



Kim's Korner

By Kim Pease

RETIREMENT: Talked Mac Blair last week and he said, "Hey, I got a story for you", about a gal out at the Gyp Mill. "OK, Mac," I said, "What is the story?" Then Mac began to unravel the retirement story of his wife. She has been payroll clerk at the Gyp Mill for the past 33 years and at the same desk. That is quite an accomplishment. I was still in diapers when she started and I can't even begin to count the jobs I have had since I was 20 years old. Our congratulations to Mrs. Blair. By the way, she trained Connie McQueen to take her place.

ROLLING RIGHT ALONG: My friend Paul Mitchell at Roby and his den of Lions are rolling in the win column. They have scored a total of 151 points to zip for the opponents. The whole pre-season, Mitchell was singing the song about being weak. I would like to be a coach and be as weak as the Lions.

CONTRATULATIONS TO THE WINNERS: For the first time in 6 years we failed to get the winning pictures in the local Punt, Pass and Kick competition last Saturday. I overheard Ray Brown say that he thought the competition would be put off until Saturday afternoon when it was lightly raining Saturday morning. When 9:00 a.m. rolled around it was raining cats and dogs and I just knew it would be postponed. Well, it wasn't and I have already

had one mother jump right down my throat. My son John won third place in the 8 year old group and his mother wasn't a bit understanding about me missing the pictures.

SPEAKING OF HIS MOTHER: Many commented that they saw the classified ad in the paper last week about Janece losing her wedding and engagement ring. Well I just knew they were gone forever. She couldn't begin to tell me where she had lost them. Last Wednesday morning, after the paper went to press, I was in the filing cabinet looking for a mail order book. When I pulled out the file, out popped her rings. Mac Weathersbee witnessed the event and said, "Now you can literally say you found her ring in a mail order catalog". And I won't add "for the second time".

FOR A STORY: Some day I am going to interview Donny Mullins and find out how rough it is being a player on the team your dad coaches. I wanted to go hug Donny last week and point out a few of the good things he did. It takes a good father-son relationship and evidently they have it. I was pleased to read that Donny graded high on defensive play last week. Robert Posey also did a good job stopping some end sweeps for the Hammers against Rochester. John Cox and Ray Weathersbee had high offensive grades.

Rotan Citizens Asked To Make Grant Meeting

Interested Rotan citizens will have the opportunity to discuss priorities this Thursday night as the Mayor and members of the Rotan City Council hold an open meeting in preparation for a Community Development Block Grant.

The purpose of the meeting, set for 7:00 p.m., at the Rotan Community Center is to give citizens an opportunity to make suggestions and express ideas concerning some priorities with regard to the direction the city will go in the future.

Last year at this time the City conducted a like hearing and set priorities as paving, curb and gutter Roby Avenue and Lakeview and build tennis courts at an approximate cost of \$130,000.00. The grant was submitted and turned down by the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Some of the areas that are eligible for a HEW grant are recreation, health, street improvements, sewage improvements, water line im-

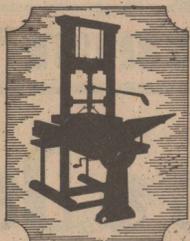
Dale Cox Named New UMYF Head Rotan Meeting

UMYF juniors held their first meeting Sunday evening and elected officers. They are, Kristi Holt, refreshment chairman; James Evatt, reporter; Robin Harris, treasurer; Pokey Houston, secretary; Joyce Harkey, vice president; Dale Cox, president.

Other members present were Allan Kiker, Kip Pease and Conrad Hamric. A lesson was given and refreshments served.



MAJORETTES: Roby's three majorettes and drum major will lead the Lions onto the field this Friday as they prepare to face a tough Rule squad. Left to right, drum major, Kathy King; majorettes, Susan Mathies, Shelly Body, and Kathy Deaton.



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Advance To Zone

Six Punt, Pass & Kick Winners

The Rotan Motor Company has been sponsoring the local Punt, Pass and Kick competition for the past 16 years, according to Ray Brown, company spokesman. "This is the first year I can remember that we had rain on Saturday morning", said Brown.

The weather was less than desirable as a total of 79 of the 98 registered for the annual event showed up for competition.

Nine of the 14 registered for the 8-year old group took part in their age group competition.

Winning the 8-year old age group was Ward Hayes with a total score of 126 feet. Second was Joe Flores, Jr. and third was John Pease. Others taking part were Evette Gruben, Sammy Ramirez, Rocky Roberts, Joe Mike Sparks, Deena Williamson and David Yanez. Those registered but not competing were Chad Alls, Lotony Daniel, Sheri Evatt, Denise Glenn and David Stephens.

In the nine year old age group 10 of the 14 registered took part. Winning the nine year old bracket was Tim Carillo with a total of 167 1/2 feet. Second was Nyle Field and third was Wesley Crumbles. Others taking part were Todd Donham, Susan Gaona, Steve Harmon, Chrys Hayes, Shelly Hayes, Brad Long and Armando Yanez. Those registered but not competing were: Davie Daniel, Meg Field and Annette Overby.

A total of 15 of the 20 registered for the 10-year old group took part in the rain last Saturday morning. Winning was Joseph Cabrera with a total of 212 1/2 feet. Second was Gregg Mitchell and third went to Chad Terry. Others taking part were J.R. Brafford, John Etheredge, James Evatt, Noel Field, Rudy Garza, Robert Gauna, Tony Gruben, Jay Loving, Nick Saucedo, Rene Silvan, Paul Zambrano and Randy Martinez. Registered but not participating were Armando Campos, Todd Coker, Cynthia Daniel, Ricky Gibson and Connell Johnson.

In the 11-year old bracket Robby King was the winner with a total score of 189 feet. Second was Sammy Turner and third place went to Tony Zambrano. Others taking part were Gustavo Alanza, Troy Daniel, Rodney Denton, Frankie Gonzales, James Grumbles, Greg Gruben, Joseph Hernandez, Joel King, Darrin Leverton, Herman Lopez, Eddie Martin, Armando Montez, Toby Moore, Dion Sepeda, Dennis Warren, Charles Williams and Kirk Williamson. Those registered but not taking part were Terry Coker and Kirk Williamson. Nineteen of the twenty-one registered participated in the 11-year old bracket of competition.

In the 12-year old age group, 17 of 19 took part. Winning the 12 year old group was Benny Lopez with a total of 235 1/2 feet. Second was Ernest Carrillo and third was Richard Mendoza. Others taking part were Debra Cabrera, Kevin Copeland, David Auna, Moses Gon-

zales, Lance Greenway, Wes Hardin, Weldon Hayes, Carlos Martinez, Jay Ramirez, Larry Ramirez, Billy Sharp, Henry Williams, Joe Zambrano and Conrad Hamric. Not taking part were Keith Armstrong and Eusebio Campos.

In the 13-year old group nine of the ten registered took part in the competition. Winning was David Thornton with a total of 279 1/2 feet. Second went to Mark Harris and third went to Ruben Cabrera. Others taking part were Keith Copeland, Wes Counts, Kenny Martin, Reynaldo Mendoza, Arthuro Montez and Kip Pease. Dean Harbin did not take part although he was registered.

The six winners will advance to zone competition in Lames on September 25 at 2:00 p.m.

Immunizations Well Baby Clinic Thursday

The Ladie's Auxiliary of the Rotan Volunteer Fire Department is sponsoring an immunization clinic and well-baby clinic on Thursday, September 23.

The immunization clinic is open to anyone and begins at 10:00 a.m. in the education building of the First United Methodist Church in Rotan.

The Well Baby clinic begins at 12:30. Complete physicals and shots are a few of the services offered. Additional information and appointments can be made through Mrs. Marie Boyd at the Fisher County Court House in Roby.

Roby Flea Market Saturday

The Roby Flea Market will be held Saturday, Sept. 25, sponsored by the local Lions Club.

Free space is available to anyone wishing to participate. The Flea Market will be held downtown at the red-light intersection. Hours are from 8 a.m. to ???.

County Gets Large Rain

Fisher County got its share of the rain last week, according to Fred Byerly, Rotan weather observer.

The first shower of the reporting period was on Tuesday, Sept. 14, with .36. On Saturday, September 18, another .22 fell in the morning hours.

The largest daily total was on Sunday, September 19, when the area received 1.03 inches during the 24 hour period.

The last measurable moisture was recorded on Monday, Sept. 20, with .18 of an inch.

The total for the weekly reporting period was 1.79 inches which brings the yearly total to 13.48 as compared to 20.85 a year ago.

Booster Club Sets Date For Trap Shoot

The Rotan Booster Club annual Trap Shoot will be held at the old Drive In Theatre property on Sunday afternoon, October 3rd, according to Billy Henderson, Booster Club President. The activities will begin at 1:00 p.m.



CHAMPION HORSE: Randy Etheredge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie W. Etheredge of Hobbs, showed Quatra Zan Dolly to grand champion honors last Friday at the West Texas Fair. He also showed the reserve champion gelding.

Joe Swafford Resigns Water Post With Rotan

Assistant Water Supervisor, Joe Swafford, an employee of the City of Rotan, for the past two and half years, resigned his position last week to begin work for National Gypsum in Rotan.

Swafford's resignation leaves the City of Rotan approximately 2 employees under-manned, according to City Manager, Kenneth Vann.

Those currently working for the city are: Jack Aaron, general superintendent; Zed

Randolph, J.D. Sharp and Manuel Montez, general maintenance and Jimmy Markham, general park and maintenance.

Aflord Simmons and Ar-

mando Martinez are working as trash collectors.

Office personnel consist of Susan Kelley and Sandra Underhill; Geneva McQueen works on a part time basis.



ROBY FAVORITES: Roby senior class favorites are Cheryl Terry and Monty pope.

County Junior Leaders Hold Election Meet

Rotan Homecoming Activities Released

The members of the Rotan Homecoming Committee are busy preparing for the 1976 homecoming on October 22 and 23rd, according to Ima Berry, committee member.

The homecoming activities will get underway with the fourth district clash of the season between Rotan and Knox City at 7:30 p.m. Friday night, October 22.

Following the game there will be coffee and donuts served in the Rotan School Cafeteria and registration for homecoming activities.

