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Rotan Booster Club To Hold Rummage Sale

The Rotan Booster Club is making plans for a big rummage sale in the near future, according to Garvis Hinson, president.

Those Rotan residents interested in donating merchandise for the sale are asked to contact any booster club officer or deliver the merchandise to the

home of either Garvis Hinson, President; Arnie Goodwin, Vice President, or Jack Cadenhead, Secretary-Treasurer. Additional information on the date of the rummage sale will be released at a future time.

In other action the Rotan Booster Club voted to release an income and disbursement report on the funds collected and spent during the 1974-75 season. The full report can be found in an advertisement in this weeks paper.

A summary of the income and disbursements includes: Cash on hand at the beginning of the 1974 year, \$684.99. Cash taken in during the 1974-75 year, \$4,072.71 for a total of \$4,757.70. The disbursements for the 1974-75 season amounted to \$4,494.71. The cash on hand at the start of the 1975-76 year is \$162.99.

The Booster Club is in the progress of constructing a new single pole goal post to replace the existing posts at the football field.

In a normal year the most expensive project undertaken by the club is the filming of football games. During 1974 the cost of film and processing amounted to \$752.28.

Booster Club members will be selling family memberships to the Rotan Booster Club at the gate this Friday night. Memberships are \$5.00.

Glenn Rainer Named New Brazos Manager

Glenn Rainer, former Brazos Transport manager at Medicine Lodge, Kansas, has been transferred to Rotan as manager and officially took over duties Wednesday, September 3.

Rainer will replace Claude Reddin as local manager.

Roby Junior Class Names Favorites

The junior class at Roby High elected class favorites last week. They are Jesse Castor and Rhonda Welch.

The class also decided to end their paper drive and expressed thanks to all who saved papers for them.

Rev. Ross Anderson Resigns As Pastor

Rev. Ross Anderson, pastor of Cross Roads Baptist Church for the past five years, resigned last week effective September 5.

Rev. Anderson has accepted a position as pastor of the Goldsmith Baptist Church, located north of Odessa.

Rotan Masons To Work In Second Degree

The Rotan Masonic Lodge will have a called meeting on Thursday, September 4, for work in the fellowcraft degree.

The meeting is set to begin at 8:00 p.m., and all members are urged to be present.

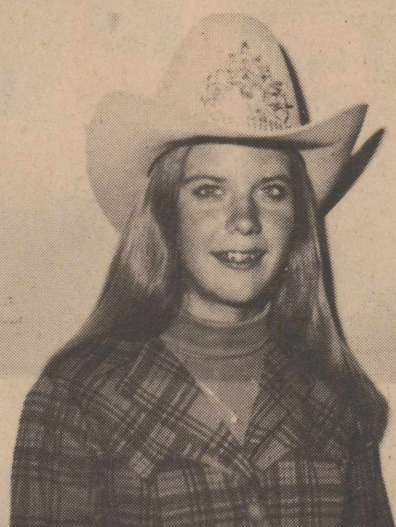
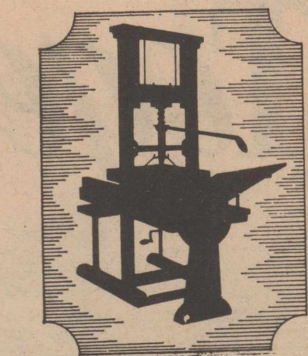
Four County Schools Braced For First Game

With pre-season scrimmages out of the way, football fans in Fisher County are braced to view their favorite teams in action this week end in their first pre-season encounters.

Rotan's Yellowhammers play Hamlin's Pied Pipers at home this Friday night in a game to start at 8 p.m. Head Coach Don Mullins and assistants John Harbison, ogers Lankford and Sid McCown have high hopes for this year's team. The Yellowhammers looked good in their scrimmage with Stamford and more impressive against Aspermont last week. The Rotan Junior Varsity will play their first game on Thursday, Sept. 4, at 6:30 at home. The Rotan 7th and 8th grades open their season play on September 11 with a game at home against Stamford.

The Roby Lions open their season against the Sweetwater B team on Saturday night, Septem-

ber 6. New Head Coach Paul Mitchell and assistant Walter Holik have been generally pleased with the two scrimmages against Rochester. The Roby Junior High team will open their schedule on Thursday, Sept. 4, at 7 p.m. with a game at home against the Bronte Longhorns. The Hobbs Panthers will be on the road this Friday night, Sept.



SENIOR QUEEN PENNY COKER



JUNIOR QUEEN TABB HINES

Penny Coker, Tabb Hines Win Rodeo Queen Honors

Tabb Hines, of Roby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Latham Burk, was crowned 1975-76 Bicentennial Fair and Rodeo Junior Queen Saturday. Her sponsor was T.C. Jinkens Ranch. Tabb is

a 4th grader at Roby School and participates in 4-H Horse Shows and local playdays. She was crowned by Tammy Stuart of Roby, the reigning 1974-75 Jr. Queen.

First runner-up in the Junior Division was Marcy Mauldin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Mauldin, and second runnerup was Paula Terry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bunny Terry, also of Roby.

Miss Penny Coker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Coker, of Roby, was named the Senior Queen of the Fair and Rodeo. Her sponsor was the T.C. Jinkens Ranch. Penny is active in the 4-H livestockshow. She also participates in all sports at Roby High School where she is a sophomore. Penny was crowned by Cheryl Terry, 1974-75 Senior Queen.

First runner up in the senior division was Kim Ratliff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Ratliff of Hobbs community. Second runnerup was Judy Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright of Roby.

Rotan Extension Classes Of WTC Has Light Sign Up

The response from the general public with regard to registering for college classes offered by Western Texas College at the Rotn extension center has been less than anticipated.

The officials at the college were in hopes that all four

classes offered would have enough student signed up at this point to assure their being offered.

Roby Athletic Meeting Tues.

Roby Athletic Club will meet September 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the History room of High School. All members and interested persons are invited to be present.

Roby Garden Club Plans Meet

The Roby Garden Club will meet Thursday, Sept. 11, at 9:30 a.m. in the Mid-west Electric Coop. Hostesses will be Mrs. W.W. Morton and Mrs. Farrest Tefteller.

Rotan Pep Rally Set For Friday

The first Rotan pep rally has been set for Friday, Sept. 5, at 3:20 p.m. at the high school gymnasium, according to school officials.

Interested community residents are invited to attend the pep rally. Cheerleaders, coaches and players will take part in the rally.

Western Texas College officials are expected to make a decision on Thursday night, Sept. 4, at 6:30 as to what classes will be offered in Rotan

Any interested person desiring to register for one of the four classes scheduled to be offered is asked to be present on Thursday night at 6:30. Persons desiring further information on classes can contact Western Texas extension coordinator Pat Hamric at 735-3041 or 735-3370.

There are currently 11 students signed up to take the Conversational Spanish course. Registration is light in the other three courses. Six students have signed up for History, 5 for English and 4 for psychology.

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WINNERS IN FISHER COUNTY FAIR NAMED

Mrs. Coy Stuart won most blue ribbons in the Women's Division. Mrs. Fred Waddell won 2nd most and Mrs. Coese Palmer 3rd most blue ribbons.

WOMENS DIVISION

Clothing
Tailored Suits. Blue, Mrs. James Cave, Roby.

Pant Suit. Blue, Lenor Romero Red, Mrs. James Cave.
Blouses. Blue, Mrs. Fred Waddell.

Decorated Denim Shirts. Red, Mrs. Luther Maberry, McCauley.
Girl's Best Dress. Blue, Mrs. James Cave.

Accessories
Hats. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart, Roby. Red, Mona Schubert, Longworth.
Purses. Blue, Hazel Aldridge, Rotan. Red, Mrs. Fred Waddell.
Costume Jewelry. Blue, Coese Palmer, Roby.

Crochet
Afghan. Blue, Mrs. P.G. Campbell, Roby. Red, Mrs. Mary E. Hopp, Hobbs. White, Mrs. R.H. Headstream, Roby.

Table Covers
Others. Red, Mona Schubert, Longworth.

Pillows
Quilted. Red, Mona Schubert, Longworth.

Crewel. Blue, Viola Hendon, Rotan.
Others. Blue, Mrs. P.G. Campbell, Roby.

Quilts
Hand Pieced. Blue, Dollie Curry, Rotan. Red, Monda Schubert. White, Ora Bennett, Roby.

Stuffed Doll, Animal, Toy
Blue, Coese Palmer. Red, Mona Schubert. White, Mrs. J.W. Landers, Roby.

Handmade Novelties
Plaster. Red, Coese Palmer, Roby.

Stuffed Doll, Animal, Toy. Blue, Coese Palmer. Red, Mona Schubert. White, Mrs. J.W. Landers, Roby.

Hot Dish Mat. Blue, Mona Schubert. Red, Coese Palmer.
Flowers. Blue, Mrs. Fred Waddell.

Ceramics. Blue, Coese Palmer
Bottle Dolls. Blue, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg, Roby.

Others. Blue, Johnny Edmondson, Roby. Red, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg. White, Mona Schubert.

Pictures and Plaques
Crewel. Blue, Mrs. Fred Waddell. Red, Susan Riggins, Roby. White, Mrs. J.H. Morris, Roby.

Needlepoint. Blue, Esther Morton, Sweetwater. Red, Mrs. J.H. Morris.

Tapestry. Blue, Coese Palmer. Red, Mrs. Fred Waddell.

Other. Blue, Coese Palmer. Red, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg. White, Mrs. J.H. Morris.

Floral Arrangements
Dried. Blue, June Anderson, Hobbs. Red, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg.

Live. Blue, June Anderson. Red, Susan Riggins. White, Mrs. Fred Waddell.

Artificial. Blue, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg.

Foods
Layer Cakes. Blue, Mrs. W.P. Schubert, Roby.

Fruit Cakes. Red, Carol Stuart, Roby.
Pound Cakes. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart.

Cookies. Blue, Mrs. W.P. Schubert. Red, Mrs. James Cave. White, Mrs. Obed Hughes, Rotan.

Cream Pies. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart. Red, Carol Stuart. White, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg.

Fruit Pies. Red, Carol Stuart. Coffee Cake. Blue, Mrs. Fred Waddell.

Breads
Rolls. Blue, Mrs. James Cave.

Red, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg. Loaf Bread. Blue, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg. Quick Bread. Red, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg. Canned Meats. Red, Carol Stuart. Canned Meats. Continued to Page 4

Roby Third Grade Wins First Place For Float

The Roby third grade took top honors in the Fisher County Parade that kicked off the annual Fisher County Fair and Rodeo last weekend. The Roby third grade class, under the guidance of Mrs. Freddie Stuart, teacher, took a Bicentennial theme and won first place honors. Second place in the float division of the parade went to the Roby Ladies Auxiliary of the Fire

Department. The Hobbs 4-H Club took third place honors in the float division.

In the sheriff posse division a first place award was given to the Scurry County Sheriff Posse; Howard County Sheriff Posse was second and Dawson County Sheriff Posse was third.

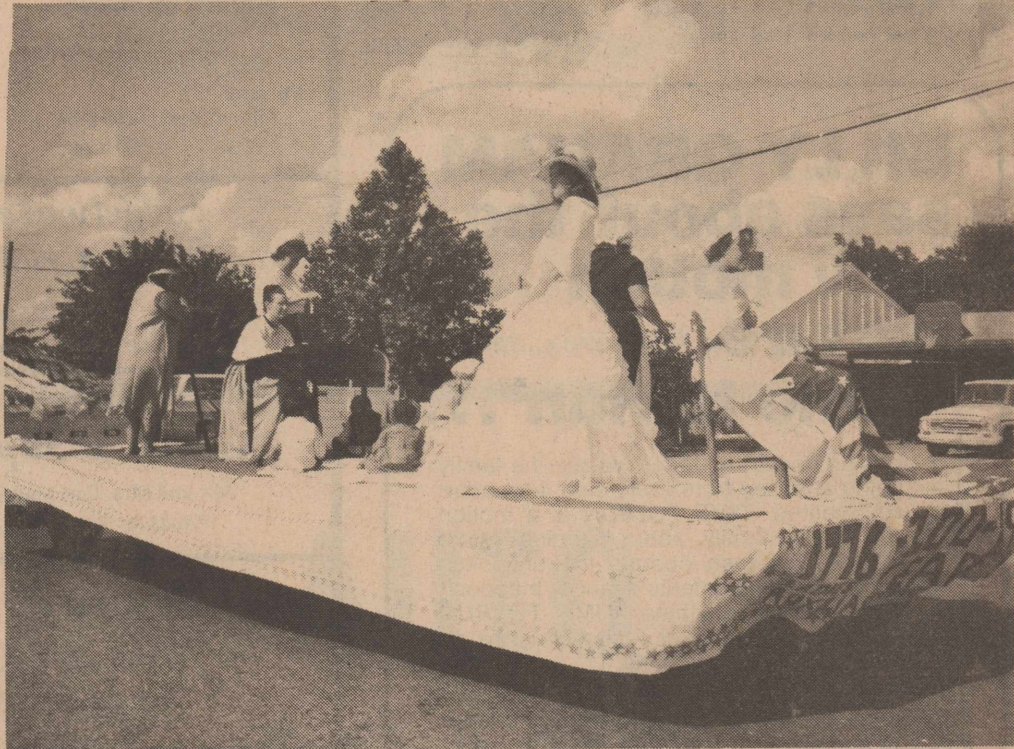
A first place award was given to the Nolan County Junior Sheriff Posse.

The marching Roby Band took first place in the bands with the Jimmy Kerr Marching Band of Anson capturing second.

