

PP&K Winners Advance To Lamesa Competition

A total of 78 Fisher County youngsters competed in the annual Ford Punt, Pass and Kick contest last Saturday morning sponsored by Rotan Motor Company. The first place winners in the six age groups from 8 through 13 will now advance to district competition, at Lamesa High School this Saturday at 9:30 a. m.

Darrin Leverton won first place in the 8 year old age group with a total of 123-1/2 feet. Second place went to Greg Gruben with 123 and third to Joel King with a total of 120 feet.

In the 9 year old group Stanley Hickman took first with a total of 191-1/2 feet while Richard Mendoza had 187-1/2 for second place and Ernest Carrillo captured third with 150-1/2.

Ruben Cabrera won first place in the 10 year old group with a total of 238-1/2. Second place went to Wesley Counts with 210 and third to David Thornton with a total of 205. Counts and Thornton were tied for second and had to run the day's only tie breaker.

In the 11 year old group Byron Weathersbee won first place with a total of 224. Second went to Greg Hayes with 222 and third to Mark Nowlin with 215 feet.

The 12 year old age group first place winner was David Posey with 294 feet. Larry Wester captured second place with 266-1/2 and James Ratliff was third with 234.

Todd Goodwin won the 13 year old age group with a total of 366. Second place went to Mark Henderson with 275 and third to Blake Hale with 272-1/2.



8-YEAR OLD AGE GROUP: First place, Darrin Leverton; Second place, Greg Gruben; and third place, Joel King.



9-YEAR OLD AGE GROUP: First place, Stanley Hickman; 2nd, Richard Mendoza; 3rd, Ernest Carrillo.



10-YEAR OLD AGE GROUP: First place, Ruben Cabrera; Second place, Wesley Counts; David Thornton, third.



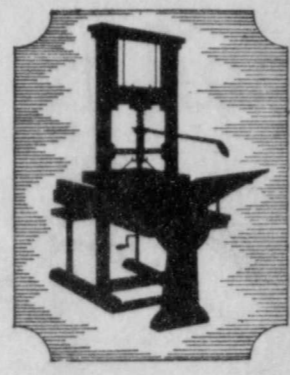
11-YEAR OLD AGE GROUP: Byron Weathersbee, first; Greg Hayes, 2nd; and Mark Nowlin, third place winner.



12-YEAR OLD AGE GROUP: David Posey, first; Larry Wester, second; and James Ratliff, third place winner.



13-YEAR OLD AGE GROUP: Todd Goodwin, first place; Mark Henderson, second; and Blake Hale third place winner.



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Lawyer Says No To Lease

No Decision Made On The Closing Of The Hospital

Members of the Fisher County Hospital District Board of Directors met Wednesday afternoon, September 26, for a special meeting with financial advisor Gene Vinyard, Mr. E. Morrow, representing Dumas, Hugenin, Boothman and Morrow Law Firm and Mr. David Crickie, CPA from Brownwood. The board discussed with Morrow and Crickie the various aspects involving the committee's decision on whether or not to lease the present Callan Hospital.

Although the committee has every intention of proceeding with the construction of a new hospital as exemplified by their decision to begin selling bonds and hiring an architect, they must face the fact that Callan Hospital is going to close on January 1, 1974. Most committee members feel it would hurt the overall hospital future of Fisher County to allow the Callan Hospital to close. It was ascertained at the meeting with Morrow and Crickie that the Fisher County Hospital District

could not under the present law lease the Callan Hospital. It could accept the hospital as a gift or purchase it for a nominal figure.

Board President Ralph Ammons and Secretary Allan Houston met with Dr. Maurice Callan informally last week and reported to the membership present for the meeting held last Monday night that all parties concerned were trying to work out an agreeable solution to the closing of the hospital. The members of the hospital

board are also working hard to gather pertinent information to present to the Governor's Health Planning appeal board concerning the certificate of need.

The official decision to take over the Callan Hospital on January 1, 1974 has not been made. Committee members are still giving serious study to the situation, however, most members seem to be leaning toward either accepting it as a gift or purchasing it for a nominal fee.

Official Proclamation 4H Week

WHEREAS the 4-H Club Program has since its beginning, over 50 years ago, contributed much to the health and welfare of the nation and has encouraged many young people to choose careers which help improve family and community living; and

WHEREAS 4-H members put into practice the skills and science they learn through their 4-H projects and activities and strive "To Make The Best Better," the motto of 4-H Club work; and

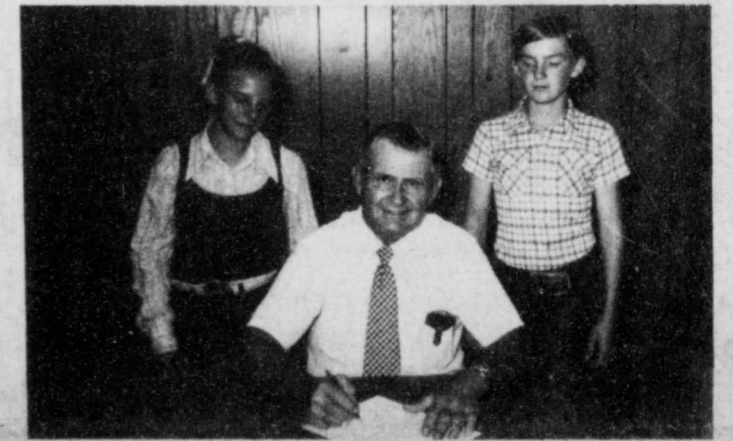
WHEREAS young people, who are citizens of tomorrow, must discover and acquire the virtues of responsibility, thoughtfulness, morality, and understanding in these changing times; and

WHEREAS the 200 boys and girls now enrolled in 4-H Clubs throughout the County of Fisher, under the guidance of adult leaders, will soon be establishing homes of their own and taking their places in society as community leaders.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, D. L. Lovett, County Judge of Fisher County, in recognition of the fine achievements of 4-H members and their families, do hereby proclaim the week of October 7-13 as National 4-H Club Week in Fisher County.

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 28th day of September, 1973.

D. L. Lovett
County Judge



4-H PROCLAMATION: County Judge Lovett, center, proclaims National 4-H Club Week October 7-13. Pictured with the Judge are Donna Hataway, left, and Lyndoll Underwood, right.

Hospital Board Hears Weathersbee

AMBULANCE SERVICE IS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Members of the Fisher County Hospital District met for their regular meeting last Monday night. Discussions concerning the future of an ambulance service by Weathersbee Funeral Home

and an interview with Richard Buzard, AIA, Abilene architect were on the agenda.

Doug and Mac Weathersbee appeared before the Fisher County Hospital Board to ask that the board give consideration to assuming the operation of the emergency ambulance service in the district. Doug Weathersbee cited a bill expected to be passed in the next two years that would require that all emergency vehicles have a 54 to 60 inch head room in all emergency vehicles. He felt that it was no longer feasible for a private business to maintain an ambulance service and still stay within the guidelines of the anti-

ipated changes in the law. Weathersbee presented some figures that estimated the ambulance service provided by them was just about at a break even point over the last five years. One reason for asking that the board give consideration to taking over the ambulance service at this particular time was in order that proper planning could be given in the architects plans to provide for a shelter for the emergency vehicle. The Weathersbees did state that they would continue to provide emergency service until such time as other arrangements could be made.

The board heard a presenta-

tion by Richard Buzard, architect, concerning the construction of the new hospital. Although Buzard has never designed a hospital he has worked on remodeling some and has designed numerous new buildings in the Abilene and West Texas area.

Buzard is the first of five architects that are to be interviewed by the board. They met with Zapalac and Griffin of Austin and Killebrew of Fort Worth on Wednesday afternoon October 3rd and will meet with Hewett and Royer of Kansas City, and Page, Sutherland, Page of Austin on Friday afternoon at 1:30 p. m.

Paul Barrera Gets Colorado Duty Assignment

Airman Raul Barrera, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Barrera of Rotan, has been assigned to Lowry AFB, Colo., after completing Air Force basic training. During his six weeks at the Air Training Command's Lackland AFB, Tex, he studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

The airman has been assigned to the Technical Training Center at Lowry for specialized training in the munitions and weapons maintenance field.

Airman Barrera, a 1969 graduate of Hobbs High School, received an A. A. S. Degree in 1971 from Cisco Junior College.

Bredemeyers Operating Rotan Restaurant Now

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bredemeyer announced this week that they are the new operators of the Rotan Restaurant in Rotan. They took over the operation from Mr. and Mrs. Vernon

Surratt, Jr. on October 1, 1973. Mrs. Bredemeyer will take an active roll in the operation of the restaurant.

Most of the employees will remain the same and continue

working for the new operators. Effective immediately, the restaurant will open at 5:30 a. m., and close at 9:00 p. m. Monday through Saturday. On Sunday the hours will be from 6:00 a. m. until 9:00 p. m.

The Friday Night Fish Fry will continue being served each Friday from 5:00 p. m., until 8:00 p. m., according to the new operators.

"We have some new plans for the restaurant that will be announced in detail at a later date," according to Mrs. Lawrence Bredemeyer.



NEW OPERATION: Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bredemeyer recently took over operation of the Rotan Restaurant.

Rev. Upshaw To Bring Calvary Baptist Sermon

The Rev. T. O. Upshaw, Baptist Double Mountain area missionary, will fill the pulpit at the Calvary Baptist Church Sunday, October 7th.

Visitors are welcome.

Roby Homecoming Begins With Parade October 12

Officers for Roby's 13th annual Homecoming met September 25 to set up the program for the forthcoming event.

Homecoming will begin October 12 with a downtown parade of the classes followed by the Pep Rally on the Court

House Square. Roby High School will play Forsan at 7:30 p. m. for the homecoming game this year.

Homecoming King and Queen will be crowned at halftime. Registration will be held at the ballgame and also after the

ballgame with coffee and cookies for the Ex's in the Grade School Cafeteria.

On Saturday, October 13, registration with coffee and tea in the Home Economics Room will begin at 9:00 a. m. The Roby Band will have a luncheon in the Lunchroom at 11:30 a. m.

Homecoming program will begin at 2:00 p. m. in the High School Auditorium. Annual get-together will begin at 8:30 p. m. in the Sweetwater Country Club in Sweetwater.

Post cards notifying all out of town ex-students have been mailed but Fisher County ex-students will not receive individual invitations.

County 4-H Adults Plan Awards Banquet Program

The Fisher County Adult Leaders Association met September 24, in the Agriculture Building in Roby, according to County Extension Agents, Mrs. Alice Ballenger and Richard Spencer.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Isobelle Etheredge. Plans were made for the County Awards Banquet to be Saturday, October 20, in the School Cafeteria in Rotan. Committee Chairmen to pre-

pare for the banquet are C. D. Herron, Don Underwood, Mrs. Ed Wilfong and Mrs. Freddie Stuart.

Decorating Committee appointed by the chairman is Mrs. Jackie Etheredge, Mrs. Ted Posey, Mrs. Alton Smith, W. P. Solbert, and Mrs. Donna Coker.

The Chairman announced that National 4-H Week is October 7-13. Community Chairmen to see that a display is put up in

each community included Mrs. Continued To Pg. 7

Fisher County Singing Convention Born

The Fifth Sunday singing group has gone county wide and renamed the organization The Fisher County Singing Convention.

The group had two meetings, the first with 70 in attendance and the second with 95 present, and voted to hold sing-

ings on the 5th Sunday of the month and 2nd Tuesday night of the month.