At 11:30 a.m. Saturday morning the Homecoming Committee will serve lunch

County Junior Leaders Hold Election Meet

The Fisher County Junior Leaders 4-H Club met Monday night, Sept. 20, in Roby.

Officers for the year were elected. They are: Brad Stuart, president; Patricia Posey, vice president; Cindy Posey, secretary; Julie Posey, reporter; Gary Don Harkey, refreshment chairman; Donna Hataway, recreation leader; Britt Stuart and Lois Ann Cauble, delegates, Curits Shaefer and Kathy Spencer are adult leaders.

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BOTTLED UP: Rotan's Jerry Carr found very few occasions to break loose last Friday as the Rochester defense kept him in check the entire game.



ROTAN JUNIOR HIGH OFFICERS: Class officers were recently elected by Rotan Jr. High 5-1 Class. They are, left to right, front row, Dixie Smith, Fire Chief; Ricky Gibson, Fire Marshall; Dilana Long, Reporter. Back row, Maury Gruben, Secretary-Treasurer; Dana Nowlin, President; and Alma Sanchez, Vice President.

Roby Lions Demolish Bronte By 69 To Zip

Friday night the Roby Lions demolished the Bronte Longhorns by the score of 69-0. Scoring at will, the Lions rolled up over 600 yards total offense to Bronte's 30 yards. Roby scored the first time they had the ball going 72 yds. in 9 plays. Ricky King went in from the two. Britt Stuart kicked the PAT making it 7-0 with 7:41 left in the first quarter. The Lions' 2nd TD came in the 2nd quarter with 8:58 remaining. Halfback Stuart passed to James Putnam for 58 yards and the TD. The PAT failed making it 13-0. With 6:85 left Ricky Morton went in from the three for the score. The drive went 51 yards in 4 plays, Morton ran for the 2 pt. conversion, the score was 21-0.

Roby's 4th score came when Stuart passed to Putnam for 63 yards and the TD. The PAT failed and at halftime the Lions led 27-0.

Roby exploded in the 3rd quarter, scoring 30 points. The first came with 11:35 left in the period. Stuart went in from 28 yards out. The PAT failed, leaving the score 33-0. Stuart then recovered the free ball following the kick off. Then he passed to Putnam for the 2nd TD of the 3rd quarter. Morton added the 2 pt. conversion, making it 41-0 with 10:46 left. The 3rd TD came with 7:19 left. Morton scored from the one then added the 2 pts. for a 49-0 score. The last score of the 3rd quarter came on an interception by Steve Evers, he ran it in from 80 yds. Stuart passed to Morton for the 2 pts. With 4:11 left in the 3rd quarter the score was 57-0.

In the final quarter, King passed to Putnam for the 35 yd. score. The PAT failed with 7:57 left, it was 63-0. The final TD came when Stuart passed to Morton for 65 yds. The PAT failed making the score 69-0.

With the running and passing of King, Stuart, Morton and the catching of Putnam, the offense moved with ease. All of the

members of the Roby team saw action. Roby plays at home against Rule at 8:00 Friday night.

Brangus Donated For Cattlemens Roundup Sale

To date three registered Brangus have been donated to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

An 18 month old Brangus heifer has been donated by W.C. Holt of Lawn. Other Brangus donated include a feifer from the renowned herd of Justin Puschel of Haskell and a six year old registered Brangus bull donated by Hudson Smart of Abilene. The bull is the son of Cajan Paul's Pride, a much respected blood line.

these animals will be sold at the Cattlemens' Round-Up for Crippled Children sale at the Ranchers and Farmers Livestock Auction, Abilene, at 1:00 p.m., Monday, September 27.

Paris, France is named from the ancient Celtic tribe, the Parisii, whose capital was known to the Romans as Lutetia.

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 Sunday School-9:30 a.m.
 Worship-10:30 a.m.

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

SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH
 Michael Robinson, Pastor
 Sunday School-10:00 a.m.
 Worship-11:00 a.m.
 Sunday Night-7:00 p.m.

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 Bro. Henry Dickson, Hawley
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 Worship-11:00 a.m.

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 Sunday School-10:00 a.m.
 Church-11:00 a.m.
 Night Services-7:30 p.m.

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

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 David Binkley, Minister
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 Sunday School-10:30 a.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
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 David N. Vickers, Pastor
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 Worship-11:00 a.m.

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 Worship-11:00 a.m.

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

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Prelude to a Date



The wheels are turning... those mental wheels... and the emotional ones, too—that in this "computer age" solve the equations of romance. And like any computer the teen-age mind operates the way it has been programmed. Already he has some firm ideas about girls, and she equally firm ideas about boys. Each knows the kind of person he likes, the kind of character he respects, the kind of relationship he considers worthwhile. Of course, the immediate question is whether to date. But the deeper question, of serious concern to their parents and to their own future: what standards, what principles, what convictions will they bring with them on a date? That part of the programming, Parent, is largely your responsibility. And only YOUR CHURCH can effectively share it with you!

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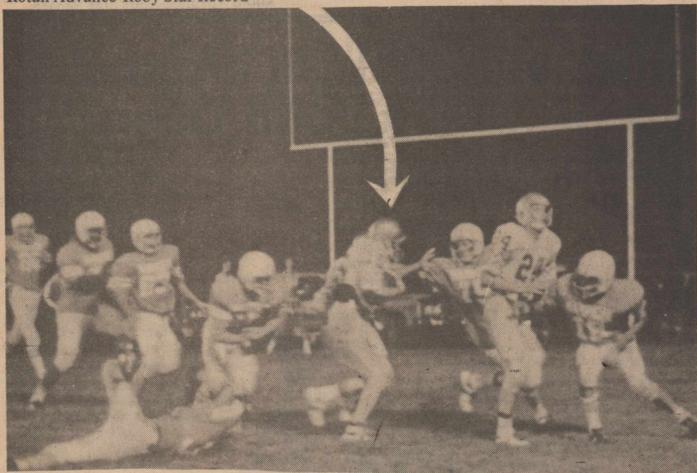
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SCORES TOUCHDOWN: Rochester's fullback, No. 15, scores one of three touchdowns last Friday as the Steers defeated the Yellowhammers 41-0.

Hobbs Panthers Roll Over Raiders, 28-12

The Hobbs Panthers tangled with the Leuders-Avoca Raiders Friday on the Raiders' home field at 8:00 p.m. The Panthers managed to defeat the Raiders 28-12 after many heart stopping moments.

The first quarter opened with the Panthers receiving the kick-off. They pushed the ball forward only to fumble and lose it. Raider Bruce Wheeler did a very good job of running the ball around the end, but was stopped cold every time he attempted to run through the middle. Mike Nobles was like a brick wall on the Panther defense. The Panther defense forced the Raiders to turn over the ball.

Mark Anderle began banging at the Raider defense making long yardage with each carry. The Panthers pushed down to within easy scoring distance and they fumbled it again. It continued like this the entire period with neither side getting on the board.

The second period began in much the same way. The tide turned for the Panthers when Frank Miranda made a 75 yard punt return for the first Hobbs TD. The extra point attempt failed and Hobbs leads 6-0.

The Panthers kicked to the Raiders who fought deep into Panther territory. The Raiders seemed to be on the verge of scoring when Charles Wright picked off a Raider pass and returned it deep into Raider territory before being brought down. Mike Martin scored the second Panther TD from the 10 yard line on a sweep. The score was 12-0 and stayed that way as the PAT kick bounced back from the crossbars.

The Raiders lost the ball soon after receiving the kickoff. Mike Martin caught a long bomb deep in Raider territory. The Panthers were in scoring range again when they fumbled the ball and the Raiders recover. The Raiders had just begin their drive when the half ended.

The Raiders drew first blood in the second half when they intercepted a Panther pass. The next play the ball was given to Bruce Wheeler who broke away from the defense and scored. The Raiders are finally on the board with the score 12-6.

The Raiders recovered a

fumble and proceeded to drive down to the goal line. Bruce Wheeler again took the ball and slid across from the 2-yard line, making the score 12-12.

The Panthers began to come back into the game when Mark Anderle made long yardage on an option play. Mike Martin went 40 yards for the third Panther TD. The Panthers lead again, 18-12.

Fourth quarter action was very different from the first three. Both teams began to fight for points. The Panthers began to set up another touchdown when Mark Anderle drives down to just inside the 40 yard line. Mike Martin punched the ball down to the 10 yard line. Mark Anderle caught a short pass and is stopped at the 1 yard line. Then the Panthers brought up the heavy artillery. Raymond Soto was given the ball on a dive play.

He blew his way over the goal line for another Panther score. The extra point is good, Panthers lead 26-12.

Raider, Hank Jones, took the kick off all the way for a score. The TD was called back due to a Raider penalty. This seemed to shake the confidence of the Raiders. The Panther defense steadily pushed the offense back and forced a safety.

The Panthers gained control of the ball in the closing seconds of the quarter. They attempted a last second touchdown. Charles Wright was in the open and looking for the bomb. It came sailing beautifully down the field and settled in his hands. Wright cannot get a handle on the ball as he juggles it and finally dropped the ball. So ends the last second hopes of the Hobbs fans.

The Panthers defeat the Leuders-Avoca Raiders 28-12.

Hobbs Pigskin Talk

BY BILL HULSEY

Hobbs travelled to Leuders-Avoca to play the Raiders last Friday and were almost beaten by over-confidence. We made more mistakes in this game than we had in the other two. We had two good drives halted by fumbles and we dropped at least four touchdown passes. We had a 12-0 lead at half-time and got over-confident. Leuders tied the score with two TDs in the third quarter before the Panthers finally got serious again. We played our best football the last quarter. We kept Leuders pushed back to their goal line scoring one TD and a safety.

We were well pleased with the offensive play of Don Denman's blocking at center and the running of Mark Anderle and Mike Martin. Our passing game was ineffective with only three completions, but the passes were on target most of the time.

We travel to Wellman this Friday and with a lot of hard work this week we should be in good shape to play a pretty good ball game. Wellman will be, by far, the largest team we will face this year. They average about 190 pounds in their starting six players.

Hobbs Jr. High has played two games this season. The first game the Panthers defeated Hermleigh 39-20 in a contest that wasn't decided until the last four minutes. Hobbs defeated Ira this past week 54-20. The offense played well in both games with Wade Pierson scoring most of the touchdowns and Rudy Garcia most of the extra points. The defense played well at times, but has not looked as good overall as the offense.

