

Kim's Korner

By Kim Pease

BIG SHOPPERS: Barbara Tankersley and Neva McQueen sent their husbands out to the grocery store the other night to get some groceries for supper. Anyone that knows their husbands, Rodney and Curtis, knows that the girls made their first mistake when they asked them to go to the store. When the two showed up with the fixings for supper, the items included: 10 pork chops, 2 coconuts, 2 large bags of onions and 4 pounds of walnuts. I know the girls are good cooks but you've got to be a full time gourmet chef to take those ingredients to make a decent meal out of them. The fellow telling the story never said how the meal came out but he did say that Curtis and Rodney were relieved of duty as grocery shoppers.

FOOTBALL: It was good to see Roby and Rotan finish out their grid seasons with wins. Rotan won a big one by beating Aspermont. Roby played an exciting game in downing Hawley last Friday.

PHONE CALL: Some crack-pot woman called the house last Saturday night (Sunday morning) at 2:15 a.m. I said, "Hello", in a normal groggy tone of voice for that time of the morning, and she said, "Kim Pease, you are a S-O-B". Then the frate caller hung up. Now I normally would not relate this kind of story but like many other things that happen in our home, it had its humorous side. My wife was awake at this point and she wanted to know who it was. "I don't know, Honey. All they said was Kim Pease you're a SOB". I staggered back to bed, found the warm spot I vacated 10 seconds before, and within one minute I was back in dreamland with visions of new subscribers dancing in my head. Little did I know that my poor wife was going to lie there awake for the rest of the night wondering who I had offended. Janece refreshed my memory the next morning on the call and it wasn't until then that I began trying to figure out who it could have been that called. I still haven't figured out who it was, but for the sake of my family, I wish that crackpot callers would blow their tops during normal business hours.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: Profanity advertises a vulgar mind, a weak vocabulary and a vacant soul.

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One minute and thirty seconds later Rotan was on the scoreboard again after a 74 yard run by Jerry Gentry. Goodwin's extra point gave Rotan a 20-6 lead.

Hoss Carillo recovered a fumble on the 35 yard line that led to Rotan's next score.

James Goodwin had runs of 5, 2 and 12 yards before hitting paydirt from 9 yards out with 6:50 left in the second period.

Rotan's final TD of the first half came when Jones scored from 5 yards out, making the score 34-12. On the plays lead-

ing up to the score Clay Helms threw a bruising block to spring Gentry for 14 yards and Joey Vann ran the "end around" for good yardage.

In the second half of action Johnny Lipham intercepted a Jones pass and ran 67 yards for the score. He also ran the 2 point conversion to narrow the Rotan lead to 34-20. This action took place with 4:30 remaining in the game. Aspermont successfully executed an on side kick and scored again 7 plays later to again increase Rotan's lead by 8 points.

With 1:25 left in the game in one referee's mind Jerry Gentry fumbled after making a first down. The head referee apparently over-ruled the decision (Aspermont recovered) and Rotan was home free with a big 34-28 victory.

The win put Aspermont, Rotan and Albany in a three way tie as district champions. Albany won the toss of the coin and will play Holliday in Stamford in Bi-District play this weekend.

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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.

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Rev. Jackle Smith, Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

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Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Church - 11:00 a.m.
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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.

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Morning Worship - 9:45 a.m.
Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.
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Rotan, Texas
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

Beginning of the year TWO

How did we ever get into the habit of looking backwards? By-product of some shoddy mathematics, no doubt. If the day you are born is your birthday—then it's undoubtedly your first birthday. And when you are a year old you should celebrate your second birthday, and begin your second year.

Of course, we are not seriously advocating that everybody add one to his next birthday. That would be too confusing for certain friends of ours who are 39 and holding!

But you will agree, won't you, that on birthdays we ought to be looking ahead? The only year we can do anything about is the one we're about to live. Opportunities do a great deal more for human character than memories, no matter how fond the memories.

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Worship - 11:00 a.m.

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Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

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Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

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Song Service - 10 a.m. - 4th Sun.
Worship - 11:00 a.m. - 4th Sun.

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McCauley, Texas
Verlon Mayfield, Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.

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Bible Class - 10:00 a.m.
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

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Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