The next singing will be on October 9th at the First Methodist Church in Roby. The 5th Sunday singing in December is to be at the First Baptist Church



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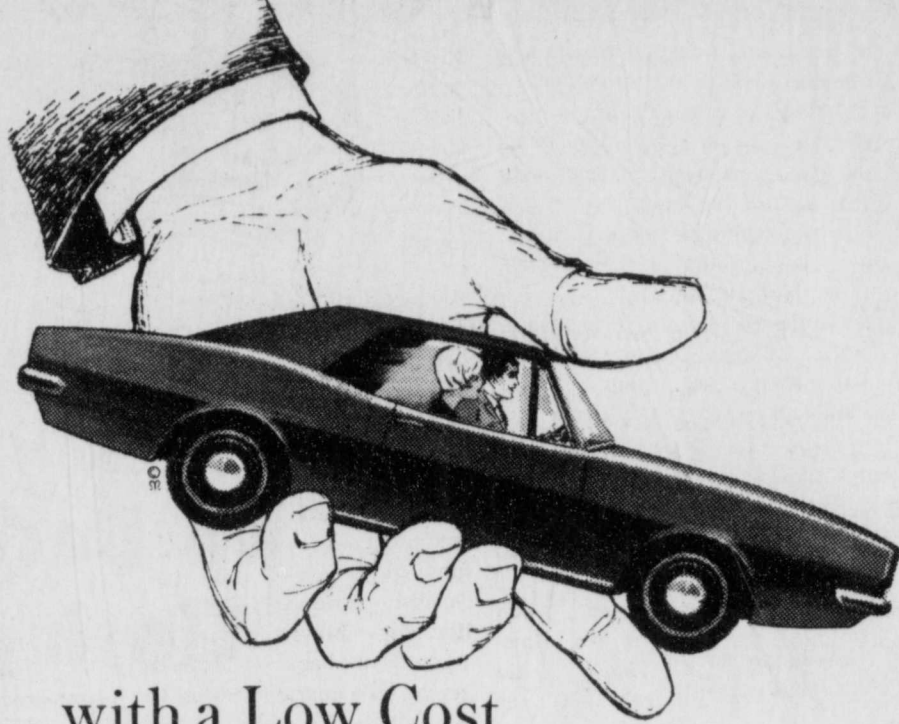
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EDUCATION HELPERS: A total of 47 Fisher County adults turned out last Thursday to enroll in the basic education class. Those assisting are left to right, Pat Hamric, supervisor, Floyd Garcia Jr., teacher, and Gladys Gerst, four county director.

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PP&K JUDGE'S SCORE SHEET



This score sheet is for use by the local judge. Names and scores taken from the official score card for all youngsters participating should be entered in the appropriate columns. Names and scores should be listed according to age groups.

To save time, it is suggested that the youngsters' names be listed on this sheet in advance of the contest so that all the judge need do is check the score cards and enter the scores of the entrants.

In case of ties for awards, the contestants with tie scores will again punt, pass and kick to break the tie. Columns are provided on this score sheet for tie-breaking score totals (total score of punting, passing and kicking).

Table with columns for AGE GROUP, NAME, PUNT SCORE, PASS SCORE, KICK SCORE, TOTAL SCORE, and TOTAL TIE-BREAKING SCORE. Contains scores for various participants across age groups 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

Hammers Stick Spur 41,13

ORANGE MACHINE SHIFTS TO HIGH FOR PLOWBOYS

The Rotan Yellowhammers took the kick out of the Spur Bulldogs last Friday night as they pretty well scored at will and gained their second season victory by defeating Spur 41-13.

Game captains Clay Helms and Gary Wester met Spur Captains Mike Ram age, Jimmy Owens and Lester Alexander at mid-field for the coin toss to begin the final non-district clash for the Hammers.

James Goodwin kicked off for Rotan and clouted a long end over end kick that went over the heads of the Spur receivers. An off side call against Rotan forced another kick that gave Spur 1-10 from the 30 after a 23 yard run back.

Spur only picked up two first downs in the first half of action and one of those came on their first possession, Joe Murphree, Gary Wester and Bub Allen stopped the first play from scrimmage after a three yard gain. James Goodwin and Bub Allen halted Spur's first drive on 3-4 from the 49 forcing Spur's first punt of the night.

Rotan's first possession began on the 16 yard line and 8 plays later ended in a score after an 84 yard march, Joey Vann snagged a 54 yard pass from Bruce Jones giving the Hammers a first down at Spur's 37 yard line. Jerry Gentry picked up 22 yards on a sweep and Bobby Rodgers followed with a 15 yard gain giving Rotan a 1st down at the Spur 11 yard line. Bruce Jones was credited with the first score as he plunged into paydirt from the 2 yard line. The score came with 5:20 remaining in the first quarter of ac-

tion. James Goodwin kicked the extra point.

Johnny Hardin sacked the quarterback for a 3 yard loss on the first play of the second possession for Spur and three plays later the Bulldogs were forced to give up the ball.

One of the most exciting runs of the Hammer season came on the second possession for Rotan. After Jerry Gentry picked up a first down and 14 yards. Bruce Jones dashed 47 yards to score, darting and faking his way to his second TD of the night. Goodwin's kick failed. The score at this point was 13-0.

Clay Helms stopped a sweep right for a two yard loss. Spur threw two incomplete passes and Spur was forced to give up the ball on 4-12 with no time remaining in the first quarter.

Rotan took over on Spur's 44 yard line to begin the second quarter. Jones' first play was a pass complete to Mike Cade who scrambled to the 25- yard line but a penalty nullified the play and set Rotan back at the Spur 29 with 1-15. Bobby Rodgers pranced for 25 yards on the next play. Jones picked up 14 yards on two plays and Rodgers blasted up the middle from 15 yards out, for the third score on as many possessions.

Spur's only burst of glory came on their next possession. They completed a pass for 53 yards, then John Fry made the score from the 17 yard line to put them on the scoreboard.

Jerry Gentry took Spur's kick-off at the 17 and returned it 18 yards to the 35 to set Rotan on their way to their fourth score in four possessions. Gentry, Rodgers, and Goodwin ate up yardage to the Spur 14 before Bruce Jones darted in to score. The score stood at 27-6 with 6:30 left in the first half of play.

C.R. Campbell At Waco TSTI

Chester R. Campbell of Rotan is enrolled in instrumentation technology on the James Connally Campus of Texas State Technical Institute. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Campbell.

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This year, all four of the State Tech campuses are changing from the trimester system to a quarter system consisting of four 12 week sessions per year.

Joe McKinney, Rotan, was admitted to West Texas Medical Center, Abilene, last week for surgery. He is reported to be doing fine and expects to be dismissed this week.

On Spur's next possession frustration was personified as Mike Cade stopped Spur's big gun Gary Maberry on 9-11 after a two yard gain forcing Spur's 4th down punt. Jerry Gentry fumbled the ball after calling for a fair catch as Spur punted and the Bulldogs recovered at the 50 yard line. Rotan came back and forced another punt after Johnny Hardin and Donald Bilbo stopped a third down play for no gain.

The bottom fell out on Rotan's final possession before the halftime break. Jerry Gentry lost 3 yards on a fumbled pitch. Rodgers picked up one yard, James Goodwin gained 7 yards then on 4-5 from the 27 Rotan picked up three penalties in a row and had a punt blocked. Head Coach Charles Russell was more than a little upset at his boys as he grabbed handfuls of turf on the sidelines in anger. Rotan was penalized a total of 11 times for 120 yards for the night.

Joey Vann intercepted Spur's

first thrown pass from scrimmage in the end-zone to end the 1st half of play. Rotan led at halftime 27-7.

Joey Vann took Spur's kick opening the second half at the 35 yard line and returned it to the 41. With 3-13 from Spur's 34-yard line, Jones completed a pass to Tim Allen for 14 yards. Jerry Gentry capped the drive with a score from 20 yards out. Rotan led 34-7 with 9 minutes remaining in the 3rd period.

Johnny Hardin ended Spur's next possession by recovering a fumble at Spur's 44 yard line. Goodwin carried to the 11 yard line on two plays and second team quarterback Frank Lopez scored on a quarterback option play. Rotan led 41-7.

On Spur's next possession Rotan's Bub Allen sacked the quarterback 3 times behind the line of scrimmage.

Dan Burk, Brian Cave, Frank Lopez, Burt Weathersbee, Louis Yanez, Kim Gray and James Goodwin were given the go-ahead to take on Spur's first team with 2:10 remaining in the 3rd quarter. They ran four

plays and were forced to punt. Donald Bilbo, Monte Morrow, and Vick Wilkerson joined the second team quarterback Frank Lopez and the rest of the second team in playing all of the remaining portion of the 4th quarter.

The game ended with Rotan winning 41-13. Rotan completed 2 of 3 passes while Bruce Jones was at the helm. Lopez was 0-5 for the night. The Hammer defense held Spur to minus 26 yards in the second half of action. Rotan rolled up 435 yards total offense to Spur's 195. Spur came out with only 39 yards rushing for the night.

The second team Hammers lost two fumbles and Jerry Gentry lost one on the fair catch to account for the 3 fumbles of the evening. While the first team squad for Rotan was in the game on offense they accumulated approximately 11 first downs to Spur's 3; at the end of the game Rotan had 14 to Spur's 8.

The Yellowhammers start district play Friday when they go to Roscoe to meet the Plowboys. Roscoe runs a tricky offense using numerous sweeps, veers and belly plays to confuse the opponents' defense. They are not known to be a strong passing team. Roscoe has had two weeks to prepare for the Yellowhammers.

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Roby Topples Munday 24,10

LORAINE LOOKING LIKE LEAN LION LUNCHEON

--by Ricky Price

Roby gained an impressive victory over the Munday Moguls last Friday night, defeating them 24-10.

Munday led in rushing yardage but Roby's passing seemed to be the decisive factor in the game. Dale Evers completed 8 of 12 passes for 218 yards, and Frank Castor caught six of the

passes for 167 with 2 touchdown passes of 69 and 26 yards. Munday was able to complete only one 3-yard pass in 5 attempts.

Munday also had six penalties setting them back 60 yards and Roby had two 5-yard penalties.

The Moguls received the opening kickoff and started driving on the Lions, gaining an average of almost 5 yards per carry until they were down to the 7 yard line. They threatened to score but the Lions stopped them, so Gary Tidwell kicked a 14 yard field goal giving Munday the first three points.

Roby took the kickoff and Evers completed two passes in the first three plays. The team marched downfield to the 10-yard line then halfback Carlos Jones ran the ball in with 2:48 left in the first quarter. Evers tried to tack on a couple of extra points, but his pass was intercepted.

Munday was unable to get a drive started so the score was 6-3 going into the 2nd quarter. With less than 2 minutes gone by in the second quarter, Evers bombed Castor with a 69-yard touchdown pass. Castor attempt-

ed to score the extra point but his kick was blocked.

Munday soon came back with a score when fullback Buddy Ubanczyk went over the goal line from 4 yard out. Gary Tidwell then kicked the ball through the uprights for the extra point and the score remained 12-10 at halftime.

The third quarter remained scoreless but Roby scored seven seconds after the 4th quarter started. The Lions ran 4 plays including a 24-yard pass to Castor and a 12-yard run by Stephens. Then Castor grabbed

another pass and ran it in for the score. Evers tried to run the extra point in, but was stopped short.

The Moguls were unable to get an attack started and the Lions took over the ball on their own 33 yard line. Roby marched downfield and Stephens sealed over the victory with a TD on a 9-yard run. The extra point was again blocked to the final score was 24-10.

The Lions begin district play Friday when they travel to Loraine.

Cathy Collins Will Present The County Sew Fair

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and 1:00 p.m., at the Community Building in Rotan.

Miss Collins' lectures will include a special section on the

different types of knit fabrics available and how to choose the right patterns for them. She will illustrate her program with several knit garments including

Fisher Bros Circus Is Coming To Rotan

Come to the Fisher Bros, Circus which the Fisher County Sheriff Posse is sponsoring in Rotan on the 10th day of Oct., at the Rodeo grounds for 2 performances at 5:30 and 8 p.m.

Tickets are on sale at the low price of \$1.00 to everyone when bought from a member of the Sheriff's Posse. If purchased at the circus ticket office they are \$1.50 for children and \$2.00 for adults, and all tickets are good for any seats in the big top as the Fisher Bros, Circus does not have reserved seats.

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Cathy Collins



BIG TOMATO: Roseann Miers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miers, of the Hobbs community holds a 3-1/2 pound tomato grown by her grandfather Nash Miers.

Hobbs Home DC

The Hobbs Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Fred Martinez Sept. 27.

Mrs. Walter Byrd, President, was in charge of the meeting, which was held at 2:30. Recreation was Favorite Riddles. Mrs. James Nettleton read the minutes of the last meeting.

As Mrs. Nettleton called the roll, those present answered with some place of interest in Texas they have visited.

Mrs. Connie Tutt described at length The Ranch Headquarters at Texas Tech, Lubbock, also, the flour being made from cotton seed Flour Plant dedicated by Plains Cooperative Oil Mill at Lubbock. Plans are being made to double the size of the plant. The \$2.4 million grower-owned plant can produce up to 25 tons of cotton seed flour a day. The flour can be used for baking, as a food additive, and as a meat extender. Mrs. Tutt showed a sample of the flour.

Craft day was discussed, to be held October 25.