The Jr. High B team scored the last touchdown of the game against Ira.

The Jr. High football players are Wade Pierson, half back; Asher Wright, end; Walter Cave, end; Benny Hazelwood, end; Rudy Garcia, full back; Michael Porter, quarterback; Benny Medrano, center; Jay Anderle, end; Gary Allen, end; and Todd Etheredge, center.

The junior high B team members are Ricky Gordon, center; Brent Barron, end; Danny Allen, end; Robert Hazelwood, end; Steve Soliz, quarterback; Doug Anderle, full back and Matt Martinez, half back.

Foster Care Plan Reviewed

The Department of Public Welfare's new subsidized adoptions program is reducing the cost of foster care in Texas, Welfare Commissioner Raymond W. Vowell said today.

The savings is being realized for children placed in state-subsidized adoptions instead of remaining in state-paid foster care.

The program began September 1, 1975. It finds adoptive homes for hard-to-place children, and offers the adopting families subsidies for such things as medical and legal expenses.

The program operates for children with mental or physical problems, or groups of school age brothers and sisters.

The program was passed in 1971 by the 62nd Legislature.

Bobbie Matthews, in charge of the program, said "Without some kind of financial assistance, we'd not be able to get adoption for some children and we'd have to keep them in foster care until they were grown."

It costs an average of \$110 a month to keep a child in foster care, Ms. Matthews said.

Thirty-five children were approved for state-paid subsidized adoption, Matthews said.

"By placing them into adoption, we saved 30 percent over what it would have cost if they'd stayed in foster care," said Matthews.

"But the real value of the program is not financial," said Vowell. "It means that a child who otherwise would not have a permanent home with a family, will have one. There is not way to figure that value in terms of dollars and cents."

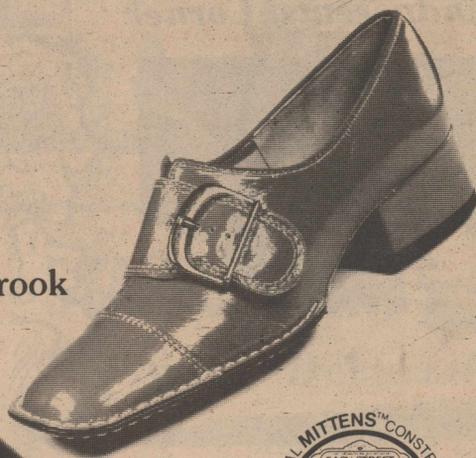
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Farm Bureau Gives Hobbs Safety Tips

Anything will burn and nothing is fireproof. This fact was brought out by Ben Bullard, Assistant Safety Director for the Texas Farm Bureau, Waco, in a graphic animated fire prevention demonstration held September 21 at Hobbs School.

The three things needed to start a fire—air, fuel and heat—brightly illuminated as Bullard plugged in the parts of his fire triangle board, causing the flashing "FIRE" sign. He defined fire control as he removed, one at a time, the three parts.

As part of a discussion on fire control and the classes of fire (A,B,C,D) Bullard demonstrated taking away air by

smothering the flame of a candle; smothering the flame of a kitchen fire (pot of burning grease-class B) and taking away the air or oxygen of another class B fire—a burning gasoline rag.

With each sequence of animated and actual fire hazard of the various classes both inside and outside the house and around the farm, Bullard gave applicable prevention and control suggestions. For fire control, Bullard pointed out that many fires in the home, vehicles, equipment and other buildings can be

extinguished while in the incipient state; provided you have a U/L approved extinguisher of the correct size and type. "Recharge each portable extinguisher after each use", he added.

This very educational fire program was brought to the group under the sponsorship of the Fisher County Farm Bureau. FFA president, Willis Ogden, assisted Bullard as Junior Fire Marshall. The Hobbs Vocational Agriculture Department and FFA Chapter were the local sponsors of the program, according to Gary Finley, Vo-Ag teacher in the Hobbs School.

Cattlemen's Roundup For Kids Is Underway

During the coming weeks when radio and television audiences throughout the state hear such show business notables as Rex Allen, Roy Rogers, Ken Curtis, and Slim Pickens encouraging ranchers and farmers to support the 17th annual Cattlemen's Round-up for Crippled Children, which benefits the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene, rest assured that they know whereof they speak.

Each of these entertainers have visited this private, non-profit treatment and diagnostic facility that serves the handicapped of the Southwest regardless of age, race, creed, color, or ability to pay. Much of the phenomenal growth of this unique institution over the past twenty-three years can be attributed to the personal involvement of entertainment personalities who have shared their talent and prestige in raising the necessary funds to operate the Center.

Charlie Morris of Abilene, chairman of the 17th annual Round-up stressed the importance of this year's sale, which is set for September 27. "Right now the Center is faced with a deficit of \$104,000 so it's going to take more cattle and cash than we have ever had previously to wipe this out", Morris stated. Morris added, "The generous people of the Southwest have never let us down, and I feel sure that within a couple of weeks, as the pledges of cattle and cash come in, the Center will have a more optimistic picture."

The cattle sale is set for 1 p.m. September 27 at Ranchers and Farmers Livestock Auction in Abilene.

Also part of the round-up will be the horse sale October 2 at Abilene Livestock Auction; the special auction October 6 at Coleman Livestock Auction; and the farm equipment auction November 6 at Lawm.

Anyone with livestock or cash to donate should contact their area Round-up chairman, or the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene, 915-692-1633. Arrangements will be made to pick up the livestock.

Carroll Murphree Heading Rotan C/F Fund Drive

Carroll Murphree is leading the fight in Rotan against crippling lung diseases in children. The job can't be left to dedicated parents of C/F and lung-damaged children alone. Mr. Murphree is organizing the Cystic Fibrosis "Kiss A Baby Campaign" now. Everyone can help. He will give you information on turning concern for these youngsters into active help to change the odds against them.

Mrs. W. Hughey To Head Roby C/F Campaign

The Cystic Fibrosis "Kiss A Baby" campaign will begin on September 27th in Roby and continue through the month of October, according to Mrs. William Hughey, Chairman of the Roby Cystic Fibrosis Drive.

Education loans, not to exceed \$600 in each academic year are available to eligible GI Bill students from the Veterans Administration.

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

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

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

AGE GROUP	NAME	PUNT SCORE	PASS SCORE	KICK SCORE	TOTAL SCORE	TOTAL TIE-BREAKING SCORE	AGE GROUP	NAME	PUNT SCORE	PASS SCORE	KICK SCORE	TOTAL SCORE	TOTAL TIE-BREAKING SCORE	AGE GROUP	NAME	PUNT SCORE	PASS SCORE	KICK SCORE	TOTAL SCORE
9	Chad Alls						10-15	J.R. Bradford	48 1/2	55	33 1/2	137		11	Charles Williams	49	56	53	158
9	Latonya Daniel						10-15	Joseph Cabrera 1st	68 1/2	74 1/2	69 1/2	212 1/2		11	Kirk Williamson				
9	Shen Evans						10-15	Armando Campos						11	Tony Zambrano 3rd	54	64	59	177
9	Joe Flores, Jr. 2nd	43	48	31 1/2	122 1/2		10-15	Todd Coker						19-17					
9	Denise Glenn						10-15	Cynthia Burch						12	Keith Armstrong				
9	Evette Gruben	21 1/2	23	12	56 1/2		10-15	John Etheridge	58 1/2	61	49 1/2	169		12	Adrian Cabrera	65 1/2	66 1/2	39 1/2	171
9	Ward Hayes 1st	47	42 1/2	36 1/2	126		10-15	James Evans	42	46 1/2	15	103 1/2		12	Forest Caville 2nd	69	77	76 1/2	222
9	John Pease 3rd	37	45 1/2	29 1/2	112		10-15	Ned Field	49	58 1/2	36	133 1/2		12	Kevin Copeland	59	62 1/2	66 1/2	182
9	Sammy Ramirez	36 1/2	39 1/2	29	105		10-15	Rudy Garza, Jr.	55	54 1/2	53	162 1/2		12	David Garna	46	36	42	118
9	Ricky Roberts	20	35	26	81		10-15	Ricci Garza	42 1/2	47	44	133 1/2		12	Moses Gonzalez	51	65 1/2	55 1/2	172
9	Joe Mike Sparks	5	22	24	51		10-15	Ricky Gibson						12	Lance Greenway	48	39	64 1/2	151
9	David Stevens						10-15	Tony Gruben	45 1/2	45 1/2	36	127		12	Wesley Hardin	45	46	42 1/2	133
9	Heena Williamson	23 1/2	30 1/2	41 1/2	95 1/2		10-15	Connell Johnson						12	Weldon Hayes	67	74 1/2	43	184
9	David Yanez	10	26	7 1/2	43 1/2		10-15	Jay Lovins	31 1/2	31	34 1/2	113		12	Henry Lopez 1st	80 1/2	88 1/2	67	235
9	Tim Carrillo 1st	68	44 1/2	55	167 1/2		10-15	Nick Saucedo	38	50	15	103		12	Carlos Martinez	58 1/2	58 1/2	71 1/2	188
9	Dave Daniel						10-15	Greg Mitchell 2nd	65 1/2	68	56	189 1/2		12	Richard Mendez 3rd	72	74	74 1/2	220
9	Tedd Dunham	38 1/2	41 1/2	36 1/2	116 1/2		10-15	Kene Bilbao	32 1/2	49	36	117 1/2		12	Jay Ramirez	58	68	73	199
9	Moe Field						10-15	Chad Terry 3rd	74 1/2	56	45	175 1/2		12	Larry Ramirez	77	61	61 1/2	199
9	Nyle Field 2nd	49	51 1/2	33 1/2	134		10-15	Pete Zambrano	61 1/2	47	47	155 1/2		12	Billy Sharp	52 1/2	52 1/2	66	171
9	Susan Garcia	36 1/2	34	28 1/2	91		10-15	Nancy Martinez	57 1/2	52	49 1/2	152		12	Henry Williams	63	62	57	182
9	Wesley Grumbles 3rd	45 1/2	45 1/2	36	136		10-15	Gustavo Alvaranza	43 1/2	57 1/2	34	136		12	Joe Zambrano	37	55	28 1/2	120
9	Steven Harmon	21	23	21 1/2	65 1/2		10-15	Terry Cohen						12	Conrad Hamre	58 1/2	42 1/2	59	160
9	Chris Hayes	40	45 1/2	31	126 1/2		10-15	Troy Daniel	44	52	51	147		13	Ruben Cabrera, Jr. 3rd	87 1/2	99 1/2	83	265
9	Shelly Hayes	36 1/2	41 1/2	44 1/2	122 1/2		10-15	Rodney Denton Jr.	8	33	32	103		13	Keith Copeland	59 1/2	52	50	161
9	Brad Long	53 1/2	24 1/2	19	97		10-15	Franklin Gonzalez	51 1/2	52	51	154 1/2		13	Wes Counts	84	92	86 1/2	262
9	Annette Overby						10-15	James Grubler	43	40 1/2	38 1/2	132		13	Dean Harbin				
9	Armando Yanez	26	28	21 1/2	75 1/2		10-15	Gene Gruben	66 1/2	55	48 1/2	168		13	Mark Harris 2nd	88	89 1/2	98 1/2	276
9	David Zambrano						10-15	Joseph Hernandez	58	46	41	143		13	Kenny Martin	69 1/2	102 1/2	71	241
							10-15	Jelly King 1st	66 1/2	63	59 1/2	189		13	Rayalito Mendez	67 1/2	87	60	214
							10-15	John King	55 1/2	52	57	164 1/2		13	Arthur Meatez	64 1/2	67	46 1/2	178
							10-15	David King	32 1/2	71	39	162 1/2		13	Kip Pease	74	100	63	237
							10-15	Freeman Lopez	50 1/2	51	47	148 1/2		13	David Thornton 1st	87 1/2	100	92	279
							10-15	Eddie Martin	63	56	42	161							
							10-15	Arant Martinez	46 1/2	58	42 1/2	149							
							10-15	Toby Meatez	57	53 1/2	52	162 1/2							
							10-15	Araceli Medina	49	55	73	177							
							10-15	Summi Medina 2nd	42	73	69 1/2	184 1/2							
							10-15	Deanna Wilson	48	57 1/2	44	149 1/2							



