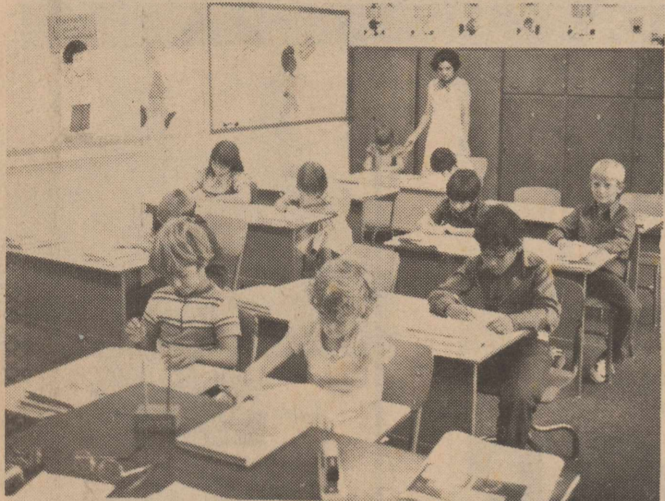


CHEERING SECTION: Roby students were practicing cheers under direction of Louise Keisling last Tuesday morning in preparation for their opening game Sept. 6 with Sweetwater B.



REMODELED CLASSROOM: The students in Mrs. Lovett's 2nd grade, Roby School, were pleased to pose in a picture showing the new carpet and recently painted room.

WTC Offers Evening 2nd Yr. Spanish Course

A second-year Spanish course will be offered for evening

Hobbs 4H Girls Elect Officers

The Hobbs 4-H Girls elected new officers August 20 for the new year.

The new officers are: Kim Ratliff, President; Debra Teel, Vice President; Cindy Clawson, Secretary-Treasurer; Tonya Porter, Council Delegate; Delores Teel, Reporter; Natalie McFaul, Refreshment Chairman; Teresa Ratliff, Songleader.

Other members of the club are Kristi Price, Judy Davis, Mary Ellen Davis, Delinda Teel, Toni Nobles and Kayla Tibbles. The leaders are Mrs. Clarence Anderson and Mrs. George Price.

The members discussed entering a Bicentennial float for the Fisher County Rodeo parade. The 4-H girls are looking forward to an exciting year.

Roby 1st Baptist WMU Meets Tue

The WMU of First Baptist Church Roby met Tuesday, August 19, at 2:00 p.m. at the church.

Mrs. Tom Miller was in charge of the program. Topic for discussion was "The Country Church". Those on the program were Mes. Allan Cartrite, Hollis Henry, Ivin Martin, W.A. Hughey, Hutch Carter, Joe Morgan, J.B. Hughey and Clara Smallwood.

Much enthusiasm has been shown in the WMU since it was reorganized several months ago. Meeting time is each 2nd Tuesday of the month at the church. New members are welcome.

students at Western Texas College for the first time during the fall semester.

Several persons who want a Sophomore-level Spanish course for college credit have inquired about an evening class, Wendell Jones said, and the evening session was arranged for their convenience as well as for persons who wish to continue their study of Spanish for personal or business use.

Prospective students who would like further information may contact Jones at WTC, 573-8511, extension 237.

The course will be Spanish 231-1 and will meet from 6:30-9:20 p.m. on Mondays. A special registration period for evening students is planned from 6:30-9 p.m. on Sept. 2. Evening students may also register according to the regular schedule on Sept. 2. Evening students may also register according to the regular schedule on Sept. 2-3 or may pre-register between 8-12 noon until Aug. 29.

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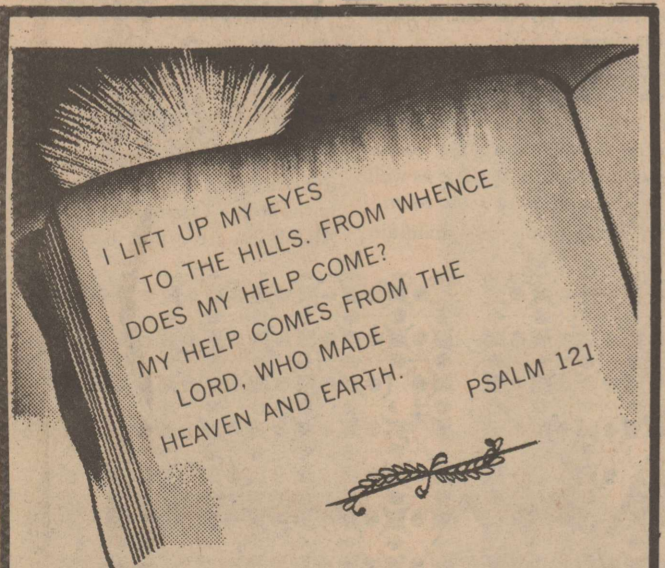
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Church - 11:00 a.m.
Night Services - 7:30 p.m.

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

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Sylvester, Texas
Kenneth James, Pastor
Morning Worship - 9:45 a.m.
Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Steven Sweet, Pastor
Rotan, Texas
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC
Rotan, Texas
John Hoorman, Pastor
Mass - Saturday eve. - 7:30
Mass - Sunday 9:00 a.m.

LITTLE ZION BAPTIST
Rotan, Texas
Rev. John J. Osery
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
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Worship - 11:00 a.m.