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Rotan, Texas
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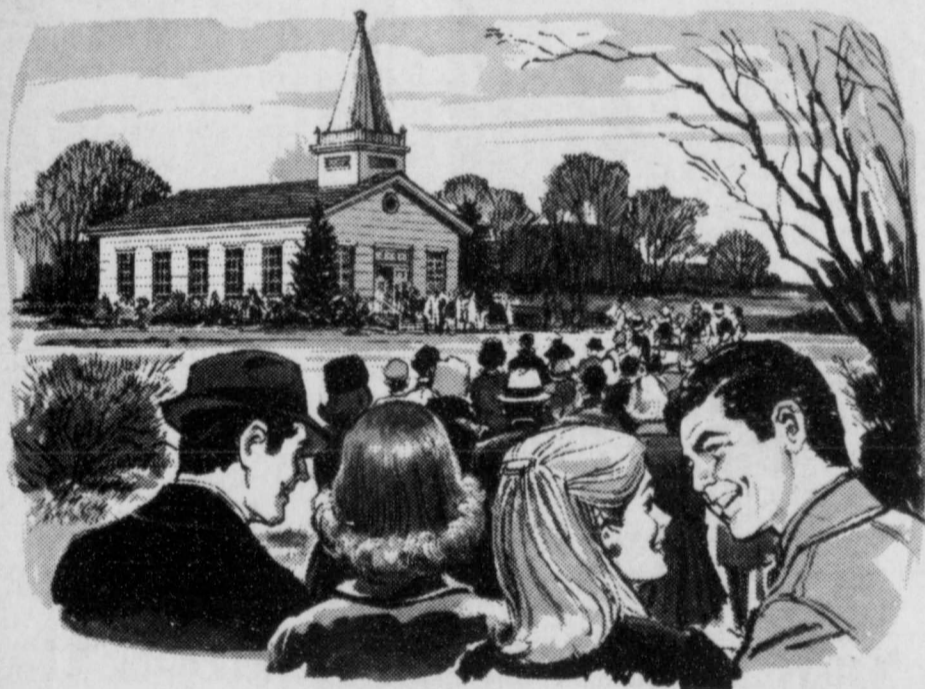
Wednesday

November 21st-7:00 P.M.

At The

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The Lion's Roar

By Ruth Grametbauer

Basketball

The Lionesses played Jayton November 13. The girls came up with a fantastic win. The final score was 52-37.

The girls play November 27 against Trent at home. Come see them play.

Football Sweetheart

Judy Kiser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kiser, was crowned Football Sweetheart by the senior football players.

The players included Donnie Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ardis Stephens; Dale Evers, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Evers; James Park, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Park; and Frank Castor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Castor, Sr.

Judy was presented a dozen red roses, she is a senior and has been in band 8 years and has participated in sports for 7 years.

Birthdays

Celebrating birthdays for the past two weeks were Ricky Morton on the 23rd; Bob Fournier had his birthday November 25; Ruth Grametbauer celebrated her birthday on the 21st.

Ricky Price's birthday was the 11th, Jenna McClure and Jill Laurie both had their birthdays on November 20.

Pep Squad Beau

Joe Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green, a freshman, was presented a plaque by Mary Lou Castaneda and Carmen Carmon for being the Pep Squad Beau.

Joe was given this award for his accomplished task of drawing the big sign for all the football games.

Rotan Jr. High Honor Roll Told

Rotan Junior High Honor Roll, second six weeks:

5th Grade: Veronia Carrillo, Dale Cox, Gregory Hayes, Melinda Hicks, Mike Morrow, Wesley Counts, Willie Hayes.

6th Grade: Julie Posey, Jamie Strickland, Cindy Williams, and Mark Nowlin.

7th Grade: Robin Bowers, Linda Hinson, Robert Posey, Ricky LeBlau.

8th Grade: Patricia Posey, Tammi Sparks, Patti Williams.



Know Your Senior

Age, 19
Height, 5'11"
Birthplace, Alton
Birthdate, November 3, 1954
Eye Color, Brown
Hair Color, Black
Favorite Food, Mexican Food
Favorite Singer, Johnny Winters
Favorite Color, Red
Favorite Hobby, Football, fishing
Favorite Pro Football Team, Los Angeles Rams
Favorite Sport, Football
Favorite Song, School Outs
Horoscope Sign, Scorpio
Name, Frank Castor

Band Sweetheart

Dana Sue Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zanna Anderson, was crowned band sweetheart during the half-time ceremonies of the Roby-Sands football game. Dana Sue was crowned by Ricky Faught, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Faught. He presented Dana with a dozen red roses. Dana is a senior and has been in the band for eight years.

Holidays

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Football Hero

James Park, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Park, was named football hero of 1973-74. James plays starting center for the Lions, he has been active in football three years. He is a senior this year.

James was presented a plaque by Jenna McClure, head cheerleader, and Susan Knox, drum major.

Roby Menu

Roby School Lunch menu for November 26-30, 1973.

MONDAY
Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Buttered Corn, Green Salad, Fruit, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk.

TUESDAY
Fish Sticks, Tartar Sauce, Cream Potatoes, Green Beans, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Milk, Bread.

WEDNESDAY
Pinto Beans w/Bacon, French Fries, Onions, Spinach, Peanut Butter Cookie, Milk.

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Presiding at the registry was Miss Joe Helms.

Guests were served by Miss Terri Cade and Miss Cindy Helms, from a table covered with white linen with appointments in crystal and silver. A silver basket filled with white carnations adorned the center of the table.

Other members of the house

party included Mrs. M. E. McKee, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Dave Lowther, great-aunt of the bride.

Hostesses included Mmes. Earl Ray Burnes, J. R. Helms, Joe Dale Burk, Sam Baugh, Bill Day, Duaine Coan, Dwight Nowlin, Obie G. Kelley, Sr., Glen Gruben, and Stanley Nowlin.

Guests attended from Rotan, Clairemont, Aspermont and Lubbock.

Hobbs Wins At Rotan Court

Hobbs Junior High defeated the Rotan Junior High girls 70-24 last week. Tammy Gober was high for Hobbs with 62 points. Donna Smith was Rotan high point girl with 10.