Mrs. Mike Stone

Janet Callan, Michael Scott Stone Are United

Janet Ruth Callan and Michael Scott Stone were married in an afternoon ceremony at 3 o'clock Sunday, September 19, in the First United Methodist Church, Rotan. Janet is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C.M. Callan and Mike is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Toby Stone of Stephenville.

Charles Lindley, minister of the Church of Christ in Rotan, performed the ceremony before an arch entwined with variegated ivy leaves. At the top of the arch, wedding bells were secured with melon colored ribbon. Ivory tapers burned in candelabra on each side of the arch. A melon unity candle was placed in the center below the arch and was lighted by the bride and groom following the nuptial vows. Baskets of ivory mums and melon gladiolus flanked the altar. Mrs. Mac Weathersbee was organist and Mrs. Stanley Nowlin sang "Let It Be Me".

The bride's gown was fashioned of antique ivory satin with an empire waist. The neckline was scooped and was encircled with a ruffle of lace encrusted with seed pearls. The sleeves were fitted with wide bands of alecon lace also encrusted with seed pearls at the wrists. Fullness across the back waistline of the gown

extended into a train. Her Juliet cap of lace and seed pearls held her fingertip veil of illusion. The veil was edged with lace. Her bouquet was of melon gladiolus, variegated ivy leaves and orchids. For something old the bride wore a string of pearls belonging to her mother. Something new was her wedding gown, something borrowed was opal and diamond earrings, and something blue was the traditional blue garter. The bride's going away suit was a green tweed vested pant suit.

Maid of honor was Glenda Tayle Chapman of Haskell. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Jack Price of Rotan and Mrs. John Lee Brown of Rotan. Flower girl was Andrea Callan, sister of the bride. Shane Gravens of Abilene, cousin of the bride was ring bearer. The attendants dresses were floor length gowns of melon crepe trimmed with being lace at the neckline and wrists of long puffed sleeves. The flower girl wore a gown fashioned similar to the bridesmaids. They all carried wicker baskets filled with stems of melon gladiolus. Their headdresses were melon flowers extended on ribbons and lace in the back of their hair.

Best man was Ricky Mason. Groomsmen were Randy Stone and Rusty

Rhodes. Ushers were Randy Callan, brother of the bride, Roger Corbell, cousin of the bridegroom, and Jeff Lewis. They all wore candlelight tuxedos as did the bridegroom.

The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Melody Walker of Rotan registered guests, Fairy Graham of Lubbock and Mrs. William Duke of Rotan served at the bride's table. Silver appointments were used on the table over a natural cutwork linen cloth.

Serving the chocolate double-wedding ring cake and coffee, stuffed dates and nuts at the groom's table were Connie Stone of Stephenville, sister of the groom, and Carol McDonald. Copper and brass coffee service was used on the groom's table over a beige lace table cloth.

The couple will be at home in Stephenville where the bride will complete her senior year at Tarleton State University. She was graduated from Rotan High School. The bridegroom is a graduate of Huckaby High School. He is self employed in Stephenville.

Mrs. Briscoe Is Sight Saver Chairperson

Mrs. Dolph Briscoe, wife of the Governor, will serve as statewide "Sight Saving Chairperson" for this month's observance of Sight-Saving Month, it was announced by the Texas Society for the Prevention of Blindness. TSPB State President Gerald Z. Dubinski and Robert A. Hansen, president of TSPB's Austin Branch, said Mrs. Briscoe has filmed a television message for use throughout the state.

Gist of the message, they said, is that six or seven more Texans go blind every day (actually 225,000 each year) and half of all this blindness can be prevented with knowledge and skills now available--" if we just reach them in time."

TSPB--a voluntarily supported nonprofit organization affiliated with the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness--is the only organization devoted exclusively to a comprehensive, statewide program aimed at preventing blindness, Mr. Dubinski said.

The programs include free vision screening and free Home Eye Tests for pre-school age children, free glaucoma screenings for persons over 35, industrial and school eye safety programs, public and professional education, and research.

Don Denman Is Calf Winner

At W.T. Fair

The Hobbs FFA chapter was represented by Don Denman and Jeff Anderle in the West Texas Fair calf scramble during the Wednesday night, Sept. 15, rodeo performance.

In the event, 16 boys were turned loose to catch and halter 8 calves and drag them back across a finish line. The 8 winners will receive a \$200.00 certificate to purchase a purebred registered beef heifer of the breed of their choice, to be shown in the 1977 West Texas Fair.

Catching a calf from the Hobbs FFA chapter was Don Denman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Denman. Even though he didn't catch a calf, Jeff Anderle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Anderle, did a fine job. Accompanying the boys to the rodeo were their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Finley and Shawn, Mark Anderle and Wayne Jones.

Marke Anderle Shows Calf At Abilene Fair

Showing his registered Polled Hereford heifer in the 1976 West Texas Fair was Hobbs FFA member Mark Anderle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Anderle of Hobbs community.

Mark won the calf in the 1975 West Texas Fair calf scramble, and his \$200 certificate towards the purchase of a registered beef heifer was sponsored by Ranchers & Farmers Livestock Auction of Abilene. He showed "Lady" in both the junior and open Polled Hereford shows Friday. The calf placed 6th in the junior show and 8th in the open show. Mark showed the heifer in the calf scramble show Saturday morning and placed 5th.

The heifer was purchased from Mr. Sterling Willingham of the Hobbs community.

Mark was accompanied to the livestock show by Hobbs Vo-Ag teacher, Gary Finley.

The American Colonists Hold Daughter Meet

Attending the State Workshop as representatives of William Norwood Chapter of Daughters of the American Colonists of Abilene, were Josie Baird and Delila Baird of Rotan. From Abilene were Mrs. P.M. McKee, Chapter Regent and State Registrar; Mrs. S.C. Rodgers, Chapter Registrar and State Historian; Mrs. R.W. Norwood and Mrs. Russell A. Lewis.

The meeting was held in the Stage Coach Inn, Salado, Texas. Mrs. R.D. Evans, State Regent, hosted a reception for members in the Executive Suite at the Inn on Wednesday evening. Thursday morning was the business session with reports from Texas chapters. The meeting concluded with a luncheon in the Stage Coach Inn dining room.

Josie Baird of Rotan has been appointed as Organizing Regent of a new chapter to be made up of members from the Rotan and Snyder area. This organization is presently in process and will be composed of at least twelve new members of the organization and two transfers. Josie Baird and Delila Baird.

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HARRY EMERSON FOSDICK

HATAHOE



CREDITED WITH SAFETY: Hobbs junior, Mark Anderle, tackled a Raider in the end zone last Friday night to give Hobbs a 2-point safety. The Panthers go against Wellman this week.

Funeral Service

Warren Kennedy

Warren E. Kennedy, 68, of Stonewall County, a stockfarmer, died at 8:25 p.m. Sunday at Fisher County Hospital. Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday at First Baptist Church, Rotan.

The Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Belvieu Cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Born Oct. 22, 1907, in Jacksboro, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Kennedy. He had lived in Stonewall County all his life, coming here as an infant. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include two brothers, Norville and Herbert, both of Rotan; two sisters, Mrs. Kenneth Holman of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Sam Green of Tacoma, Wash.; a nephew and two nieces.

Pallbearers were Marvin Mann, Bart Strayhorn, Ted McArthur, I.T. McArthur, Richard Posey, Glenn Posey, Ernest Counts and Oral Sparks.

Nettie Copeland

Mrs. Nettie Copeland, 79, of Butler, Mo. died suddenly Monday night, Sept. 13.

Survivors include her husband, Marion Copeland of the home; three sons, Lester Copeland, Virginia Beach, Va.; Glenn Copeland of Rotan; and Allen Copeland, Archie, Mo.; five daughters; Ruby Bagby, Urbane, Mo.; Marie McDonald and Elsie Lacy, both of Drexel, Mo.; Nadine Semsch, Freeman, Mo. and Fern Coffel, Harrisonville, Mo.; one brother, Ernest Dowedel, Kimberling City, Mo.; three sisters, Nona Whitehead of Kansas City, Mo. and Audrey White and Ruth McCann, both of Butler, Mo.; 32 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 16 at the Underwood-Steinbeck Chapel with burial in the Virginia cemetery.