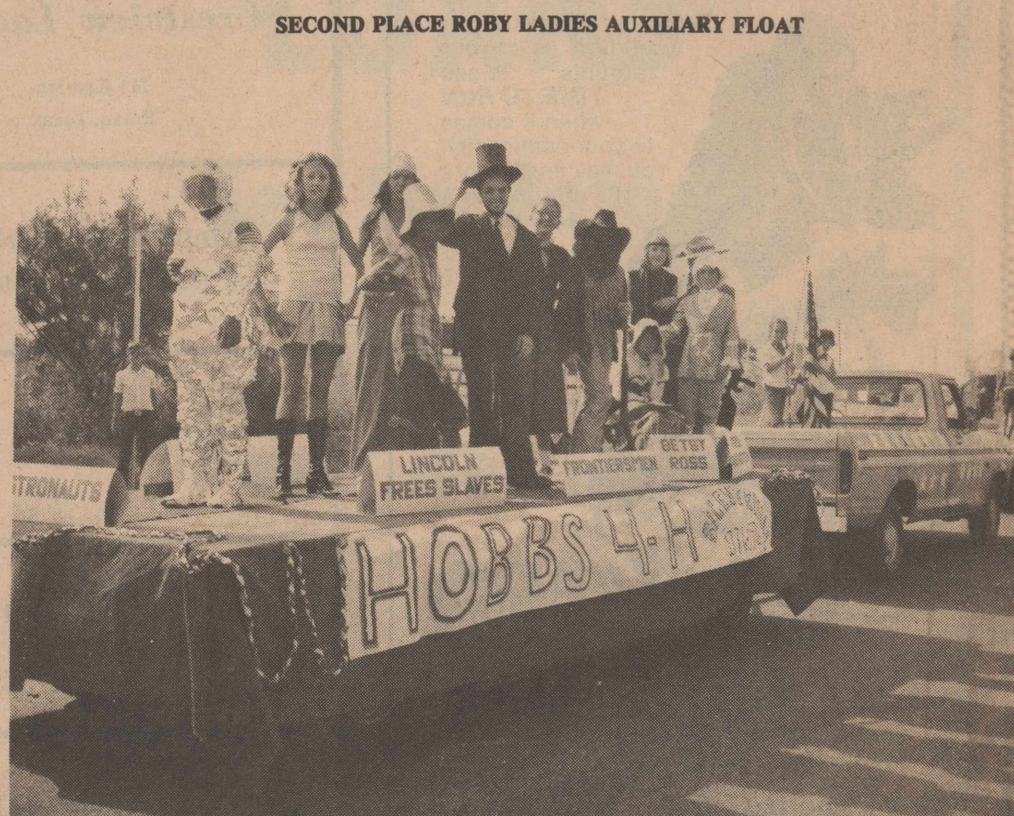
Rodeo Parade Chairman Don Ballenger and assistants Glenn Upsahw, Kyle Moore and Alice Ballenger expressed their thanks for the cooperation received from clubs and organizations throughout Fisher County in making the parade a success in 1975.



FIRST PLACE ROBY THIRD GRADE FLOAT



SECOND PLACE ROBY LADIES AUXILIARY FLOAT



THIRD PLACE HOBBS 4-H FLOAT

Argentein Yanez Gets Insurance Promotion

Argentein Yanez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Esteban Velez of Rotan, will be residing in Smyrna, Ga., a suburb of Atlanta, due to a promotion. She has been employed by the Lynn

Ins. Group of Kansas City, Mo. for four years. A position as Unicoover Coordinator has been offered to Mrs. Yanez. She is the wife of Luther Yanez, Jr. Mr. Yanez will join his wife in October after terminating his employment with Wyandott County Juvenile Court of Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Yanez are 1968 graduates of Rotan High School and Mr. Yanez is a 1975 graduate of Park College, Parkville, Mo.

Mrs. R.H. Headstream spent the weekend in Haskell with Rev. and Mrs. Aubrey Headstream and their children.

Wayne and Floy Pursley spent the weekend with Joe and Bonnie Bryan and children in Fort Worth.



Argentein Yanez

Meditations
 Rotan Ministerial Alliance
 Rev. Richard Dickerson
 Foursquare Gospel Church

Did you know there is a solution to every problem? Problems make life interesting, for it is only the dead who have no problems. Life is an adventure and every adventure creates its own particular and peculiar set of difficulties. You can protect yourself from them by living a cautious life, but you may die of boredom. As you polish the art of handling your problems with these eight basic mental postures, remember that the size of your problems will be in direct proportion to the size of your dream.

To God... Read this aloud when you meet your next problem: "I will be a different person when this problem is past. I will be wiser, stronger, a more patient person; or I will be sour, cynical, bitter, disillusioned and angry. It all depends on what I do with my problem. Each problem can make me a better or worse person. It can bring me closer to God or drive me away from God. It can build my faith or shatter my faith. It all depends on my attitude! I intend to be a better person when this problem leaves me than I was when it met me."

7. **Expect Problems...** so develop a tough hide, and yet remain tender, sensitive and understanding. Don't be a baby—just grow up—and be a man and as the going gets tough, only the tough keep going. Smart people never size opportunities without asking themselves, "What problems might I reasonably expect?" As a pace-setting thinker expect problems with people; some trapped by tradition, some just naturally inclined to resist change.

Golden Haven Home News
 By Carolyn Nichols

Hope everyone enjoyed the beautiful Labor Day weekend as much as we did here at the home.

We have had a lot of excitement here with all the visitors and with our special occasions.

Last Tuesday afternoon we had our monthly birthday party. Gladys Bryant was our only honoree. Everyone had such a good time eating the ice cream cones. We wish to thank the women from the Baptist Church in Roby for making it possible.

The Sylvester church brought a wonderful sermon last Sunday. The patients liked it very much. Our feature patient for this week is Mr. David A. Bennett. Mr. Bennett was born January 5, 1885. He is a retired farmer and was admitted to our home February 16, 1970. Mr. Bennett enjoys walking outside and visiting with the other patients. Well, that's it for this week, see you again next week.

Card Of Thanks

Words can not express our loving appreciation for the many acts of kindness you have shown us during my illness. May we say thank you to the staff of Fisher County Hospital and both Doctor Callans. Also, for the many cards of love and encouragement, for all the beautiful flowers to be enjoyed, along with all the many other useful gifts, we thank you. To the friends who gathered to plow out Dub's crop and the ladies who prepared food for them we will always be grateful. May God's richest blessing be with each of you.

Dody and Dub Rushing

BILLY GRAHAM says about the new motion picture "Time to Run"...

There is no doubt that today we see the family unit being attacked from every side, torn apart and fragmented. *TIME TO RUN* is a motion picture about a family, about listening, about the silences between people, the unspoken moments, and the moments of anger that don't really accomplish anything. *TIME TO RUN* openly offers the reality of Jesus Christ as an answer to the human dilemma. I feel that thousands of people will see a part of themselves in the film. Hopefully, families seeing it will be brought closer together in real understanding and communication.



I urge you to take your children... or your parents... to see *TIME TO RUN* when it comes to your community. You may find it more of a mirror than a motion picture!

Billy Graham



world wide pictures presents
times to run
 eastmancolor
Cross Roads Baptist Church
 Shown Sunday, Sept. 7th 7:00 P.M.
 ALL AGES-NO ADMISSION

Worship Together

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Rotan, Texas
 Joe Barina, Minister
 Bible Study - 9:45 a.m.
 Worship - 10:30

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Rotan, Texas
 Rev. Cecil M. Tune, Pastor
 Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
 Worship - 10:30 a.m.

CHURCH OF NAZARENE
 Rotan, Texas
 F. W. Rogers, Pastor
 Bible Class - 9:45 a.m.
 Worship - 10:50 a.m.
 Evening Service - 7:00 p.m.

SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH
 James Holdridge, Pastor
 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
 Bro. Henry Dickson, Hawley
 Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
 Worship - 11:00 a.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 Rotan, Texas
 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 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 Josery
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
 Worship - 11:00 a.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Roby, Texas
 Wardell Halliburton,
 Minister
 Bible Class - 10:00 a.m.
 Worship - 11:00 a.m.



**THINK SAFETY...
 ...Think Sunday**



We can't miss them — these signs along the intersections of our streets. They protect our school children from physical harm. We see the sign . . . and slow down.

Most of us are deeply concerned about the safety of our youngsters . . . and these signs can be a reminder of a further obligation our society has to its youth. There are dangers in life for which only religious training and faith can prepare us.

Boys and girls approaching maturity deserve the spiritual protection which Christian education provides.

Whenever you approach a school crossing, slow down! But, just don't think safety — think SUNDAY!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Micah 6:6-8	Deuteronomy 10:16-20	I Chronicles 29:10-16	II Corinthians 6:8-10	Luke 13:11-15	James 1:2:1-4	I Timothy 6:1-2

This Church Page Is Published In Hope That More People Will Go To Church. It Is Paid For By Firms And Individuals 100% Interested In This County. Let Them Know That You Appreciate Them Supporting This Page. Each Week We Feature One Supporter In Hopes That You'll Make A Special Effort To Let Your Appreciation Be Known To This Church Page Supporter.

THIS WEEK'S FEATURED SUPPORTER

Fisher County Nursing Home

Sweetwater Prod. Credit Dwaly, Parker Manager 776-2311 - Roby, Texas	Rotan Restaurant 735-3575 Rotan, Texas	Atwell Cleaners Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Atwell Rotan, Texas	Citizens State Bank Roby, Texas Member F.D.I.C.
Central Lumber & Supply Mr. and Mrs. Carl Matthies 776-2371 - Roby, Texas	Fisher County Farm Bureau 215 West Snyder Rotan, Texas	Tom Collins Small Engine Repair 735-3232	Weathersbee Funeral Home 735-2255 Rotan, Texas
Rockwell Bros. & Co. "Lumbermen"	Roby Insurance Agency 776-2361 Roby, Texas	First National Bank Of Rotan Accounts Insured to \$40,000 735-2255	Fisher County Nursing Home 735-3291 Rotan, Texas
Crestview Lodge 711 East 5th Rotan, Texas		Roby Hydro Inc. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ammons Roby, Texas	
Martinez Dairy Rudy, Joe B. and Emilio Martinez Hobbs, Texas	Clinic Pharmacy George McDonald, R.P.H. 735-2500	Rotan Insurance Agency Joe Burk, Agent Rotan, Texas	Hatahoe Drive Inn Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ragan Rotan, Texas
	Farmers Union Co-Op Gin Foy Mitchell, Mgr. Roby, Texas	Hinds Department Store Gold Bond Stamps Rotan, Texas	Rotan Paint & Body Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Burrow Rotan, Texas
Bart Strayhorn 735-2231 Rotan, Texas	H.L. Davis & Co. Bill and Elaine Day Rotan, Texas	Midwest Electric Roby 776-2244 Roby, Texas	
Landes Furniture Loys Landes - Larry Landes Rotan, Texas		Home Lumber Co. Mr. and Mrs. H. Thompson Rotan, Texas	Noles Drug Store Roby, Texas

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

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 CHURCH
 Roby, Texas
 Rev. Kenneth James
 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.

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

FOURSQUARE CHURCH
 Rotan, Texas
 Eighth and Genevieve
 Rev. Richard L. Dickerson
 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 - 11:00 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Rotan, Texas
 Rev. Fred Thomas, Pastor
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
 Worship - 10:55 a.m.

METHODIST CHURCH
 Longworth, Texas
 Gene Greer, Pastor
 Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
 Worship - 11:00 a.m.

LONGWORTH BAPTIST
 Longworth, Texas
 Rev. Billy Oliver, Pastor
 Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
 Worship - 11:00 a.m.

McCAULLEY BAPTIST
 McCaulley, Texas
 Rev. George Caffey, Pastor
 Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
 Worship - 11:00 a.m.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
 Roby, Texas
 Elder J. R. Knight
 Song Serv. 10 a.m. - 4th Sun.
 Worship - 11 a.m. - 4th Sun.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 McCaulley, Texas
 James Holdridge, Pastor
 Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.
 Worship Service - 11:00 a.m.



ROTAN CHEERLEADERS: The above five cheerleaders will be leading the yells this Friday when the Yellowhammers play the Hamlin Pied Pipers. The 1975-76 Cheerleaders are, left to right, Jill Hill, Patti Weathersbee, John Arnett, Terri Cade, and Laura Womack.

Article Lists One Preacher

-By Delila Baird

In "The People's Illustrated Almanac, Texas Handbook, and Immigrant's Guide" for 1880, a newspaper correspondent wrote regarding Fisher County: "... There are two families and four bachelor dens or holes in this far away country. There is not a lawyer, doctor, tooth carpenter or average politician in the country, and one lone preacher." It is evident that the correspondent didn't investigate thoroughly before submitting the report because the 1880 U.S. Census listed twenty-six families living in Fisher County. None were listed as lawyers, doctors, tooth carpenters, politicians, teachers or preachers. They were farmers, stockmen and herders. Very few of the 1880 residents braved the hardships and droughts of the new county to make lasting homes, but a number of permanent settlers did arrive in the early 1880's.

Among early settlers in the area was the late Mr. Jim F. Dennis. In an interview with C.B. Smith (former Fisher County resident now residing in Austin) Mr. Dennis gave many interesting accounts of his life before and after coming to this country. The interview took place in the summer of 1926 and excerpts are used here with Mr. Smith's permission.

Mr. Dennis stated, "I was born in Bosque County, Texas. In the spring of 1876 we moved to just north of eastland. Father brought about 300 head of cattle. They were branded HD. In 1881 we brought cattle into Fisher County." The article notes that Jim Dennis had a herd of cattle in Nolan County.

Like many other settlers in the area, Mr. Dennis hauled buffalo bones to augment the family income. He said, "We started hauling buffalo bones in 1881. We sold them for about \$16.00 a ton. An ox team could haul about four tons with a trailer behind the wagon. A four horse team could haul two tons."

"They began to build fences in Fisher County about 1884 and 1885. When it started it just kept going. The nesters began to come here in 1886 and 1887 and buy up land. There was some trouble because the ranchers claimed the range."

Mr. Dennis spoke of the terrible drought in the late 1880's that reduced the population as well as the count of cattle. It is also of record in the minutes of the County Court of Fisher County dated October 11, 1886. At that time the Judge reported that he had just received a check from the private secretary of the Governor for benefit of drouth sufferers in the county. The amount was \$111.11. Another check from the Governor in the amount of \$125.73 "for the

benefit of the duferers of the drouth in the county" was reported at the same meeting. The Dennis family was among those who remained despite drouth and pestilance.

In extolling the courage of the early settlers one cannot overlook the role of the pioneer wife and mother. In a story written many years ago, and shared by a daughter, Mrs. Marck Cave Sr. of Rotan, Mrs. J.F. Dennis recalled her experiences traveling to Texas as a child. They were on the road most of the fall and winter, but in a child's eye it seemed, in her words, "the loveliest trip". She said, "Everything was so interesting to us children. We had never been five miles from home before. There were five of us and we played and walked most of the way. As the oxen were slow walkers, it gave us time to see and enjoy the new sights. The trains, towns and steam boats on the river were grander sights to us than the circus is to children of today." (Now, 1975, the circus has almost faded from the scene.)

Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Dennis were married on October 6, 1877. She records, "In 1902 we got a nice little ranch just south of the Double Mountains and stocked it with good Hereford cattle. This isn't all--we had twelve children, eight boys and four girls. We lost our oldest boy at nineteen and one in the World War (WW I)...We pioneer women had hardships and privations, lived in dugouts and log cabins, but still we were hoping for better times, so we were usually happy. I feel that I have so much to be

thankful for."

Mr. and Mrs. J.F. Dennis moved from their ranch in to Rotan where they spent the years after it was no longer feasible for them to live on the ranch so far out in the country. Both died in Rotan--she in 1942 and he in 1944. Descendants still live here and some continue raising those good hereford cattle.

Glen Holt Is Speaker At Hobbs School

Mr. Glen Holt, Rotan business man, visited the class last Friday. He talked about his role as a grocer and brought some cans and compared contents and prices. Mr. Holt showed the various qualities in different brands of food. The class found the presentation beneficial.

Hospital News

Fisher County Hospital News August 26 thru September 1, 1975.

Local Patients: Cecil Edwards, Mike Fowler, Marie Phillips, Kristan Ivey, Opal Burch, Ora O. Campbell, Juanita Trejo, Thomas Worth Smith, Bonnie Gladson, Charles F. McCall.

