

SECOND HIGH TEAM: The Rotan FFA Livestock team was 5th in the swine judging; 2nd in beef cattle judging and the second high team of the contest at South Plains College in Levelland last weekend. Left to right, Gary Don Harkey, David Posey and Mike Morrow.



ROBY REGIONAL GIRLS: Nine Roby girls qualifired for the regional meet in Levelland, left to right, front row, Debbie Stuart, Lois Ann Cauble, Jan Wright, and Jackie Shipp. Back row, Tina Hataway, Tammy Stuart, Donna Hataway and Linda Hoodenpyle.



4-H DEMONSTRATION TEAM: Two of the more than 30 Fisher County 4-H members that took part in the demonstration contest last Monday night, left to right, Charla Wiley and Todd Matthies conducted a junior safety demonstration



CAMPAIGNS IN COUNTY: Mrs. B. Perrin, second from left, daughter of Governor candidate John Hill, campaigned in Fisher County early this week. Left to right, Kathleen Barron, County TSTA secretary; Mrs. Perrin, Floyd Garcia, County TSTA President; and Mrs. Orville Anderle of Hobbs. The State Teachers group has endorsed Hill for governor.



ROTAN TENNIS QUALIFIERS: Six Rotan tennis players qualified for the regional tennis meet in Odessa. Left to right, the doubles team of Patti Williams and Carmen Sparks, Terry Daniels and his partner Jacinto Reys [not picture], and Robert Morales. Carol Byrd finished first and is



MANAGERS SALE WINNERS: Three area shoppers were winners in the Winns Managers Sale drawing last weekend. Left to right, Mrs. Chris Gaspar, 2nd price, picture; Larry Robertson, Winns Manager; and Mrs. I. Hughes, first prize, window fan. Not pictured is Roger Carrion, 3rd prize, lawn chair.



ROBY UIL LITERARY WINNERS: Winning at the UIL literary meet are, left to right, front, LaTricia Allen, Michelle Burk, Denna Williamson, Tammy Mauldin and Noel Field. Second row, Stacey Toole, Shannon Wilburn, Danette Ray and Jennifer Wright. Back row, Christy Milstead, Tisa Lovett, Kelley West and Mary Lou Carreon.



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Hospital Board Approves Hike In **Ambulance Charges On May 1**

County Hospital District board of directors discussed postponed any action on a last Monday night.

agenda, the board was emergency calls, \$7.50; oxysupposed to review and discuss hospital rates in light discuss the clinic for the charge on out of county Fisher County Hospital.

After approving a rather detailed set of new charges program with Posey.

Rotan resident and current

Hobbs School Board member

and resident of Rough Creek,

was seriously injured last

Saturday afternoon in a

heavy equipment accident on

Ratliff, according to a

report given by friends at the

scene, was operating a

equipment caused the edge

of the bluff to give-away,

sending the bull dozer and

Ratliff over the 80 foot bank.

Ratliff's son, Jim, discov-

ered his father as he

returned from lunch and

and the Fisher County

Ambulance for assistance. It

up the 80 foot bank on a

stretcher and get him loaded

Jay Hilliard advanced to

regional in tennis at Level-

land by defeating Jeff Oliver

of Loraine 6-3, 6-1 in the

finals. Regional will be April

27 and 28th. This is the secon

year in a row Jay has won

Roby placed 3rd as a team

and Timmy Morton finished

3rd in the singles. This was

Morton's second year in a

Jennings finished 4th in

Ricky King and Greg

Jackie Shipp and Lilly

Scott Thomson and Kevin

Bryan finished 3rd in the

Rivers were defeated in the

first round by Highland's

row to finish 3rd.

doubles play.

girls doubles.

district.

immediately called friends accident.

his farm.

James Ratliff Stable

After Dozer Plunge

James Ratliff, former cal Technicians Tommy Har-

Caterpillar bull dozer around fisher County Hospital, and

noon last Saturday and according to a report by his

attempted to push over a tree wife Dianne, "He is in stable

close to a steep bluff, condition now and barring

Sources indicated that apparamy unforeseen complica-

ently the ground was so dry tions should be out of ICU in

took 8 men to lift Ratliff back Glenn Copeland, in a brief

included: Emergency Medi- did in assisting Ratliff.

Roby's Jay Hilliard

Lone Regional Player

that the weight of the heavy a day or two", she said.

bad debts, approved an \$35.00 to \$40.00. Several for ambulance services and by the board. Effective May 1, the following additional possible room rate increase charges will be assessed on during their regular meeting top of the basic initial in-county ambulance charge ing to gather all information ing within the next 10 days. According to an advance of \$40.00. Night calls, \$7.50; ambulance runs.