In high school action, Hobbs beat Rotan 43-22, Kay Vaughn was high girl with 21 followed by Hilda Miranda with 16. Mary Ramirez had 10 for Rotan.

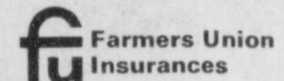


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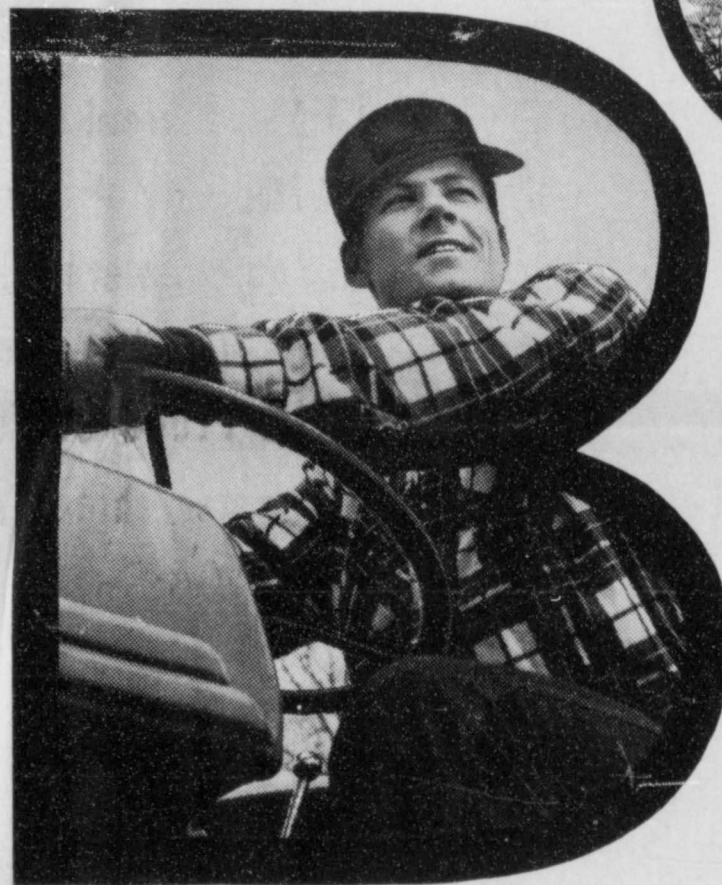
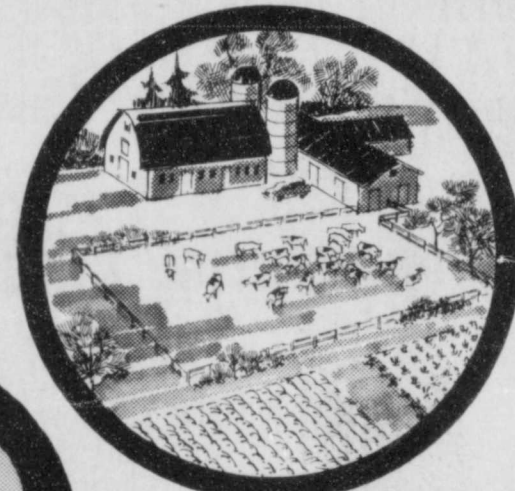
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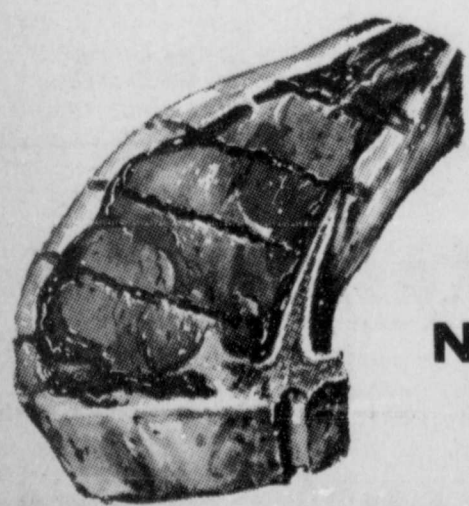
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7-3 For The Season

The 1973 Season Is History Now, But We Supporters Want To Have The Last Word. The 1973 Rotan Yellowhammers Came A Long Way In 10 Short Weeks And We Want To Tell Each One Of You Players How Extremely Proud We Are Of Your Accomplishment. You Never Quit, You Answered The Call And You Represented Rotan Well. For A Team That Was Picked To Finish Last To Tie For First You Certainly Made Us Proud Of You. We'll Be Back Again Next Year Looking For Even Greater Things From The Big Orange Machine.

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The Flicker

By Rotan High School Students

FLICKER STAFF: Jayne Neice Hendon, Kelley Tidwell, Catherine Weems, Gayle Posey, Regenia Harris, Elaine Reid, Brenda Wallace, Roxie Cleveland, Renee Berry.

Rotan Lunch Menu

Rotan school lunch menu, November 26-30, 1973.

MONDAY

Spaghetti W/Meat Sauce, Tossed Green Salad, Turnips and Turnip Greens, W. W. Hot Rolls, Butter, Peaches, Milk.

TUESDAY

Vegetable Beef Soup, Crackers, Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Apple Wedges, Bread, Butter, Orange Cake Squares, Milk.