After the meeting adjourned, delicious refreshments were served to Mrs. James Nettleton, Mrs. Connie Tutt, Mrs. Bill Hardy, Mrs. J. P. Phillips, Mrs. Walter Byrd and the hostess, Mrs. Martinez.

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7:30 P. M. Ball Game with Forsan
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13

9:00—Registration and visitation throughout the morning
11:30 A. M.—Lunch in School Cafeteria
2:00 P. M.—Band Concert
2:30 P. M.—Program and Business Meeting
8:30 P. M.—Annual get-together at the Sweetwater Country Club

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FIRST PLACE WINNERS ADVANCE TO LAMESA HIGH SCHOOL SAT. OCT. 6th 9:30A.M.

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1973 LIONS

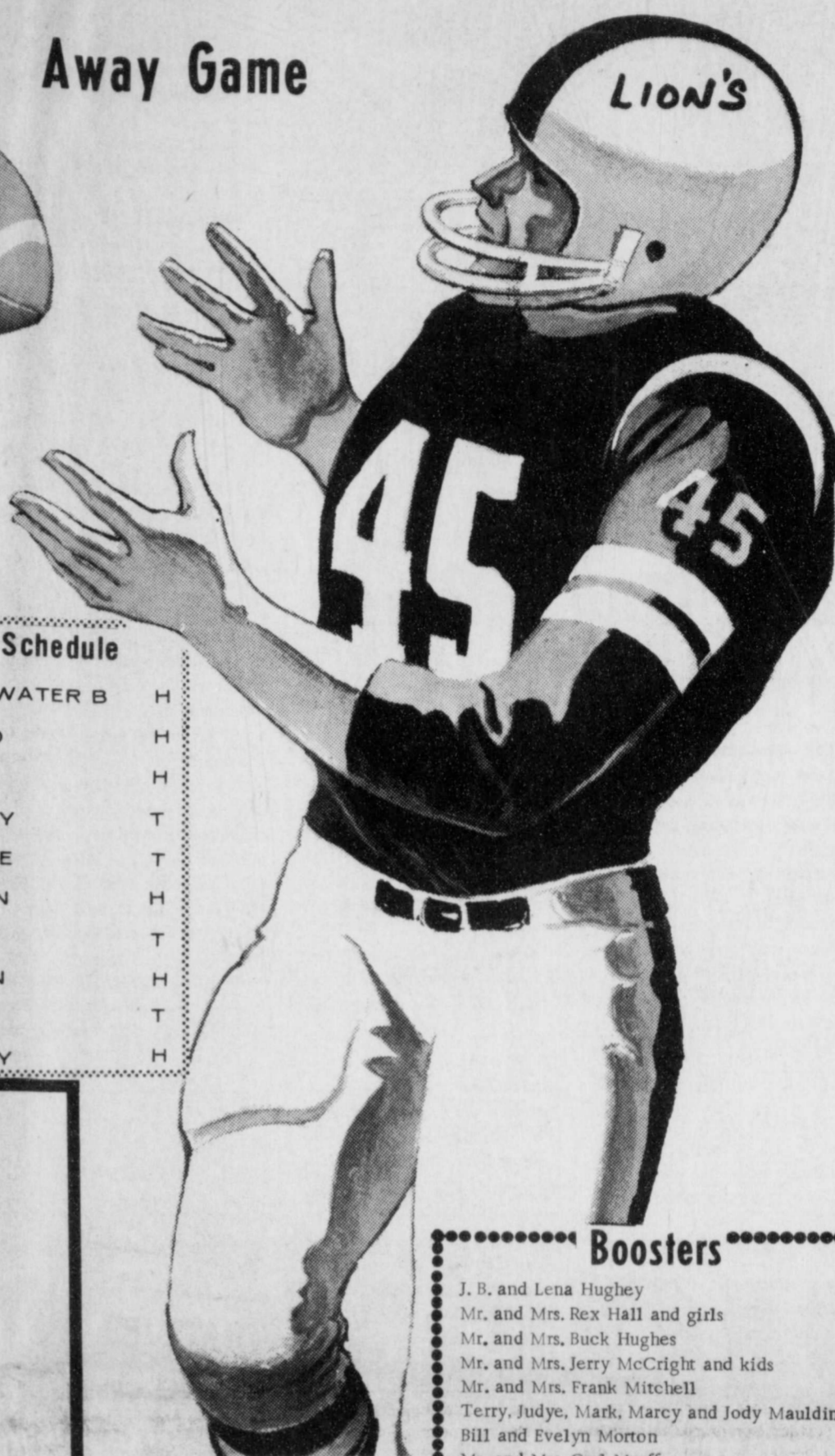
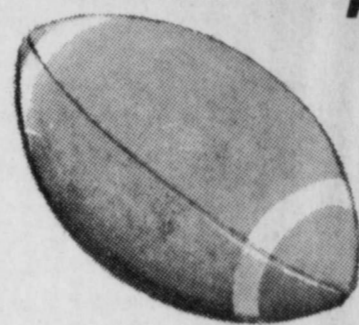
ROBY LIONS

VS

Lorraine

Friday, Oct. 5, 7:30

Away Game



Ted Posey



Jessie Castor



James Park



Richard Gaona



Craig Randolph



Mike Terry



Shad Holcomb, Jr.



Eljo Carreon



Andy Webb



Joe Green



Rod Whitfill



Bob Fournier



Carlos Jones



Paul Mitchell



Walter Holik



Ricky Morton



Steve Evers



Monty Pope



Gilbert Brown, Jr.



Donnie Stephens



Dale Evers



Jimmy Schubert



Frank Castor



Roy Rivas



Dwaine Rivers



Mark Pruitt

PLAYER OF THE WEEK



ROY RIVAS

Roby Varsity Schedule

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| SEPT 8 | SWEETWATER B | H |
| SEPT 14 | JIM NED | H |
| SEPT 21 | WYLIE | H |
| SEPT 28 | MUNDAY | T |
| OCT 5 | LORAIN | T |
| OCT 12 | FORSAN | H |
| OCT 19 | BRONT | T |
| OCT 26 | JAYTON | H |
| NOV 9 | SANDS | T |
| NOV 16 | HAWLEY | H |

BOOSTERS

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| Shorty and Glenda Fields | Al and Theda Finch |
| Delmar Burk | Paxton and Mary Beauchamp |
| Hubert and Ora Bennett | The Rudy Hamric Family |
| Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ballenger | The Bennie LeBlau Family |
| Mr. and Mrs. Max Stuart | Mutt and Lucy Knox |
| John and Valene Kiker | The Dwight Lovett Family |
| Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Horton, Tina and Brad | The Charles Whitlock Family |
| Jimmy, Linda and Jil Laurie | The Jimmy Hayes Family |
| Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pruitt, Mark and Timmy | Mildred, Maurcene and Willardene Parker |
| Mary Jo, J. T. and Mark Pope | Mildred Brown |
| T. L. and Evelyn Carter | Johnnie and Ethel Ammons |
| (Carter Insulation Co.) | Latham, Linda, Leslie and Tabb Burk |
| Dwain and Mineola Parker | Mr. and Mrs. Max Carrier |
| Mr. and Mrs. Derwayne Rasco, Shannon and Chad | Edd and Lucille Carter |
| The Ted Posey Family | Mr. and Mrs. Pete Driver and Karen |
| Ralph and Marie Ammons | Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Green and Family |

Boosters

- J. B. and Lena Hughey
- Mr. and Mrs. Rex Hall and girls
- Mr. and Mrs. Buck Hughes
- Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McCright and kids
- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell
- Terry, Judy, Mark, Marcy and Jody Mauldin
- Bill and Evelyn Morton
- Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murff
- Mr. and Mrs. Mike Terry and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright and family

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| Roby Lions Booster Club "100% Behind The Lions" | | Sweetwater Production Credit Dwain Parker-Mgr Roby Office | | Citizens State Bank | |
| Deaton Insurance Agency | Silver Spur Cafe J.P. & Faith Davis Roby, Texas | Roby Star-Record Nowlin Farm Supply | | Rotan Tractor Service | HATAHOE Roby, Texas |
| HINDS DEPARTMENT STORE ROTAN, TEXAS | | Darden's Department Store ROTAN, TEXAS | STEWART SHAMROCK STATION ROBY, TEXAS | | |
| Roby Flower, Gift & Fashion SHOP "Go Lions Go" Jim & Pansy Hale Roby, Texas | Landes Furniture | Roby Band Booster Club | | Noles Drug Steve Oleksiuk III Roby, Texas | Farmers Gin Company |
| Rotan Motor Company | | GLEN'S THRIFTWAY Rotan, Texas | | WHITE'S Mr & Mrs Arvin White - Rotan, Texas | |
| Roby Fiberglass Manufacturing Co. Mr & Mrs Ivin Martin | | WINNS | | L.V. Armstrong Implement Company | |
| Fisher County Farm & Ranch Supply THE JACK McCLURES | | BOOSTERS Mr. and Mrs. Keifer Cauble and family Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Evers and Patty Erna Lee and Carlos Jones Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Thornburg and Eddie Roland, Millie, Danette and Melanie Ray Bobby, Frances and Robert Morgan Glenn and Violet Upshaw Mr. and Mrs. Wardell Halliburton Mrs. Merry Lou Fuller | | Weathersbee Funeral Home | |
| Silver Spur Motel & Laundry Eugene & Christine Gruben | | GO LIONS | | Rotan Insurance Agency JOE D. BURK | |
| Rotan Gin Company "GO LIONS GO" | | City Grocery & Market "BACKING THE LIONS" ROBY, TEXAS | | Hayes Food Store J.C. & JIMMY HAYES ROBY, TEXAS | |
| Central Lumber & Supply Co. "ALL THE WAY LIONS" ROBY, TEXAS | | | | | |



ROTAN JUNIOR HIGH TWIRLERS: Left to right, Patti Williams, Donna Smith, Tonni Sparks. Back row is Patricia Posey, drum major.

Bob Bullock Campaigns In County This Week

Bob Bullock, former Secretary of State, and now a candidate for State Comptroller, campaigned in Rotan this week. Bullock, 44, is the first Democratic candidate to announce for state office.

Born in Hillsboro, Bullock received his bachelors degree from Texas Tech in 1955 and earned his law degree in 1958 from Baylor Law School.

He served two terms as a member of the Texas House of Representatives, Chief of the Anti-Trust and Consumer Protection Division of the Attorney General's Office and Chief Legal Counsel for the Governor.

Most noteworthy, however, was Bullock's tenure as Secretary of State of Texas. There, he worked hard to clean up campaign financing in Texas and developed a fair and economical election system.

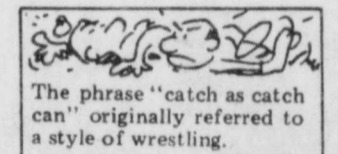
During his tour, Bullock said, "Texas taxpayers are losing \$82,500,000 in tax dollars each year because some retailers are pocketing the state and local sales taxes they collect instead of reporting it to the Comptroller."

"Frankly, I think it is ridiculous to talk of taxing food and medicine when ten per cent (10%) of the sales taxes now

being paid by our citizens is not being recovered by the State.

"As Comptroller, I will work to see that the taxes we now pay, are not lost to some unscrupulous retailer because of faulty collection procedures by the State."

Bullock, a veteran of the Korean Conflict, resided in Austin with his wife and 2 children.



Hustlin' Round Hobbs

By Mrs Jimmy Walker
Hobbs, Texas 735-2840
To Report Your Local or
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Haven't we been having some lovely Fall weather? Just right on the cotton, but we got another three quarters of an inch of rain here last Wednesday, and got more than that west of Hobbs. So the cotton got wet again, but its sure beginning to get white now.

I haven't got very much news this week, as my telephone went out on Thursday nite and by the time it was fixed, everyone was gone for the day yesterday, and this morning I missed some too.

Visiting last week end with MR. AND MRS. LESTER HARDIN were Mr. and Mrs. Doc Hardin, Wendy and Shad from Victoria. Mr. and Mrs. Hardin have also had company this week, as Jimmy Hardin came Thursday, also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willison and Laura, all from Corpus Christi. They are all spending a few days with the Hardins.

Mr. Lee Williams from Rotan spent the day Sunday with MR. AND MRS. ANDREW WILLIAMS.

MR. AND MRS. DALE CAVE went to Odessa Sunday evening and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chism and Stanley.

MR. AND MRS. J. W. EL HEREDGE and boys went to Lubbock for the day on Sunday, and they came back by the OS Ranch in Post and got to watch some of the steer roping. They said they really had a good crowd and they saw some good roping.