Visiting with Wayne and Floy Pursley last week was Wayne's sister, Laudis Harrington, from Abilene. On Saturday Lena and Bill Comeaux of Abilene, Bonnie Bryan and children of Ft. Worth visited with them. Archie and Bettie and boys hosted a birthday supper on Saturday night for Wayne and Floy. Wayne's brother, Jack Pursley, is now living in Roby in the trailer house at Wayne Pursley place.

Hobbs School To Dismiss For Big Game

Hobbs will dismiss school at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, September 24, due the long distance the students will travel for the Wellman football game.

Leisure Lodge News

By Ima Berry
All our residents are doing okay. We would like to welcome a new resident. May Day came to live with us on Friday. So happy to have you, May.

We haven't had many visitors from out of town this week. Mrs. W.J. Patterson of Peacock visited Helen Warner last Thursday; Miss Luna Kolb of Sweetwater visited Emily Garrett on Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. George Ogle of Ft. Worth visited Joe Ogle last weekend; Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Vinyard of Hermleigh visited Bertha Vinyard last week.

Again our thanks to Ernest Ragan for the treats last Thursday. We really appreciate it, Ernest.

We are still enjoying the good water melons Bob Barrington brings us. Thank you, Bob.

Our top bingo winners last week were Mrs. Hale, Mr. Hudnall and Francis Frazier.

Guess this is all our news for this week, come to see us.



ROBY FAVORITES: Roby sophomore class favorites are Lois Ann Cauble and Timmy Morton.

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It is expected that the requested rate schedule will furnish an 18 percent increase in the company's intra-state gross revenues.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and with each affected municipality, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas.



HOBBS PANTHERS

This Week's Game:

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1976 Schedule

SEPT. 3 WEINERT
SEPT. 10 DIVIDE
SEPT. 17 LEUDERS-AVOCA
SEPT. 24 WELLMAN
OCT. 2 BLACKWELL

*OCT. 8 HERMLEIGH
*OCT. 15 McCAULLEY
*OCT. 22 HIGHLAND
*OCT. 29 IRA
*NOV. 5 TRENT

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- Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Wright and family
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- Mr. and Mrs. Benny Medrano and family
- Mickey and Janet Templeton and Melody J.C. and Alice Cave
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- Eula Mae Hull, Reva Jo and Cathy
- Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Gordon and Regina
- Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Hamric and Conrad
- Dr. and Mrs. Bennie LeBlue and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Lovett and Tisa
- The James Ratliff family
- The Piersons
- Tom, Audrey, Mark and Wade
- Mike and Pat Porter, Terry, Tonya
- Michael and Aaron
- Kathleen Barron, Brent and Kyle
- Mr. and Mrs. Harry Krenck
- Mr. and Mrs. Orville Anderle and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Jones, Kirk and Kayla
- Marcos and Sue Medrano
- Walt Cave family
- Gary Nettleton and family
- Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Williams
- Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harris
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Fisher County Nursing Home

Wednesday, Sept. 15, twenty of our residents attended the monthly birthday party held by the Friendship Sunday school class of the First Baptist Church in Rotan. Members of the class present were: Mrs. George McBeth, Mrs. Willene Denton, Mrs. Lon Adams, Mrs. Patience Bagwell, Mrs. Coe Hawkins, and Mrs. Sam Cleveland. The residents who were honored this month are Betty Seaton, Sept. 10, 1893; Mae Gruben, Sept. 24, 1889; Dannie Owen, Sept. 30, 1890; and also honored for last month were Tishie Hayes, Aug. 7, 1892; and Roxana Henson, Aug. 11, 1881. Happy birthday, all.

The Methodist Church came Sunday to have their monthly sermon. The Nazarene Church will come this Sunday, Sept. 26. We appreciate each of the churches and their members who spend time with us each Sunday.

Everyone is really looking forward to the Fisher County Singing Group who will come Tuesday, Sept. 28 at 7 p.m. All are invited to attend.

Our out of town visitors this week are Mr. J.L. Cooley from California visited Mrs. Tishie Hayes; Neda Kiser's sister from McCaulley, Mrs. Luther Maberry, visited her; Mrs. Nora Milwee's son, Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Millwee from Buchanan Dam visited her; Mrs. J.W. Warren from Roby visited her brother and

mother, A.D. Henson and Roxanna.

Our feature resident this week is Mrs. Lillie Leona Whitfield.

Mrs. Whitfield was born January 11, 1883 in San Marcos. At the age of 7, she moved with her family of 2 sisters and 4 brothers, all who are now deceased, to Fisher County. She has one daughter, Lulline Blount, of the home, and one son Charlie Whitfield of Ft. Worth living. After being a housewife and mother, Mrs. Whitfield was admitted to our home Oct. 21, 1969. She is a member of the Baptist Church.

Well, that's all the news for this week, come see us.

Weather

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Rotan Weather Observer

Sep.76	Prec.	Hi	Lo
Tue.14	.36	88	65
Wed.15		91	65
Thu.16		92	65
Fri.17		90	65
Sat.18	.22	93	67
Sun.19	1.03	81	67
Mon.20	.18	75	64
Total	1.79		

Total precipitation to date: 1975.....20.85
1976.....13.48

the Veterans Administration will spend more than \$4 billion on health care for veterans this year.

County Schools Lunch Menu



September 27-Oct. 1, 1976

ROBY

Monday: Beef and Vegetable Stew, Cheese Curds, Salad, Peach Cobbler, Milk, Crackers.

Tuesday: Sausage Pizza, Seasoned Corn, Tomato & Lettuce Salad W/French Dressing, Chocolate Chip Cookie, Milk, Bread.

Wednesday: Beef Tacos W/Cheese, Pork - Beans, Oven French Fries, Chopped Lettuce, Fruit, Milk, Bread.

Thursday: Corn Dog with Mustard, Cream Potatoes, Black Eyed Peas, Banana Pudding, Milk, Bread.

Friday: Hamburger, Potato Chips, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Fruit, Brownie, Milk.

Friday: Country Fried Steak W/Gravy, Buttered Whole Potatoes, Apple Sauce, Hot Rolls, Butter, Fruit-Jello.

The Veterans Administration reports development of the first national cemetery since 1950 is underway near Riverside, Calif.

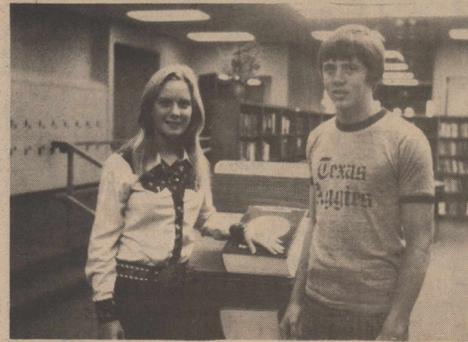
Six Flags To Start Fall Park Schedule

Six Flags Over Texas has begun weekend-only operation for the fall months on the heels of the most successful spring and summer seasons in the theme park's sixteen-year history.

Through Labor Day more than 2,217,000 persons had visited the Arlington entertainment center, topping the old record by more than 200,000 visitors.

Six Flags Over Texas will be open Saturdays and Sundays only through the last weekend in November. Hours on Saturdays will be 10 a.m. until midnight in September; 10 a.m. until 10

p.m. in October, and 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. in November. Hours on Sundays, September through November, will be 10 a.m. until 8 p.m.



ROBY FAVORITES: Roby junior class favorites are Penny Coker and Brad Stuart.

ROTAN HOMECOMING

October 22 & 23, 1976

FRIDAY

7:30 Football Game

Rotan vs. Knox City

After Game - School Cafeteria

Registration, Coffee and Donuts

SATURDAY:

11:30 a.m. - Lunch (Sandwiches and Pie) at Community Center

School Cafeteria

6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - Banquet

8:30 p.m. to ?? - Visiting and Games

Community Center

9:00 p.m. to ?? - Dance

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ROTAN CHEERLEADERS PLUS ONE: One of the few bright spots last Friday was Rotan's cheerleading group. Left to right, Patti Williamson, Cindy Springer, Debbie Smith. Back row, Patti Weathersbee, Yellowhammer Mascot [Eddie Thomson], and Jill Hill.

Farm Bureau Leader Reviews Beef Crisis

The president of the Texas Farm Bureau said beef producers are in a crisis situation now that may affect future beef supplies.

"There'll never be a better time for housewives to fill their freezers with bargain beef," the Dalhart grain and beef producer said.

"Many cattlemen will be forced out of business unless there is an upturn in cattle prices soon," said the farm leader.

"There's been a gradual decrease in cattle prices all summer, but the situation in the past three or four weeks has become disastrous," he said.

Chaloupka said there is a disappointing lag in the pass-through of lower prices at the retail level.

"However, beef is selling in the stores for about 13 percent less than a year ago. This is a real bargain, and we want to let the housewives know about it so we can move some of the present glut of beef off the market," he said.

The president of the 190,000 member general farm organization said that efforts are being made by Farm Bureau to bring "more efficiency and fairness" into marketing of beef.

"The American Farm Bureau Federation has asked Secretary of Agriculture Earl Butz for a step-up in ongoing investigations into factors affecting the farm price of beef", Chaloupka said.

"For example, we want to know whether or not labor unions are blocking the movement of boxed beef into markets and if so, what effect is the blockage having on beef prices," the farm leader said.

Boxed beef involves the breakdown of beef carcasses at the packing plant and packaging the meat cuts for shipment to retail outlets. It means a savings over shipping whole carcasses and reduces labor costs.

Labor contracts with meat cutter unions either prohibit or severely limit the movement of boxed beef into at least 12 major cities, including Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City and Houston.

Another issue relating to labor unions involves labor contracts which prohibit the sale of meat after 6 p.m. in some large cities.

The Farm Bureau is also asking the U.S. Department of Agriculture to find out what can be done about the lag in "passing through" lower cattle prices at the retail level.

Chaloupka said USDA statistics show that retail beef prices never come down as fast or as far as cattle prices.

He said that the farm

value of beef dropped about 25 percent in the past year while the retail value is down only 13 percent.

According to USDA, the spread between cattle prices and consumer beef prices has widened 9 cents a pound since July, 1975, and is now at a near-record spread of 64 cents a pound.