Out of Town Patients: Nell J. Carriker, Gus T. Beddo, E.M. Guelker, Roby; Susie Campa, Baby Boy Campa, Wesley May, Sweetwater; Aubrey Perry, Lampasas; Mattie Patton, Aspermonnt.

Roby Happenings

By Buelene Shipp
Roby, Texas 776-2254

Hi, well last week was the original "week that was". I mean I've had hectic days, but they seldom spread into weeks. With school still in the early state of confusion, and then the best Fair and Rodeo in these parts going on, and planning of a float for the parade of all recent year's parades, Gene home-on vacation for 5 days, Daddy in the hospita in Abilene and 2 girls in the queen contest, I think I met myself coming when I was going. But I wouldn't have missed it for anything.

Did you see the parade? I think it was the best one we've had in years. I'm so happy to see the different organizations taking enough interest to build a float. And if you missed seeing all the beautiful contestants in the Fisher Co. Fair and Rodeo queen race, I want to tell you that there were 27 young ladies that could compete with any Miss America and come out tops.

Edd Carter is home and doing real good after having open heart surgery recently in Lubbock.

Cynthia Putnam is home and improving every day after her hurried trip to Sweetwater recently for an emergency appendectomy.

Have you seen the commercial for the movie "Blazing Saddles" where the man goes up to his horse and throws a right uppercut to the horse's nose and the horse goes down. Well, I know a Fisher County resident that will tell you that it really doesn't work that way and he has a cast on his hand to prove it.

Cotton Rister was to undergo open heart surgery in Lubbock Tuesday. Our wishes for a speedy recovery go out to him.

John Kiker who had surgery last Monday and again Thursday is on the mend and hopes to come home this coming Thursday.

Our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of A.D. Ratliff.

Mrs. Benny Kidd and Bert Warren of the Capitola community were in Roby last week looking for some financial help in getting the material needed for a floor covering to be installed in the Capitola Community Center. Any and all donations are being cheerfully accepted by either of these ladies.

Mrs. Joe Ballenger was in Sweetwater Hospital several days this past week. Hope he's soon feeling better and comes home.

Don Ballenger had a bit of hard luck last Thursday when his horse broke loose and was hit by acarwhen he ran across Hiway 70. Luckily, the people in the car were not injured and the horse only received bruises and a few cuts.

The Fisher County Fair and Rodeo Association is to be commended on the great work they did to improve the rodeo arena and grandstands this year.

There were several families visiting in Roby this past weekend and attending the festivities. George and Cynthia Kiker, Lisa and Laura of Crowley were here visiting with Jessie Ashely and other friends and relatives.

Eddie and Andi Thornburg of Pecos were here visiting her mother and younger brother, Dixie and Rod Whitfill and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Thornburg.

T.A. Park and daughter, Twyla of Ft. Worth were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Pope and Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Park.

Don and Shirley Stuart and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Stuart and other friends and relatives.

Linda Morgan Clark and sonof Pecos spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Morgan.

My wish for a happy birthday goes to Scott Ely and Jack Simmons on Aug. 29.

Also, to Mary Ellen Cave on Sept. 8th, Deena Williamson, Sept. 6, and Stella Brown, Sept. 7.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Upshaw were Doug and Sheila Upshaw.

Alvin and Marsha Smith of Sweetwater were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. L.V. Armstrong.

Joe and Betty Doan and boys of Snyder spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Monty Neighbors.

Craig Diddle was home form Texas Tech to see Mr. and Mrs. Glen Webb.

our sympathy goes to the family of Mrs. Sammy Haggard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Riggan of Trent spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Tim Riggan.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Edmondson had several guests for the weekend. Johnnie's sister and her husband from San Saba, Deltzie's mother, Rosemary Bland and Steve Bland and Brenda Jackson and daughter Debbie and Mrs. Fox, all of Trent.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Burk spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Burk and sons in Artesia, New Mexico.

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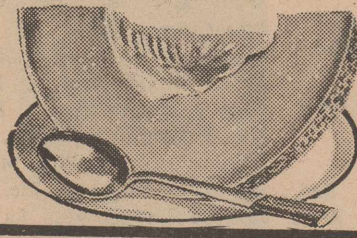
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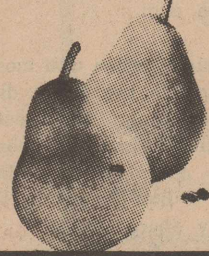
3lb Bag Jonathan

Apples

89¢

Bartlett
Pears

29¢ lb



Santa Rosa

Plums

39¢ lb

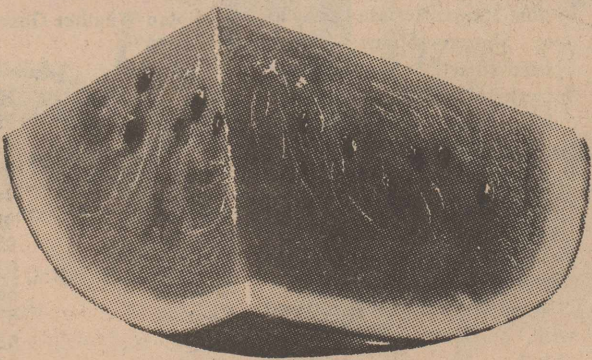
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Cabbage

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10 lb Bag

Potatoes

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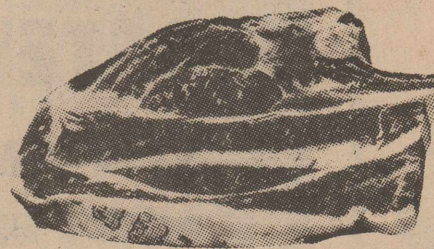
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Meat

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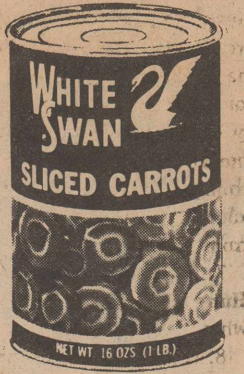
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GENERAL REVENUE SHARING PROVIDES FEDERAL FUNDS DIRECTLY TO LOCAL AND STATE GOVERNMENTS. YOUR GOVERNMENT MUST PUBLISH THIS REPORT, ADVISING YOU HOW THESE FUNDS HAVE BEEN USED OR OBLIGATED DURING THE YEAR FROM JULY 1, 1974, THRU JUNE 30, 1975. THIS IS TO INFORM YOU OF YOUR GOVERNMENT'S PRIORITIES AND TO ENCOURAGE YOUR PARTICIPATION IN DECISIONS ON HOW FUTURE FUNDS SHOULD BE SPENT. NOTE: ANY COMPLAINTS OF DISCRIMINATION IN THE USE OF THESE FUNDS MAY BE SENT TO THE OFFICE OF REVENUE SHARING, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20226.

ACTUAL EXPENDITURES			THE GOVERNMENT OF	
(A) CATEGORIES	(B) CAPITAL	(C) OPERATING / MAINTENANCE	ROBY CITY	
1 PUBLIC SAFETY	\$	\$	has received General Revenue Sharing payments totaling \$12,484	
2 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	\$	\$	during the period from July 1, 1974 thru June 30, 1975	
3 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	\$	\$	✓ ACCOUNT NO. 44 2 076 001	
4 HEALTH	\$ 6,000.	\$	ROBY CITY 537	
5 RECREATION	5,324.	\$	MAYOR ROBY TEXAS 79543	
6 LIBRARIES	\$	\$		
7 SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR	\$	\$		
8 FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	\$	\$		
9 MULTIPURPOSE AND GENERAL GOVT	\$	\$		
10 EDUCATION	\$	\$		
11 SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$	✓ (D) TRUST FUND REPORT (refer to instruction D) 6500.	
12 HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$	1. Balance as of June 30, 1974 \$	
13 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$	2. Revenue Sharing Funds Received from July 1, 1974 thru June 30, 1975 \$ 12,484	
14 OTHER (Specify)	\$	\$	3. Interest Received \$ 250.	
15 TOTALS	\$11,324.	\$	4. Funds Released from Obligations \$	
NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN MET			5. Sum of lines 1, 2, 3, 4 \$	
(E) CERTIFICATION: I certify that I am the Chief Executive Officer and, with respect to the anti-discrimination funds reported herein, I certify that they have not been used in violation of either the priority expenditure requirement (Section 103) or the matching funds prohibition (Section 104) of the Act.			6. Funds Returned to ORS \$	
Signature of Chief Executive Officer Cecil J. King Mayor Date 8-28-75			7. Total Funds Available \$ 19,234.	
			8. Total Amount Expended (Sum of line 15, column B and column C) \$ 11,324.	
			9. Balance as of June 30, 1975 \$ 7,910.	
			(F) THE NEWS MEDIA HAVE BEEN ADVISED THAT A COMPLETE COPY OF THIS REPORT HAS BEEN PUBLISHED IN A LOCAL NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION. I HAVE A COPY OF THIS REPORT AND RECORDS DOCUMENTING THE CONTENTS. THEY ARE OPEN FOR PUBLIC SCRUTINY AT City Hall	

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Pickle

Beet. Blue, Nina Cave, Roby. Red. Mrs. Coy Stuart. White, Mrs. J.O. Hudnall, Rotan.

Cucumber. Blue, Mrs. Z.H. Anderson, Roby. Red, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg. White, Mrs. Lois Scherwitz, Longworth.

Other Fruit and Vegetable Pickle. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart. Red, Mrs. Coy Stuart. White, Carol Stuart.

Canned Fruits and Vegetables

Purple Hull Peas. Red, Mrs. Lois Scherwitz.

Cream Peas. White, Mrs. Coy Stuart.

Corn. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart. Red, Carol Stuart. White, Mrs. H.F. Guelker, Longworth.

String Beans. Blue, Mrs. Fred Waddell. Red, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg. White, Mrs. W.P. Schubert.

Blackeyed Peas. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart. Red, Preston Beene, Roby. White, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg.

Okra. Red, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg. White, Mrs. Coy Stuart.

Tomatoes. Blue, Mrs. Fred Waddell. Red, Mrs. Coy Stuart. White, Mrs. James Cave.

Squash. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart. Red, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg. White, Mrs. Lois Scherwitz.

Peaches. White, Mrs. Lois Scherwitz.

Apples. Red, Mrs. Coy Stuart. White, Mrs. Lois Scherwitz.

Pineapple. Red, Mrs. Coy Stuart.

Pear. Blue, Mrs. H.F. Guelker. White, Mrs. Lois Scherwitz.

Berries. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart. Red, Mrs. J.O. Hudnall. White, Mrs. Mary Beauchamp, Roby.

Figs. White, Mrs. Lois Scherwitz.

Others. Blue Mrs. Viola Hendon, Mrs. Fred Waddell. Red, Mrs. J.O. Hudnall, Mrs. Lois Scherwitz. White, Mrs. Lois Scherwitz, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg.

Preserves

Fig. Blue, Carol Stuart. Red, Mrs. Coy Stuart.

Others. Blue, Mrs. Z. H. Anderson. Red, Mrs. Coy Stuart. White, Mrs. Coy Stuart.

Jams

Peach. Red, Mrs. J.W. Landers.

Apple. Red, Lois Scherwitz. Plum. Red, Mrs. Coy Stuart.

Berries. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart. Red, Nina Cave. White, Mrs. J.O. Hudnall.

Other. Blue, Mrs. James Cave.

Jellies

Peach. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart. Apple. Blue, Mrs. Coy Stuart.

Plum. Blue, Mrs. Obed Hughes. Red, Mrs. Z.H. Anderson. White, Mrs. Fred Waddell.

Berries. Blue, Nina Cave. Red, Mrs. Obed Hughes.

Others. Red, Lois Scherwitz. White, Mrs. Z.H. Anderson.

Fruit Butters

Apple. Blue, Mrs. Lowell Thornburg.

Other. Red, Mrs. James Cave.

TEEN AGE DIVISION

Teenage winning most blue ribbons was Vanessa Hardwick. Cindy Posey won 2nd most blue ribbons and Patricia Posey won 3rd most. The Kerr Award went to Belynda Stuart. The Ball Award went to Patricia Posey and Sharon Stuart.

Foods

Salads

Fruit. Blue, Patricia Posey. Congealed. Blue, Belynda Stuart. Red, Patricia Posey.

Meat. Blue, Cindy Posey. Red, Patricia Posey.

Cakes and Cookies

Cakes. Red, Belynda Stuart, Cindy Posey.

Cookies. Blue, Cindy Posey. Brownies. Red, Patricia Posey.

Candy

Blue, Cindy Posey. 3. Belynda Stuart. 1.

Food Preservation

Fruit Preserves and Butters. Blue, Patricia Posey, Vanessa Hardwick, two. Red, Vanessa Hardwick, two; Belynda Stuart, one.

Jelly. Blue Belynda Stuart, two. Red, Vanessa Hardwick, Cindy Posey, Belynda Stuart.

Canned Vegetables. Blue, Belynda Stuart, two; Vanessa Hardwick. Red, Belynda Stuart, 4; Vanessa Hardwick, 5; Patricia Posey.

Fruit and Vegetable Pickles. Blue, Patricia Posey. Red, Vanessa Hardwick, 4.

Relishes. Red, Vanessa Hardwick. Belynda Stuart, 4.

Clothing

Dress. Blue Patricia Posey, Vanessa Hardwick, Lois Ann Cauble, Cindy Posey, 4. Red, Patricia Posey. White, Cindy Posey.

Hobbies

Beads. Blue, Belynda Stuart. Plaster. Blue, Teresa James, 3. Red, Teresa James.

Others of Merit. Blue, Patricia Posey, 2.

Floral Arrangements

Dried. Red, Vanessa Hardwick. White, Lois Ann Cauble.

Artificial. Red, Vanessa Hardwick.

Pictures

Blue, Patricia Posey. Red, Patricia Posey. White, Revis Cauble, Vanessa Hardwick.

Plaques. Blue, Revis Cauble, two. White, Vanessa Hardwick, Revis Cauble.

Art. Blue, Tammie Sparks, 2; Vicky Faught, 1; Mark Henderson, 2. Red, Shannon Rasco, 1; Vicky Faught, 2. White, Shannon Rasco, two.

Laura Gruben won most blue ribbons in the junior division. Sharon Stuart 2nd most, and Martha Hargrove 3rd most. The Kerr Award went to Belynda Stuart. Ball Award to Patricia Posey, Sharon Stuart.

Food Division

Salads. Blue, Julie Posey, Jill Posey, Sharon Stuart, Debra Stuart, Laura Gruben. Red, Jill Posey.

Cakes and Cookies. Cakes, Blue, Debbie Stuart. Red, Sharon Stuart.

Cup Cakes. Blue, Sharon Stuart.

Cookies. Blue, Nerissa Hardwick.

Brownies. Blue, Laura Gruben, Sharon Stuart. Red, Julie Posey, Jill Posey.