Bro. and Mrs. J. H. Skiles from Stamford ate Sunday dinner with MR. AND MRS. J. D. KINCAID, and then they all went to Snyder to see Walter Wall, who is very sick in the hospital there. He had emergency surgery Saturday nite, so they were not able to visit with him, but did get to see Frankie and she said he was doing as well as could be expected.

Jim and our German Shepherd, Joe, killed a big bobcat this week, up in the pasture here, and boy, did he scratch and bite our dog before they finally killed him. The next day they ran onto a coyote and Jim wouldn't try to fight with the dog at all, don't know why, unless its because Joe looks so much like they do. They let him get away, but they'll see him again or another one just like him. They are really getting brave and come so near the house at nites, and they sure do make a racket. Lots of folks don't like to hear them, but I don't mind a bit, the only thing I object to is Joe sitting right under our window answering them.

Well I told you I didn't have very much news this week, and if I have missed anyone, please call me and let me know, and we'll print it next week. See you next Thursday.

Hobbs Lunch Menu

Hobbs School lunch menu.
October 1-5, 1973.

MONDAY

Fish Sticks, Tartar Sauce or Ketchup, Potato Salad, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Butter, Yellow Cake with Peanutbutter Icing, Milk.

TUESDAY

Burritos, Buttered Corn, Lettuce and Tomato, Variety Dessert, Milk.

WEDNESDAY

Pork Patties, Mixed Vegetables, Mashed Potatoes, Hot Rolls, Butter, Fruit Jello, Milk.

THURSDAY

Pinto Beans, Beet or Dill Pickles, Steamed Cabbage, Tater Tots, Ketchup, Cornbread, Milk, Chocolate Cake w/ White Icing.

FRIDAY

Turkey and Dressing, Green Vegetable, Celery Sticks, Red Jellied Salad, Hot Rolls, Cake Squares, Milk.

Roby School Menu

Roby school lunch menu, Oct. 8-12, 1973.

MONDAY

Pork Steak and Gravy, Cream Potato, Green Beans, Fruit, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk.

TUESDAY

Sausage Pizza, Early Peas, Lettuce, Peanutbutter Cup, Lemon Icebox Pie, Bread, Milk.

WEDNESDAY

Pinto Beans w/ Ham, Macaroni and Tomato, Cabbage Slaw, Onion, Peanutbutter Cookie, Cornbread, Milk.

THURSDAY

Baked Weiner, Blackeye Peas, Cheese Strick, Vegetable Salad, Apple Crunch, Milk, Bread.

FRIDAY

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



ROUND STEAK

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LB

FRESH Pigs Feet LB 59¢
600CH 12 OZ Franks PKG 79¢

BREAD

3 LOAVES FOR \$1

I.G. 1/2 GALLON MILK 69¢

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Borden's 16 Single Slice Cheese 89¢

Donald Duck 6 Oz Can Orange Juice 4 For 89¢

Puss & Boots Cat Food 2 For 39¢

Gebhardt's Refried Beans 2 For 45¢

Best Maid Qt. Jar Salad Dressing 69¢

Best Maid Dill Qt Jar Pickles 59¢

Nabisco Ginger Snap 16 Oz Box Cookies 49¢

Ideal 1/2 Gallon Bleach 29¢

Bananas LB 12¢

NEW MEXICO Apples LB 10¢

10# BAG Potatoes 69¢

WHITE Onions LB 12¢

HOT Peppers LB 29¢

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FOR SALE: 1970 Ford pickup, automatic, radio, Larry Gruben, 776-2121, Roby, Texas. 35-1tp

4 ROOM HOUSE for sale or rent, North Church Street, C. E. Smyrl, Roby, Tex. 34-3tc

FOR SALE: 1967 GTO, air conditioned, 400 eng. with or without stereo, Call 776-2504. 34-tfc

CAMP SPRINGS WELDING Shop welding done at shop or on your farm. Phone 573-6045. 26-tfc

There is a meeting of the AA (Alcoholics Anonymous) each Tuesday and Thursday evening at 8:00 p. m. at 105 Oak Street in Sweetwater, Al Anon for family and friends meets at the same time. Call 235-3710 anytime.

KNIT SHOP: Famous brand yarns, needlepoint, crewel, and afghan kits; accessories. Phone 735-2540, 312 E. Burnside. 19tfc

BOAT STORAGE: Have building in Rotan for winter boat storage. Reasonable price, call Dr. C. U. Callan or George McDonald for information. 35-tfc

PICTURE FRAMING: Custom made, all sizes, styles and colors of artistic molding available. Also supplies for all your art needs. Mae's Gallery, 329 S. Central, Hamlin, Tex. 576-2281. 32-4tc

WANT TO BUY good used 30 gal butane bottle. Call 735-2302 after 5 P. M. tfc

GARAGE SALE: Refrigerator, stove, clothes, dishes, starts today, 711 East 6th St. Rotan, Tex 35-1tp

FOR SALE: 1971 CL-100 Honda Cycle. Recently overhauled, \$250.00. Call Kim Gray, 735-3308. 35-tfc

To the person who stole my car last week, You have my deepest sympathy, Dwight L. Carman. 35-1tp

WANT TO BUY an old large dining table. Call 735-3079. 32-tfc

WILL HAUL sand, gravel, chiche and baryard fertilizer. Call 735-2903, Martinez Dairy, 30-tfc

HAND MADE GIFTS Vera's GIFT SHOP. Open 9 to 11 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m. daily, 908 E. 8th St. Rotan. 48-tfc

WANTED: Old turquoise Indian jewelry, call 735-2945 in Rotan. 30-tfc

RETIRED COUPLE: If you would like to live on a small farm rent free, raise your own beef and pork and help a widow lady, please write P. O. Box 193 or phone 962-5227 in McCaulley, Texas for interview. 32-tfc

Reduce excess fluids with Fluidex, \$1.89--- Lose weight with Dex-A-Diet capsules \$1.98 at Summers Drug. 34-10p

WANTED: The Fisher County Fifth Sunday Singing Group is looking for song books entitled "World Wide Church Songs" published by the Stamps Quartet Music Company. If anyone knows of any books please contact Rev. Thomas Taylor at 735-2352. 31-tfc

TWO FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Dearborn heater (gas), chrome dinett set, dishes, pots, pans, clothing, misc., 12x12 wool rug. Friday and Saturday, 607 E. Lee, 609 E. Lee. 35-1tp

FOR SALE: Heston SP50 cotton stripper with cab, good condition, ready to go. Call Richard Posey (915) 735-2062, Rotan, Texas. 34-2tc

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom house 5 miles southeast of Rotan call 735-2986. 34-2tp

WANTED: I will buy your old and used clothes, shoes, and old trunk. Call 735-2517. 8tfc

WANTED: Your Butane and Propane Business. Phone 735-3378, Ned's Fuel Service, 17tfc

FOR SALE: 100% pure honey, call J. P. Phillips, 735-2814, Rotan. 30-tfc

FOR SALE in the Country, 3 bed-room house, brick veneer with one or two acres. See Mrs. A. V. Allen, Roby. 48tfc

TROUBLE SLEEPING? Might be that old mattress and box spring. Save up to 50% by having it renovated. You choose the size and firmness, guaranteed by Western Mattress Co. Call 735-3171 in Rotan or 776-9211 in Roby. 12-tfc

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RENT, SALE OR LEASE: two bedroom house and 10 acres at Longworth. Will take small down payment and carry balance. Call 776-2718. 35-4tp

WANTED: Land with cotton allotments to rent or lease. Preferably around Roby or between Roby and Rotan. Call Andy Moore, 776-2504. 34-tfc

GARAGE SALE: Clothes, mens suits, coats, refrigerator, stove, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 1005 Roby Ave. 35-1tp

CARDS: Order your Christmas Cards from us. Over 500 selections to choose from. Imprinted with your family name and the names of the children. You are welcome to take the catalogues home with you overnight to choose your Christmas card. Call Kim Pease, 735-3115 at night, or 735-2562 during the day and the catalogues will be delivered to you. Or pick up at the newspaper office in Rotan. Roby residents can contact Bulene Shipp to make arrangements for the catalogues. tfc

FOR SALE: My home at 807 E. McArthur, 4 bedroom, double carport, one large bathroom, call Clark Taggart or Norman Arnett for details. 29-tfc

LOST: Strayed from my farm 3-1/2 miles NW Rotan, 1 black heifer, last seen about 10 days ago. Call Herman McSpadden at 735-2883. 34-tfc

The O. E. S. meets each **Second Tuesday at 7:30 in the Hall.**
Bertha Allen-Worthy Matron
Bob Allen-Worthy Patron
Betty Hargrove-Secretary
Visitors Welcome

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No. 956
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7:30 P. M.
Lee Raspberry-W. M.
Ben Reaid-Sec.
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Region Seven Council on Alcoholism Prevention, Education and Rehabilitation Center, 2425 College Ave., Snyder, Texas. Call area code 915-573-3233, day or night. tfc

Sewing Machine Sales and Service. Also, Electrolux Vacuum Cleaners. See or call H. B. Stevens, 1101 James, Sweetwater, Pho, 235-2889. 12-tfc

FOR SALE: Our home at 102 W. Burnside, across the street north of Rotana Inn. Mrs. Annie and Doris Owens, 735-3130. 34-4tp

NOTICE: Due to wire shortage I must discontinue my custom bailing except for my regular customers. Also, please do not call me for wire. Fred Singley, 735-2338. 30-tfc

FOR SALE: Used Refrigerators, Ranges and Washing Machines, Home Lumber Company, 48-tfc

MONUMENTS and CEMETERY CURBING, 308 E. 4th, St. Phone 735-3290, J. B. Smith. 1-tfc

FABRIC LENGTHS or by the yard, two good used sewing machines. HOUSE OF ALDRIDGE 401 E. Beauregard, 735-3434. 34-tfc

HELP WANTED: We are taking applications for employment for both men and women. For further information contact Roby Fiberglass Mfg. Co, 776-2232 29-tfc

FOR SALE: 1970 Shasta Travel Trailer, 17 ft., excellent condition. Equipped with gas range, and oven, 20-gal. pressurized water tank, 8 track stereo, AM radio and TV. Call 735-2583. \$1400 firm price. 33-tfc

FOR SALE: 1971 No. 12 Massey Ferguson hay baler, good condition. Call Truett or Glen Strickland, 735-2914, 735-2925. 31-tfc

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Gamma Tau Chapter Plans 1973-74 Work

Gamma Tau Chapter of the International Delta Kappa Gamma Society met recently in the library of Rotan High School for the purpose of planning work for the 1973-74 club year. The business meeting and planning session was followed by a salad luncheon in the homemaking department. Mrs. Nancy Tandy, President, voiced the opening prayer and presided for the meeting.

A brief Memorial tribute was held in honor of the late Mrs. Herman Phillips of Sweetwater who died in July of this year. She was a dedicated member of the chapter for nearly 30 years and had served in many capacities including president. She served many years on the State Scholarship Committee and regularly attended state and district meetings. She was a member of the Texas State Chorus at many state conventions. The chapter is making a contribution to a Delta Kappa Gamma Scholarship in her memory.

Mrs. Tandy reported on the State Convention held in San Antonio in June. Mrs. Whit Clark, First Vice-President and Program Chairman, presented tentative plans for 1973-1974. The theme for this year is

"Changing Times; Challenge or Dilemma" with focus on "Continuing Education for Changing Times". Topics, program personnel and hostesses were planned for each meeting.

The group voted to participate in the Texas State Project of sponsoring a chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma to be organized in the Republic of Mexico.

It was announced that the Fall Regional Meeting will convene on November 3 in Colorado City.

Attending the meeting were Mrs. Ruth Wiman of Roscoe; Miss Josie Baird, Mmes. W. K. Callan, Clark, James B. Day, Rudy Hamric, M. T. Hill, N.E. Kennedy, K.C. McCasland, N.D. Miers, Robert Phillips, Tandy, J.R. Strayhorn, Jerry Marshall, and Robert Witherspoon of Rotan; Mmes. J. Frank Davis, T.E. Knapp, Robert Higgins, Zelma Hulse, and Misses Louise Bollinger and Nikki Casner all of Sweetwater.

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society is an International Organization of experienced women teachers. It was organized in Austin in 1929 and the International Headquarters remain there. The local chapter includes Nolan and Fisher Counties.

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Alton Smith for Rotan, Mrs. Freddie Stuart for Roby, Mrs. Fred Kemp for McCaulley; Jackie Etheredge for Hobbs; and W. P. Schubert for Longworth.