Social Security Schedule Set

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Fisher County residents can see a representative of the Abilene Social Security office as follows: Roby, Rm 114, Courthouse, Tuesday, at 2 p.m., Oct. 19, Nov. 16 or Dec. 14. In Rotan, at the City Hall each Tuesday at 10 a.m., except Tues., Dec. 28.

Since the end of World War II, more than nine million veterans have bought homes with the aid of GI loans, the Veterans Administration reported.

Public Notice

Pursuant to Article III, Section 16 of the Public Utility Regulatory Act and Section 4; 052.01.043-(a), 2, (A) of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, Continental Telephone Company of Texas hereby notices its intent to change rates effective October 16, 1976.

Notice is also given of the Southwest Bell intent to change rates effective October 7, 1976 which will also affect our customers' intrastate billing.

These changes will increase gross intrastate revenues of the company by approximately 16 percent per year.

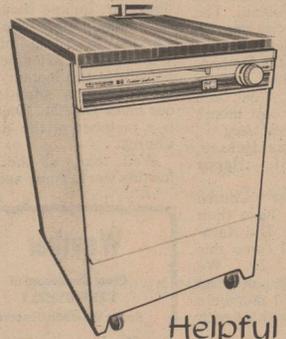
A complete copy of both companies new rate schedules are on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas. Continental's schedule is also available for public inspection in each of its business office locations in Texas as well as with each affected municipality.

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- ★ Use only detergents manufactured specifically for dishwashers. A wetting agent helps prevent water spots on glasses and silverware.
- ★ Clean the filter screen often. A clogged filter can reduce the efficiency of your dishwasher.

Water Heater Tips



- ★ To assure long life and efficiency, the water heater tank should have a small amount of water drained periodically. Once a month should be adequate. The purpose of draining water from the tank is to prevent sediment build-up in the tank bottom.
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Inside The Lion's Den

By Paul Mitchell

The Roby Lions have now won three games in a row. We beat Bronte last Friday 69-0. We did most anything we wanted to offensively and shut them off totally with our defense. We are pleased with the way the passing game has developed. Our running game will be much better now that we are a passing threat. We play Rule at Roby this Friday and it will be the toughest game for us to date. Rule runs from a tandem I and pro slot set offensively and play a 5-2-3 monster defense. They have big folks at the five techs and a couple of hard nosed linebackers. They have three backs with good speed and one of them weighs 210 pounds. Their quarterback is big and likes to throw.

Against Bronte we had several stellar performances turned in. Brad Stuart should be singled out for his performance for throwing 4 TD passes, running for 161 yards and scoring one TD. Ricky Morton scored 3 TDs and ran for 161 yards also. James Putnam scored 4 TDs after catching 5 passes for 172 yards.

Individual grades were up considerably this week as our team graded out at 76%. This means that we did our job satisfactorily 76% of the time. We are extremely proud of the desire each player has mustered thus far. We are not going to sit back and look at the past for we have a lot of tough folks ahead. We will play one game at a time and hope to get better each game.

Steve Evers and Jessie Castor graded out at 85 and 83 respectively as they continue to bolster the offensive and defensive line. Castor weighs 205 and Evers 185. Ricky Morton was moved to linebacker this year and is beginning to read well. He has scored 64 points thus far from his left halfback spot by running and catching the ball. Ricky graded out at 82 for the game. James Putnam is catching the ball very well and is doing us a great job at defensive cornerback. This is his first year to play the corner. James graded out at 78 for the game. Mike Terry, playing his first year in the line, graded out at 73. Mike is a good football player and will improve as we go. He handles our right three on defense. Rod Whitfill graded out at 65 from his center position and came up a few points from a week ago. Rod plays a three on defense. The above-players are the Lion seniors and re doing a whale of a job leading the club. We are going to report on the juniors next week. We have thirteen juniors and sophs who are playing a lot of balls thus far and the program will be strong next year.

Our eighth grade team played at Rule last Tuesday while this paper was being published, we will report on them next week.

This week I would like to comment on our cheerleaders at Roby High. Rhonda Welch, Cindy Posey, Cindy King and Donna Hataway represent our school at ball games, but most people know little of what they do preparing for our games. These girls start on Monday making signs and preparing for pep rallies. They spend about five hours decorating the team bus on road games on Thursday night and stage great pep rallies. We cannot say enough about these girls. They are a valuable member of the Roby Lions football team, as are all the students in our school. We have many young people in our school backing the team and that makes them a big part of the total team.

Roby Board Thanks District Tax Payers

The Roby School Board would like to express its appreciation to the people of the Roby community and others of surrounding communities for their loyal support the past few years. The community has supported the school in so many ways by their donations of time and money to make some improvements in the school facilities.

fine people who have donated their time, money and support in other ways.

Several people have indicated an interest in the library. Many have already donated books or money to buy books as a memorial. If you would like to do this, you can call the school or bring the donation or books to the school.

These donations have placed a new score board in the gym, a new score board on the football field. The parking lot around the new school plant has been paved due to many nice donations, side walks around the school have been provided because of men donating their labor.

We want to tell people how much we appreciate this fine community spirit and we are proud of our school and the

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Deadline Nears For Miss Teen Abilene Affair

Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. of Abilene, sponsor of the Miss Teenage Abilene competition has announced the extension of the official deadline for submitting entries in the Miss Teenage Abilene competition. Entries received by Saturday, Sept. 25, will be accepted. The extension was made due to schedules of schools beginning the new year and a delay in distribution of entry forms throughout the 26 counties eligible. Application blanks may now be obtained at all schools, banks or anywhere Dr. Pepper is sold.

Completed entry forms should be mailed to Duncan & Associates, Pageant Coordinator, Box 2382, Abilene, Texas or returned in person to Duncan & Associates, Suite 8, Leggett Plaza by September 25, 1976.

Entries in the Miss Teenage Abilene competition are limited to residents of Crockett, Sutton, Schleicher, Erath, Reagan, Irion, Tom Green, Concho, Runnels, Coke, Sterling, Mitchell, Nolan, Taylor, Callahan, Eastland, Palo Pinto, Stephens, Shackelford, Fisher, Jones, Scurry, Kent, Stonewall and King Counties.

To qualify a girl must be at least 13 years old by January 1, 1976, but not yet 18 on or before December 31, 1976. She must be enrolled at an accredited school in grades 8 through 12 and maintain a passing grade average for the current year.

Ready Raccoon 4-H Club Has Monthly Meet

The Ready Raccoons 4-H Club met and organized for a new 4-H year with a program of "Food-What's It All About?". Four members and one leader were present.

The following new officers were elected, Laura Gruben, president; Naomi Counts, vice president; and Beverly McKinney, secretary-treasurer-reporter.

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Local DAR Chapter Guests At Abilene

Members of Anne Pettus Shelburne Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution of Rotan were guests of Abigail Anne Berry Chesley Chapter of Abilene for a luncheon commemorating Constitution Week. The affair was held at Abilene Woman's Club. Mrs. Kenneth Whisenant, Regent of the latter chapter, presided. Invocation was voiced by Mrs. Ruple Morrow of Rotan.

Luncheon speaker, Mrs. Henry G. Richardson, was introduced by Miss Della Baird. Mrs. Richardson is currently serving as Texas State Chairman of National Defense Committee. She has served as Regent of Jane Douglas Chapter of Dallas, was the first chairman of the Texas DAR Speakers Staff, and was on the National Speakers Staff for three years. She is also active in Daughters of the American Colonists and Colonial Dames of the Seventeenth Century. She is a third generation Texan who grew up with a deep respect for

law and order-daughter of the man who organized the first Texas Department of Public Safety.

Mrs. Richardson chose for her topic, "Will Our Constitution Survive?" She stated, "Our United States Constitution is being attacked from many angles as it reaches its 189th birthday. Some attacks come as outright proposals for a new constitution, while others whittle away bits and pieces of our constitutional rights in the name of progress and civil rights. The oldest written constitution in the world, its very limitations on government make it exceptional. Our forefathers felt that our rights were God-Given and power of government should be limited to insure that these rights were not imposed upon. This contrasts sharply with communist and totalitarian concepts which hold that government grants certain rights, as it sees fit, to citizens."

Mrs. Richardson discussed the ratification of the Constitution and the need

that was seen for additional safeguards which resulted in the ten Articles known as our Bill of Rights. She noted rights which are being taken from all citizens, as "Abuses", including such constitutional guarantees as freedom of the press, freedom of speech and freedom of religion. Thus a government of law is being supplanted by a government of men. She stated, "The Supreme Court has been correctly accused of writing legislation and invading the rights reserved for Congress. Also, Executive Orders set forth by the president become law 30 days after they are entered into the Federal Register unless they are rescinded by Congress."

After discussing a proposed emerging constitution which would completely nullify the rights of states and individuals (and even change the number of states) Mrs. Richardson continued, "It would be well if Americans today could heed the words of Thomas Jefferson when he said, 'That government is best which governs least'. His warning advice, '...when all government shall be drawn to Washington as the center of all power, it will render powerless the checks provided of one government on another and will become as venal and offensive as the government from which we separated.'

"Has apathy dulled the hearing of the masses today so they do not hear the ominous sound which threatens to destroy our cherished freedoms and heritage through the erosion of constitutional government? Can our Constitution be saved so that it will be healthy and strong on ITS 200th birthday? It will be swept aside if world government planners succeed."

Mrs. Richardson concluded, "Just how much do Americans value their freedoms? The dangers in being 'silent Americans' should be pointed out. It could change our direction if more letters were written to Congressmen and citizens become better informed... Let's give it a try!"

Attending from Rotan were Mmes. C.E. Atwell, Jas. B. Day, Jimmie Don Hale, Rudy Hamric, N.D. Miers, Ruple Morrow, F.E.

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\$202,000 Is Pushed To County By SSI

Social security benefits were being paid to 1,349 residents of Fisher County at a rate of \$202,018 a month at the start of 1976, Glyn Hammons, social security manager in Abilene said today.

Monthly social security benefits are payable to workers and their dependents when the worker retires, becomes severely disabled, or dies. 694 retired workers and 67 disabled workers received monthly social security benefits at the beginning of 1976. In addition, 216 wives or husbands of the worker, 167 children and 205 widows, widowers or parents received monthly social security benefits.