As the board members for amublance calls, the were discussing the approval board decided to hold off any of the additional charges in other rate adjustments until the area of the ambulance, they could talk to Dave Posey board member Kirmet Terry concerning the progress of asked fellow board members the tax re-evaluation pro- to give consideration to gram. The board is planning financially reimbursing EMT a special called meeting in volunteer Jimmy Hayes for approximately 10 days to the calls he makes in the Roby further review current rate area. The board directed charges and discuss the tax Administrator Perry Hunsaker to study the matter of In the area of ambulance Hayes as well as other

bin and Tim Ward, and

friends Glenn Copeland,

Harold Roberts, Joe Dale

Burk, Robin Roberts, Vic

Burk, Obie Gene Kelly and

Ratliff is currently in the

Hospital Board member,

report to the board last

doubles team. Lois Ann

Cauble was also defeated i

Jay Hilliard

the first round.

Intensive Care Unit at the

Ratliff's son, Jim.

an ambulance call from at the next board meeting. increase in the rates charged other charges were approved rates, operating room charg-projections and a budget

es and basic nursery charges

charges, the board raised the volunteers and make some on future cost projections, innitial in-county charge for concrete recommendations rates charged for hospital services, anticipated revenue The board discussed room from taxes, tax re-evaluation outline in order that the but did not act on any board can view the entire financial picture during their Hunsaker will be attempt- planned special called meet-

gen, \$7.50; special handling, Carol Byrd Wins Rotan \$7.50; resuscitation and of rates charged by other area hospitals and were to mile plus the initial \$40.00 Tennis, Regional Bound

Walter Byrd, won the girls

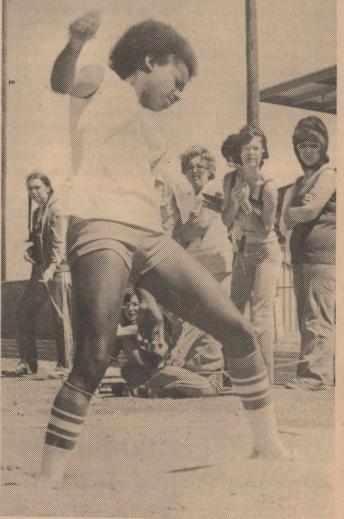
Byrd defeated Susan Vecera of Crowell 7-5 and 6-4 to



Rotan's Carol Byrd, dau- win the top slot. She will ghter of Mr. and Mrs. travel to Odessa on April 21 and 22 with the doubles team district singles tennis compe- of Patti Williams and tition for the second year in a Carmen Sparks to compete in the regional tennis tournament. Sparks and Williams finished second at district.

> In the boys doubles division the local team of Terry Daniel and Jacinto Reves were defeated in the championship game and finished second. They will travel to regional competition in Odessa on April 28 and 29 with second place singles winner Robert Morales. Morales was defeated by J. Andrade on Munday 6-1 and 6-2 in the championship game.

In the Junior High division Conrad Hamric defeated Richard Rojas 7-5 and 6-4 but lost to R. Gutierrez of Knox City in the championship. He finished in second place ahead of entries from Knox City and



REGIONAL BOUND: Cheryl Jones, Rotan track standout, qualified for regional in five events. She was first at district in the 100 yard dash, first in the triple jump and above finished second in the broad jump. She was also a member of the winning mile relay and 440 relay teams.

Cheryl Jones Paces Rotan To Regional Track Meet

The Rotan girls varsity track team took fourth place at the district meet last week with 83 points and qualified two relay teams and one girl in 3 individual events for the regional competition.

of the season will be a double

header on Monday, May 1.

Those helping with the

Vets team as coaches and

managers are Calvin John-

son, manager; Larry Field

and James Warren, coaches.

is Laurence Ramirez. John

Pearson and Tim Allen will

The Pirates this year will

be managed by Ernest

Ragan. James Carter and

Leo Long will be the

The Yankees will be

managed again this year by

Wilber Gruben. Ruben Ca-

Continued To Page 8

be acting as coaches.

Rebels manager for 1978

Cheryl Jones finished first in two individual events. She won the 100 vard dash in 11.6 and was first in the triple jump with 33 feet 3 inches. She also qualified for regional in the broad jump by finishing second with a leap of 16 ft. 10 inches.

The mile relay team and 440 relay team both qualified for regional. The 440 relay team was second with a time of 51.8 while the still undefeated mile realy team won first witha time of 4:17.6.