There is a District III Adult Leaders Banquet in Munday on Saturday, November 10. All adult leaders are invited to attend. The nominating committee appointed includes Morris Guelker, Chairman, Albert Hatway and Freddie Stuart.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to take this opportunity to sincerely thank all the wonderful people that sent flowers, cards and expressed sympathy during the loss of Eldred Goforth. We are extremely grateful for all our wonderful friends that aided us during our time of sorrow. May God Bless each and every one of you.

The family of Eldred Goforth



HOBBS TITLES: Most Courteous, L to R, Nina Trout and Ross Trout, Most Likely to Succeed, Rhonda Perkins and David Martinez.

Gladys Taylor To Wed John Jackson

Mrs. Gladys Taylor and Mr. John Jackson will be married October 5, at 5:00 p. m., in the First Baptist Church, Rotan.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend the ceremony and reception to follow.



Largest spider award goes to the Theraphosa leblondi, which has a leg span of 10 inches.

Ladies Auxiliary Meet Tonight

The Ladies Auxiliary to VFW Post 5072, Rotan, will hold their regular meeting Thursday, Oct. 4, at 7:30 p. m.

The District President will attend the meeting and each member is urged to be present.

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 Roby, Texas

McCaulley Homecoming Date Is October 13th

The McCaulley 1973 Homecoming has been set for Saturday, October 13. Registration and the business meeting will begin at 4:00 in the gymnasium. A coming home queen will be elected at the business meeting and new officers will be announced.

The junior and senior classes of McCaulley High School will serve a barbecue supper starting at 5:30. Tickets for the supper are priced at \$1.00 for children and \$2.25 for adults.

Rotan To Hold Homecoming Meeting Wed.

James Mann, president of the 1973 Rotan Homecoming Committee, announced an organization meeting for October 10th for all interested ex-students.

Plans are to begin preparation for the forming of the various sub-committees needed to make Homecoming 1973 a successful one.

The meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 10th, at 7:30 p. m., in the Rotan Community Center. Everyone interested is welcome to attend the meeting.

Secret Pals Meeting Held

Mrs. Earl Rhoton and Mrs. Lois Henry were hostesses to the Secret Pal Club Thursday, Sept. 20, at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Rhoton.

Coffee was served to members and guests on arrival. Members present were Ludie Harris, Mmes. Garland Moore, W.A. Hughey, E.F. Campbell, O. D. Knox, Fanny Parker, Tracy King, Elsie Carter, Beulah Ballenger, John Palmer, Joe Ballenger, Joe Morris, and hostesses, Mmes. Rhoton and Henry, and out of town member, Mrs. Margaret Nichols of Rotan.

Guests were Mmes. Bert Killingsworth, M. T. Wilson, and Fred Stevenson, all of Roby, and Mrs. W. P. Neves of Travelers Rest, S. Carolina.

Several kinds of sandwiches, cake, dip, coffee, iced tea, and other party dainties were served buffet style. Mrs. O. D. Knox was recipient of the door prize.

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| 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. Steve Harper 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 Welton Parrish, 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. |

You can't help loving this little pup. Maybe it's because he seems so out of proportion. If he somehow were able to flap those ears he might fly away.

Perhaps there is a little fellow in your home who is "all ears" in another sense . . . a youngster who takes in everything that's said, including some things he isn't meant to hear.

Most children are eager to listen . . . hungry to learn. That is why the early years are so important in the molding of a child's character. The things he hears, whether right or wrong, make a deep impression on his mind. They are soon reflected in his actions and words.

Wise parents take advantage of the Church's program of religious education in implanting those early impressions. They know there is no surer builder of character than religious faith.

NOW . . . while your child is eager to hear and to learn, bring him to church . . . and support the Church in its great undertaking.

ALL EARS

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| FIRST UNITED METHODIST Rotan, Texas Rev. Thomas Taylor, Pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 10:30 a.m. |
| CHURCH OF NAZARENE Rotan, Texas Daniel Kennedy, Pastor Bible Class - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 10:50 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. Jackie Smith, Pastor Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Worship - 11:00 a.m. |
| FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD Rotan, Texas Robert Sherman Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Church - 11:00 a.m. Night Services - 7:30 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. |

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Roby Happenings

BY BUELENE SHIPP

Hi, well it's flu season again, hot one day and cold the next. I guess it's time to fill up all our vitamin bottles again in hopes that the bug won't get us. It has already had it's hold on Gene. He was in Callan hospital this weekend with bronchitis and swollen glands, but he came home Sunday and is feeling some better.

RICHARD and TAMMY STUART took a trip to Vernon last week and came home with 2 beautiful quarter horses off the Wagner Ranch. Tammy is really a lucky girl, cause these horses are to be her own.

Lots of new vehicles in town this week. For instance RICHARD STUART has a new pickup. ED DEATON has a new car and ANDY MOORE was driving a new car the other night.

Happy Birthday greetings to JUDY WRIGHT. Her birthday was Saturday Sept. 29.

Visiting with MRS. C. J. KING over the weekend was her daughter and husband, Rita Faye and Bokie Ivie from Graford.

Belated Birthday Wishes to MIKE GOODRUM. I'm afraid that I missed his birthday on September 4.

MRS. Z. H. ANDERSON was in Lubbock this weekend to visit a sister, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Boling and family.

Weekend guests of MR. AND MRS. RAY SCHERWITZ and Terry were, Dr. Larry Scherwitz, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Scherwitz, John David and Bryan Dale of Roby and Mary Ann Proence and Randy Strong, the distinguished cockroach exterminator from Austin.

MRS. MATTIE STRINGER has been visiting in Granbury with her daughter Mrs. H. Q. Hudler.

"MEAN" JOE GREEN celebrated his birthday on Sept. 26. Hope it was a happy one.

JAMES STREETY was released from Callan Hospital. I saw a big trailer in front of GLADYS HOLCOMB'S house Saturday. Could it be that she has come home? Hope so.

MONTY, SHARRON and Shannon Neighbors spent the weekend in Lubbock visiting with Monty's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Starr. Patty and Freddy, Mrs. Starr is the former Dorothy Neighbors.

MR. AND MRS. B. K. NEWHOUSE attended the funeral in San Saba of Mr. Ed Mahaffey. He is a brother-in-law to Mr. Newhouse, his wife is the former Esther Newhouse who lived in Pledger community for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Paschall Frierson from Abilene are visiting MR. AND MRS. TOMMY FRIERSON and Stephaniee Blance, Friday.

DENNIS AND LYNN DEEN are the proud parents of a big boy born 12:15 a. m. Thursday, Sept. 27. He weighed 8 lbs. and 3ozs and his name is Trampas Wayne Deen.

Benny Wayne and Mildred Kiker and children, Larry, Janet and Monica of Odessa visited over the weekend with MR. AND MRS. JOHN KIKER and other friends and family.

Happy Birthday to MARK POPE. His birthday was Sept. 29th.

MILLIE RAY took a tumble at the football game in Munday last Friday night and is pretty stiff and sore. She sprained her ankle and bruised some ribs. She is still up and around but moving a little slower than usual.

Mrs. MIKE LUJAN traveled to Robstown this week to be with her father Mr. Richard Campos who was to have surgery Monday. MONTY NEIGHORS and JOHN WAYNE JOHNSON share Oct. 2 as birth dates. I would like to wish both of them a very happy day.

Buddy Lujan and Mac Alvarado were weekend guests of MR. AND MRS. FLORENTINO ALVARADO and MR. AND MRS. MANUEL LUJAN.

The Methodist Young Couples went to Snyder last Saturday night. They enjoyed several games of miniature golf. Those attending were Jimmy and Jeanette Price, Judy and Weldon Van Liew, Monty and Sharron Neighbors, Keifer and Aubrey Nell Cauble and Steve and Jeanie Harper.

Happy Birthday to JOAN FERRIS on October 3rd.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK LEACH had lots of company this past weekend. Katy Nabours was here from Abilene. A. E. Wyatt here from San Antonio; Clauding and Willie Wilson and Wade from Sweetwater; Barbara Harris, Larry and Lynn all from Midland, and Ben Ramon was home from Cisco.

Visiting with AUBREY NELL AND KEIFER CAUBLE for a while are Dick and Ida Hogarth from Lorraine, Ohio. The Hogarths and the Caubles met while on vacation in Sun Valley, Colorado in August. Mr. and Mrs. Hogarth are on a traveling tour of America. They plan to travel for at least a year. Mr. Hogarth is a speaker for the American Cancer Assoc. He addressed the people at the Roby High School Auditorium Wednesday morning. He is a victim of cancer of the larynx. After his surgery he has made many speeches thru the help of a voice aid instrument. He would love to meet all the people of this county and so I think you should try to meet him and his charming wife or at least try to attend one of his lectures.

JOE AND ZANNA BETH FORD were gone for several days this week. Joe went to Waco for a District meeting of the Farmers Union Ins. Co. and Zanna Beth went to visit with his mother in Evant, Mrs. Charley Tyson.

Wednesday, while frog hunting, THOMAS DICKSON somehow happened to get shot in the leg. He was taken to Stamford where the bullet was removed and thank goodness there was no serious damage done. Thomas has returned to work already so I suppose he is doing fine.

Some people are so lucky? FOY AND DESSIE MITCHELL, MUTT AND INEZ NEVES, AND DONO AND LOIS TERRY are some of these people. They just last week returned from a 10 day trip to countries such as Spain, Africa and Portugal. Their trip began in Phoenix, Arizona where they attended a convention on the trip. They went from there to Chicago and then flew across to Spain. They spent a few days in Africa and stopped back by Portugal on the way home. I know that they really enjoyed this once in a lifetime trip.

JOE AND ZANNA BETH FORD have moved into the house where Raymond and Jayne Grametbauer moved out.

The Ladies Auxiliary Fire Dept. met Tuesday to see who all could run races at the Snyder convention this coming weekend. We also discussed having a halloween carnival. We expect 12 women to attend the ladies luncheon at 11:30 in the Scurry County Coliseum. If anyone else would like to be at Valene Kiker's house at 9:30 Saturday morning.

TINCE AND WANDA KIKER were in Midland this past week to see Sel Holcomb, Wanda's father. He fell recently and broke his hip and they did surgery on it Wednesday. He was in intensive care until the weekend. He is in Midland Memorial Hospital, in room 325. He is doing about the same as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cutbirth from Reedley, California have been here visiting with Tince and Wanda Kiker and other family and friends. Mrs. Cutbirth is a sister to Sel Holcomb.

Dennis Kiker of San Angelo was in Roby visiting with friends and family Monday.

JIM AND PANSY HALE were in Clyde Tuesday to attend the funeral of a friend.

TOMMIE JACK AND CAROLE STUART attended the Area IV Young Farmer and Young Homemaker Convention in Abilene Sept. 22. Tommie Jack, the past president of Area II gave a report to the Young Farmers Area IV on the things that have been happening in Area II. Carole attended the business meeting of Area IV Young Homemakers. They attended the banquet that night. Guest speaker for the banquet was Kathryn Duff.

That's all I have this week and remember, "Wisdom is knowing when you can not be wise".



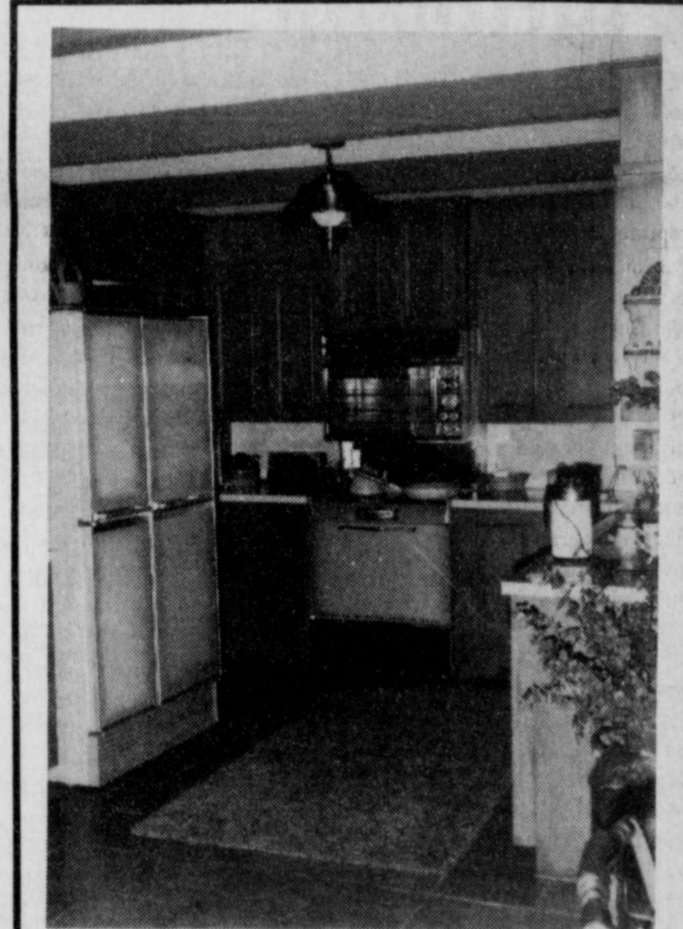
JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS: These three Hobbs girls are leading the cheers for the 1973 Panthers. Left to right, Patty Martinez, Judy Medrano, and Irma Alaniz.