Food Preservation

Canned Vegetables. Red, Debbie Stuart, Nerissa Hardwick two; Sharon Stuart. White, Debbie Stuart, 3; Sharon Stuart, 4; Nerissa Hardwick.

Jelly. Red, Sharon Stuart, 3; Nerissa Hardwick. White, Debbie, Stuart, Sharon Stuart.

Any fruit or vegetable pickle. Blue, Debbie Stuart. Red, Julie Posey, Nerissa Hardwick, 3. White, Debbie Stuart, 2.

Preserves. Red, Nerissa Hardwick, 3; Debra Stuart, Sharon Stuart.

Relish. Red, Sharon Stuart, 4; Debbie Stuart, 4; Nerissa Hardwick.

Fruit butter and jams. Red, Jill Posey, Julie Posey, Nerissa Hardwick, 2; LaRhea Smith.

Clothing

Dress. Blue, Julie Posey, Leslie Carey.

Skirt. Blue, Jill Posey, Elisa Carrillo, Joyce Harkey. Red, Lavinda Elliott.

Blouse. Blue, Nerissa Hardwick. Red, Laura Gruben.

Pants. Blue, Laura Gruben, Nerissa Hardwick. Red, Laura Gruben, LaRhea Smith.

Hobbies

Embroidery. Blue, Laura Gruben.

Plaster. Red, Leslie Carey. White, Wenzal Hardwick.

Stuffed Animals. Blue, Martha Hargrove.

Pot Holders. Blue, Martha Hargrove, 3.

Holiday Decorations. Blue, Russell Smith, 4; LaRhea Smith, 2; Sharon Stuart. Red, LaRhea Smith.

Beads. Blue, Conrad Hamric, Sharon Stuart, 2; Debbie Stuart; Cindy Morgeşon. Red, Cindy Morgeşon.

Others of Merit. Sharon Stuart, Leslie Carey, 2; Laura Gruben, John Morgeşon, Kevin Rivers, Michael Cadenead.

Others of Merit. Blue, Martha Hargrove, Conrad Hamric. Red, Martha Hargrove, LaRhea Smith, Michael Cadenead, Selie Carey. White, Michael Cadenead.

Pictures (all types). Blue, Conrad Hamric, 2; Linda Hood-enpyle. Red, Conrad Hamric, 2; Russell Smith, Nerissa Hardwick, Leslie Carey, Gwen Scrivner, Laura Stevens.

Plaques. Blue, John Morgeşon. White, John Morgeşon.

Floral Arrangements

Dried. Blue, Nerissa Hardwick. White, Wenzal Hardwick.

Art. Blue, Deidra Faught, Keith Copeland, Kevin Copeland, Leslie Carey, Russell Smith, Michael Cadenead, 2. Laura Gruben, 2. Red, Diedra Faught, Keith Copeland, Kevin Rivers, Tony Gruben 2, Kevin Copeland, LaRhea Smith 4, Russell Smith 4, Laura Gruben 3. White, Tony Gruben 2, LaRhea Smith 2, Russell Smith.

Photography. Blue, Cindy Morgeşon, 2.

County Young Farmers To Finish Swine Barn

The Fisher County Young Farmers held a family night at the Fireman's Hall in Roby Monday, Sept. 1. Sixteen members and twenty-two guests enjoyed a delicious meal of steak and chicken. The meeting was presided over by President Mark Mahaffey. Financial report was given by Gary Floyd.

Andy Moore, Area II Secretary of Young Farmers, gave a report on the Area II awards banquet and convention to be held at Coahoma on Sept. 27. The educational program at the

convention will be on biological insect control with local businessman and farmer, Claud Senn.

Tommie Jack Stuart, State Vice President, gave a report on the upcoming state convention to be held at Houston January 15. Tommie also reported on some of the area conventions that he plans to attend, representing this area. He also announced candidacy for State President of Young Farmers, to be elected at the state convention.

Election of officers was held for 1975-76. New officers are President, Donald Ballenger; Vice President, Gary Floyd; Secretary, Andy Moore; Treasurer, Gene Terry; Reporter, Tommie Jack Stuart; Area II officer candidate, Andy Moore.

Membership drive will start immediately with great interest in getting more young farmers from Rotan, Hobbs, and McCaulley to participate in the Fisher County Young Farmers. This is a county wide organization serving the youth of this county and surrounding counties. All young farmers or anyone interested in agriculture are asked to be at the Roby Agriculture Shop Sept. 15, at 7:30 p.m.

A progress report was given on the material for the swine barn to build at the Roby Fair Grounds. This barn needs to be finished before January. Work days are being scheduled for completion.

Friendly Fairy 4 H Group Names Officers

The Friendly Fairies 4-H Club met August 25 and elected officers.

The new officers are: President, LaRhea Smith; Vice President, Dena Tucker; Secretary, Sherrie Wall; Reporter, Jeanie Swafford; Council Delegate, LaRhea Smith; Refreshment Chairman, Connie Posey; Recreation Leader, Vickie Moore and Treasurer, Veronica Carrillo.

A program on salads was given by Nita Posey.



THE COOK: Tommie Jack Stuart, center, receives encouraging words from his daughter, left, as he cooks chicken for the Young Farmers supper last Monday night. Gene Terry is pictured right.

VFW Ladies Auxiliary To Meet Thursday

Ladies Auxiliary of the VFW will be at 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 4, for a regular business meeting. All members are urged to attend.

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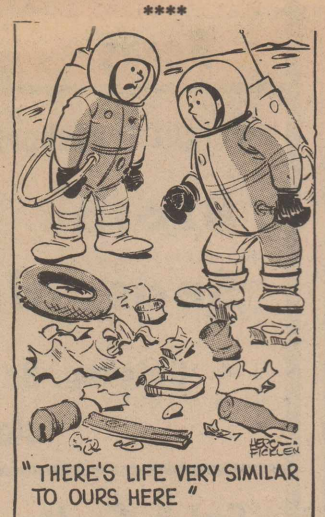
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Weather

From The Records Of FRED BYERLY
Rotan Weather Observer

Aug. '75	Prec.	Hi	Lo
Wed.20		92	69
Thur.21		92	69
Fri.22		95	68
Sat.23		94	71
Sun.24		95	72
Mon.25	95	74	
Tues.26	93	61	
Wed.27	86	67	
Thur.28	87	68	
Fri.29	92	67	
Sat.30	94	68	
Sun.31	95	69	
Mon. 1	93	69	
Tues. 2	92	65	
Total precipitation to date 1974.....11.10			
1975.....16.71			



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INCOME	
Cash on Hand 1974	\$684.99
Cash Taken In Including	
\$1, 016. 00 Donated For Gym. -\$40. 00 For Tennis Machine	\$4, 072. 71
	\$4, 757. 70
DISBURSEMENTS	
Joe Marsell (Film & Processing)	\$752. 28
Track Letters (Ath. Supply)	\$21. 27
Bill Gladson (Phones For Coaches)	\$27. 95
Alta B. Henson (Basketball Concession Refund)	\$36. 31
Dwight Nowlin (Tennis Machine)	\$80. 00
Thriftyway (Concession Stand)	\$618. 99
Universal Gym (Rotan High School)	\$3, 000. 00
Kenneth Vann (Basketball Con. -Popcorn)	\$24. 92
Rotana Inn (Coach Interview)	\$13. 39
3 Bad Checks	\$19. 60
	\$4, 594. 71
Cash On Hand 1975	\$162. 99

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Inside The Lion's Den

By Paul Mitchell

Fisher County Nursing Home News

The Roby High Lions came out of their den and showed they were awake and ready for the Sweetwater Mustangs next Saturday. They could not muster an offense a week ago in their first scrimmage, but last Thursday they turned Carlos Jones and Mark Daniel loose and gained over 200 yards on the ground.

The Lion passing game also connected for a touch down and 30 yards. The only problem the Lions had was hanging on to the ball. They fumbled three times inside the Steer 30 and had one pass picked off. The Steers of Rochester are picked 4th in area, but the Lions showed they were not to be denied.

The Lions play the Sweetwater JV at Roby next Saturday at 8:00 p.m.

Possible starters for the Lions offense are: SE James Putnam, 145, Jr.; LT Jessie Castor, 200, Jr.; RT Steve Evers 180, Jr.; C. B. Etheredge 190, Sr.; RG Dwain Rivers 140, Sr.; LG C. Randolph, 140, Sr.; TE Mitch Welch 150 Sr.; FL Brad Stuart 145 So.; RH Carlos Jones 170 Sr.; LH Mark Daniel 160 Sr.; QB Jay Jennings 160 Sr.

Probable Defensive Starters: LT COR Brad Stuart, LT TAC Jessie Castor, LT GD Dwain Rivers, RT GD Curtis Chapman, RT TAC Brad Etheredge, RT COR Mitch Welch, Backers, Carlos Jones and Steve Evers, LH Jay Jennings, SAF, Mark Daniel, RH Brad Boyd.

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Among our visitors this week were Becky Regina Holder from Oklahoma visited Mr. Holder; Earl Holcomb and family visited Mrs. Stephens; Mrs. Buddy Levens from Abilene and Charlie and Margie Whitfield from Fort Worth visited Mrs. Blount and Mrs. Whitfield; Mrs. Curry, Bobby, Gene, Debbie Gruben, Hannah Daniels visited Tishia Hayes.

Last Tuesday, the Fisher County Singing Group came and sang some wonderful songs. Everyone enjoys them very much.

Last Wednesday we had our monthly birthday party celebrating Mrs. Tishia Hayes birthday which was August 7. We had a very good time and wish to thank the ladies from the church for making it possible.

This week's feature patient will be Mrs. Phronia Taggart. Mrs. Taggart was born on November 25, 1883 at Waco. She has one son, Dale, who lives at Odessa. She also has one grandson. Phronia enjoys ball-toss, walking, and visiting with other patients. She gets her greatest enjoyment out of relieving her exciting past.

That's all of the news for this week, see you next week with more news.



MAYOR'S WELCOME: Rotan Mayor, James Springer, left, welcomes Sandy Lankford, Miss Ford Country, to Rotan last Thursday. Pictured with Mayor Springer is Ray Brown of Rotan Motor Company.

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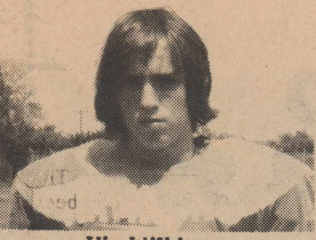
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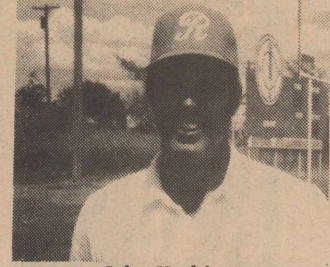
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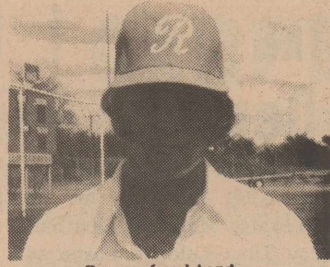
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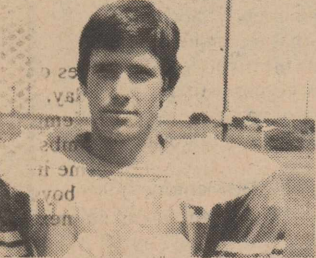
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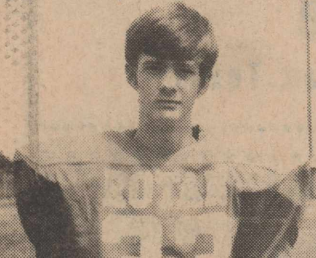
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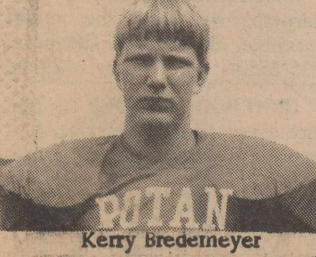
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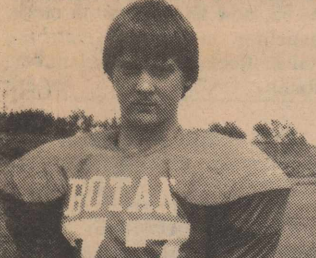
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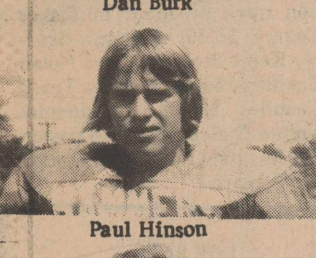
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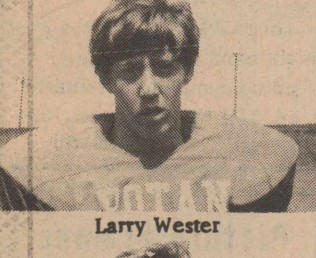
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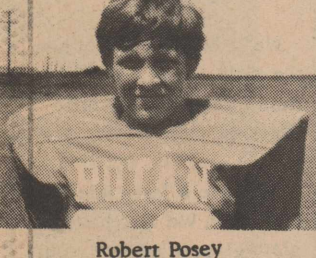
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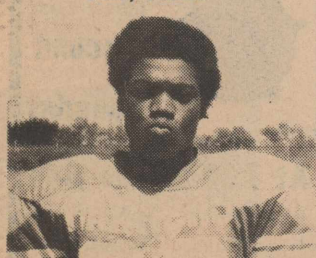
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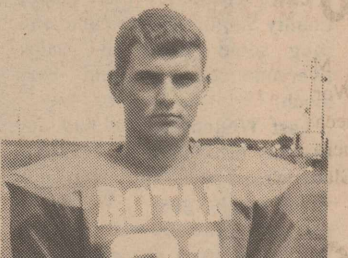
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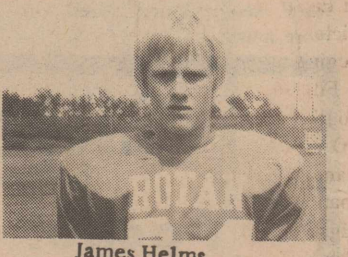
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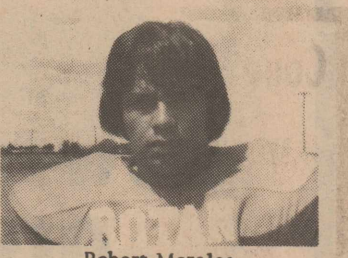
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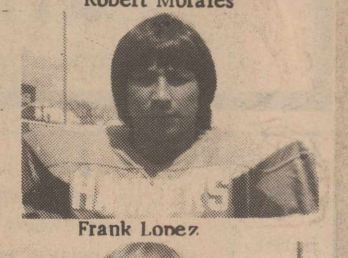
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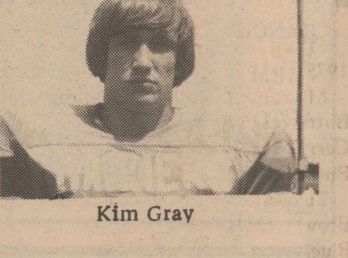
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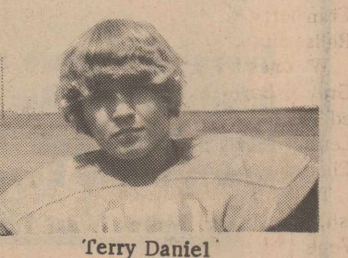
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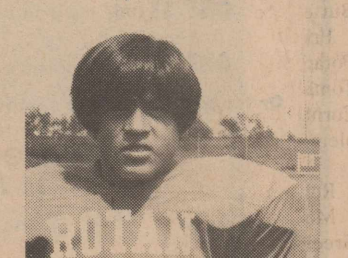
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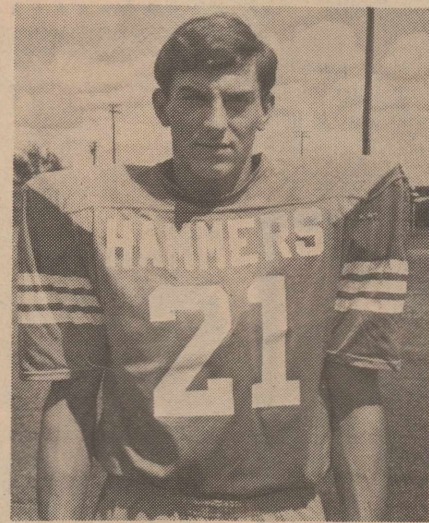
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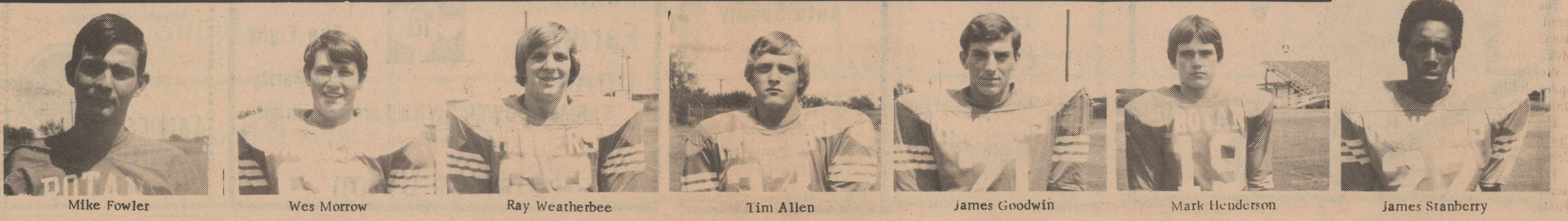
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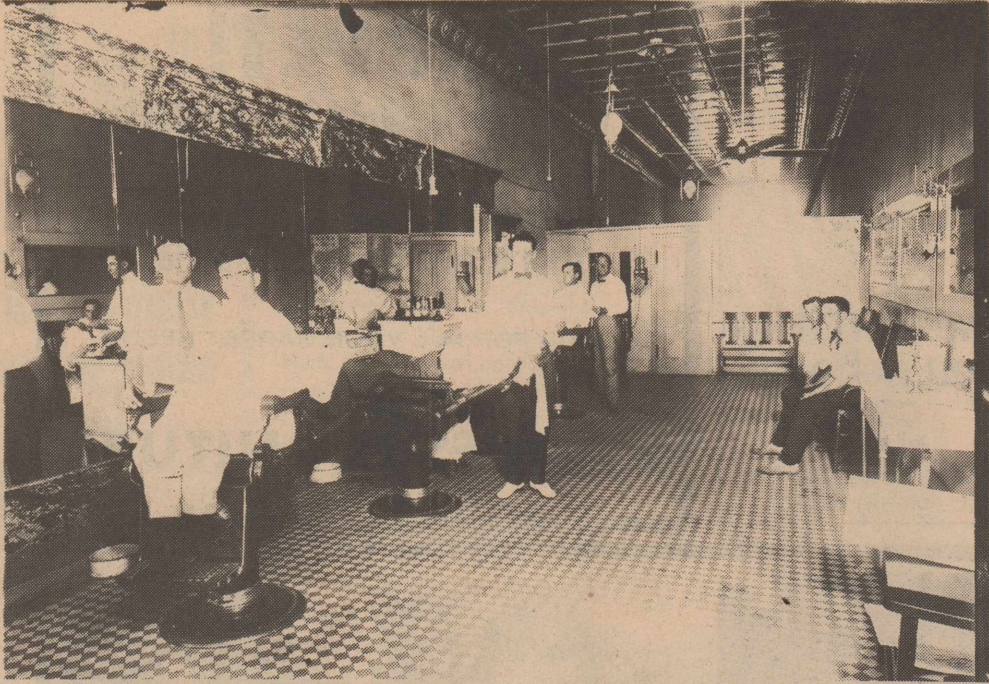