WEDNESDAY

Chicken W/Rice, Green Beans, Buttered Whole Kernel Corn, Congealed Fruit Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Cookies, Milk.

THURSDAY

Hamburgers, Potato Chips, Pork & Beans, Celery and Carrot Sticks, Coconut Pudding.

Pork & Beans, Celery and Carrot Sticks, Coconut Pudding, Milk.

FRIDAY

Pinto Beans, Oven Fried Potatoes, Catsup, Spoon Tomato Salad, Cornbread, Butter, Fruit Cobbler, Milk.

Clean Up

On Tuesday, November 13, the Student Congress, cheerleaders, and volunteers met at the football field to clean up the remains of the bonfire. Five truck loads of burned wood were carried off.

Band Officers

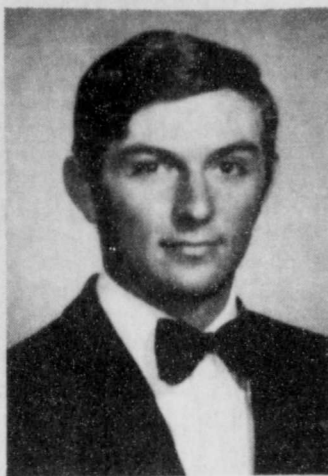
The Rotan Yellowhammer Band has selected band officers for the 1973-74 school year. The officers are: Scot McKinney, president; Teresa Coan, secretary; Garry Wester, senior representative; Risa Roberts, junior representative; Irma Carrillo, sophomore representative, and Patti Weathersbee, freshman representative.

Teachers Pet

Since Mrs. Campbell's English class has been reading the "Lord of the Flies" they have been visited daily by a small friendly fly, that Mrs. Campbell insists is her pet and should not be mutilated in any way. The class is very anxious to see if the fly will vanish at the end of the last chapter.

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Notice to Bidders
The City of Rotan will accept bids for the laying of approximately 6000 ft. of 6" plastic water line and 3000 ft. of 4" plastic water line and ditch to contain said line with top of said line to be (30") thirty inches below ground level. Bidder must inspect job site. Plans and specifications can be obtained at the Rotan City Office.
Signed,
James L. Springer
Mayor, City of Rotan
42-2tc



Know Your Senior

Birthday, Nov. 16, 1955
Birthplace, Rotan Schools, Rotan
Color of eyes, Brown
Color of hair, Brown
Height, 5'8"
Favorite Food, Steak
Favorite Artist, Johnny Bush
Hobby, Women & Rodeos
Sports, Football, Basketball, Track, Rodeo, Baseball
College Preference, Cisco Jr. College
Chosen vocation, Rancher
Favorite colors, Blue, Green
Name, Mike Cade

Text Books

Each year, approximately 1/5 of the Texas Public School's textbooks are replaced with new books.

The State Textbook Committee, from approximately sixteen publishers, selects 5 editions. The five books are then sent to Public Schools to select one book to be used for the contract term, which is usually for five years.

Textbooks for the 1974-1975 school year will be adopted for the following grades or subjects: Supplementary Readers in Pre-Primer, Primer, Grade 1, Grade 2, and Grade 3; arithmetic in Grade 7 and Grade 8; physiology-hygiene in Grade 4, Grade 5, Grade 6, Grade 7 and Grade 8; Physical Science in Grade 9; and Business Law in Grades 11 and 12.

Calendar

Holiday at last! November 22, 23 will be Rotan's Thanksgiving break. The A and B boys will go to Fluvanna November 26 for a basketball game. The following night, the girls play Roscoe here. The Jim Ned tournament comes up November 29, 30 and Dec. 1.

On December 7 Rotan's boys and girls go to Haskell for a basketball game. The 11th of Dec. the opponent is Baird.

Hobbs Lunch

Hobbs school lunch menu Wednesday, November 21, 1973

Turkey and Dressing, Celery Sticks, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Fruit Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk.

Basketball

The Junior High team and the High School A team scrimmaged Hobbs here last Thursday night. Both home teams were defeated.

The junior high score was Hobbs 70 and Rotan 24. The high school score was Hobbs 43 and Rotan 22.

Thank You

The contributions to the Homecoming football bonfire were greatly appreciated. John Gray donated the diesel that made it burn. Nita Cooper donated the material that the bear was made of which was burned in the fire. Mrs. David Klepper and Mrs. Lester Greenway made the bear. The Fire Department furnished trucks to keep the fire under control. Midwest Electric Coop furnished the PA system and West Texas Utilities furnished the wiring for the public address system. Jr. Kiker, County Commissioner, donated bridge timber. National Gypsum furnished wooden crates. Norman Mathies and Stanley Nowlin donated the use of their trailers. All the community donated wood and paper.

To all those people and organizations, a sincere thank you for your help.

Mustangs

The Rotan Yellowhammers were cheered to victory in Jim Ned with the help of about 20 students from Sweetwater High School.

Due to an open date for the Mustangs, members of the football team and other students of Sweetwater journeyed to Jim Ned to see their beloved ex-coach in action.

During the game, the group led cheers new to the Rotan fans.

Cap And Gowns

The senior class held a class meeting Thursday, November 8, and made a final decision and vote on cap and gown. The entire class will wear the black rental gown and cap, with an orange and white tassel.