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Are you setting a good example? How about church, for instance? If you haven't been going lately, start again next Sunday for your son's sake, as well as your own. And don't forget to take him with you!



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with John Cox listed as his backup. The running backs will be James Goodwin and Tim Allen. Jerry Carr (150) is the alternate.

The split back is James Stanberry. Vic Wilkinson is listed as the starting split-end with Monte Morrow as the alternate. Kim Gray is the tight end.

The four offensive down linemen average 173 pounds. Alex Flores will be at left tackle; Ray Weathersbee at left guard; Bryan Cave at right end and Burt Weathersbee at right tackle.

The only offensive position still up for grabs is the center spot. Wes Morrow, Paul Hinson and Dwain Roberts are the candidates for the offensive center spot.

Buddy Hooper is listed as an alternate tight end and Dan Burk is the alternate center.

Coach Mullins in commenting about the Stamford scrimmage, called the contest a draw. Rotan scored 7 times, but a lot of the scores were made while Stamford was in a goal line defense. Stamford scored 3 times.

Rotan will scrimmage Aspermont at 5:00 p.m. on Friday, August 29, at home.

Persons attending the scrimmage game Friday are asked to bring a bar of soap as a donation.

Members of the Rotan junior varsity team are Robert Morales, Mark Henderson, Todd Goodwin, Ysidro Yanez, Jacinto Reyes, Donny Mullins, Blake Hale, Robert Posey, Terry Daniels, Larry Wester, Kerry Bredemeyer, Perry Thomson, Terry Foster, Mike Folwer and Ruben Castillo.

Mrs Morrow Gives Trip Highlights

---by Delila Baird

Early in 1975 Mrs. Ruple Morrow made plans for traveling to some areas that she had never visited, including the Republic of Mexico. Somehow, it seemed that something happened to cancel each tour. In early March she remarked, "I know just how the Kiwi bird feels--always flapping its wings, but never getting off the ground!"

But Mrs. Morrow, unlike the Kiwi, did eventually get into high gear and took off. Her first journey was a brief one. It took her to Amarillo and her first Texas DAR State Conference as a delegate of Anne Pettus Shelburne Chapter. A highlight of this trip was an unexpected meeting with two cousins who were also attending the Conference. This resulted in a visit to their room following a late closing banquet. Returning to her own room about 1:00 a.m. she found the red message light blinking on the telephone. Upon returning the call she was told by her daughter, who was more than a little puzzled about her whereabouts in the wee hours of the morning, that she had been presented with a brand new great granddaughter. The drive from Amarillo to Rotan on the following day seemed endless!

That was only a beginning. In April Mrs. Morrow and Miss Delila Baird attended the NSDAR Continental Congress in Washington, D.C. This signified several "firsts"--first plane flight, first Continental Congress of NSDAR, and first time to visit the nation's capitol. In addition to the meetings of the Organization she attended luncheons and banquets of other hereditary groups and saw many points of interest in Washington, D.C. and vicinity.

Another month saw Mrs. Morrow again on the road. This trip lasted two and a half weeks and took her to California and up to Vancouver and Robert's Point. Later she went with a tour group to Nashville to the Grand Old Opera.

A Colorado Springs, Colorado Tour completed a spring and summer of seeing new places and meeting new people for Mrs. Morrow. In speaking of this tour, she said, "On our first night out we attended the production of TEXAS in the Pioneer Amphitheatre at Palo Duro Canyon State Park. I really enjoyed this wonderful program."

"Leaving Amarillo the next morning we stopped for a short visit at Cal Farley Boys Ranch, traveled past Mt. Capulin, an extinct volcano, and arrived in Colorado Springs that evening. The next two days were spent touring in and around that area. We went to the top of Pike's Peak, visited the Air Force Academy, Cave of the Winds, Royal Gorge, Garden of the Gods, and as many other sights we could see in a very full two days. Returning home through New Mexico we saw Raton, Springer Wagon Mound, Las Vegas, Santa Rosa and Tucumcari and were back in Amarillo for our last night before arriving home."

During five tours in five successive months Mrs. Morrow has widened the scope of her horizons and acquaintances. The fact that she has seemingly made lasting friendships with people she has met from various parts of the country speaks well for the kind of person and traveler she is. She says, "I have met so many wonderful people and found that we have so much in common. Like the one in Washington who was so kind to show me around in the DAR Museum when I had no idea of where to go or what to see. I wrote her a Thank You note when I got home. She has since invited me to be a guest in her home any time that I am in Washington. Then, there is the lady I met on a Treyline Tour there. We found so much to talk about because we had so many similar interests like, among other things, both teaching a Sunday School Class."

Friendly people tend to find others friendly also. If Mrs. Ruple Morrow should decide to

simply stay at home and enjoy interesting places and interesting people. But, on the other hand, there are new places and people waiting just over the horizon. And she is not a Kiwi any more!



TOUR GROUP: A happy Tour Group accomplished the ascent to the summit of Pike's Peak which is noted as "America's most famous mountain". The group included members ranging from children to Mrs. Brooks who is a young 83 years of age. She thoroughly enjoyed every moment, never complained of being tired, and few could pick her out as the oldest of the tour. (On the front row wearing a checked jacket), Mrs. Ruple Morrow is center of second row from the back.

Farmers Union Leaders Discusses Wheat Deal

The amount that retail food prices deserve to rise because of the Russian grain sales will be hardly noticeable to consumers, while the loss taken by farmers if these sales are shut off would be truly devastating, according to Jay Naman, member of the executive board of the National Farmers Union (NFU).