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JOE T. HEATH BARBER SHOP, ROTAN, 1915; This photo shows barber shop of Joe T. Heath, early Rotan barber, in 1915. Pictured, front chair, Hosea Brock, barber; Jack Wilhite, customer. Second chair, Elmer Ballow, barber; Jim Parks in chair. Back Chair, Joe. T. Heath, barber, John W. Woods, in chair. On bench, Ira Gladden, customer and Jim Carnes, shine boy.

Gladden Recalls Early County Times

Mr. Ira E. Gladden of Fort Worth, a recent visitor in Rotan, recalls, "The Gladdens arrived here in April 3, 1907-W.T. Gladden, his wife Kate Bailey

Gladden, Ira E. Gladden and Herman D. Gladden. Previously we had lived in Alabama. After the Civil War my family migrated West and finally

settled in Rotan.

"In the fall of 1907 I met Amos Bostick and his Dad. They and another man had brought three wagons loaded with cotton in to the gin. They brought the teams and put up at the J.J. Settle Wagon Yard and started supper. They had brought bread and bacon from home and bought two cans of corn. That was the first time I had ever seen corn in a can. They fried the bacon in a skillet, and then poured the cans of corn in the hot bacon grease. They asked me to eat with them. Years later I still liked my corn seasoned with bacon grease.

"My father died in Rotan in 1912 with spinal meningitis. After his death I went to live with the Foy family. Several families offered me a home, but I chose to live with the Foy's because they had always been good family friends. They always treated me like one of them and were good to me.

"I have always remembered the Bosticks. Amos and I were sort of pals as long as he lived."

Cross Roads Baptist To Show Time To Run Film

TIME TO RUN, a film that is a mixture of problems and solutions, will be shown at the Cross Roads Baptist Church, located 6 miles SW of Rotan, on Sunday, September 7. The feature, filmed in Eastmancolor by World Wide Pictures, will be shown once beginning at 7:00 p.m.

Filmed on location in the Southern California area, TIME TO RUN stars Ed Nelson, Randall Carver, Barbara Sigel, Joan Winnill and Gordon Rigsby. Nelson plays WARREN Cole, a hard driving and success-oriented industrial and scientific engineer who, because of over-involvement with his work, has failed to communicate with his wife Fran, played by Joan Winnill, or their son Jeff, played by screen newcomer Randall Carver.

TIME TO RUN allows the viewer to become involved on any one or more of the three different levels. Viewed purely as entertainment, it's the suspenseful story of Jeff's attempts at sabotage in the nuclear generating plant conceived, designed and managed by his father. Jeff strongly feels that the plant is a threat to the

environment, and he puts his feelings in action.

Viewed on the emotional level, TIME TO RUN is the deeply moving drama of the conflicts that are tearing a family apart—conflicts that develop between husband and wife, and between father and son. In an attempt to find freedom from the evergrowing hostilities, Jeff takes to the road, hoping to discover some meaning in his confused life.

Approached from a religious perspective, TIME TO RUN is also a story of friction between Jeff and his girlfriend, Michelle, played by Barbara Sigel, who is a familiar face to television viewers. Michelle has discovered a spiritual dimension in her life, and this aspect is very confusing to Jeff, who has little time for "a God who would allow war, hatred, and suffering on earth." But his life is shattered by an avalanche of personal problems, and he finds himself at a Jesus people gathering with Michelle, where he glimpses the possibility of a new life-style based on love and understanding.

TIME TO RUN is a film that can help strengthen love relationships between people. It's a film that was made for families to attend-together.

Admission is free. There will be an offering taken to help with the Billy Graham Film Ministry.

Maberry Family Holds Large August Reunion

The annual Maberry Reunion was held Sunday, August 24, at the Community Center in Rotan. In charge of registration and the noon luncheon were Mr. and Mrs. Sid Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby George Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy V. Hamric, Mrs. George Maberry and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Maberry. Albert Maberry led the group in a memorial service before the noon basket lunch.

Receiving honors as the oldest Maberry descendant at the reunion was Dick Maberry. Grover Seaton of Brownfield was

the oldest person at the reunion. Traveling the farthest distance was Lucille Maberry Rawson of Mesa, Arizona.

Officers elected for next year are; President, Bobby George Maberry of McCaulley; Vice President, Clinto Maberry of Duncanville; 2nd Vice President, James Maberry of Hamlin; Secretary, Peggy Maberry Ross of Abilene; Historian, Patsy Maberry Hamric of Rotan.

Those attending were Mrs. Byron Maberry, Laura Maberry, Sharon Maberry, Annette Snapp, Mr. and Mrs. George

Snapp, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wayne Maberry, Odessa; Mrs. George Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby George Maberry, Maudie Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Maberry, Gordon Wray Maberry, Zuella Maberry, McCaulley; Lenora Douglass, Sylvester; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Fancher, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. George Darden, Girard; Hobb Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Nash Miers, Sam Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Rudy V. Hamric and Conrad, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Darlin, Lubbock; Grover Seaton, Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Wick Miers, Lamesa; Tammy Maberry and Govie Maberry, Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Maberry, Plainview; Lucille Maberry Rawson, Mesa, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Maberry, Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Ross, Lisa Ross and Jana Ross, Abilene; and Mrs. Arthur Maberry, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Rowland, Melett Rowland and Kyle Rowland, Sweetwater; Charles Darlin, Snyder; and Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Harris, Clyde.

Rep. Elmer Martin Gets Committee Appointment

Chairman of the House Committee on Environmental Affairs Rep. Bill Sullivan and Speaker of the House Bill Clayton recently announced the appointment of Rep. Elmer Martin of Colorado City to serve as a member of the special interim sub-committee which will study the problem of surface mining operations and land reclamation as applicable to Texas. This committee will also examine the energy required by certain pollutant control devices and techniques, the consequent increase in various form of pollution due to the increased production of energy, and the relative effects of pollutant characteristics of each source. A conference of energy related pollution is scheduled for October 11 in Houston. Additional plans for hearings and site inspections are currently being organized.

Rep. Martin was also named to the three-member special sub-committee on appropriate matters which will study the programs of the Texas Parks and

Wildlife Department, the Texas Water Quality Board and the Texas Air Control Board in an attempt to save tax dollars. This sub-committee will be responsible for continuing the overview of the agency programs for which monies were appropriated for the biennium beginning September 1, 1975.

McCaulley News

By Mrs. Fred Kemp

Ruby and Albert Hennington have moved to Hamlin. The Henningtons are long time residents of McCaulley. Albert has been in poor health for some time.

Mrs. Levi McCollum had Rev. and Mrs. Jim Pickens, James Mack and Larissa Ann of Abilene visiting overnight last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Kemp were afternoon visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kemp and Mr. and Mrs. Frnk Kemp Sunday. Eldon Chambers, FFA sponsor; Max Kemp and James Kemp attended the Fisher County Fair Friday. James showed two lambs, placed one third and one fifth. Max showed two swine and came in with a Grand Champion and Reserve Champion Banner. Both boys plan to enter these animals in the West Texas Fair at Abilene next week.

Mr. Willard Franklin, principal of McCaulley Schools, is to attend an Administrative meeting on the drug problem in Abilene this week.

Mr. Geneva Carter and the McCaulley annual staff will attend a workshop at Abilene on Wednesday.

The football game with McCaulley and Water Valley Friday night ended in a draw with both teams making one touchdown. This week our boys will play Blackwell at McCaulley Friday night at 8 p.m. We urge everyone to attend these home games especially and give these boys our support whether they win or lose.

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Funeral Service

Mrs Jack Gray

Services for Mrs. Jack Gray, 77 of Rotan, were held at 2 p.m. Friday, Aug. 29, in Rotan Church of Christ.

Joe Barina, minister, and the Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor of First Baptist Church officiated. Burial was in Belvieu Cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Mrs. Gray died Wednesday, Aug. 27, in Fisher County Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Born Fay Barron Oct. 5, 1897, in Roby, her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. W.W. Barron, were pioneer Fisher County

ranchers.

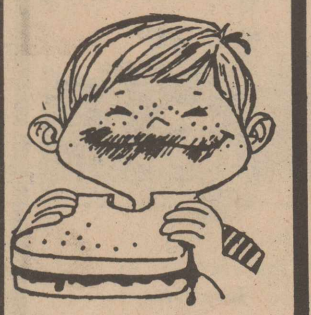
She married Jack Gray in 1916 in Rotan, and he died in 1949. Mr. Gray was a former Rotan postmaster.

Mrs. Gray had been employed by Callan Clinic for many years. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include a brother, W.E. Barron of Rotan; and a sister, Mrs. Jan Perry of Lampasas.

Pallbearers were John Gray, I.T. McArthur, Dono Day, Jr., James Cave, Nelson Smith, and Dr. C.M. Callan.

County Schools Lunch Menu



Rotan Lunch menu, Sept. 8-12, 1975.

Monday: Meat Loaf, Catsup, Buttered Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrot & Raisin Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Canned Peaches, Milk.

Tuesday: Sliced Turkey, Brown Gravy, Sweet Potatoes, Blackeyed Peas, Congealed Cranberry & Apple Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Cookie, Milk.

Wednesday: Hamburger Steak Gravy, Barbecue Beans, Buttered Corn, Sliced Tomatoes & Lettuce, Hot Rolls, Butter, Chocolate Pudding, Milk.

Thursday: Enchiladas, Spanish Rice, Refried Beans, Tossed Vegetable Salad, Sliced Bread, Butter, Jello W/Topping, Milk.

Friday: Pinto Beans, Mashed Potatoes, Fried Okra, Sliced Tomatoes, Onions & Cucumbers, Cornbread, Butter, Fruit Cobbler, Milk.

Roby menu Sept. 8-12, 1975.

Monday: Chicken W/Noodles, Green Beans, Tomato and Lettuce Salad, Fruit, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk.

Tuesday: Sausage Pizza, Buttered Rice, Early Peas, Chocolate Chip Cookies, Orange Juice, Milk, Bread.

Wednesday: Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice, Carrot Sticks, Slice Onion, Fruit, Cornbread, Milk.

Thursday: Baked weiner, Cream Potato, Blackeyed Peas, Crispie Square, Bread, Milk.

Friday: Hamburger, Pork and Beans, Potato Chips, Lettuce, Tomato, Brownie, Milk.