In Fisher County 382 beneficiaries were under age 65; 967 beneficiaries were age 65 and over. Of the total number of adult beneficiaries were age 65 and over. Of the total number of adult beneficiaries, 504 were men and 678 women.

In the 11 county area served by the Abilene Social Security Office, there is a total of 37,615 beneficiaries receiving monthly payments totalling \$6,075,598.

Today, social security is the Nation's basic method of providing a continuing income when family earnings are reduced or stop because of retirement, disability, or death.

Nine out of 10 workers in the United States are earning protection under social security. Nearly 1 out of every 7 persons in this country receives monthly social security checks.

About 22 million people 65 and over, nearly all of the Nation's aged population, have health insurance under Medicare. Another 2.1 million disabled people under 65 also have Medicare. Most families throughout the community have a stake in social security.

The Veterans Administration will pay about \$8 billion to some five million Americans entitled to compensation and pension checks this year.

Golden Haven Home News

Everyone enjoyed the Fisher County Singing Group who were here Tuesday, Sept. 21, at 7 p.m. We always enjoy each of the singings as they come each 3rd Tuesday evening.

The Roby Church of Christ came Sunday to have their monthly sermon. The Longworth Baptist Church will come this Sunday, Sept. 26. We appreciate each of the churches and their members who spent time with us each Sunday.

This week's winners in bingo were Octaveous Harrell, Mae Bell Ogden, Mary Cooper, Dana McReynolds, Vila Barrington, and Robert Birdsong.

Our visitors this week are Mrs. burt Youngblood, Mrs. Windham and John Ed Bookout from Waxahachie and Buddy Bryant visiting his wife, Gladys; Mrs. T.C. Jenkins visited her mother, Mrs. Mae Reidenbach; Jack Holcomb and family visited his mother, Mrs. Carrie Holcomb.

Two of our residents celebrated birthdays these past few weeks. Octaveous Harrell celebrated his birthday September 13, while Sam Lambert celebrated his birthday September 20. Happy birthday, Octaveous and Sam!!

This week's feature resident is Mrs. Callie Burrows. Mrs. Burrows was born July 1, 1888 in Brown County, Texas. After being a housewife and mother, Mrs. Burrows was admitted to our home February 5, 1968. She is a member of the Baptist Church.

Well, that's most of the news this week, come see us.

Cora Vinyard of Rotan and Annie Bruce of Roby spent the first part of last week in Chillicothe visiting with Rev. and Mrs. Thomas H. Taylor. They attended a supper at the American Legion Hall on Tuesday night and went shopping in Wichita Falls on Wednesday eating lunch at Luby's Cafeteria. They returned to Rotan on Thursday.



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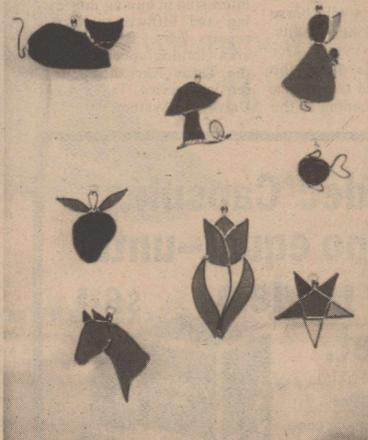
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AT DAR LUNCHEON IN ABILENE: Miss Josie Baird, Mrs. Ruple Morrow, Mrs. James B. Day, Mrs. N.D. Miers, Mrs. C.E. Atwell, and Mrs. F.E. Tutt.

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RESUMEN DE LAS ENMIENDAS PROPUESTAS A LA CONSTITUCION ELECION GENERAL DEL 2 DE NOVIEMBRE DE 1976

NUMERO UNO EN LA BOLETA (S.J.R. 49)

Revocando Secciones 49-d and 49-d-1 del Artículo III de la Constitución de Tejas, S.J.R. 49 enmienda Sección 49-c del Artículo III de la Constitución de Tejas para disponer y autorizar \$400 millones adicionales de bonos para el desarrollo de agua en Tejas que se puede emitir a la aprobación de dos terceras partes de los miembros de cada cámara de la Legislatura para tales fines de desarrollo del agua que la Legislatura pueda prescribir.

La enmienda contiene prohibición específica contra el uso de fondos del estado para el desarrollo de recursos acuáticos del Río Mississippi y también requiere que antes de que pueda encargarse de cualquier proyecto particular para el desarrollo de agua que requiere un gasto de mas de \$35 millones de producto de los bonos, debe de ser aprobado por resolución de la Legislatura.

La enmienda remueve el requerimiento constitucional que ciertas rentas deben de ser usadas para retirar bonos para el desarrollo de agua y el encarecimiento de la calidad de agua y remueve el limite constitucional de la tasa de interés en tales bonos.

La fraseología de la enmienda propuesta tal como aparecerá en la

boleta es lo siguiente: "La enmienda constitucional autorizando un incremento de \$400 millones de la cantidad de Bonos del Desarrollo de Agua en Tejas que podrán emitirse al ser aprobada por dos terceras partes de la legislatura; enmendando y consolidando disposiciones de Secciones 49-c, 49-d, y 49-d-1 del Artículo III de la Constitución de Tejas; y revocando Secciones 49-d y 49-d-1 del Artículo III de la Constitución de Tejas."

NUMERO DOS EN LA BOLETA (H.J.R. 99)

H.J.R. 99 propone una enmienda a la Constitución de Tejas para aumentar de \$100 millones hasta \$200 millones la cantidad principal agregada de bonos para el desarrollo de agua en Tejas que se puede emitir y que están en circulación por el Texas Water Development Board para proveer donaciones y préstamos para la mejoría de la calidad de agua como establecido por la Legislatura. La fraseología de la enmienda propuesta como aparecerá en la boleta es lo siguiente: "Una enmienda constitucional para incrementar desde \$100 millones hasta \$200 millones la cantidad de Bonos de Desarrollo de Agua en Tejas que podrán ser emitidos con el propósito de mejorar la calidad del agua."

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Texas Prison Rodeo Begins On October 3

Five of the nation's foremost country and western singing stars will share honors with convict riders at the 45th Annual Texas Prison Rodeo to be held at Huntsville each Sunday in October. All events are scheduled in the prison's 26,000 seat stadium, which adjoins the Walls Unit of the Texas Department of Corrections. The rodeo gets underway at 2 p.m. and lasts two hours.

For the opening performance on Oct. 3, the featured attraction will be Faron Young, followed by Red Steagall on Oct. 10; Freddy Fender on Oct. 17; Tanya Tucker on Oct. 24, closing with Tom T. Hall on Oct. 31. Termed the "wildest, roughest rodeo behind bars" this year's bicentennial event will include such hair-raising events as bull riding, saddle bronc and bareback bronc riding, the Mad Scramble, a wild horse race, "Hard Money" bulls, plus several events for convict cowgirls from the women's units of the prison. Prior to the opening of the

rodeo each Sunday, convict entertainers will perform in the arena at 12:30 p.m. The group also will be featured outside the arena on the midway, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

Reserved seat tickets at \$4 and \$5 each may be obtained at Sears Stores in Texas and at Foley's in Houston. Tickets may also be obtained by mail from Texas Prison Rodeo, Box 99, Huntsville, Texas 77340.

Net proceeds from ticket sales are earmarked for more than 21,000 inmates of the prison system for rehabilitative services.

The garment designed is much more important to American women than the name of the designer. Recent nationwide surveys revealed that less than one-fourth could cite a designer by name when asked to name their favorite, but they were interested in buying interesting and attractive clothes, reports Mrs. Becky Culp, area clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

ORANGE STREAKS

By Don Mullins

Our game with Rochester didn't turn out as we expected. We knew they were going to be tough but we didn't plan on playing the way we did Friday night.

After grading the film we felt like that with the exception of a few plays (theirs and ours) we should have made a lot better showing. We are still making too many errors to play with the tough schedule we have to face week after week. We are still not grading high enough to win both on offense and defense. We still lack that extra % getting the ball in the end zone. Our offense can move the ball but when it comes to a crucial down, we fumble or get a costly penalty that eventually keeps us out of the end zone. Our biggest fault is the fact that we have given the opponent the ball inside our 30 yard line at least 8 times the first 3 games. Another negative aspect is that we have let the opponent connect on several 3rd and long situations. We play great for a few plays and then it happens.

We are improving and our attitude is good. We can still come out of it in good shape if we continue to improve as we have. We have played some pretty stiff competitions the past 3 weeks and face some stronger opponents the next 3 ball games. Our time is coming and with fan support behind the Yellowhammers, they will win their share of games this year. Offensively, John Cox led and had an average score this week in the winning category. He had a 75% grade, followed by Ray Weathersbee with 66%, Terry Daniel 61%, Robet Morales 58% and Perry Thomson with a 57%.

Defensively, John Cox led again with 55 points, followed closely by Donny Mullins with 50, Ray Weathersbee had 42 for third, Ysidro Yanez had 35 for fourth and Terry Daniel had 33 for 5th.

We think if we let down anywhere it was on defense this week. Rochester didn't do anything we didn't expect them to do, we just didn't have any team pursuit on their end runs.

We are open this week and begin our district play here next Friday against Crowell. They have a good team as always and stand 1-1-1 for the season. Crowell always plays a tough defense and a conservative type offense. Basically they run the same plays that Rochester did and we should be much improved on defense having 3 weeks to work on the same type offense.

We have 3 games here this week, on Thursday, 7th, 8th and JV play Jayton. These three teams are outstanding to watch and play very aggressive type football.

The first game (7th grade) will begin at about 5:15 to 5:20—our officials have a tough time getting there at 5:00. We will start immediately when they arrive. We are greatly appreciative of the support and kind words about these young teams that the fans have expressed.

County Does Well At West Texas Fair

Fisher County 4-H members did well at the West Texas Fair held in Abilene Sept. 12-18. The big winner was Clay Wilfong of Rotan. Clay showed his senior Angus heifer calf to Reserve

Champion of the Junior Show. For his efforts he received a large trophy. Clay also placed 5th in the summer yearling class and 3rd in the late summer yearling class. Mike Morrow placed 2nd and 6th in the junior heifer class. Mark and Lynda Henderson also exhibited Angus heifers at the show.

Mark Harris placed 4th in the Hampshire Lamb class in the junior sheep show.