Naman, who is also president of Texas Farmers Union and represents a major wheat production area, made the statement following a meeting of the NFU executive unit at Denver.

"In the first place, the news of the grain sales did not come until early in July so it could not have any effect on retail prices yet," Naman explained. "Normally, it is three to six months before an increase in raw materials prices is reflected through the produc-

tion and marketing channels. "Secondly, it takes a one dollar change in the price of wheat to justify a 1.2 cent change in the price of a pound loaf of bread, so there is no basis for the hysteria that bread may go to a dollar a loaf."

The NFU Executive Board noted that there is only 3.6 cents worth of wheat in a one-pound loaf of white bread now selling for 36 cents. A bushel of wheat provides enough flour for 70 loaves of bread.

Farm wheat prices would have to go to \$45 to \$50 a bushel before a dollar price-label on a pound loaf of bread could be justified, Farmers Union insisted.

The Farmers Union leaders maintained that while the retail price impact of the Russian grain sales would be nominal for

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Rodeo 8 p.m. Aug. 28, 29, 30

The Open Horse Show will begin at 10:00 a.m. on August 30 with Halter Classes. Performance events will be held during the afternoon. Entry fees for the horse show are \$5.00 for halter and \$7.50 for performance with \$5.00 being jackpotted in the performance classes.

Various committees for the Fair and Rodeo include: Livestock and Crops General Superintendent, Larry Williamson; Secretaries, Cheryl Terry and Penny Coker; Swine Superintendent, Jim Riggins; Assistant, Gary Floyd; Sheep Superintendent, Earl J. Kiker; Assistant, Freddie Williamson; Beef Cattle Superintendent, Mike Herron; Assistants, C.D. Herron and C.J. Moore; Women's Division Superintendent, Mrs. Bill Lee; Assistants, Mrs. Turner Houghton and Mrs. V.B. Murphree; Youth Division Superintendent, Mrs. Alton Smith; Advertising Chairman, Jerry Upshaw; Horse Show Superintendent, Latham Burk; Assistants, Glenn Webb, Truman Upshaw, Jack Smith, L.H. Hicks, T.C. Jinkins; Secretary, Linda Burk; Rodeo Chairman, Bob Moore; Assistants, Andy Moore, Latham Burk, Derwayne Rasco, C.J. Moore, Jerry Upshaw, Jerry Hoodenpyle; Parade Chairman, Don Ballenger; Assistants, Kyle Moore, Glenn Upshaw, Mrs. Don Ballenger.

Advance tickets for the rodeo are \$1.75 for adults and 75 cents for children under 12. Tickets at the gate will be \$2.00 and \$1.00. Everyone is invited to participate in this year's big Fair and Rodeo.

Roby LLL Club Holds Meeting

The Roby LLL Club met Wednesday, August 20, at 11:00 a.m. at the First Baptist Church for their luncheon.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. W.A. Hughey. Mrs. Hughey also read the minutes of the July meeting.

A reading was given by Mrs. Tom Miller, after which a prayer was offered by the pastor, Rev. Allan Cartrite.

After a song service the group was favored with a piano solo by Rev. Cartrite.

The meeting adjourned to Fellowship Hall where a luncheon was served buffet style. Mrs. Cartrite was called upon to say the Blessing.

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Carter Family Reunion Held

On August 2 Mrs. C.C. Carter of Rotan went home with her granddaughter, Mrs. Randy Perkins to Garland. While there she visited in the home of another granddaughter, the former Gwen Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Mike White who live south of Dallas at DeSoto. From there she visited her grandson Charles Carter and his mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tucker in Dallas. A sister-in-law, Mrs. Raymond Morrow, came over for a visit.

Coming home on August 8, Mrs. Perkins and her neighbor, Mrs. Cliff Husketh brought Mrs. Carter to Eastland where she was met by Mrs. Roy Carter of Snyder. Mrs. Carter says she enjoyed her visit with all her loved ones in Dallas and that area. She had not been there in more than 3 years, and hardly out of Rotan during the 3 years.

The next Tuesday she went to Snyder for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carter and Roy Lee. On Aug. 18, Charles Carter of Dallas came to visit Mrs. Carter and other relatives for a few days before starting his second year in college.

On Aug. 13 Mr. and Mrs. W.C. (Cling and Jessie) Carter from Santa Fe, N.M. came to Rotan to attend the annual Carter Reunion held in Crosbyton and to visit all friends and other relatives in Rotan.

The reunion was held August 17. Those attending from Rotan with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Carter were Mrs. C.C. Carter, Mrs. Odell McQueen, Julie and Lynett, Mrs. Curtis McQueen and Stephen, Mrs. Donald Ray McQueen. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Singley and Mr. and Mrs. James Carter, Darrell, David and Jerry.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carter, Snyder; and Mrs. Vernie Carter of Abilene.

Other members of the original family of Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Carter, former Rotan area residents, were the following children and grandchildren: Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Carter, Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carter, Andrews, and their two daughters and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pedigo, Bridgeport and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bebe, Ozona; Mrs. Alvin Carter of Friona and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Martin. The only sister living came from Friona also, Mrs. Lura Bradley.

Besides the 34 relatives present there were two visitors, Alvin Smith of Lubbock, cousin of Mrs. Carter, and Delora Hilbreath of Crosbyton, a cousin of Vernie Carter.