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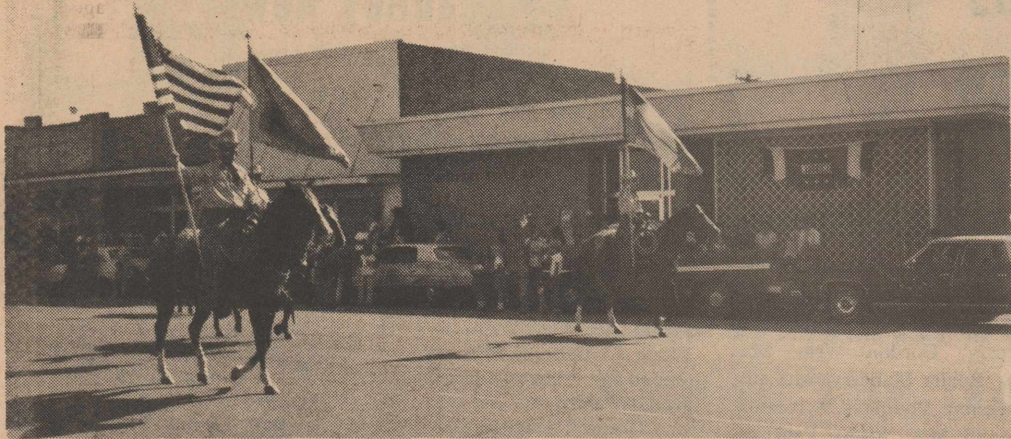
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LEADS PARADE: Fisher County Judge Dwight Lovett carries the American Flag and his wife, Merle Lovett, carries the Texas Flag during last weeks rodeo parade.

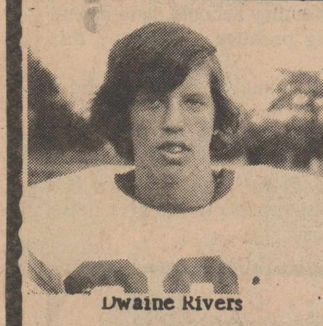


NEW SHOP: Judy Hayes of Roby opened Judy's Art Gallery and Gifts last Thursday. Here she shows one of the many hand made items to Ricky King. The shop is located north of Noles Drug.

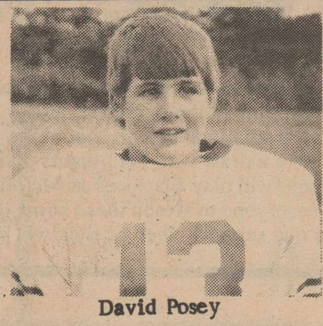
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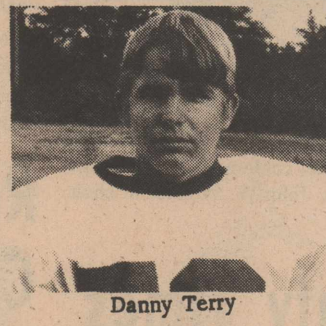
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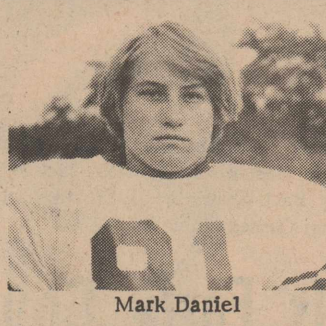
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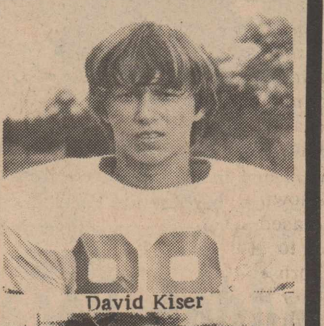
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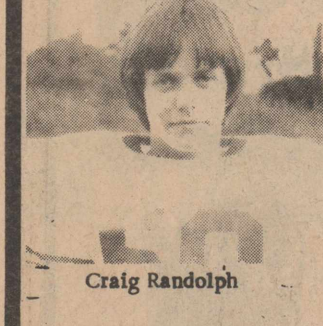
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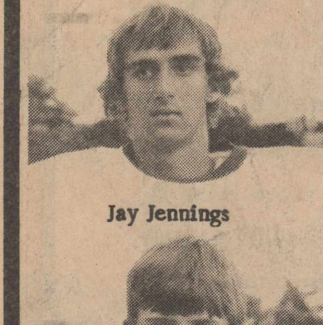
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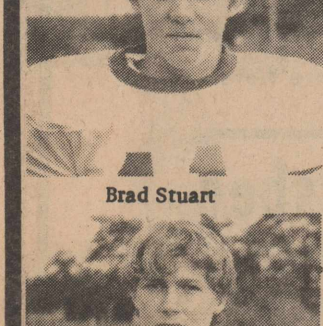
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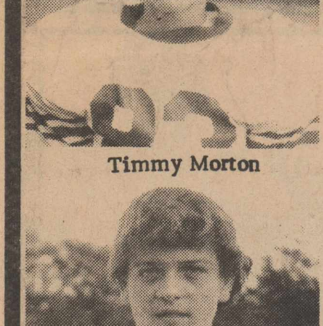
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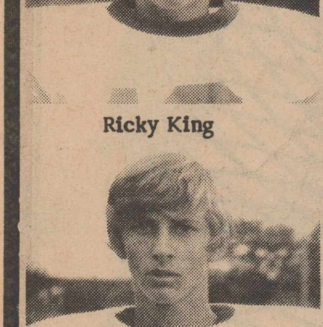
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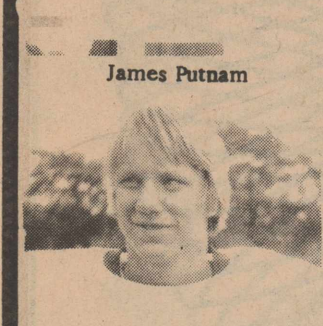
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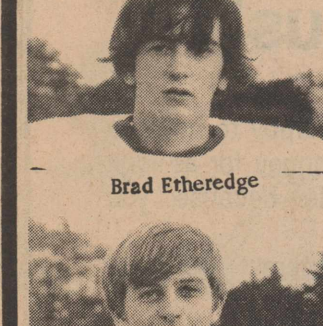
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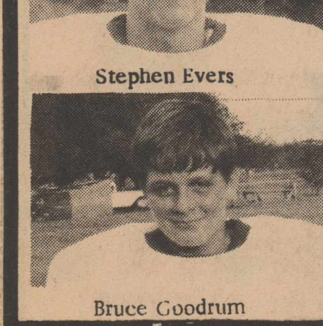
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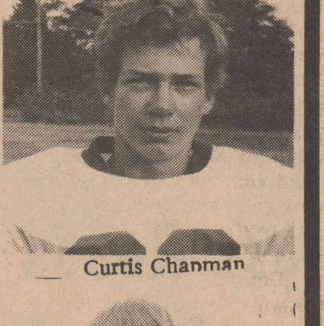


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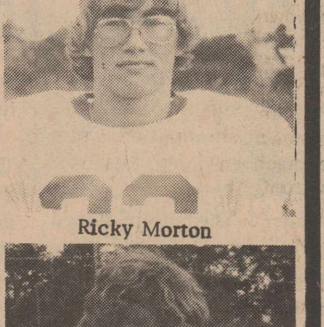


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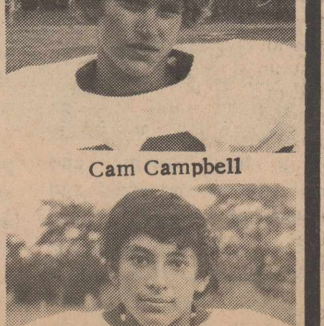
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- Mr. & Mrs. J. T. Moore
- Mr. & Mrs. Tubby Moore & Jessica
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- The Jack Morton Family
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- Mr. & Mrs. Kermit Terry
- The Mike Terry Family
- Orpha Terry, Juanita Terry & Merry Lou Fuller
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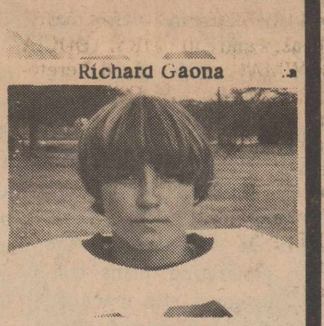
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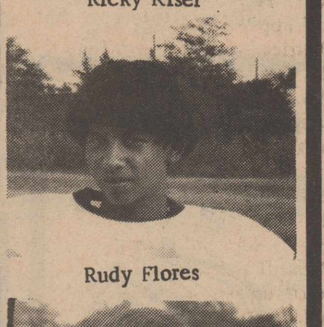
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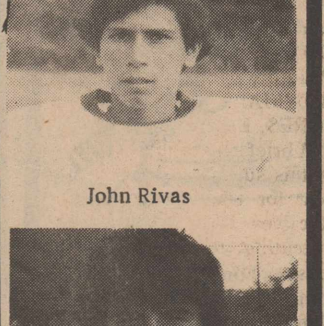
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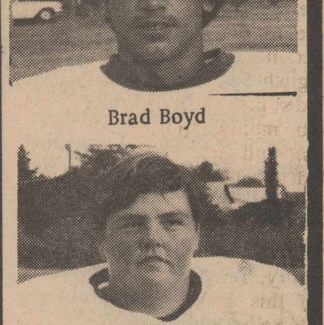
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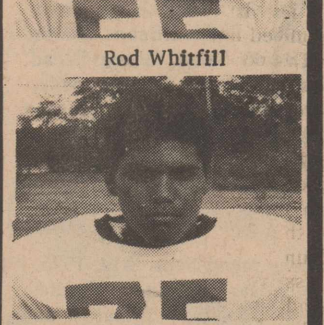
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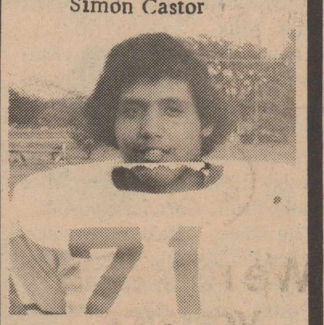
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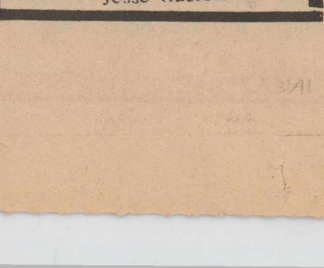
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Public Notice

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO MRS. DOCIA BOWMAN and MRS. DOT JONES, if living, whose places of residence are unknown to plaintiff herein, and if said Defendants are dead, to the legal representative of said deceased Defendants, and to the unknown children, unborn children, and unknown heirs and/or the unknown devisees of said deceased Defendants, and also to the legal representatives of the unknown children, unborn children, unknown heirs and/or the unknown devisees of said deceased Defendants, if the unknown children, unborn children, unknown heirs and/or the unknown devisees of said deceased Defendants are dead; and also to the unknown spouses of said Defendants, and if any spouse of said Defendants is dead, to the legal representatives of said deceased spouse of said Defendant, and to the unknown children, unborn children, unknown heirs and/or the unknown devisees of said deceased spouse, if the unknown children, unborn children, unknown heirs and/or the unknown devisees of said deceased spouse are dead; and to the unknown children, unborn children, unknown heirs and/or the unknown devisees of each of such deceased spouse are dead; and also to all persons claiming any title or interest in the minerals conveyed to MRS. DOT JONES under deed heretofore given from J.S. Connell, and wife, Martha Connell, by deed, dated February 18, 1931, shown of record in volume 94, page 144, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas; and to MRS. DOCIA BOWMAN, under deed heretofore given from W.C. Harrison, and wife Cleo Harrison, by deed, dated January 31, 1941, shown of record in volume 116, page 234, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

DEFENDANTS in the herein-after styled and numbered cause:

YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the 32nd District Court of Fisher County at the Courthouse thereof, in Roby, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 29th day of September A.D. 1975, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 16th day of August A.D. 1975, in this cause, numbered 4085 on the docket of said court and styled SHENANDOAH OIL CORPORATION, Plaintiff, vs. MRS. DOCIA BOWMAN and MRS. DOT JONES, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for the appointment of a Receiver for the purpose of executing oil, gas, and mineral leases covering the undivided mineral interest owned by said Defendants in and under All of The West 140 acres out of a 316 acre tract out of the West 1/2 of Section 2, Block "E" Sallie English Survey, Fisher County, Texas, more particularly described by metes and bounds in an oil, gas, and mineral lease from Clyde Brooks to Shenandoah Oil Corporation, dated June 28, 1975, recorded in Volume 386, Page 4, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of the law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, Eula Mae Hull, Clerk of the District Court of Fisher County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Roby, Texas, this 16th day of August A.D. 1975.

Eula Mae Hull, Clerk, District Court, Fisher County, Texas 28-4tc

Hustlin' Round Hobbs

By Mrs Jimmy Walker
Hobbs, Texas 735-2840

Well we have been having lots of hot weather, and that is just what we need on our cotton.

Mrs. C.C. Scott of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Durward Myzell of Sweetwater visited with Addie Scott recently. Mrs. Scott's son, Rue and family, of Malawa, Africa, after spending the school term of 74 and 75 in Houston and Oklahoma, have now returned to their foreign mission post of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Josh Phillips for the Labor Day weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Weathers and their daughter Jackie from Carrollton, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Phillips, all from Arlington. Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips from Post visited with Mr. and Mrs. Josh Phillips Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Williams returned from Amarillo on Thursday and at last report Louise's brother is doing a little better. Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Williams of Lubbock spent the Labor Day weekend with the Andrew Williamses and the Roy Adams family of Rotan. Mr. and Mrs. C.J. McIntosh of Alba visited Mr. and Mrs. Williams Sunday and spent Sunday night with them. They were here visiting for the weekend.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hardin Sunday and Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hardin from Bellville. They all went to Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hardins at Rotan for a birthday supper for W.B. Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Danny Baker, Damon and Derrick from Lawton, Okla. and a friend of Danny's also visited Monday with the Hardins. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hardin, West and a friend from Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hardin and Rob Helms. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hardin went to the Lee's reunion which was held in the Union Community Center, west of Snyder. Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Moore from Fort Worth visited with the Hardins Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Cave had Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter and boys from Brownwood visiting with them over the weekend. The Carters also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Carter at Roby.

Bro. and Mrs. J.H. Skiles of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller of Fort Worth ate dinner in Snyder on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller were at church Sunday visiting with Bro. and Mrs. Skiles. Mr. Miller is Mrs. Skiles' brother.