HOBBS TWIRLERS: Left to right, June Martinez and Kayla Tibbles.



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Play Day

Fisher County has received an invitation to take part in the Anson Open Play Day to be held at the Charley Myatt Arena in Anson at 7:30 p. m., October 6. Events will be pole bending, barrel racing, flag racing, calf scramble, boot races and a \$2 jackpot barrel race.

The events are open to anyone. Ribbons will be awarded for the first four places. Age group breakdown for the pole bending, barrel and flag racing will be 8 and under, 9 through 12, 13 to 15, and over 16.



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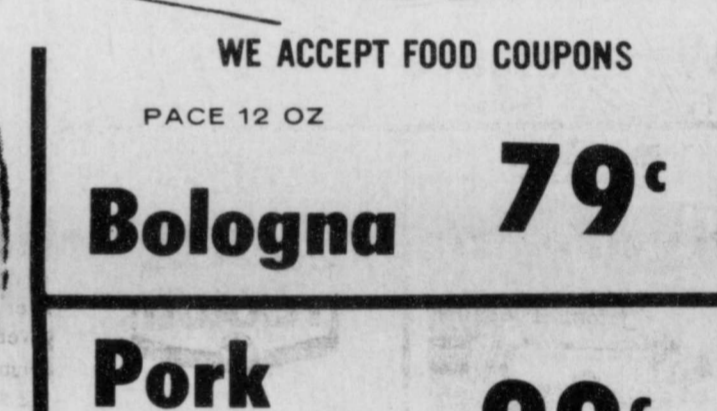
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Jimmy Price Elected New Roby Fire Department Head

The Roby Volunteer Fire Department held their regular meeting Thursday night, Sept. 20.

New officers were elected for the coming year. They are Jimmy Price, President; Howard Fought, Vice President; John Kiker, Chief; J. N. McGinnis, 1st Assistant Chief; Pete Driver, 2nd Asst. Chief; Gene Shipp, 1st Captain; Monty Neighbors, second Captain; J. D. McCormick, Chaplain; Wayne Pursley and Robert Grametbauer are Convention Delegates; Alternate Delegate is

Monty Neighbors.

The next Area Firemen Convention is to be held in Snyder October 6th. All members of the Roby Department are urged to attend. The ladies of the auxiliary are also urged to

Willing Workers Hold Meeting

The Willing Workers 4-H Club met September 25th at the Agriculture Building, Roby. The officers elected were: President, Shelley Boyd; Vice-President, Michele Cox; Secretary, Vicky Shipp; Reporter,

attend the ladies program, to begin with a luncheon at 11:30 a.m. at the Scurry County Coliseum. Ladies who wish to attend should contact Buelene Shipp at 776-2254 or Valene Kiker at 776-2296.

Kathy King, Council Delegate, Sylvia Gaona, Game Leaders, Lois Ann Cauble, Patricia Toole and Melinda McGinnis. The group discussed the next meeting and then adjourned for games.

WEATHER

from The Records of FRED BYERLY
Rotan Weather Observer

| SEPT. '73 | Prec. | Hi | Lo |
|-----------|-------|----|----|
| Wed. 26 | .45 | 85 | 60 |
| Thur. 27 | | 75 | 58 |
| Fri. 28 | | 78 | 45 |
| Sat. 29 | | 85 | 65 |
| Sun. 30 | | 81 | 52 |

| OCT. '73 | Prec. | Hi | Lo |
|----------|-------|----|----|
| Mon. 1 | | 88 | 62 |
| Tues. 2 | .45 | 90 | 66 |

| Total precipitation to date: | |
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| 1972..... | 20.91 |
| 1973..... | 22.07 |
| Aug. Total..... | 6.02 |

Davis, Marshall Will Sing With Abilene Chorale

Mrs. Ruth G. Davis of Roby was recently invited to sing with the Abilene Chorale, a civic music organization, directed by Dr. Jack Boyd, A.C.C. music professor. Selections for the chorale were based on auditions. The group contains 33 members, 10 new members having been added this year. They meet to rehearse on Thursday nights in Abilene, and will present several musical programs during the coming winter and spring months.

Mrs. Davis is Choral director and a teacher-librarian for the Roby Public Schools. She received her music education

from North Texas State University and Abilene Christian College, receiving a Bachelor of Music Education Degree from Abilene Christian.

Mrs. Mary Ann Marshall of Roby is also a member of this organization, having been selected last year when the Civic Chorale was organized.

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Fisher County Farm Bureau was founded in 1948 and chartered in January 1952. Main organizers were C. C. Carter, Grover Carter, Ben Hargrove, Ernest Webb, G. C. Shell and Charlie Nunn. Mrs. C. C. Carter served as Secretary from 1950 to 1968. During those years she kept all the records for the membership by hand. In the beginning only Blue Cross and Blue Shield insurance was offered.

Fisher County Farm Bureau is affiliated with Texas Farm Bureau and the American Farm Bureau Federation. It is the world's largest Farm Organization representing 2,175,780 families nation wide. Of these 136,943 families are in Texas, and more than 350 member families are in Fisher County.

Mr. Ben Reaid, Agent for Fisher County Farm Bureau Office in Rotan, notes numerous accomplishments at state and national levels. Among advantages of membership is the opportunity to participate in the Property Protection Program. All that is required to ensure protection of a Farm Bureau member's property is the posting of a reward sign at the main entrance to the property. These metal signs are available at the county office. Texas Farm Bureau will pay a reward of \$200 to the person furnishing information leading to the arrest and conviction of persons committing trespass, felony theft, arson, or malicious mischief on posted property owned or rented by a member of the Fisher County Farm Bureau.

A complete line of insurance services is available to members. This includes Fire, Home Owners, Farm/Ranch Owners, Farm Labor, Life, Accident, and Accidental Death. A generous Dividend is currently being paid on all lines of insurance.

Members of Fisher County Farm Bureau are able to purchase tires and batteries at substantial savings from the county FB's Safemark servicing agents. These bargain prices are made possible through vol-

ume buying for 39 state Farm Bureaus, and statewide sales soared over the \$9 million mark last year. The Safemark dealer for Fisher County is Nowlin Farm Supply of Rotan.

The structure of the Farm Bureau guarantees membership control. Members originate policies, and through delegates to the state convention, control state and national policies and election of officers and directors. The guiding policies originate at the grass-roots level with each member given an opportunity to participate.

Some Farm Bureau achievements on state level are representation of Texas agriculture in Austin since the mid 30's; support of animal health laws; brucellosis, hog cholera, and screwworm programs; support and protection of Farm-to-Market road progra; retaining sales tax exemption for machinery; securing improved feed, seed, fertilizer, and insecticide laws;

helping secure funds for agricultural research and education; and securing changes in farm truck driver regulations. On the national level they have represented agriculture in the Nation's Capital since 1920, secured price support designed to eliminate seasonal slumps, defeated marketing order schemes on turkeys, potatoes and rye grass, helped prevent enactment of many harmful supply management programs, backed REA and rural telephones, secured funds for agricultural research and education, and tax refund on farm-used gasoline.

The Farm Bureau is the voice of the nation's agriculture. Its power and influence is not at the county court house or in Austin or in Washington, but out where the members live and vote. Legislative staffs are maintained in Austin and in Washington to inform lawmakers on Farm Bureau members' position and to call for membership action when necessary. It is the only farm organization

that can exert influences on elected representatives from 49 states.

Farm Bureau is local, statewide, national and international in its scope. It is non-partisan, non-sectarian, and non-secret in character. It is a free, independent, non-governmental voluntary organization of farm and ranch families united for the purpose of analyzing their problems and formulating action to achieve education improvement, economic opportunity, and social advancement, thereby promoting the national welfare.

For twenty-five years Fisher County Farm Bureau has served the interests of the people of this county. It has kept in step with the times, offering personal services and benefits for members which are made possible only through group association. The Farm Bureau works for agriculture through preserving freedom and increasing economic opportunity. It is the voice of the people.



FARM BUREAU DIRECTORS: Front row, left to right, Danie Gruben, Ernest Webb, Mrs. L. D. Singley, Mrs. Lon Weems, Lon Weems, Mrs. Horace Carter and Horace Carter. Back row, L to R, Odell Raines, James Carter, Martin Warren, L. D. Singley, Milton Webb, Alton Smith, John Wallace, Glen Gruben, Richard Posey and Glenn Copeland.

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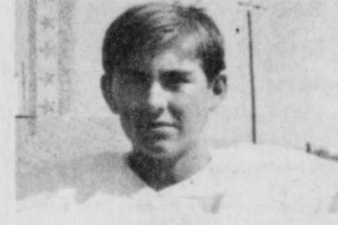
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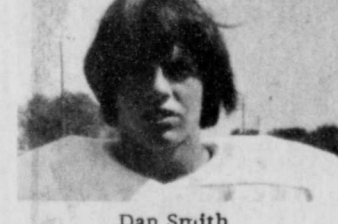
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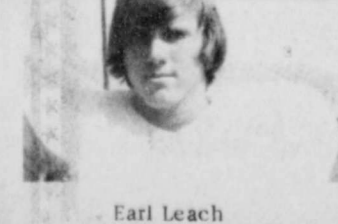
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Joe Murphee



Mike Cade



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Senior Spotlight



GAYLON KIDD



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Away Game

Friday

October 5-7:30

Rotan Varsity Schedule

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| SEPT. 7 | HAMLIN | H |
| SEPT. 14 | ANSON | T |
| SEPT. 28 | SPUR | H |
| OCT. 5 | ROSCOE | T |
| OCT. 12 | ALBANY | H |
| OCT. 19 | WYLIE | T |
| OCT. 26 | MERKEL | T |
| NOV. 2 | BAIRD | H |
| NOV. 9 | JIM NED | T |
| NOV. 17 | ASPERMONT | H |



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By Rotan High School Students

TWO STUDENTS IN WTRF QUEEN CONTEST

Two students from Rotan High School were sponsored by the Fisher County Sheriff Posee in the Miss West Texas Fair Rodeo Queen and Princess Contest, Kathy McCombs, a junior, participated in the Princess contest, and Jaye Neice Hendon, a senior, in the Queen contest.

There were eight contestants in the queen contest and eleven in the princess contest. On Thursday morning, the contestants were judged on horsemanship ability. Also that morning, the Queen contestants were interviewed on Henry's Den, Friday, all contestants were judged on personality and appearance at the Petroleum Club. A luncheon was served in the dining room for the fair officials, judges, and contestants. A special guest at the luncheon was the entertainer at the rodeo, Jody Miller, Saturday evening before the final performance of the rodeo, all of the girls were honored at a buffet dinner in the home of Mr. James Tittle.

RHS ENROLLMENT FOR 1973-74

The enrollment of Rotan High School for the 1973-74 year consists of a total of 197 students.

The freshman class holds the high total of 52 students. There are 27 boys (4 Black, 18 White, and 5 Mexican-American) and 25 girls (18 White and 7 Mexican-American).

The sophomore class consists of 51 students. The boys overrule the girls in this class having a total of 27 (1 Black, 21 White and 5 Mexican-American). The girls are 24 in number (2 Black, 15 White and 7 Mexican-American).

The further we go the fewer we see - for the Rotan Junior Class holds only 47 members. There are 26 boys (1 Black, 16 White, and 9 Mexican-American) and 21 girls (2 Black, 14 White, and 5 Mexican-American).