The day was happily spent visiting, some played 42, made many pictures and had an old fashion basket lunch. In the business session Cleo Carter was elected chairman. After a suggestion, the meeting place was moved to Rotan and date set for the second Sunday in August 1976.

Mrs. Carter also reported a visit from another grandson, Stan Carter and wife Margine and son Jamey Lee, age 2. Stan had just been discharged from the Army stationed in Tacoma, Washington after spending 2 years in Hawaii. Stan was born and reared and married in Stony Point, New York. Just after marriage they were stationed in Hawaii and the family had never seen his wife and son. They arrived August 21 and left on Aug. 25 by way of Abilene for a short visit with Mrs. Vernie Carter before going to their home in Stony Point.

Mrs. Carter says everything is really quiet around the homestead after about 3 weeks with her loved ones.



Dr. Billy Graham

Billy Graham Crusade At Lubbock, Jones Stadium

The Billy Graham West Texas Crusade will begin Sunday, August 31 at the Jones Stadium, Lubbock, and continue each night through Sunday, September 7. The meetings will begin at 8:00 p.m. each evening. Dr. Graham is coming to Lubbock by invitation of clergy and business leaders of that community.

The Crusade is directed by a local executive committee assisted by members of the Billy Graham Team. The Crusade Chairman is Bob Nash of KFYO. The Vice Chairmen are as follows: Dr. Sam Nader, Pastor of the First United Methodist Church, Dr. Dudley Strain, Pastor of the Christian Church, Dr. Floyd Perry, Associate Vice President of Academic Affairs and Dean of Admissions Texas Tech University, and Dr. Jaroy Weber, Pastor of the First Baptist Church. The treasurer is Mr. Troy Myers, Senior Vice President at the First National Bank. The secretary is Mr. Jay eagan, Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company. Mr. Jack C. Alderson, Co-owner and General Manager of Alderson Cadillac Co., Inc. is chairman of delegations. Mrs. Cliff Cummings, Secretary-Treasurer of Furr's, Inc., is chairman of finance.

All seats at the Crusade are free, however, delegations of twenty or more may receive special reserve seats by writing the Crusade office at West Texas Billy Graham Crusade, P.O. Box 836, Lubbock, Tex. 79408, or call 806-763-9436 in Lubbock.

Youth nights for the Crusade are Monday, Thursday and Saturday.

Roby Happenings

By Buelene Shipp
Roby, Texas 776-2254

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Wyatt were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Wyatt, Bryan and Ricky of Tucson, Arizona. Mrs. Hollis Henry also visited them.

Juanita and Gary Graham had company over the weekend. Visiting with them were Mr. and Mrs. Sandell of Dover, Delaware, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tipton, Roger and Christine of Jewett, Ohio. Hoot Sandell of Wichita Falls also will extend his visit to ride in the Fisher Co. Rodeo. They all attended the Rodeo Queen contest Saturday to watch the daughter of Gary and Juanita, Anne Graham, compete.

Miss Claudine Wilson and Wade attended the Rodeo Queen contest Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Montie Neighbors to watch Shannon ride.

Visiting with Mrs. Hollis Henry were Mrs. Dwayne Early and Deborah of Abilene and Lena Early of Sylvester.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ballenger were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Klepper of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Tine Hawkins of Sweetwater, Don and Alice Ballenger of Sweetwater. The Kleppers also visited with Mrs. David Klepper in Rotan.

The meeting held at the Courthouse to discuss the school district recently didn't turn too well for most people whose children attend school at Roby. Many families are moving trailer houses into the school district. Many are still in search of homes to rent in the school district. Hopefully, something will get better soon.

John Kiker had surgery Monday morning at Hendrick Memorial Hospital. He is doing real well and is enjoying his visitors, cards and flowers. He is in room C213 on the 2nd floor. He will undergo more surgery Thursday morning.

Jess Goforth also had some work done at Hendrick recently. We hope he is better.

Happy birthday to Michelle Beauchamp. She was 2 years old August 22. Attending her party were Chad, Jason and Jeremie Terry, Joanna and Tony Mitchell, Nick and Heath Dickson and Missy and Michael Tomlinson.

Max Carriker had surgery at Hendrick Memorial Hospital this last week. Hope is feeling better.

The Fisher County Fair and Rodeo Association has done several good things to our arena. They built a new concession stand, repaired our much needed bleachers and strung new fence on the west side. They are taking all donations, anyone wanting to make a little donation contact any director of the rodeo association. Be sure and attend the Rodeo Parade Thursday at 5 p.m., downtown Roby.

See you next week. We know everyone will a little company this big rodeo week, so call me before Tuesday at noon.

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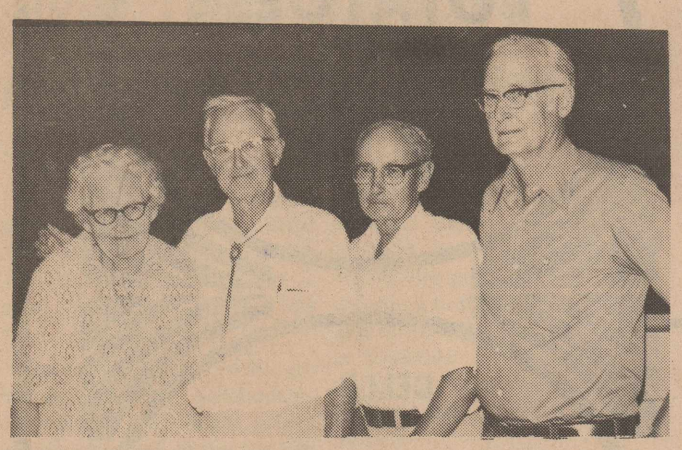
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ATTEND REUNION: Left to right, Mrs. Lura Bradley, Clint Carter, Jack Carter and Cleo Carter.