The 880 relay team finished in fifth place with a

In the individual events Tina McCombs finished fourth in the 100 vard dash with a time of 12.0.

Ginger Duke was fourth in Continued to page 12

Girls Softball **Meeting Set** For April 20

There will be a Girls Softball parent meeting Thursday, April 20, at 7:30 p.m. in the Community Room of the First National Bank, Rotan.

All parents of girls ages 8-18 are urged to be at this important meeting.

Two Roby Play **Members** Honored

The Roby One-Act play cast, after winning District and participating at the Area level in Lubbock last weekend, was eliminated but landed two individual honors for their performance of "Pinocchio"

Donna Hataway was named to the area All Star Cast for her acting in the role of Pinocchio, and Lonnie Baker received recognition by being named to the All Star cast as an honorable men-

23 Guys, 1 Gal Drafted Little League Leaders

A total of 24 new Little League players were drafted Ratliff suffered five broken last Friday night, including one girl, to bring the total to ribs, a punctured lung, a 52 that will be playing on one broken bone in his mouth as of the four major Little well as several missing teeth League teams. and multiple bruises in the

Although girls have been playing Little League baseball in other towns for some years, eleven-year-old Cathy Conner of Rotan is the first female to be drafted by a Monday night, praised the local team. She was selected in the ambulance. Those local ambulance service and in the fifth round by the Vets assisting at the scene its employees for the job they

The Rebels and Pirates each drafted a total of seven players. The Vets took six players and the 1977 League champion Yankees only drafted four players to bring their team strength to the allotted thirteen.

Those drafted by the Vets included Dave Daniels, Chris Hayes, Leo Castillo, David Carrillo and Cathy Conner. Other Vets include Noel Field, James H. Evatt, Connell Johnson, Brian T. Donham, Nyle S. Field, Rodolfo Garza, Jr., and Frankie Gonzales.

The new players drafted by the Yankees were: Rocky Roberts, Armando Yanez, Darrin Pinkard, and David Yanez. The other Yankees are:Tony L. Gruben, Robert Gaona, Tim Carrillo, Joseph Cabrera, Gregg Gruben, Charles Williams, John Etheredge, Ricky Gibson, and Randy Martinez.

Those picked up by the

Rebels are: Ward Hayes, Clayton May, Ricky Spencer, John Kiser, Bennie Carrion, Sammy Ramirez, and Denny Carrion. Other rebel players ae: Rene Silvas, Rodney P. Pearson, Nick Sauceda, Jr. Paul Zambrano, Edward Martinez, Jr., and Joe

The new Pirate players are John Pease, Brian McClain, Richard Ramirez Ojeda, Reggie Stinson, Wayne Nichols, Brad Long and David Carter. Other Pirates are: Herman Lopez, Micheal C. Terry, Lance Green, Jackie Ragan, Jay Loving and Bennie L. Putnam.

The first Little Leage game

Rotan Council Sets Clean Up Week Dates

coach.

The members of the Rotan City Council and city employees are responsible for co-ordinating a "Clean-Up Week" for Rotan, according to City Secretary Kenneth Vann. Vann said that after a

discussion during a regular city council meeting it was decided to stage a city-wide clean up program.

"We are asking Rotan residents to participate in this clean up week drive and as a special service from the city, we will have clean up crews throughout the town, each day, to remove old air

conditioners, tree limbs, or any other discarded item" said Vann. He did ask residents to make every effort to pile old debris in the alley or by the side of the street in an area accessable by pick-up crews.

Vann also indicated that the city would welcome assistance from interested individuals with trucks and also would like to enlist volunteers and civic club assistance to work in the 'Clean Up Week' drive. Those interested can contact Vann at the Rotan City Hall,



Words of Life

Johnny T. Robertson, Pastor First United Methodist Church Rotan, Texas

OUR JOY AND GOD'S

"Sing, O daughter of Zion; shout, O Israel; be glad and rejoice with all your heart, O daughter of Jerusalem. He will rejoice over you with gladness; He will rest in His love, He will rejoice over you with singing." (Zephaniah 3:14,17)

Zion is called to rejoice in God because God rejoices in her. For every throb of joy in mans heart, there is a wave of gladness in God's. We are to be gald because He is glad. We sing for joy, and He rejoices over us us with singing because we sing. Zephaniah is telling us of the great joy which comes from knowing God.