The class voted to buy the tassel.



Know Your Senior

Birthday, March 1, 1956
Birthplace, Hico, Texas
Schools, Rotan
Color of eyes, Blue
Color of hair, Blonde
Height, 5'2"
Favorite Food, Steak
Favorite Artist, Roberta Flack and Charlie Rich
Hobby, Sewing, Singing, Boys Sports, Swimming, Skiing and Football
College preference, Howard Payne College
Chosen vocation, Music Education
Favorite colors, Red, Yellow
Name, Betty Landes

Diamond

Catherine Weems is holding her left hand a little higher this week. She is wearing an engagement ring. Congratulations to Catherine Weems and Bobby West.



BRAINS? Maybe we should have all spent our childhood inside an Encyclopaedia Britannica box. It seems to have done wonders for Scot and Susie McKinney.

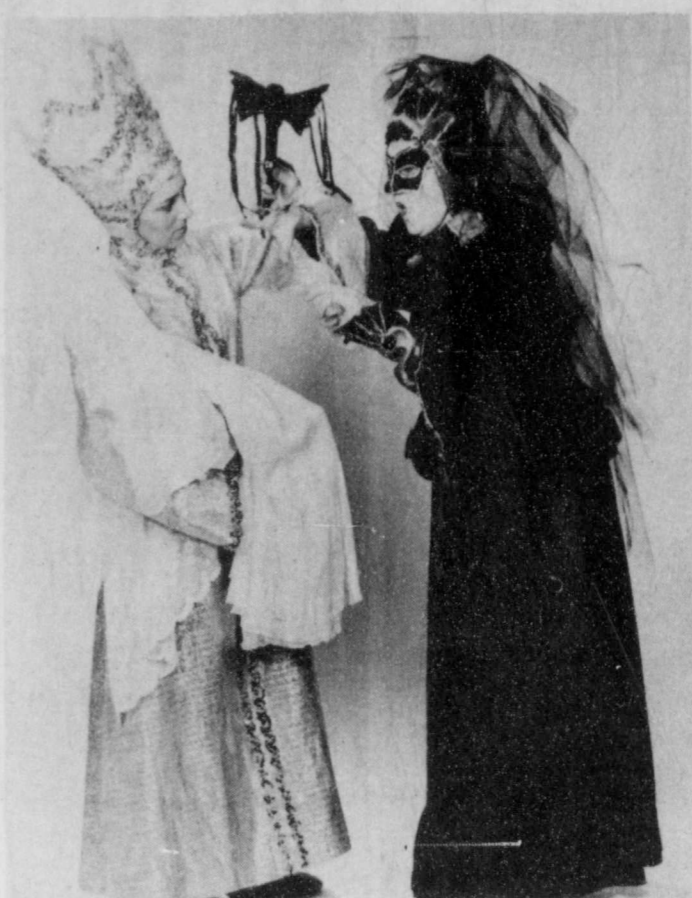


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Tickets are 75¢ for a single play or \$1.00 for the series of two.

Dick Whittington and His Cat will be presented in February. Tickets will be available at the performance or may be purchased from Mrs. Robert Witherpoon at Rotan Primary School.