Omar Burleson Announces Grant

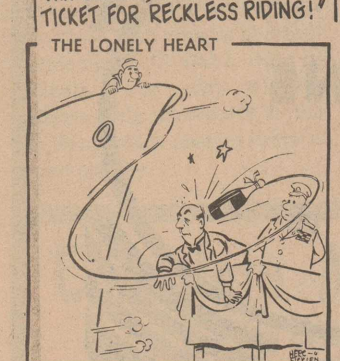
Congressman Omar Burleson announced a \$97,358.31 Office of Education grant to the State of Texas for 641 children in Fisher County. These funds will provide services for children residing in low-income areas who have need for special educational assistance in order that their level of educational attainment may be raised to that appropriate for children of their age.

The allotment of these funds for fiscal year 1976 are made available under the provision of Part A of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965.

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I want to take this opportunity to thank the many friends that sent cards, food and made visits to my home since I returned from my two week confinement at West Texas Medical Center. I want to send a special thanks to my Sunday School class for their concern.

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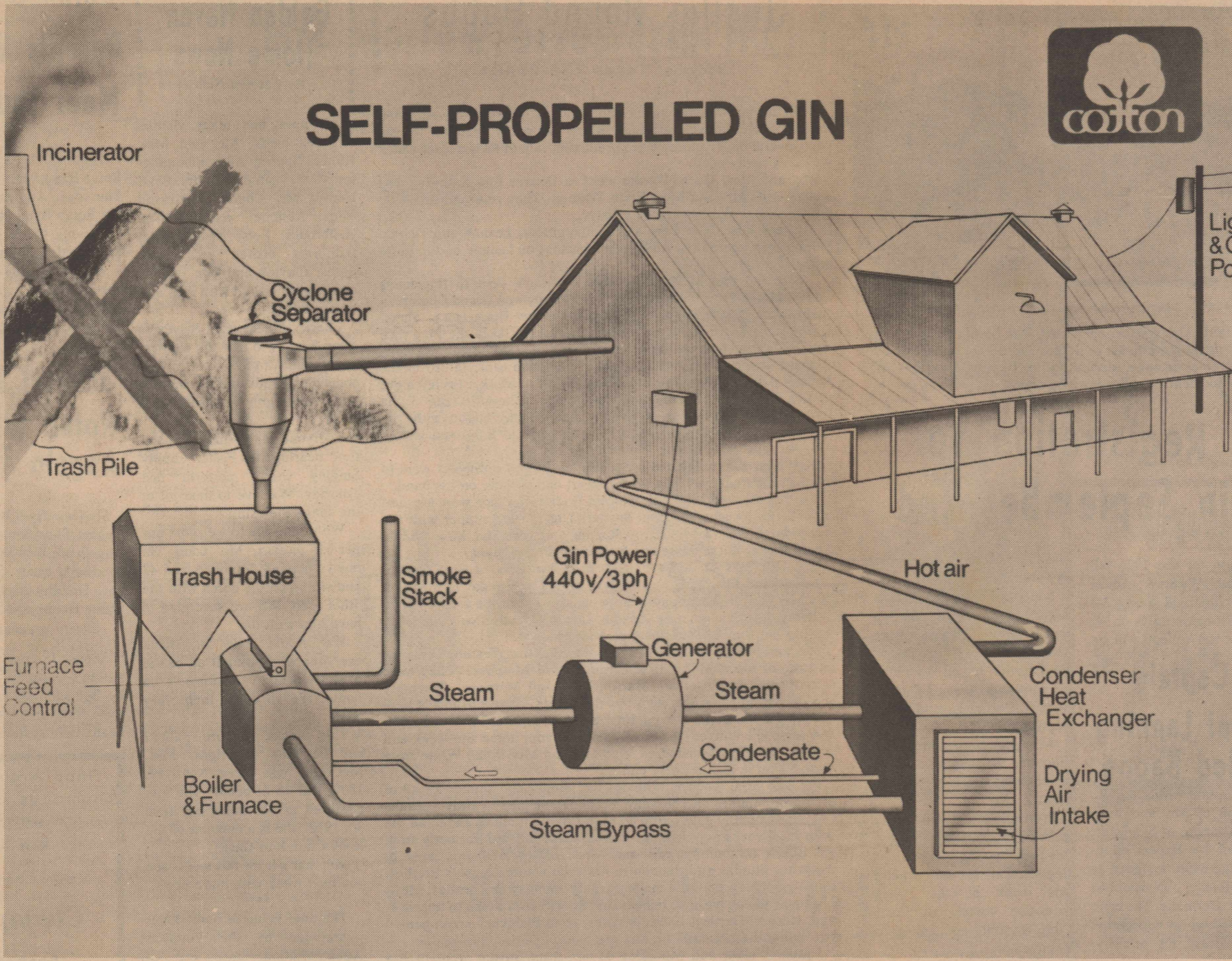
SCHEDULE

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ENGLISH ENG 131-50	Composition I	3	6:30-9:20	M		Staff
HISTORY HIS 131-50	U. S. History to 1865	3	6:30-9:20	Th		Price
PSYCHOLOGY PSY 231-50	General Psychology	3	6:30-9:20	W		Staff
SPANISH SPA 131-50	Conversational Spanish	3	6:30-9:20	T		M. Krensek

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Gin Trash Use For Energy Source Studied

While Cotton Incorporated engineers are testing new gin trash incinerators that will meet federal and state clean air standards, other research promises to create technology for using gin trash as an energy source for gin power.