Mrs. Neil Hyer and family from Andrews came Friday night and spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid. They also visited with Neil's mother, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Mitchell, in Roby while they were here. They were here to attend the gift coffee for Jan Kincaid of Rotan, and now of Lubbock. Visiting with the Kincaids Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hornsberger from Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. D.H. Hornsberger from Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Rogers from Rotan. Mr. and Mrs. Windle Kincaid and Jan and Mrs. Effie Wilson from Abilene visited with the Kincaids Sunday night. Mrs. Wilson is Leola's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cave have returned from a vacation trip to northern New Mexico. They reported frost a few mornings but it was very dry there. They attended the funeral of A.D. Ratliff on Monday at Sweetwater. Mr. Ratliff was Doshia's uncle. Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family of A.D. Ratliff who passed away last week. He lived in Ruidosa, New Mexico. But, had formerly made his home in the Claytonville community.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez for the long weekend were Gloria and Rosemary Martinez from Fort Worth, also Mrs. Sara Jara and family from Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Mike White from Midland were also here for the weekend. The Warren grand-babies stayed with their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez, while their parents attended the funeral of A.D. Ratliff.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Emilio Martinez were Belle and Rodney Martinez from Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Robinson and son.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and boys attended the Roby Rodeo Thursday and Saturday nights. Todd rode in the Fisher County Jackpot Barrel race Thursday night, and after three nights of barrel racing, Todd placed 4th overall. They all went to the Open Horse Show Saturday at Roby and Randy won 1st in his Halter Class and had the Reserve Champion Mare of the show. Todd placed 3rd in the Open Jackpot Barrel Race Saturday afternoon at the Horse Show and also won 1st place in the Open Pole bending with a very good run. Charlotte Barrett of Snyder spent Saturday night with the J.W. Etheredges and went to the rodeo. Mr. and Mrs. Eealon Wilburn from Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge ate supper with the J.W. Etheredges Friday night after the Hobbs-Lueders Avoca football scrimmage. Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge Monday were Mrs. Wendell Barrett and family from Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and boys.

Congratulations to the Fisher County Rodeo Queen Penny Coker, and runner ups Kim Ratliff and Judy Wright. Also to Junior Queen Tabb Hines, runnerups Paula Terry and Marcy Mauldin. All of the contestants were so pretty.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker went to Big Spring last Tuesday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dee Walker. Mrs. Dee Walker is recovering nicely from her surgery and got to come home Thursday. The Jimmy Walkers went to Abilene Labor Day and visited with Jim's sister, Mrs. Tonnie Griffin, who is again in the hospital and she isn't doing at all well. Carye Gruben, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gruben spent Monday and part of Tuesday with the Jimmy Walkers. While at Abilene we also visited with little Donnie Gruben, our grandson, who is having dental surgery at the West Texas Medical Center Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker and Melody went to the Roby rodeo Thursday night and Melody rode in the Fisher County Jackpot barrel race. After three nights of barrel racing she was 3rd overall. They also attended the rodeo Friday and Saturday nights. Saturday Melody participated in the Fisher County Open Horse Show at Roby and won 1st place in her halter class and also Grand Champion Gelding of the show. She also placed 2nd in the open barrel race with a real good run. Mr. and Mrs. Walker attended the Livestock Show at Roby Friday afternoon and we met Dr. and Mrs. Franz Curt Fetzer who were visiting there from Vienna, Austria. This was the very first stock show they had ever seen and they also attended their first rodeo Friday night.

Teresa Ratliff and Kim Ratliff, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. James Ratliff, were both Queen contestants at the Roby rodeo. Kim was 1st runnerup in the senior division. Both the girls also rode in the Fisher County Jackpot Barrel race.

Well this is about all the news for this week. See you next Thursday.



Kimberly Newhouse And William Maxey Exchange Wedding Vows

Kimberly June Newhouse and William Richard Maxey, both of Clarendon, were united in marriage August 29 in Clarendon Church of Christ. The bride's father officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Bright Newhouse and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Maxey, all of Clarendon.

Relatives from Rotan and Roby attending the ceremony were grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Noles, Mr. and Mrs. B.K. Newhouse, and great-grandmother, Mrs. Perry Eaton.

Other relatives were an aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C.G. Anderson, Chuck and Marcus of Snyder; an uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Don

Parents promote language development when they provide opportunities for children to talk about what they've done, discovered or don't understand, according to Ilene Carrington, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Newhouse and daughters Karla and Lisa, of Abilene. The girls were candlelighter and flower girl for the wedding.

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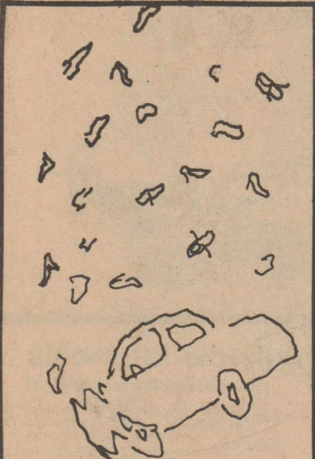
If you've never seen a Tractor Pulling Contest you'll never quite believe the folks who tell about it...they tell stories of a bunch of farmers on a built-up dirt track 30 ft. wide and 300 ft. long who cause as much excitement as a football game between two local teams. They say that an ordinary guy in work clothes can rev-up his IHC, Case, Deere or what have you and a few minutes later have you and the rest of the crowd standing on their feet cheering, jumping up and down, waving their arms, and loudly expressing their pleasure as their favorite tractor pulls the weighted weight-transfer sled down the track.

But it happens. Recently it's been happening in towns across the southwest since the first big championship pull at Ft. Worth in 1972. This year, towns like Waco, Lamesa, Gainesville, Lubbock, San Angelo, LaGrange, Vernon, Snyder, Petersburg, Durant and Elk City have had exciting pulls. The Abilene pull will be the second year in a row that they had had their Implement dealers involved in this part of their Fair.

Tractor pulls, of course, are the off shoots of horse and mule pulling contests. They were started in the Mid West soon after World War II and have now experienced tremendous growth nation wide.

Today's version calls for the contestant to hook up to a heavy, flat-bottomed sled and see how far he can pull it down the track. Weight is added to the sled, by means of a mechanical device, as the sled is moved down the track. This uniformly increases the weight on the sled as the tractor moves forward. According to Jerry Willis, of Grandview, a member of the Rules Advisory Committee of the Southwest Tractor Pullers Association, this puts no more strain on a tractor than it would have while pulling a heavy chisel in a hard wheat field. Of course, Willis adds, the tractor should be tuned and ready to do its best when it hooks onto the sled. Willis urged local farmers to become a part of this exciting sport by entering their tractors in the weight classes provided for them at the Abilene Pull. The pull will be held at the West Texas Fair Grounds on Saturday, September 6, and Sunday, September 7, starting at 4:30 p.m.

Mrs. Tommy Thompson and daughter Brandy Lynn from Corpus have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Rose.



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SCS Says Many Native Plants Good To Eat

Lots of wild native plants are not only good to eat but are nourishing, according to Joe McAdams of the Soil Conservation Service in Jayton.

Indians and early settlers knew and used many plants for food that we have all but forgotten in this day of the supermarket. People in the more isolated areas of the Southwest still use some of these plants in their daily diets.

One of the most commonly used is the mesquite tree. The beans, which resemble string beans, ripen in the fall and are relished also by wild and domestic animals. They are rich in sugar and may be baked into bread after grinding. The seed may be boiled to produce a pleasant tasting tea.

The cattail, which may be found growing in wet places, is another staple food plant that

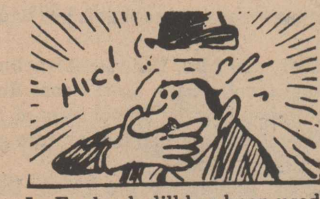
has been used for many years. There are many ways to use the cattail—the roots, young shoots, seed heads, and pollen are all eaten. The roots contain a core of starch that may be removed and used in breads and soups.

Last, and some people would say least, is the common tumbleweed that grows everywhere. This one is not an old Indian food or an old settler food. It was introduced into the United

States not too long ago. Pick the plants up to about 6 inches high and cook them like any other green-salt and a little bacon grease will help a lot.

An important thing to remember when sampling these plants or trying to live off them is to know what the plant is, how to identify it, and what steps to go through to prepare it for eating. It is suggested that a person trying a plant for the first time to

proceed with caution. All foods do not agree with everybody.



In England, dill has been used to stop hiccupping!



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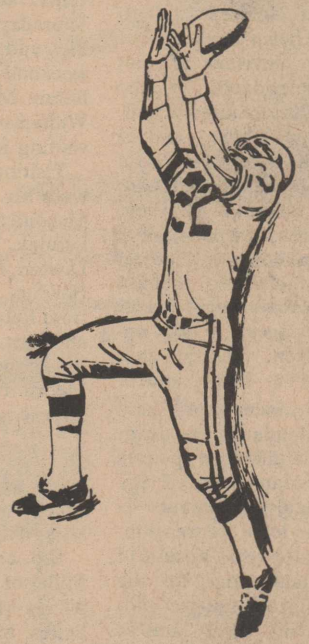
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SEPT. 5	WEINERT	8:00		T	
SEPT. 12	PAINT-CREEK	8:00		T	
SEPT. 19	LEUDERS AVOCA	8:00	H		
OCT. 3	GUTHRIE	8:00	H		
OCT. 10	BENJAMIN	8:00	H		
OCT. 17	HERMLEIGH	7:30	T		
OCT. 24	TRENT	7:30	H		
OCT. 31	IRA	7:30	H		
NOV. 7	HIGHLAND	7:30	T		
NOV. 14	McCAULLEY	7:30	T		



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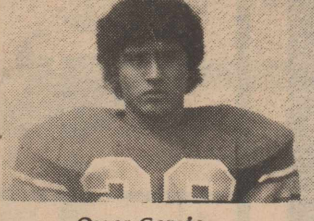
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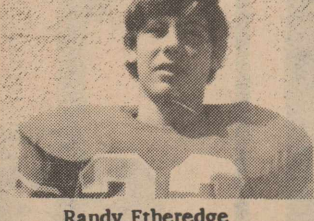
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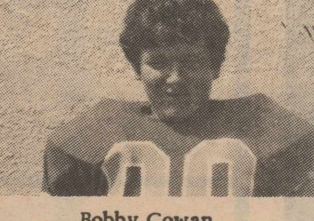
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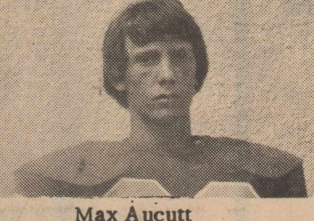
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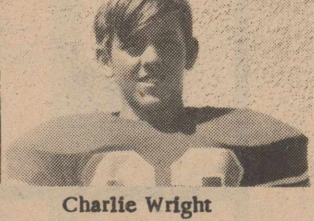
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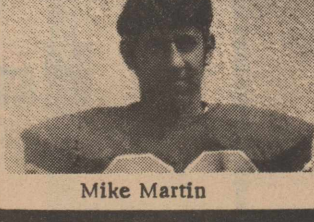
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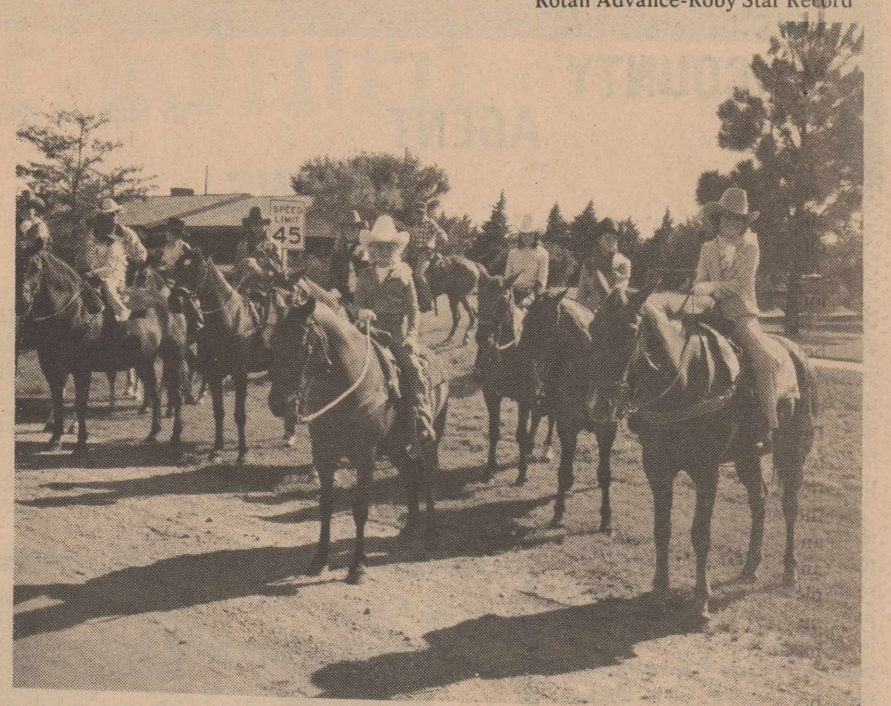
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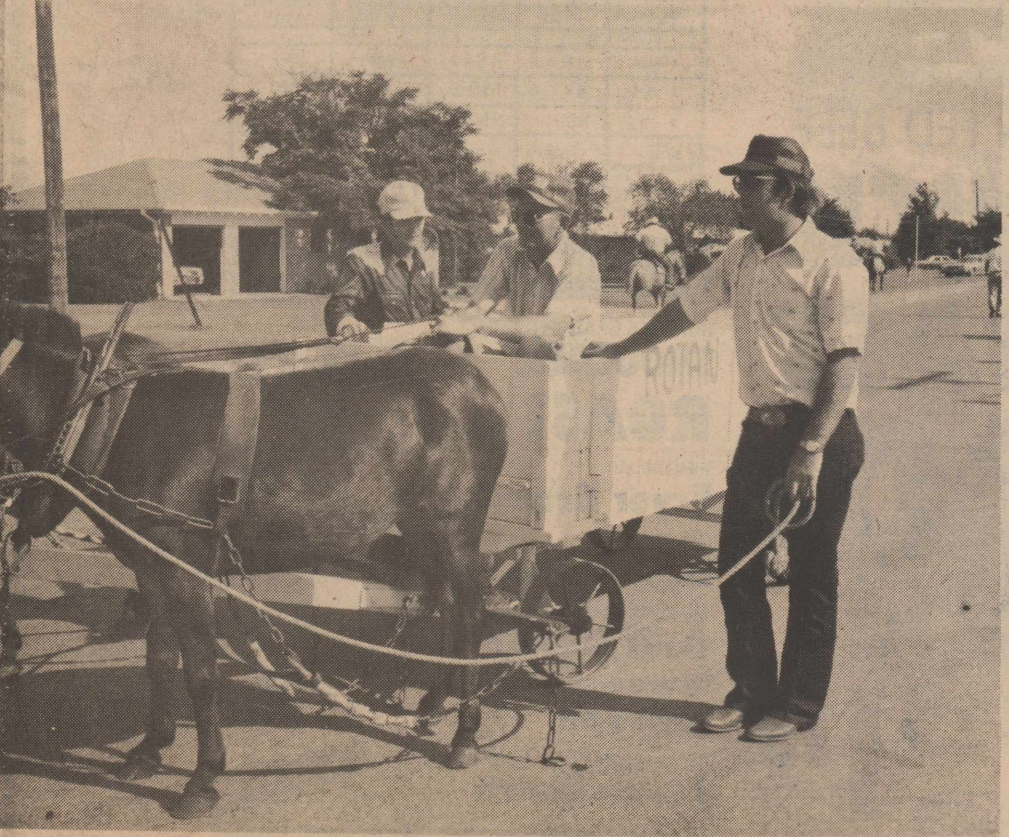
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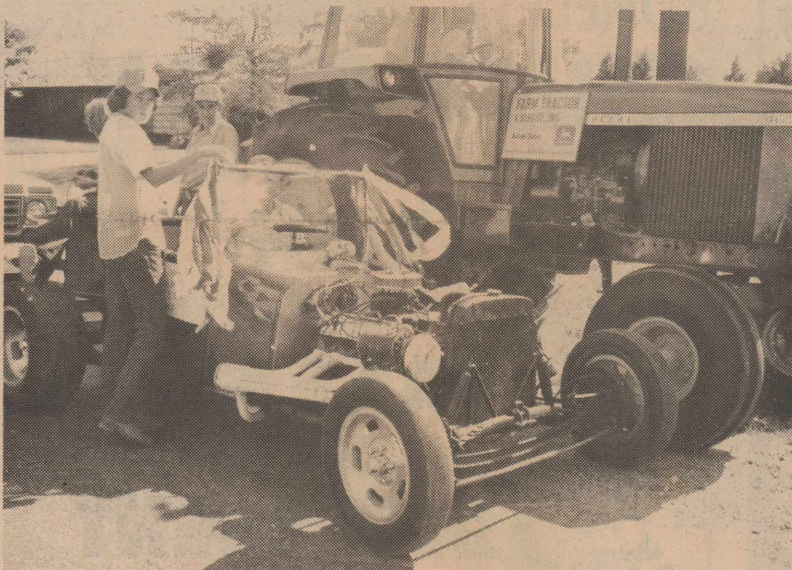
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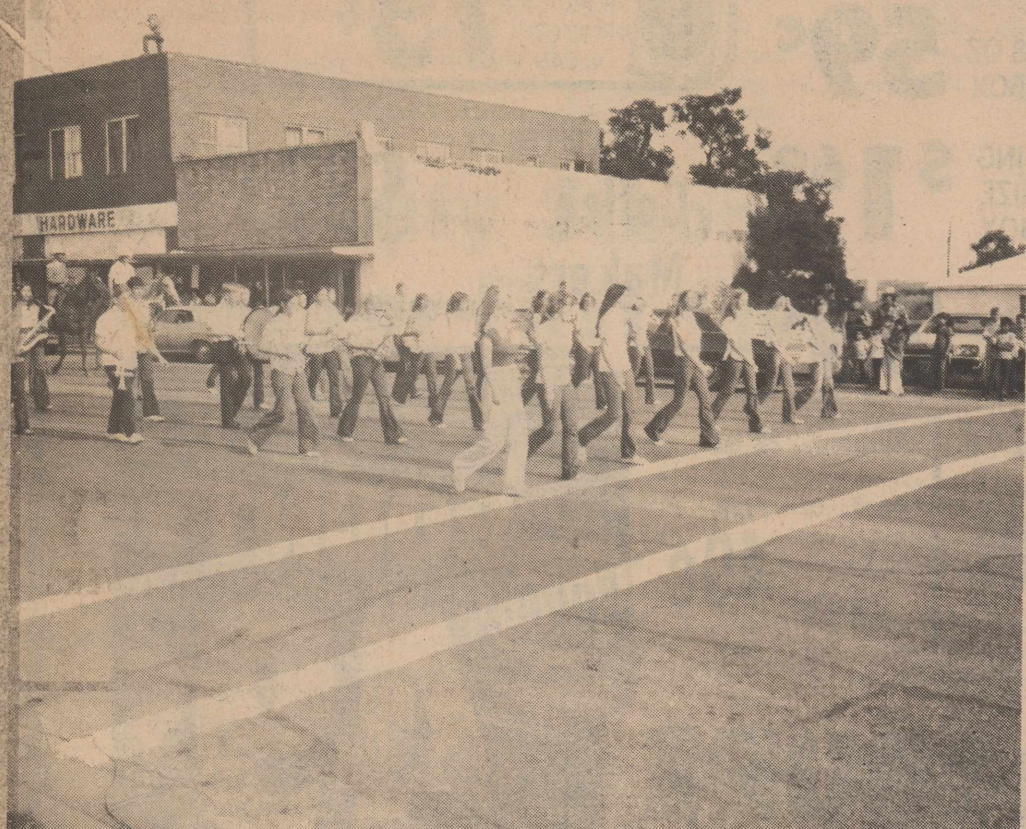
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Cox, Stuart, Wilfong Show Top Livestock