Card Of Thanks

Thanks again to Drs. C. M. and C. U. Callan and the nurses that were so nice to me during my stay in the hospital. Also, thanks for the many prayers that were said and my friends that visited me and sent cards, flowers, gifts, and food. Each kindness was really appreciated by both of us and may God Bless each of you.
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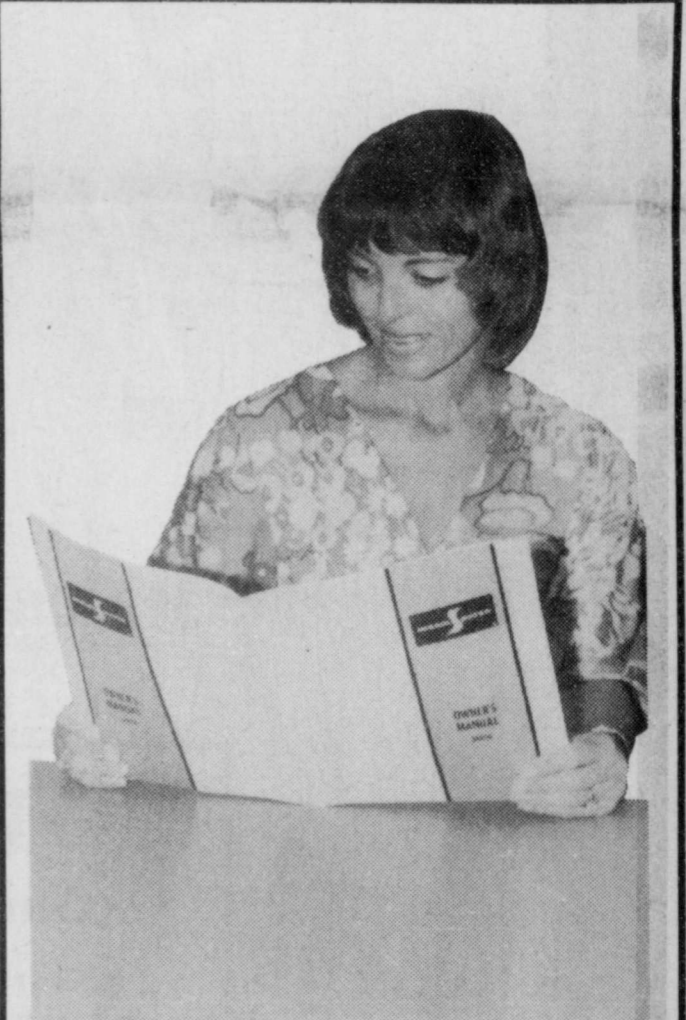
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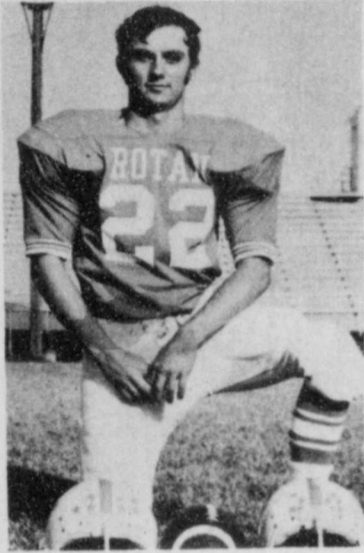
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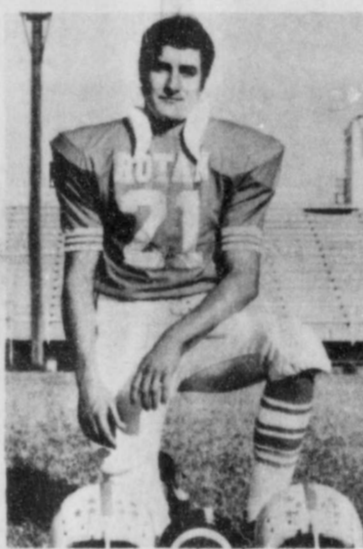
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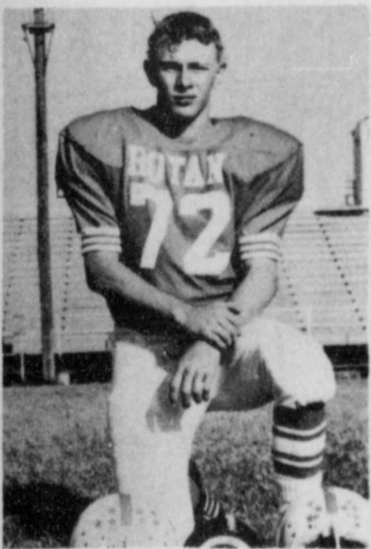
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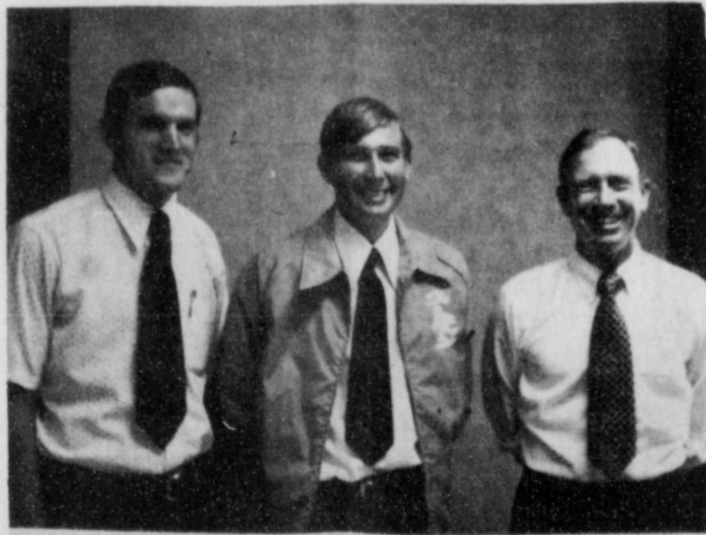
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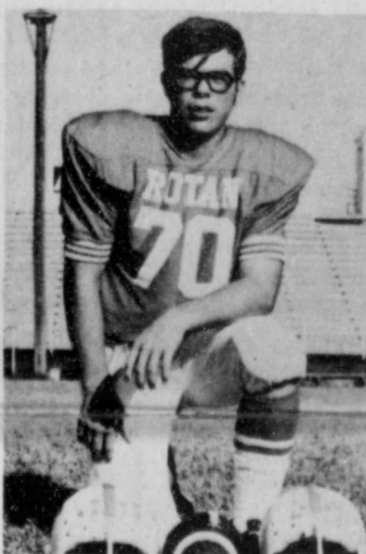
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District Cotton Market Demand Holding Strong

Western cotton markets were more active than a week ago, according to the Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA. Demand was strong for most qualities with staple 31 and longer. Demand for shorter qualities was weak. Foreign and domestic inquiries increased. Most domestic mills, however, had previously contracted cotton for current needs. Supplies of uncommitted cotton increased because of increased harvesting and ginning. The bulk of current ginning, however, continued to be delivered against previous commitments. In general,

growers offered available supplies freely. Most offerings were readily absorbed into marketing channels. Spot prices fluctuated during the week. Harvesting efforts made good progress over most of the Western Region. The San Joaquin Valley harvest was slowed by rain early in the week. Harvesting had resumed by mid-week. Many Arizona and California growers were picking for the second time. Portions of Texas and Oklahoma had mist and fog during last week. Harvesting efforts were slowed, allowing some plants to

catch up on their backlogs of seed cotton. Some Central and South Texas fields were still too wet to support harvesting equipment. Harvesting efforts were expected to continue to expand in New Mexico, the later harvesting areas of Texas and in Oklahoma.