"Gin trash energy recovery offers a potential for meeting all energy needs of the gin or for meeting just the drying needs," said Dr. W.F. Lalor, manager of systems and cost engineering at the Cotton Incorporated Research Center here.

"A gin-trash heat recovery system to meet all the gas and power requirements figures to be a good investment for future returns at any gin," said Lalor. "But using heat from gin trash for drying along is economically and technologically feasible for many gins right now," he declared.

Lalor said traditional gin trash incinerators are no longer usable because they pollute the atmosphere. Commercial incinerators that meet the new clean air standards cost from \$60,000 to \$100,000. So Cotton Incorporated is looking for effective incinerators at a price ginners can afford. "At the same time, though," said Lalor, "we know that incinerating gin trash releases high-grade energy. And gins need high-grade energy."

Lalor cited five advantages that give gin trash a tremendous potential for energy production:

1. It accumulates where it is needed.
 2. It accumulates when needed.
 3. It contains the right amount of energy.
 4. It does not have to be stored.
 5. Its use as an energy source turns disposal problems into opportunities.
- Lalor said an 8,000 bale a year gin can justify using gin trash to dry seed cotton today. "If that gin is willing to pay

\$1.20 a bale for LP gas to dry seed cotton, plus another \$1.20 a bale for waste disposal, then it can justify an investment of \$72,000 to recover gin trash heat for drying," said Lalor. "This is calculated on a five-year pay-off, plus an additional 10 per cent interest on investment. The life of the equipment involved is actually closer to 20 years than five; therefore, after five years, the gin is home free—and profits begin to accrue."

In addition to the inherent profit potential of a gin-trash heat-recovery system for drying, Lalor said another factor to consider is that gas costs are expected to increase fourfold within two to three years.

"And by then, supplies may be severely limited," he added. Lalor explained that in the heat-recovery process, flue gases from the incinerator are drawn through a heat exchanger, which extracts heat to operate dryers.

He said a Tennessee gin which had a volume of 2,000 bales in 1974 now uses the system. Incinerator manufacturers in Alabama, Arkansas and Mississippi are developing other systems.

"We are confident that the systems will enable gins to comply with clean air standards set for federal and state regulatory agencies," Lalor said.

In areas stricken by gas shortages and high gas prices, ginners should begin looking now at the feasibility of installing a new drying system which uses gin trash heat, Lalor believes.

He pointed out that in certain areas, even customers who felt they had an assured supply of gas have suffered interruptions in recent months. Those with interruptible-supply contracts have little hope of getting reliable supplies restored at any time in the near future.

Gin trash as a total energy source for gins becomes even more economically attractive in

view of expected attempts by utility companies to levy increased charges on seasonal users, Lalor pointed out.

He said Cotton Incorporated studies already show that for larger gins, a total energy recovery system might be an excellent investment.

John F. Davis With Sweetwater Savings Assoc.

John F. Davis has joined the staff of Sweetwater Savings as a loan officer, according to Ed Aiken, Jr., president of Sweetwater Savings Association.

A 1968 graduate of Sweetwater High School, Davis comes to Sweetwater Savings after serving two years as assistant manager of Christian Brothers Mens Shop in Stephenville. As assistant manager of the retail speciality shop, Davis' duties included sales supervision, buying, merchandising and credit approval.

With the addition of Davis to the loan department, Sweetwater Savings has five loan officers among their fourteen employees in the Sweetwater home office plus three employees in their Rotan, Roscoe and Hamlin branch offices.

As of June 30, Sweetwater Savings showed assets in excess of 33 million dollars including 28,400,000 million in deposits which makes it the largest and fastest growing financial institution in Nolan County, according to Aiken.

Davis and his wife, Cindy, have recently moved to Sweetwater and are residing at 1206 1/2 Hailey. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis of Sweetwater and a 1974 graduate of Tarleton State University with a BA degree in Agriculture-Business. An outdoorsman, Davis enjoys fishing and hunting as hobbies.

"If a 20,000 bale a year gin is willing to pay \$48,000 a year for gas and electricity, it can afford to pay \$130,000 for a heat-recovery system that eliminates the need to buy heat and power from outside sources," he said. "Our calculations show that, based on a five-year pay-off period at 10 per cent interest rates, such a purchase is justifiable. The energy recovery system can be operated, maintained and depreciated for the \$48,000 a year that the gin now pays for gas and electricity. Moreover, at the end of five years the \$130,000 has been recovered, plus 10 per cent interest. This is good business by any standard."

Lalor said if a gin is willing to be a little less conservative and put the pay-off period at eight or nine years, it can justify an investment of \$200,000.

"We don't know yet, though, whether it is possible to install such a total-energy system for \$200,000," he admitted, "But we are working on it."

The possibilities for gin trash heat recovery are discussed in detail in a new Cotton Incorporated "Agro-Industrial Report" entitled "Productivity and Profits in Ginning."