The Livestock Show of the Fisher County Fair was held last Friday with 25 swine, 32 lambs, and 60 head of cattle being displayed.

Steve Mason, Assistant County Agent for Tom Green County, judged the show.

John Cox and Games Goodwin of Rotan showed the Grand and Reserve Champion honors respectively. James Goodwin and Dale Cox showed the Grand and Reserve Champion gilts. Max Kemp of McCaulley showed the Grand and Reserve Champion barrows.

Britt and Brad Stuart of Roby swept the sheep show with Grand and Reserve Champion lamb honors with their Hampshire lambs.

Glenn and Clay Wilfong of Rotan showed the Grand and Reserve Champion Angus heifers and also the champion Angus Bull. Brad Stuart showed the Champion and Reserve Hereford heifers. The large stter show was won by Kary Kent of Sweetwater. The Reserve Champion steer was shown by Danny Terry of Roby. The Champion steer was a Maine-Anjou cross steer, and the Reserve steer was an Angus.

Show Results

Ducks. 1. Mike Cadenhead. Chickens. 1. Keith Copeland.

Swine

Junior Boar. 1. John Cox. Senior Boar. 1. James Goodwin, 2. Randy Callan. Champion, John Cox. Reserve, James Goodwin. Gilts over 8 months. 1. James Goodwin, 2. Dale Cox, 3. John Cox, 4. Dale Cox, 5. Bobby Swafford. Champion, James Goodwin. Reserve, Dale Cox.

Light Barrows. 12., 3. Randall Seaton.

Heavy Barrows. 1., 2. Max Kemp. Champion and Reserve, Max Kemp.

Lambs

Finewool. 1. Ricky Spencer, 2. LaRhea Smith, 3. James Kemp, 4. Jeff Upshaw, 5. Russell Smith. Finewool Cross. 1. Brad Stuart, 2. Britt Stuart, 3. Ricky Spencer, 5. James Kemp, 6. LaRhea Smith, 7. David Posey, 8. Jeff Posey, 9. Wes Hardin, 10. Paula Terry.

Medium Wool. 1. Britt Stuart, 2. Brad Stuart, 3. Ricky Spencer, 4. Todd Etheredge, 5. Spencer Houston, 6. Kevin Copeland.

Southdown. 1. Britt Stuart, 2. Brad Stuart, 3. LaRhea Smith, 4. Russell Smith, 5. Reggy Spencer, 6. Butch Houston, 7. Spencer Houston.

Beef Cattle

Angus Bulls. Champion, Wilfong Bros.

Jr. Yearling Heifers. 1. Clay Wilfong, 2. Mike Morrow.

Summer Yearling. 1. Monte Morrow, 2. Mike Terry, 3. Tony Terry.

Senior Heifers. 1., 2. Glenn Wilfong, 3., 4. Wesley Counts. Champion Angus heifer, Glenn Wilfong. Reserve, Clay Wilfong. Hereford. Jr. Yearling. 1. Brad Stuart.

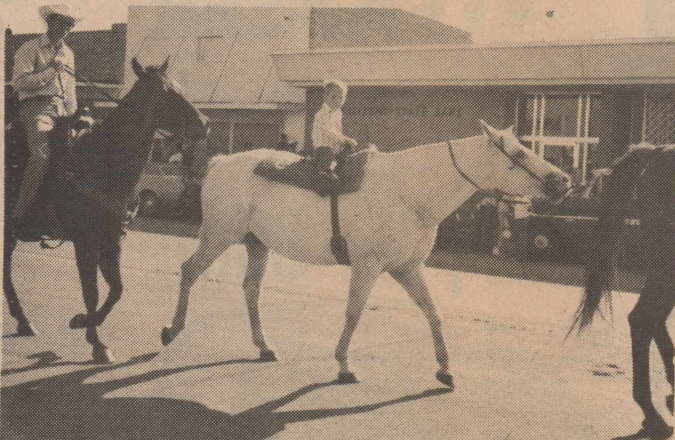
Senior Heifer. 1. Brad Stuart, 2. Monte Morrow, 3. Mike Morrow.

Junior Heifer calf. 1. Brad Stuart. Champion and Reserve, Brad Stuart.

Light Weight Steers. 1., 2. David Posey, 3. Brad Stuart, 4. CleDon Coffman, 5. Jill Wright, 6. John Cox, 7. Britt Stuart, 8. Manuel Garcia, 9. Jennifer Wright, 10. Jay Greenway.

Middle Weight. 1. Burt Burnett, 2. Glenn Wilfong, 3. Britt Stuart, 4. Clay Wilfong, 5. Gary Don Harkey, 6. Leslie Carey, 7. Cheryl Terry, 8. Penny Coker, 9. Alan Kiker, 10. Gary Don Harkey.

Heavy Weight. 1. Kary Kent, 2. Danny Terry, 3. Brook Burnett, 4. Kary Kent, 5. Cheryl Terry, 6. Brad Stuart, 7. Leslie Carey, 8. Britt Stuart, 9. Kary Kent, 10. Gary Don Harkey. Grand Champion Steer, Kary Kent. Reserve, Danny Terry.



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COUNTY AGENT NEWS

BY RICHARD SPENCER

Controlling internal parasites can be the most important health management practice for swine producers to perform. Internal parasites cause lung and intestinal damage and losses can range from \$1.50 to \$3.00 per pig.

The first step in controlling internal parasites in hogs is to practice a pasture rotation and renovation program. Although parasite eggs can live in the soil for several years, soil tillage and pasture rotation can reduce the exposure of pigs to the eggs.

Since sows pick up large numbers of worm eggs on their bodies during the gestation period, they should be washed thoroughly before farrowing. Baby pigs suckling clean sows are less likely to have large numbers of worms.

A routine sow-worming program is recommended to reduce internal parasites in sows as well as to reduce the number of worm eggs that baby pigs pick up from their mothers. Sows should be wormed at breeding time and again shortly before farrowing.

Once pigs are weaned, they should be treated with a worm medication. Since there is no one medication to kill all worms, producers may want to have the pigs' fecal sample examined by a veterinarian to determine what parasites are present. Then an effective medication can be recommended.

With the current prices of hogs, producers should take every step to assure good herd health. Controlling internal parasites goes a long way in boosting the performance of the swine herd.

Young people with a desire to learn more about their world have the opportunity to participate in a fast-growing organization—4-H.

Young people can get involved in project groups, special interest groups or service groups that appeal to their interests.

While 4-H meetings cover a variety of subjects and activities and are held periodically, project groups work on one specific subject and last only as long as the project endures.

Project subjects may include gardening, auto repair, raising and caring for an animal, safety and clothing. These project groups are usually directed by a

volunteer leader. Special interest groups are a vital part of the 4-H program and may deal with such subjects as drugs, dating, etiquette and ecology. These group studies help youth learn more about the world in which they live and help them to better adapt to the changing environments.

Service groups work to help improve the community and may engage in fund raising projects for the need and disadvantaged or work on neighborhood beautification or with underprivileged youth. The 4-H and youth program is a good way to get involved in today's world.

Governor Smith Comments On School Opening

Governor Dolph Briscoe released a statement in regards to the beginning of the school year. Briscoe issued an appeal for "an accident free school year."

"This school year, 10,894,006 students will be returning to Texas classrooms. And, as we all know, education is the key to insuring a successful future for our youth. But, we must remember that in addition to providing these students of Texas a good educational opportunity, we must also allow

them the opportunity to not be killed or injured in a senseless traffic accident.

"During 1974, 533 people under the age of 18 were killed in traffic accidents. These youngsters were in the prime of life: starting their education or beginning their lives as productive citizens. And yet, we accept these deaths as a common occurrence. Therefore, as Governor of Texas, as a citizen and as a parent, I ask that our youth be given the opportunity to have an

accident free school year.

"In addition, I ask that every Texas citizen, make themselves aware of the need for safe and sensible driving habits to reach this goal."

In releasing the statement, Governor Briscoe pointed to the cooperative effort of the various police agencies, state agencies and private associations that are working to reduce the number of fatalities and injuries in Texas. He called for an intensified effort as the new school year gets underway.

McCaulley School Lists Activities

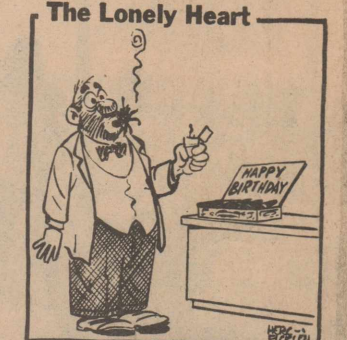
September 1-September 6

Monday, Sept. 1, Labor Day Holiday.

Tuesday, Sept. Administrative Meeting, 6:30 am. ESC Meeting, 9:00 Drug Program (Mr. Franklin).

Wednesday, Sept. 3. Annual Staff Workshop, 9:00-3:00, ACC Sponsor, Mrs. Carter, Mother attending. Seniors, Sylvia Benavides, Diana Mayes, Linda Riggs, Winnie Hooper. Juniors, Debra Ballard, Fonda Jeffrey. Sophomores, Jonell Coleman.

Cherie McKinney. Friday, Sept. 5, Blackwell at McCaulley, 8:00. Pep Rally, Last 20 minutes to last period.



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Leisure Lodge News

BY Ima Berry

We are all fine up here. Have a new resident, Helen Warren. Glad to have Helen with us.

Want to thank Erma Lee for the nice watermelons, everyone really enjoyed them.

Have had lots of visitors, some of whom were Mrs. Maudie Patterson and friend from Peacock visited Helen Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Crawford have had a lot of visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Odell Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bob Smith and baby of Odessa visited over the weekend. Also a granddaughter and husband from Midland visited the Crawfords.

Mrs. Bob Goodrum had a special guest, her son Raymond, from Martinez, Calif. He came Thursday and left Monday.

Mrs. Etta Hale's granddaughter Sharon visited her Monday. Mrs. Dalton's daughters Annyce Brown and Virginia Eaton and daughter and children visited Friday.

Miss Maudie Moize had a niece, Mr. and Mrs. John Hall of Paris, Texas, visit her. The Hall's son and wife, Jack and Becky Ann and baby of Abilene, also visited Maudie.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp's son, H.J. from Alamogordo, N.M. is visiting them this week.

Everyone is looking forward to the singing to night.

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