In the open barrow carcass show, Damon Shipp placed 8th in the lightweight crossbred class. Gordon Maberry and Max Kemp also showed barrows at the show.

Four Attending Texas THDA State Meeting

Four local homemakers are attending the 50th anniversary celebration of the Texas Home Demonstration Association during its annual statewide meeting Sept. 21-23 at the Texas A&M University Campus in College Station.

Those attending include Mmes. Lowell Thornburg of Roby, and Mmes. Barney Bigham, Walter Byrd and Bill Hardy, all of Rotan. Mmes. Thornburg, Bigham and Byrd are delegates to the meeting. Mrs. Hardy is parliamentarian of the State organization.

Highlights for the 50th anniversary include a proclamation by Texas Gov. Dolph Briscoe designating the week of Sept. 20 as "Texas Home Demonstration Association Week", the casting of a souvenir medal in bronze, and the state wide meeting during with Home Demonstration Club members will present a two-hour historical review.

Workshops, general sessions, installation of new officers and an annual banquet will conclude the three-day conference.

Success rate for marriage or older persons is above national average for all marriages, says Mrs. Vivian Blair, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Penny Anderson, And Gilbert Brown Married

Mr. and Mrs. Zanna Anderson announce the marriage of their daughter, Penny, to Mr. Gilbert Brown.

The marriage ceremony took place September 3 at 8 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church. Rev. Luther Baker, pastor, officiated.

Parents of the bride hosted the reception in their home.

After a short wedding trip the couple is making their home in Roby.

Penny is a 1976 graduate of Roby High School. Mr. Brown is a 1975 graduate of Roby High School and is attending Western Texas College in Snyder.



Mrs. Gilbert Brown

Production Credit To Hold Meeting Sept. 24

Stockholder election of two directors highlights Sweetwater Production Credit Association's annual meeting September 24 (Friday) in the Nolan County Coliseum Annex. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m., followed by a business session and meal.

Nominees for Position 2 are Morris Guelker of Roby and incumbent Othell O'Kelly of Trent. Audrey Head, incumbent of Snyder, and Don Wills of Fluvanna are candidates for Position 3.

According to F.C. Shillingburg, the association's president, guest speaker is Jack H. Barton, president-elect of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston. Barton, who will take a look at agriculture and credit, becomes president October 1 of the Houston bank, principal sources of most PCA loan funds.

Other meeting highlights include the director's report by W.J. Harvey, Jr., board vice chairman of Roby; the association's financial report

Pvt. Lula Huitt Reports To Boot Camp

Marine Pvt. Lula B. Huitt, 21, daughter of Mrs. Annelee Huitt of Rotan, has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C.

During the eight-week training cycle, she was introduced to the typical daily routine that she will be experiencing during her enlistment, and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by marines.

Huitt participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills including close order drill and first aid. Teamwork and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

A 1974 graduate of Rotan High School, she joined the Marine Corps in March 1976.

Roby WMU Has Week Of Prayer

In observance of week of prayer, the ladies of the WMU of the First Baptist Church of Roby were guests of Rev. and Mrs. Allan Cartrite at the parsonage Tuesday, September 14, for a luncheon.

This was a delightful occasion and each one on leaving felt that they had received a blessing, according to Mrs. William Hughey, reporter.

Roby FFA Has First Meeting

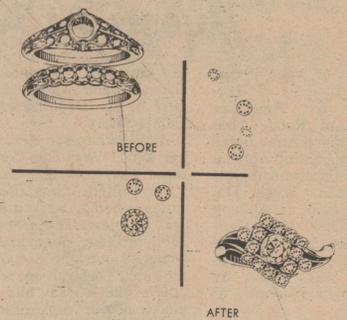
The first meeting of the Roby FFA chapter was held Wednesday, Sept. 15. The meeting was held in order to elect new officers and sweetheart.

The 1976-77 FFA officers are Ricky Morton, president; Jay Hilliard, vice president; Cheryl Terry, secretary; Steve Evers, treasurer; Belinda Stuart, reporter and Monty pope, sentinel. The chapter then elected Cheryl Terry the new sweetheart. Cheryl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Terry. She is a senior at Roby High School and is enrolled in Ag-Mech. Cheryl will represent her school at the District Banquet. She plays basketball, a starter on the team.

Card of Thanks

I want to thank Dr. C.U. and Dr. C.M. Callan and the nursing staff of Fisher County Hospital for the care during my long stay in the hospital. Your concern for me was heartwarming.
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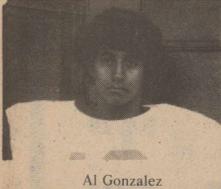
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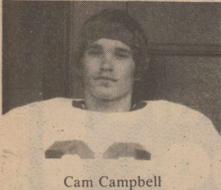
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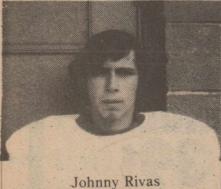
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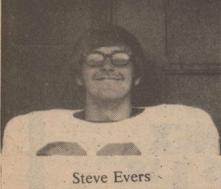
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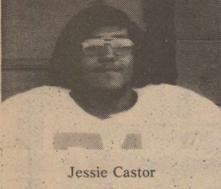
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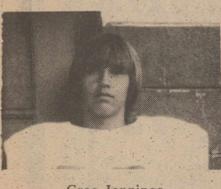
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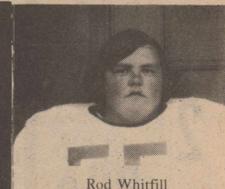
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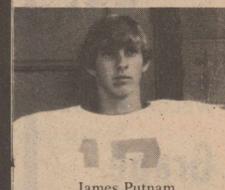
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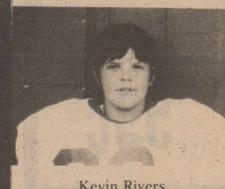
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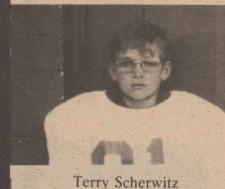
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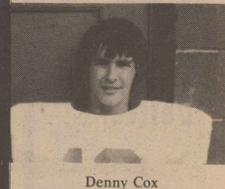
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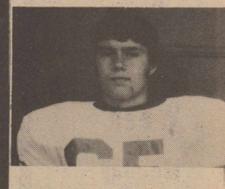
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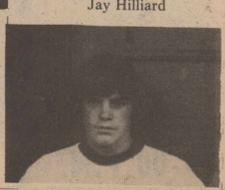
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Terry Owens



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tutt; Misses Josie Baird and Delila Baird.

Special guests were prominent DAR members Mmes. Buck Wynne Wooley, Honorary Vice President General of the National Society and Honorary State President; and Mrs. Richardson (both members of Jane Douglas Chapter of Dallas); and members of Mary Isham Kieth Chapter of Ft. Worth, Miss Marion Day Mullins, Honorary Vice President General and Honorary Texas State President; Mrs. Karl Wallace, past Texas State Chaplain; Mrs. Walter C. Pool, past State Registrar; and Mrs. Alva B. Harmanson, Regent of Mary Isham Keith Chapter.

Any farming operation requires planning, and this is particularly true when it comes to applying fertilizer. Fertilizer applications should be based on a soil test, and fall is a good time to take soil samples for testing.

Containers and instructions for submitting soil samples are available at the county Extension office. Based on a soil test, a sound fertilization program can be developed for the coming crop year.

Such a program will be increasingly important in the months ahead. Under present economic conditions, low

COUNTY AGENT NEWS

BY RICHARD SPENCER

yields are not profitable, and fertilization, at least with nitrogen, is generally necessary for profitable yields. Yet, the need for each plant nutrient and its potential profitability should be closely evaluated.

For additional information on fertilizer use in Fisher County producers are invited to review the 1975 handbook

of result demonstrations. Various fertilizer rates were used on different crops to determine the highest profit potential, and these studies merit close evaluation.

There's good reason for concern if any licensed vaccine, bacterin, antitoxin, serum, or related product fails to perform. Few

products have been tested as thoroughly as the veterinary biologics licensed by USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.

The Virus-Serum-Toxic Act of 1913 requires all veterinary biologics in interstate trade to be licensed by USDA and to be pure, safe, potent and effective. Licen-

ing and inspection procedures keep producers and their products up to the mark—requiring high standards of sanitation, exact records, uniform production procedures and sampling and testing of every production lot. Even the labels and instructions for use must meet USDA approval.

Any Texas producers who experience problems with vaccines and similar products should inform APHIS at the Southwest Regional Information Office, USDA, 1100 Commerce, St., Room 5-C-50, Dallas, Tex. 75202.



ROTAN CLASS OFFICERS: Rotan junior high 7-1 class officers are, left to right, top row, Jay Ramirez, President; Shannon Strickland, Ass't. Fire Chief; Clarence Conner, Fire Chief. Bottom row, Nina Carrillo, Secretary-Reporter; Beverly McKinney, Vice President; and Jane Saucedo, Treasurer.

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<p>TOTAL GROCERY SAVERS</p> <p>SCOTT SOFT 'N PRETTY Bathroom Tissue 4 ROLL PKG. 69¢</p> <p>ROXEY-MAKES GRAVY Dry Dog Food 5 LB. BAG 99¢</p> <p>SHURFINE Fruit Cocktail 303 CAN 39¢</p> <p>MAXWELL HOUSE Ground Coffee 1 LB. CAN \$1.89</p> <p>MAXWELL HOUSE Ground Coffee 2 LB. CAN \$3.75</p> <p>SHURFINE 100 Tea Bag \$1.49</p> <p>SHURFINE Chunk Style Tuna 6 1/2 OZ. CAN 59¢</p> <p>REGULAR Log Cabin Syrup 24 OZ. BTL. \$1.19</p> <p>SUNSHINE KRISPY Saltine Crackers 16 OZ. BOX 49¢</p>	<p>GOLD MEDAL KITCHEN TESTED</p> <p>FLOUR</p> <p>5 LB. BAG 69¢</p>	<p>With \$7.50 Purchase</p> <p>SHURFINE GRANULATED</p> <p>SUGAR</p> <p>5 LB. BAG 79¢</p>	<p>OUR DARLING GOLDEN C.S. OR W.K.</p> <p>CORN</p> <p>303 CANS \$1</p>
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