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Susan Kay Cade And John Charles Etcheverry Exchange Wedding Vows

Susan Kay Cade and John Charles Etcheverry exchanged wedding vows Saturday, October 27, at 8 p. m. in the home of the bridegroom's parents, Rev. Pete Trone, Methodist minister led the couple in repeating the vows in a double ring ceremony in front of the Etcheverry home fireplace.

The autumn scene was centered on the wreath above the fireplace of straw, daisies and various leaves. Trailing to either side was green ivy with gold turtle doves and long copper bows. To the side of the fireplace were 2 baskets of autumn flowers. The room had a western accent; the walls were decorated by many western pictures.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Tot Etcheverry, Carlsbad, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cade Jr. of Rotan. Theme song from "Love Story", "Romeo and Juliet" and "Exodus" was played softly during the ceremony.

Jodie Helms, cousin of the bride, of Rotan was the bride's maid of honor. She wore a yellow and green suit and carried an autumn-orange rose.

Etienne Etcheverry, brother of the bridegroom, of Las Cruces, N. M., was best man. Terri Cade, sister of the bride, of Rotan registered guests. Her gown featured an orange, green and yellow blouse and a green circular skirt.

A reception following the ceremony was held in the Etche-

verry home. A four-tier wedding cake decorated with yellow roses was served by Kharol Hood, cousin of the bridegroom, of Lubbock. Lime sherbet punch was served by Lisa Gentry, cousin of the bridegroom, of Dell City, Texas.

The bride is a 1972 graduate of Rotan High School. She attended Cisco Jr. College where she was a business major.

Etcheverry is a 1971 graduate of Carlsbad High School. He attended New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, N.M., on a gymnastics scholarship and Cisco Jr. College on a rodeo scholarship. He is employed by Duval Corp. of Carlsbad where the couple are making their home.

Hobbs Honor Roll Released

Hobbs School "A" honor roll for the 2nd six weeks included: 5th Grade: Nancy Martin, Irma Miranda and Delinda Teel. 6th Grade: Delores Teel and Raymond Cantu.

7th Grade: Tonya Porter and 12th grade, Carol Faulkenberry

The "B" honor roll included 4th: Jay Anderle, Michael Porter; 5th grade, Walter Davis; 6th grade Kayla Tibbles, June Martinez, Jeff Anderle; 7th grade, Deborah Teel, Everett Simmons; 8th grade, Mark Anderle, Tammy Gober; 9th grade, Oscar Garcia, Lisa Gober, Ellen Jones; 11th grade, Richard Martin, Davis Martinez and Nonia Trout; 12th grade, Veronica Martinez, Terry Medrano and Rhonda Perkins.

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Nov. '73	Prec.	Hi	Lo
Wed, 14		84	62
Thur, 15		72	40
Fri, 16	Lt. Frost	72	33
Sat, 17		78	52
Sun, 18		80	48

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1972..... 26.11
1973..... 23.30

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Antique Talk Given To HDC At Center

Hostess for the Center HD Club annual Thanksgiving luncheon, November 15 was Mrs. Fred Waddell. The luncheon was served buffet style then guests were seated at foursome tables, laid in white, centered with baby mum in small pinciters.

Mrs. B.K. Newhouse voiced the prayer. The Thanksgiving motif was used throughout the house with special arrangement on the buffet.

In the afternoon Mrs. Rex Kemp introduced Mrs. Fred Parker, who gave a program on antiques. The auction sale with Faye Anderson as auctioneer, is a highlight of the year.

Special guests for the occasion in addition to Ms. Parker were Mmes. S. E. Knox, C. R. Webb, P. M. Neeper, Miss Ludie Harris, Mrs. Alice Ballenger and Miss Nancy Fuhrken.

Members present were Mmes. Aurora Martinez, G. W. Joplin, Lynn Randolph, B. K. Newhouse, Ben Lake, Nina Cave, Farrest Tefeller, Joyce Noles, Beulah Ballenger, Fred Stevenson, Joe Ballenger, M. T. Wilson, Rex Kemp, Faye Anderson, Myrtle Moore, Preston Campbell, James Cave, Willard Burk, Jack Daniel, Murr Knox and Fred Waddell.

First Baptist WMU Meet

The WMU of the First Baptist Church of Roby met Tuesday, November 13, in the church at 9:30 a. m.

Mrs. James Putnam presided at the meeting. The call to prayer was by Mrs. Charles Whitlock.

A current mission program was given by Mrs. Charlie Smallwood and a Baptist Womens program was given by Mrs. Tom Miller.