So, then, intimate fellowship and communion between God and man lies at the root both of God's joy in man and man's joy in God. God takes great joy in His people; "As the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall God rejoice over you." God's gladness is in His children when they let Him love them, and do not throw back His love from them. We are to let God love us. Do not resist God's love! By allowing God to love us we give God great joy. Another thought about the gladness of God's love is this: "He will rest in His love; He will rejoice over you with singing." Loving hearts on earth know that the deepest love knows no utterance, and can find none. A heart full of love rests as having attained its desire and accomplished its prupose. Side by side are set these two expressions of God's love for us: the love which breaks forth in joyful singing and the love which rests in its

God has great joy in us. Our joy in God comes from the fact that "the Lord is in our midst" as a guarantee of our assurance of salvation. This assurance is the occasion of exuberant gladness in us. But the thought of "God dwelling in our midst" is a pain and a terror to rebellious wills and alienated hearts. Those who find their satisfaction in earthly sources see no good news in this, but a fearful looking for judgment. Do you have a joy in knowing God? Or, are you unaware of God's presence and thereby miss the joy of ellowship with God? The Christian religion is a religion of joy, not gloom and sadness. The secret of stable and perpetual joy lies where Zephaniah found it--in the assurance that the Lord is with us, and in the vision of His Love resting upon us, and rejoicing over us with singing. Let God's joy over you produce in you a gladness in God. Amen.

WTC Rotan Summer Classes Begin June 1

Western Texas College extension center in Rotan will \$53 for one course, \$86 for begin June 1, following two courses, or \$119 for registration on May 31.

uled are English 232, extension classes or classes Government 231, Govern- on the main WTC campus in ment 232, and Philosophy Snyder may contact the 132. All are college credit office of the registrar at courses transferable to other WTC, 573-8511.

Summer classes at the colleges and universities. Students will pay fees of

Courses tentatively sched- Persons interested in the

Five At Rotan Make UIL Regional Marks

Three Rotan High School students captured first places in the District UIL Literary event last week and will join other local students in participating in the Regional UIL meet in Odessa on April 22.

First place awards at the District level went to Patricia Posey in the informative speaking category; Terrie Mullins in poetry interpretation, and Ricky LeBleu in slide rule competition.

Linda Hinson captured the only local second place finish for her participation in spelling and plain writing.

Third place district finishes went to Patricia Posey in ready writing and Carol Byrd in shorthand.



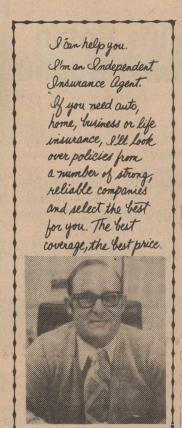
TO REGIONAL IN UIL: Five Rotan students will take part in regional competition in Odessa on April 22. Left to right, Carol Byrd, Linda Hinson, Terrie Mullins, Patricia Posey and Ricky LeBleu.

Rotan FFA Will Make Lubbock **Judging Contest**

The Rotan FFA will travel to Lubbock Saturday to compete in the Texas Tech Judging Contest. The contest will determine District and Area winners. The members and teams compet-

Robert Posey, Dale Cox and Eli Sepeda, meats; Byron Weathersbee, Ruben Cabrera and Micheal Cadenhead, dairy products; Terry Bredemeyer, Mark Nowlin, Randy Sparks and Bob McArthur, crops.

Also, David Thornton, David Underhill, and Alva West, poultry; Brian Goodwin, Ray Weathersbee, Todd Goodwin, John Smallwood and Terry Foster, wool; Keith Mullins, Greg Hayes, Willie Hayes, cotton; Mark Henderson, Wayne Harbin and Dean Nichols, grass; Donny Mullins, Dale Roa. Kerry Bredemeyer, Manual Garcia, Ag Mechanics; Ray Nichols, Dean Harbin, Butch Surratt and Tommy Wright, dairy cattle; and David Posey, Gary Don Harkey and Mike Morrow, livestock.



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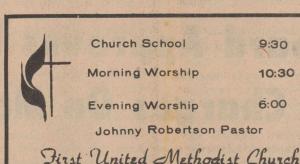
With approximately 2 are seeking to take over the weeks remaining until Fisher County voters trek to the polls on May 6, the county contested races continue to remain low keyed.

men, Dolph Briscoe and John Hill. Preston Smith, Ray Allen Mayo and Donal R. Beagle have not seemed to generate the voter enthusiasm needed to win.

In the heated race for the 17th Congressional seat seven Democratic candidates United States Senate.

post being vacated by Omar Burleson. Those running in the order their names will appear on the Fisher County ballot include: James B. The race for Governor (Jim) Sharp, Jr.; Crews seems to be narrowing to two McCulloch, Fike Godfrey, Charles W. Stenholm, Jim Snowden, Jim Baum, and A.L. Dusty Rhodes.