The report was compiled by Dr. Lalor, along with J.K. Jones, associate director of agricultural research for mechanization, and Dr. George A. Slater, vice president for agricultural research.

The report is being distributed to the industry. Copies are available upon request from Dr. William F. Lalor at the Cotton Incorporated Research Center, Raleigh, N.C.

USDA introduced the new food stamp series on March 1, 1975. The new \$1, \$5, and \$10 denominations replace the 50 cents, \$2 and old \$5 stamps.

The amendment to the Food Stamp Program regulations will be published in the Federal Register of Friday, Aug. 22 and will be effective immediately upon publication.

McCaulley News

By Mrs. Fred Kemp

Mr. and Mrs. David Roman of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cook Sunday and attended services at McCaulley Baptist Church. Mrs. Roman is the Cook's granddaughter.

Mrs. B.F. Kemp of Holiday Lodge, Hamlin, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kemp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dixon are keeping their grandson, Jeremy Lynn Beal, this week, while his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beal of Pecos are on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Farmer and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harley McGough and Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Farmer of Clyde this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDon have moved their mobile home into McCaulley just north of the Davis trailer home.

McCaulley Eagles were victorious Friday night in the scrimmage with Moran. McCaulley had ten players and Moran had fourteen. Coach Farmer said his defense looks good but he had some work to do on the offense this week before their scrimmage Water Valley at Blackwell Friday night. Game time is 7:00.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jeffrey, Fonda and Todd and Eddie Gibson attended the Gibson reunion at Lake Brownwood last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Truett Jeffrey also attended.

Renovation and remodeling of the school buildings at McCaulley is about finished. Our thanks and appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Edd Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Don Story, Mr. and Mrs. E.T. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. James Smart and I am sure Bill Young was on duty until late hours at night helping to get the buildings in order.

Mrs. Evelyn Carter is Pep Squad sponsor, annual sponsor and in charge of student activities, although other sponsors have not been selected. Plans now are for an open house in the near future to acquaint the community with the new faculty members and the changes in the school plant.