And now we come to the great seniors. The only class in High school with more girls than boys. There are 24 girls (2 Black, 17 White and 5 Mexican-American) and 23 boys (18 White and 5 Mexican-American) a grand total of 47.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

There have been a number of birthdays in high school since school has started. In August, Linda Hooper, Linda Vann, Gary Wester, Kathy McCombs, and Wes Morrow had birthdays. In September, Ray Garva, Frankie Gaspar, Larry Hartman, Barbara Amada, Teresa Coan, Jackie Cadenhead, James Kelley, Kim Copeland, Susie McKinney, and Cindy Springer had birthdays.

This week Carolyn DeLeon and Pat Weatherbee have birthdays on September 27; Teddy Turner and Adriana Forrest on October 2; and Jill Hill on October 4. HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

TENNIS WORKOUT

Tennis players are getting an early start this year from the new schedule. Mrs. Strayhorn is working with tennis students during fourth period study hall.

The students who are involved are Scott McKinney, Larry Hartman, J. R. Tankersley, Larry Tankersley, Dempsey Smith, John Arnett and Steve LeBleu.

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Birthplace, Rotan School, Rotan
Color of eyes, Green
Color of hair, Brown
Height, 5'-7"
Favorite Food, Snickers
Favorite Artist, Mel Tillis
Hobby, collect pennies, dimes, half-dollars
Sports, "I like football"
College preference, Western Texas College
Chosen vocation, undecided
Favorite colors, Green & Brown
Name, Gail Jones

SENIORS RECEIVE PICTURE PROOFS

The senior class pictures were taken Friday, September 7, by Whit's Studio of Colorado Springs, Colorado. The unretouched proofs of these pictures were returned on September 17 for the students to choose from and make their orders.

Five poses of each senior were taken in natural color. The girls pictures were taken in formal drapes supplied by Whit's, and the boys pictures were taken in their suits and in tuxedos also furnished by Whit's.

From the proof the order is made and from these will also be an annual glossy made which will be sent to the annual staff. Each senior will receive one 8 x 10 Master Composite of the class with any portrait order. The finished portraits will be mailed to the student's homes sometime before Christmas.

CAPS AND GOWNS

Rotan seniors received their cap and gown pictures last week. These pictures were taken by Allan "Tack" Hammer Studio of Lubbock. The cap and gown which each senior wore was furnished by the studio. Each senior was to receive a 5x7 picture free even if a regular package of pictures was not purchased.

At least two poses were taken of each senior. The girls had one pose taken while holding their cap in their hands, while in the second pose they wore both the cap and gown. The boys also wore, in one pose the cap and gown, while in the second pose they wore only the gown.

THE STUDENT CONGRESS

For the last few years the Student Council has not been very active, so this year there will be a Student Congress. The Congress will consist of four representatives from each class.

The members of the student congress for 1973-74 school year have been chosen. Each grade selected two students to act as representatives for their grade.

The senior representatives are Mike Cade and Santana Yanez. The junior representatives are Tim Acorn and Barbara Surratt. The sophomore representatives are Kim Gray and Tammy Strickland. The freshman representatives are Lisa Hale and Ken Holt. The faculty voted on two additional students from each grade to be a representative of their grade. The seniors elected are Roxie Cleveland and Clay Helms. The juniors are Kathy Nowlin and Neal Neal. The sophomores are Brian Cave and Marcelina Yanez. The freshmen are Wes Morrow and Dee Ann Weathersbee.

The officers will be elected from this group of people by these members.

The Congress will be in charge of all the assemblies and many other activities.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

This is a list of the 1973-74 Yellowhammer football schedule with the mascots and colors.

There are some schools that have the same colors. They are Merkel and Wylie with purple and gold; and Albany, Baird, Jim Ned, and Aspermont all have red and white.

Schedule: Hamlin-Pied Pipers, Green & White; Anson-Tigers, Red and White; Spur-Bulldogs, Blue and Gold; Roscoe-Plowboys, Purple and White; Albany-Lions, Red and White; Wylie-Bulldogs, Purple and Gold; Merkel-Bagers, Purple and Gold; Baird-Bearcats, Red and White; Jim Ned-Indians, Red and White; Aspermont-Hornets, Red, Black, and White.

REGISTER-DRAFT

Eighteen year old males still need to register for the draft. At the age of eighteen, you must register during the 60-day period beginning 30 days prior to your birthday. The nineteen year olds get a lottery number in the national lottery held in Washington, D. C. The twenty year olds are liable for a call-up by the lottery number if an emergency requires resumption of draft calls.

Register with Tom Collins of Rotan, or the courthouse in Roby.

PEP RALLIES

The pep rallies start this year at 3:15 instead of 3:30. The student body has a lot of spirit and so does the public. This means a lot to the football boys.

This year the students are bringing cow bells to the pep rallies. This really adds to the spirit.



KNOW YOUR SENIOR

Birthdate, July 13, 1956
Birthplace, Rotan Schools, Rotan
Color of eyes, Blue
Color of Hair, Brown.
Height, 5'-2"
Favorite Food, none
Favorite Artist, all
Hobby, Sewing
Sports, None
College preference, not decided
Chosen vocation, secretary
Favorite colors, blue and pink
Name, Linda Dickson

DEBATE CLUB

Debate Club met Wednesday, September 19, at 12:15 in the library to discuss procedures of debate. Mr. Garcia, debate coach, told of the meets and tournaments the club plans to attend this 1973-74 debate season.

Members are Kathy McCombs, Timothy Acorn, Brenda Hinson, Lisa Hale, Lynda Hooper, David Ramby, Susie McKinney, and Mary Gaspar.

There was a meeting Friday, September 21, and on September 25, when officers were elected. The officers are: President, Timothy Acorn; Vice-President, Kathy McCombs; and Secretary-Treasurer, Lisa Hale.

MAGAZINE SALES

In recent weeks members of the Rotan Junior High Band have sold \$1922.14 of magazines.

This includes \$579.21 sold by the fifth graders; \$451.33 sold by the sixth graders; \$443.77 by the seventh graders; and \$447.63 sold by the 8th graders. Money derived from the sale of magazines is used by the band for repairs, and new sheets of music.

Students received prizes as their reward for work well done.

F. H. A. MEETS

The F. H. A. held a meeting on Monday the 18th. The F.H.A. began organizing by electing officers. The officers are: President, Cindy Helms; Vice-President, Gayle Posey; Secretary-Treasurer, Peggy Upshaw; Parliamentarian, Debbie Daniel; Historian, Kathy McCombs; Pianist, Lisa Summers; Song Leader, Lisa Hale; Reporter, Patty Weathersbee.

The date of the F. H. A. initiation for the new members will be announced at a later date.

BRUCE JONES RECEIVES COMMENDATION LETTER

A Letter of Commendation honoring him for his high performance on the 1972 Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) has been awarded to one student at Rotan High School, Principal Neil Wright has announced.

The named Commended student is Bruce Jones.

The National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC) has named 38,000 Commended students throughout the United States. These students are among the upper 2 percent of those who are expected to graduate from high school in 1974. Thus, the Commended students rank high, but below the 15,000 Semifinalists in September by NMSC.

Edward C. Smith, president of NMSC, said: "The high standing of Commended students in the Merit Program competition shows that they have great promise of continued success in college. Although Commended students advance no further in the Merit Scholarship competition, their attainment in this nationwide program deserves public recognition."

The Commended students should be encouraged to make every effort to continue their education. Both these students and our nation will benefit from their continuing educational and personal development.

To increase their scholarship opportunities Commended students' names are reported to the colleges they named as their first and second choices when they took the PSAT/NMSQT in October 1972. The reports include home addresses, test scores, and anticipated college major and career intentions of the Commended students.

SCHOOL EVENTS

The Hammer Team intends to tear Roscoe up Friday the 5th there. Albany is daring to invade Hammer Land October 12. Rotan students get a day's break on October 15 while the teachers taste a bit of school at the TSTA meeting in Abilene.

On October 19th, the Big Hammers will charge over to Wylie and charge back in victory. The Hammer team decided October 26th would be a good date to plaster Merkel to their football field. The Baird Bears are invited here by the Big Yellow Hammers on November 2 for another Hammer Victory.

SAT- ACT TESTS

The game has come for the SAT- ACT Tests to be taken. The SAT, a two-hour version of the College Board Scholastic aptitude test measures verbal and mathematical abilities important in college work. The questions in the verbal section of the SAT tests your ability to understand word relationships and to comprehend what you read. Those in the mathematical sections tests your ability to understand and to solve problems about numbers and quantities.

The 1973 SAT test dates are Tues, Oct. 23, or Sat., Oct. 27. The SAT Test fee is \$6.50

The ACT American College Testing Program is a nonprofit national service organization that provides comprehensive information about students for more than 2,000 colleges, universities, 2 year institutions and scholarship programs.

The information provided to secondary institutions is collected from each student when he or she writes the ACT Assessment. These institutions use the information in course placement and sectioning, student personnel work, admission, and for counseling and scholarship purposes. This information also is reported to the students high school and is of valuable assistance in the student's pre-college planning.

The test dates are Oct. 20th, Dec. 8, Feb. 23, April 27, and June 15.

The ACT Test fee is \$6.50. A social security card must be acquired before or on the examination date.

TURKEY SHOOT

November 11 is the date set for the annual turkey shoot sponsored by the Rotan Junior Class and the Rotan Fire Department. The turkey shoot will be held at the Clay Fowler ranch north of Rotan at 1:00 p. m. There will be target shooting, trap shooting, bingo, and refreshments. Everyone is welcome.

SIX-WEEKS ENDS

Last week was the First Six Weeks' test week for the students of Rotan. The High School students had the odd period test on Thursday and the even period tests on Friday. The reason for the tests being like this is so the students will not be so crowded with their studying.

Today is the day that all students will receive their report cards.

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Swimming Pool, City Park Paid For Roby....A Good Place To Live

--by Della Baird

Since the opening of school all is quiet at Roby City Park and Swimming Pool; but the facilities are well used by the community--especially in the summer time.

It all began in 1968 and is an example of community cooperation in a civic project designed for the benefit and enjoyment of local children and young people. The idea of a City Park and Swimming Pool originated with the City Commissioners. At that time Jimmy Waddell was Mayor of Roby, and Jimmy Price and Cecil King were Commissioners. Mr. J. B. Hughey, long-time employee of the city, says "They told me to investigate the cost of the proposed project and my reply was, 'We can't afford it'. They told me to look into it anyway." Mr. Hughey, like other Roby residents, is proud that they did afford it. He says, "In the five years since it was built it has almost broken even." Other values are intangible and can not be measured in dollars and cents. Mr. Hughey adds, "It gives the kids some place to go---- before this, they had to go out of town to a park or swimming pool."

Despite the opinion that "it couldn't be done", in September of 1973 the final payment on

the civic project was made. Built in December of 1968 the pool cost a total of \$16,002.25. This included \$10,966.00 to Gary Pool for construction, \$237.00 to Kiker Electric, \$4,361.75 to Central Lumber Co., and \$437.50 to Maudling Welding. The County helped with excavation which amounted to a saving of about \$1,000.00.

Initial donations, without a concentrated drive, amounted to \$4,553.74. Gate receipts at the pool for the past five seasons have aggregated \$8,120.62.

The playground adjoining the swimming pool areas was, until recently, a hillside covered with mesquite brush. It is now a well kept area inviting use by picnicing groups and children needing a place for recreation and fun. The playground equipment was purchased at a cost of \$1024.64. The Shelters with tables, seats and fire places were donated by Central Lumber

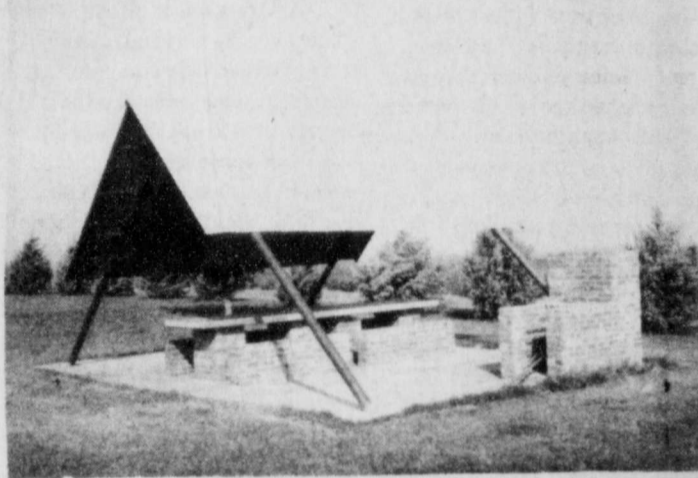
Company, Roby Fire Department, Citizens State Bank and Roby Lions Club. Trees were donated by the Lions Club and were set out by volunteers. Many people had a part in the project through donations and services. The two major civic groups making it a success were the Roby Fire Department and Lions Club.

