WHOLE KERNEL 6 \$1 17-oz. CANS

SHURFINE  
**ENRICHED FLOUR**  
5-LB. PAPER BAG 39c

SHURFINE  
**FRUIT COCKTAIL**  
16-oz. CANS 4 \$1

ALL PURPOSE  
**RUSSET POTATOES** 49c

10-LB. POLY BAG

TEXAS LARGE TIE  
**GREEN ONIONS** 2 BUNCHES 25c

FLORIDA CELLO PACKAGE  
**RADISHES** 2 PKGS. 25c

TEXAS STRAIGHT NECK YELLOW  
**SQUASH** LB. 19c

ROME  
**APPLES** 3# FOR 49c

TEXAS NEW CROP FRESH JUICY  
**ORANGES** 45c

FULL OF VITAMIN C 5-LB. CELLO BAG

- Shurfine Tomato Sauce..... 10 8-oz. Cans \$1.00
- Shurfine Tomato Soup..... 8 10 1/2-oz. Cans \$1.00
- Shurfine Whole Peeled Tomatoes..... 4 16-oz. Cans 89c
- Shurfine Tuna..... 2 6-oz. Cans 79c
- KLEENEX WHITE OR ASSORTED Facial Tissue..... 5 125 Count BOX 89c
- NEW FREEDOM Sanitary Napkins..... 12 5 BOX 49c
- ALABAM GIRL Whole Sweet Pickles..... 22-oz. JAR 69c
- ALABAM GIRL WHOLE DILL OR Sour Pickles..... 22-oz. JAR 49c

SHURFINE 4 OZ FREEZE DRIED  
**COFFEE** 79c

KOTEX  
**TAMPONS** BOX OF 40 REGULAR OR SUPER KOTEX \$1.39

PATIO FROZEN DINNERS 39c

BEEF ENCHILADA, CHEESE, ENCHILADA, MEXICAN DINNER COMBINATION (YOUR CHOICE)

SHURFINE 6 oz. Cans 5 FOR \$1

**Orange Juice**

DENTURE ADHESIVE  
**FASTEETH** 98° SIZE ONLY 89c

DENTURE ADHESIVE  
**FIXODENT** 1 1/2-OZ. 89c

Colgate TRAC II  
**89c** 5'S EACH

GLEN'S THRIFTWAY  
**DOUBLE GOLD BOND**  
STAMPS ON WEDNESDAY

Clearasil  
**79c**

CRICKET by GILLETTE  
\$1.49 VALUE  
99c