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PARADE AT 5:00 AUG. 28th

Women's Fair Exhibits - Crop Exhibits

Livestock Show - Friday Aug. 29th

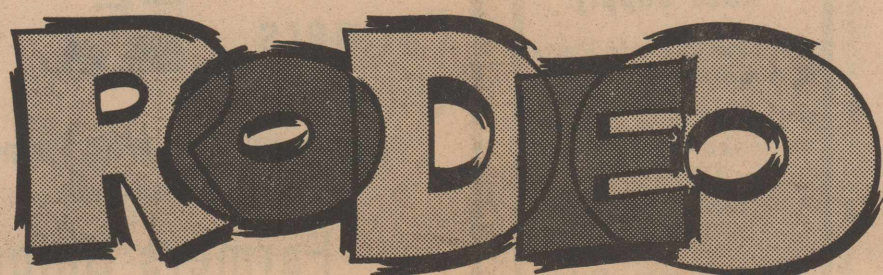


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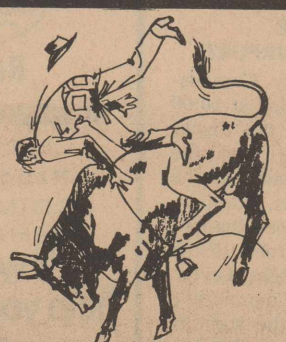
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Rotan Flower Shop
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1974 Senior Queen
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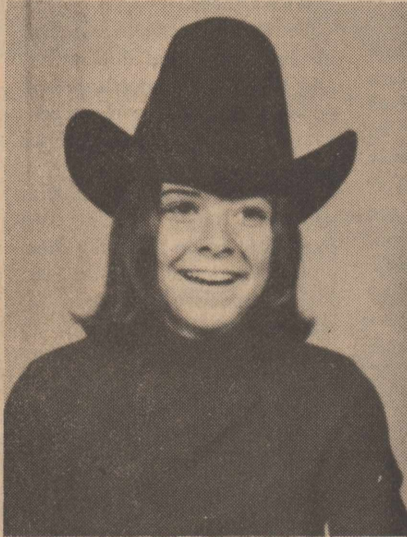
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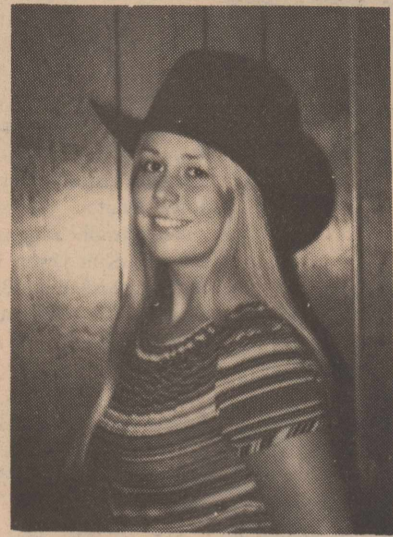
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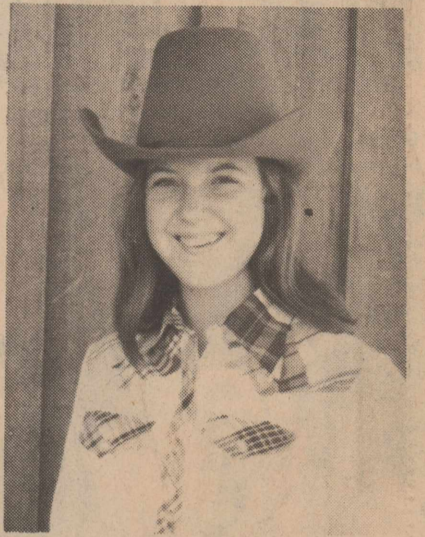
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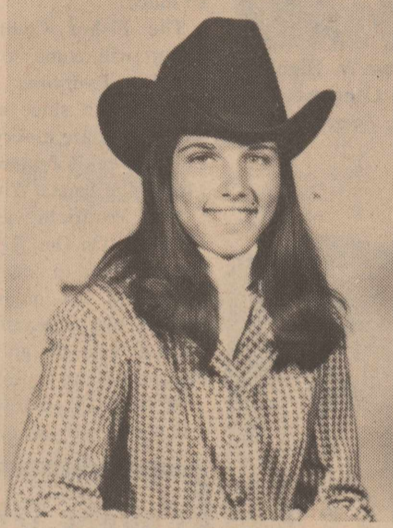
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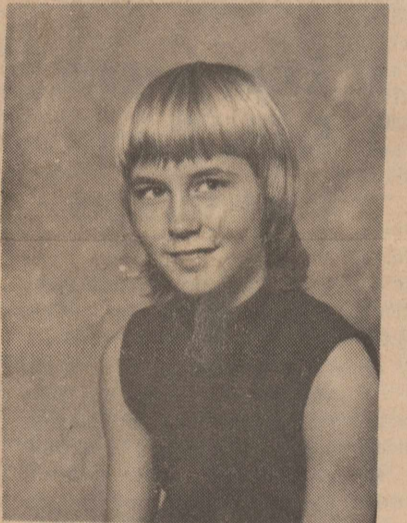
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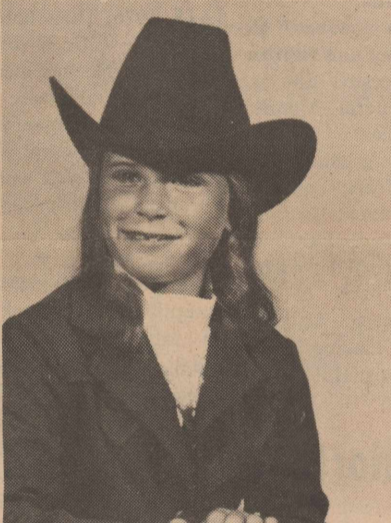
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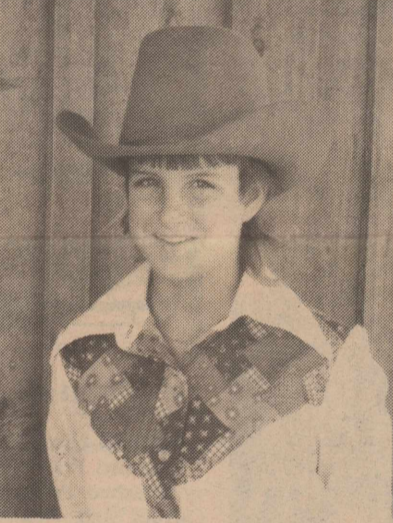
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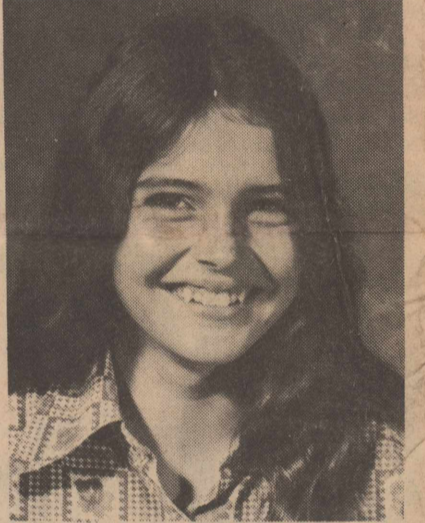
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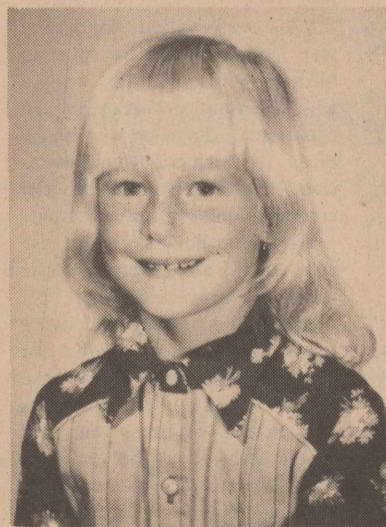
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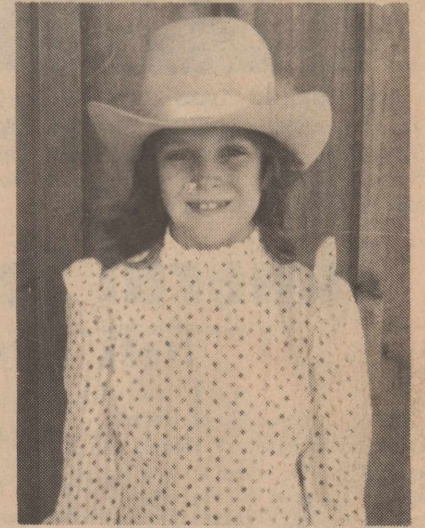
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