The WMU meets each second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

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The senior cheerleaders, Cindy Helms and Elaine Reid were recognized and next years cheerleaders announced; Kathy Nowlin, head cheerleader, and Barbara Surratt, Rita Roberts, Teresa Coan and Terri Cade. The Alma Mater was led by Betty Landes.

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Roby Happenings
BY BUELENE SHIPP

Hi, well here it is, Thanksgiving. This year is fast getting away from us. The stores are already taking on a Christmas face. my children are already putting on their pre-Christmas good manners act, and Gene is putting on his long-faced broke look. Actually this is my favorite time of the year.

KAY BUCK spent several days in Lubbock visiting with her mother Mrs. George Wortman. While she was there Robert Buck went deep sea fishing and it is reported that he probably could have gotten the same size fish at the creek. Ha.

"Tardy" Shipp was honored with a birthday party Thursday at the City Park. Those attending were Marcy Mauldin, Shannon Neighbors, Jennifer Wright, Lisa Brooks, Susan Fournier, Valorie Goodrum, Julie Doty, Susan Gaona, Danette and Melanie Ray, Foible, Brenda and Jerry Hazelwood, Jeffrey Dennis, Darryl Underwood, Ronnie, Ruben and Rudy Rodriguez and 2 of Tardy's brothers, John and David Shipp.

CALLIE SHIPP and BEATRICE ATWOOD were at our house for supper Thursday night.

Our sympathy to the family of Mrs. M. J. Ashley. Mr. and Mrs. David Medrano and Sonya of Odessa are here visiting with MR. AND MRS. FLORENTINO ALVARADO and MR. AND MRS. MANUEL LUJAN and other family for the next week.

Glendol Ballenger and son Chad of Roscoe and J. L. Ballenger of Sweetwater spent Saturday with MR. AND MRS. JOE BALLENGER.

Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Keith Klepper and sons Bobby and Richard visited with MR. AND MRS. BALLENGER, her parents, and with Mr. and Mrs. David Klepper of Rotan. They are from Midland.

BETTY LUNA has been moved to Dallas for treatment of the burns she got a couple of weeks ago. She couldn't get into the San Antonio hospital as originally planned.

MARY and PAM BEAUCHAMP joined Rex, Bobbie and Michael Beauchamp on a trip to South Bend to visit with Mary's mother. Mrs. E. R. Bradford.

ORA AND HUBERT BENNET are in Houston this week visiting with Sandra Park and her children and Carlene Moore and her family and Don Bolton and his family.

Larry, Betty and Chance were here from Irving visiting with friends and family.

Mrs. Clifton Hale spent Sunday with MR. AND MRS. DICK MELTON and visited some with MR. AND MRS. P. G. CAMPBELL.

DENNIS DEEN was in the hospital last week suffering from a partially deflated lung. He is home now and doing some better.

MR. AND MRS. KEIFER CAUBLE and girls Revis and Lois Ann are expecting a visit from a Korean family this week. They were to arrive in Abilene Monday afternoon. They are Mr. and Mrs. Suk Chang Yoon and two girls. Keifer met Mr. Yoon while he was stationed in Korea. We would like to take this opportunity to welcome them to Roby for as long as they wish to stay.

Aubrey Nell and Revis Cauble were to be in Vernon Tuesday to attend a District Gold Star Banquet.

Mrs. Keza Russell of Winters spent last weekend with M. T. WILSON. Mrs. Rozelle Wilkinson of Haskell spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Wilson.

Mrs. Joyce Etheredge and boys were visiting with MR. AND MRS. CARL MURFF and MR. AND MRS. TERRY MAULDIN this past weekend.

Have a good Thanksgiving and remember to count your blessings and give Thanks as the day calls for.



Paula Jean Wyatt Danny Patton United

Paula Jean Wyatt became the bride of Danny Charles Patton on November 17. In vows read in the First Baptist Church, Denton, Dr. L. L. Armstrong, pastor, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wyatt of San Antonio. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Patton, Denton.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of organza and re-embroidered alcon lace, featuring a high neckline trimmed with lace and long sleeves with a deep cuff trimmed in the same lace. The slightly full skirt fell from an empire waistline into a chapel length train. The sleeves and skirt were applied with lace and seed pearls. She wore a sculptured headdress encrusted with seed pearls with illusion in curving panels at each side. Her bouquet was mystery gardenias, stephanotis, and Jaffert orchids.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Bob Bowden, sister of the bride, of Clarksville. Bridesmaids were

Nolene Bullington, Charlene Turner, and Mrs. Wayne Allen all of Denton.

They wore A-line gowns of purple velvet with hoods lined in lilac satin, and carried bouquets of purple, lilac and orchid mums and asters with English ivy.

Best man was Kevin McCormack of Denton. Groomsman were Randall Goodman, Jr., cousin of the groom, of Denton, Ray Harris and Franklin Barry Orr, III, brother-in-law of the groom, both of Denton.

Krystal Kolner, cousin of the bride was flower girl. Ushers were Lendal Patton, brother of the groom, and Kenneth Blumberg, both of Denton.

The couple attends North Texas University, Denton, and the groom is employed by Jackson Concrete Company, Denton.

Paula is the daughter of A.E. and Neva Thomas Wyatt. Mrs. Wyatt was raised in Roby by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Head and is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Thomas.

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