"It could not have been done," Mr. Hughey adds, "without community cooperation. Maybe it is because we are few in number, but there just aren't any so

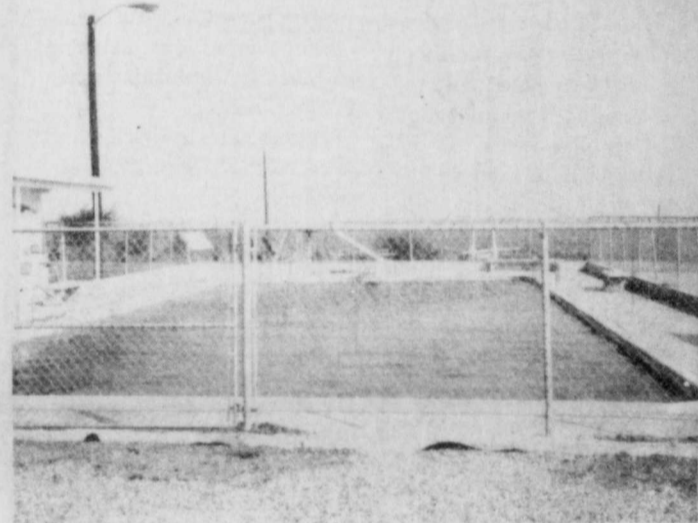
called 'factions' in our town. The way the people work together for a common interest is one of the things that makes Roby such a good place to live".



ROBY PLAYGROUND



ROBY PICNIC AREA



ROBY POOL

Roby Band Boosters Will Sponsor Homecoming Lunch

The Roby Band Booster Club will sponsor the Homecoming Luncheon Saturday, October 13, at the school cafeteria. Serving hours are 11 a. m. to 1 p. m.

Band members are selling ad-

vance tickets. The prices are \$2.00 for adults and \$1.50 for children. There will be a limited supply of tickets on sale at the door. Please buy your tickets in advance if possible.

Also, the Boosters are having a bake sale. If you would like a certain kind of cake or pie, please contact Maxine Terry, Juanita Gaona or Wynell Terry. They will also take orders for hot tamales. Place your orders as soon as possible. The price for tamales is \$2.00 a dozen and cakes and pies are priced according to the order.

Flash Bits

Fisher County Nursing Home

Hello to all. Everyone seems to be doing fine at this writing.

Mr. Holder is now able to be going back to town for his regular domino game, so looks like he is on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Cooper spent a day and night at home this week while her children were here.

Mrs. Kiser spent the weekend in Sweetwater with Mrs. Freda Rushton and family.

Was very happy to have Barney Knight spend a day with this week while his wife was out of town.

Among visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Kidwell of San Angelo and Mrs. Dewey Donham of Hamlin to visit Sadie Meeks; Lucille Biers of Sweetwater visited her father Homer Lawlis, visiting Mrs. H.N. Reed were John Reed of McCaulley and granddaughter from Gatesville.

Visiting Mrs. Cooper were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cooper of California, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Sawyer and family of Andrews and Carl Cooper of Stamford.

That's our news for another week.

Roby LLL Club Holds Meeting

The LLL Club held their luncheon Wednesday, Sept. 19, at the First Baptist Church, Roby. Mrs. Joe Morris, president, called the meeting to order. The minutes were read by the secretary, Mrs. W. A. Hughey.

At lunch time Mr. Tracy King voiced the invocation.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Clegg, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy King, and Mmes. E. F. Campbell, Joe Morris, Beulah Ballenger, Charlie Smallwood, Tom Miller, W. A. Hughey, Fred Stevenson, and S. H. Haley.

The club was delighted to have as a guest Mrs. W. P. Neves of Travelers Rest, South Carolina. Mrs. Neves is the former Peggy Ballenger.

DAR Has Program On Flag

Mrs. Whit Clark was the hostess for the Anne Pettus Shelburne Chapter, D. A. R. Thursday September 20, at 7:30 p. m.

Attending were Mmes. C. E. Atwell, L. R. Batteas, Whit Clark, James B. Day, Bill Graham, Bobby Gruben, Rudy Hamric, Norvell Kennedy, J. L. McCright, N. G. Myers, J. R. Strayhorn, F. E. Tutt and Virgil Weems; Miss Della Baird and a visitor, Mrs. Bryon Bowers.

Miss Della Baird, Regent, presided at the business meeting. Mrs. Jimmy Don Hale read the President General's message. The Chaplin, Mrs. James B. Day voiced the prayer, led the pledge to the flag and had the chapter members repeat the American's Creed in unison.

Mrs. C. E. Atwell reported that the cooperations from everyone in making a very successful "Constitution Week".

Mrs. Bobby Gruben gave the National Defense. "The Citizen's Responsibility." This republic is as much endangered today by the indifference of millions of people, inheritors of the traditions and opportunities of this greatest of all nations, to their own duties and responsibilities, as it is by the activities of the open and secret enemies of American institutions.

Half of our citizens do not even take the trouble to vote. Most of the remainder consider their duty to their country discharged when they have cast their ballot and go about their business during the interval between political campaigns, giving little or no thought to the national welfare.

Elements antagonistic to American institutions are not so much to be feared as they are at work, in the open and under cover. They undermine the faith of the people in their country, spreading unrest, discontent, envy and hatred.

George Washington expressed

the hope that the United States of America would not follow "the usual course of nations". The usual course of nations has been that of the tide in its daily movements- to rise and then fall. This nation cannot escape the usual fate of governments except through the vigilance of its citizens.

It is human nature to take an inheritance for granted; to accept it as a matter of course, to deem it unnecessary to defend that which others have fought for, that it might be ours. Many voices have been raised in criticism of American institutions, traditions, and ideals. Few think it worthwhile to call attention to the values of these institutions, traditions and ideals.

To fight for one's country when its life is threatened by violence is noble and heroic; to stand

up for it in peace time is a virtue quite as necessary. And, unless there be such virtue in citizenship, our traditions will be forgotten, our ideals neglected and our institutions will crumble.

Institution, governments, do not preserve themselves. They can be preserved only by the vigilance of those whose guardianship they have been committed. Upon you as a citizen of the Republic, rest a responsibility which cannot be shirked without danger to your country. Its future is worth something or your thought, so much of which is given to matters of less moment.

Mrs. Whit Clark closed the meeting with a program on the history and proper use of the flag.

Girl Scouting Needs You

Almost everyone knows something about Girl Scouts of the U. S. A., because it has been an integral part of the American scene for over 60 years.

It is taken for granted that any girl who wants to can belong. That is true- but only up to a point. The unhappy truth is that without enough adult leaders and assistant leaders, girls who want and need Girl Scouting have to wait.

Today, Girl Scouting serves one out of every seven girls ages 6-17 in the U. S. A. It could and would serve many thousands more if those adults who care about our youth would volunteer to be a leader.

There is a mistaken tendency to believe you must be a parent of girls in order to be a Girl Scout Leader. This of course is nonsense. Thousands of women and men, from young singles to senior citizens, from every

ethnic, economic, and educational background are in Girl Scouting.

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Call or write the local West Texas Girl Scout Council and volunteer to be a Girl Scout leader or assistant leader. They will take it from there. Phone 698-1738.

Buzz Bugs Club met Sept. 26, in the Community Building.

Those enjoying games of 49 and refreshments were: Pauline Helms, Date Murphree, Lelia Nash, R. E. Curlee, Mamie Crow, Lena Feagan, Hilton Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Henry, Jewell Tankersley, and Mr. and Mrs. Preston Beene.

Becca Frierson Elected Roby Rough Rider Head

The Roby Rough Riders met in the Firehall Tuesday, September 25, at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Jimmy Laurie was guest speaker. Hewas asked to speak on Parliamentary Procedures. His talk was very helpful in settling some of the club's differences.

There was a new election of officers. Those elected for the 1974 riding season were: President, Becca Frierson; Vice-President, Revis Cauble; Secre-

tary-Treasurer, Scarlet Stevens; Reporter, Buelene Shipp; Tail-twister, Richard Gaona; Parade Chairman, Brad Stuart; Assistant Parade Chairman, Monty Neighbors; and Club Queen, Kim Boyd.

It was decided that the officers would meet later and draw up a set of rules for the club and put them before the club for a vote.

The club would like to thank Mr. Laurie for his help.

Mark Guelker Gets Texas State Fair Award

Mark Guelker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Guelker of Busby, will be one of 26 state 4-H'ers to receive the State Fair of Texas Honor Award in Dallas on October 5th.

The recognition banquet will be held in the Statler Hilton Hotel in Dallas, October 5th.

While in Dallas Guelker will attend several state 4-H Council meetings and be an escort for the girls in the State 4-H Dress Revue.

Accompanying Guelker to Dallas will be County Agent and Mrs. Richard Spencer and Mrs. Morris Guelker.

Longworth HDC Meets With Mrs Scherwitz

Longworth HD Club met in the home of Mrs. Ray Scherwitz. Mrs. Scherwitz called the house to order. Mrs. Tom Terry read the scripture.

Roll was called and answered with some place of interest the members might visit, county wide in Texas.

Mrs. W. P. Schubert read the minutes and gave the treasurers report.

Motion was made and approved to send \$10.00 to WTRC.

Mrs. Henry Guelker gave a program on cultural art and recreation.

Refreshments of chips and dips, tea and cake were served to Mmes. Bill Lee, W. P. Schubert, Henry Guelker, Tom Terry, and J. W. Landers by the hostess.

Next meeting will be in the R. E. A. Building, October 9th at 2:30. The HD Delegates will report on the State meeting.

Dr. Scherwitz

Dr. Larry Scherwitz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Scherwitz, has received his Doctor Degree in Social Psychology from the University of Texas. He had a post-doctoral research fellowship in Madison, Wisconsin.

He will be doing research with surgical patients for the next two years. He will also be doing work in the prevention and cure of alcoholism and drug abuse and ways to stop smoking.

Talk Given To Rotan Cubs

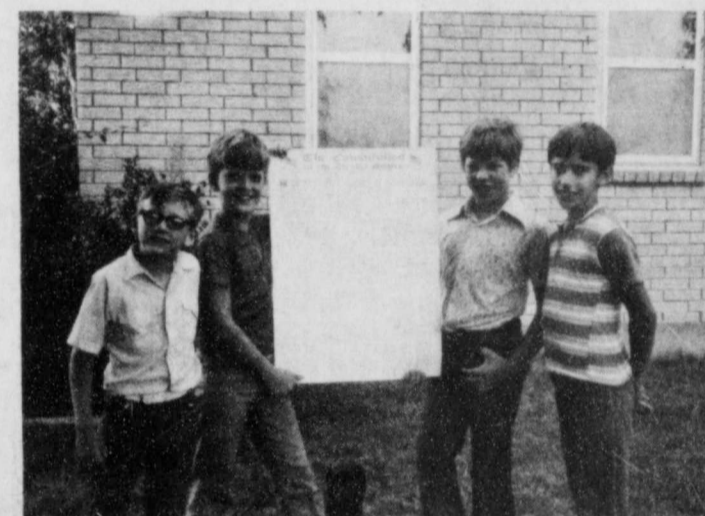
Miss Della Baird talked with Den 2 of Cub Scouts concerning the U. S. Constitution and the freedoms and responsibilities as a result of the U. S. Constitution. She displayed a large copy of the American Constitution as she explained why it was written and many interesting personal facts relating to where the original is kept, the conditions surrounding the writing of the Constitution, and the signers of the Constitution. She read the American Creed and the boys

discussed what it meant to them. Den 2 leaders are Barbara Hardin and Patsy Hamric. Den meetings are at 5 p. m. each Tuesday at 902 E. Burnside.

Den 2 Cub Scouts are Ken Berry, Glynn Ballard, Wes Hardin, Robert Gray, Darrell Carter, Conrad Hamric, Mark Harris, Kip Pease, Martin Vina, Keith Cope land, Jay Ramirez. These boys are working on their Bear achievements and electives and will become Webelos when they are 10 years old.



CONSTITUTION WEEK: These boys hold banner used in a program presented on the Constitution recently. Left to right, Glynn Ballard, Ken Berry, Wes Hardin and Robert Gray.



CONSTITUTION PROGRAM: Left to right Darrell Carter, Kip Pease, Mark Harris and Conrad Hamric hold a copy of the U. S. Constitution displayed at a program held recently.

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