> Joe Christie and Robert (Bob) Krueger continue to fight for voter support for the democratic nod for the



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Rotan, Texas

On the local level voters will be faced with decisions on the following contested races (names in order that they will appear on the May 6 ballot) Fisher County Judge, Dwight L. Lovett and Marshal Bennett; County Clerk, Lunette Goforth, Ge-

Neeper; County Treasurer, Tom Collins and Inze Pullig Stephens; Justice of the Peace, Precinct #1, Jeff Simmons and Aubrev Chandler; County Commissioner Precinct #2, Billy Henderson and E.J. (Junior) Kiker; and through Tuesday, May 2.

neva Perkins and Patsy for County Commissioner Pecinct #4, Jimmy Wright and J. Garland Moore.

> Absentee voting for Fisher County residents began last Monday morning at the office of the Fisher County Clerk and will continue

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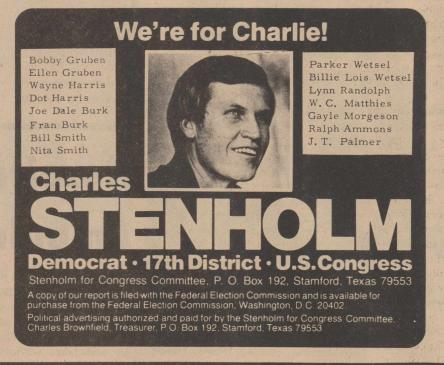
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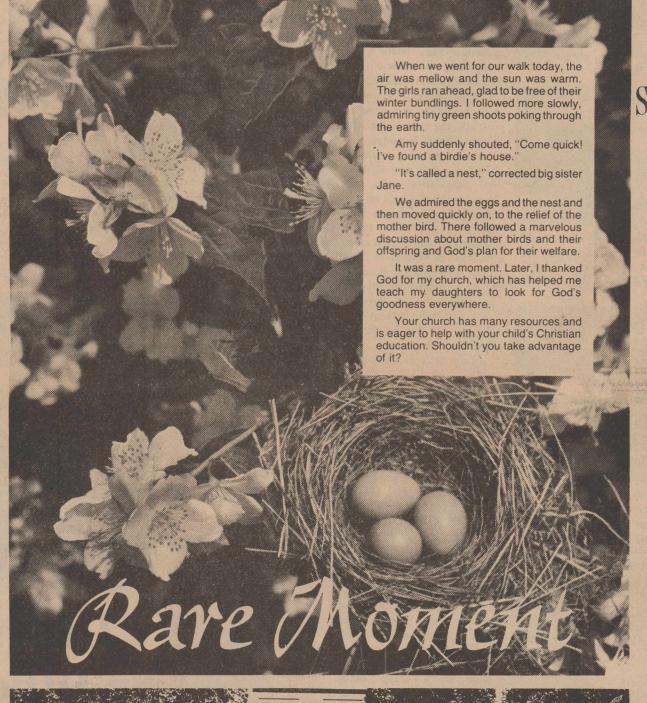
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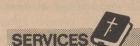
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Melody Walker Wins Teachers Scholarship

Future Teacher Melody Valker, daughter of Mr. and 1rs. James T. Walker of Rotan, is the winner of the District XIV Texas State Teachers \$500 Scholarship.

According to Roger Huber of Anson, chairman of the district Public Relations Committee, Miss Walker's application was rated highest of the 22 submitted.

The Rotan senior is near the top of her class scholastically. She is band drum major and she participates in the activities of future teachers, future homemakers, and in the school's athletic program. She is a member of the Student Congress, helps to publish the school annual, and teaches in Bible School.

Miss Walker lives with her family on a ranch which accounts for her interest in rodeos and horse shows. She has qualified several years as a member of the Association of Junior Rodeos in America.

This future teacher will

tion at Texas Tech in

Applications for the TSTA scholarship were submitted from seniors from Abilene, Snyder, Sweetwater, Roby, Hobbs, Blackwell, Rising Star, Hamlin, Anson, Rotan

Energy fight. "We need a governor who

her father, Attorney General

Robert Allen Tops At Roby Jr. High Meet

Roby's Robert Allen cap- Lyndell Martin. tured a 3rd place finish in the 330 yard dash for the Roby Junior High track team at the district track meet last week.

Joel King and Forrest Graham both snagged 4th place finishes at the district meet in individual events. had a 4:09.2 in the 1320 run. hurdles with a time of 32.7.

The 1320 relay team major in elementary educa- Bagwell, Robert Allena nd district with a time of 54.07.

Mike Bagwell finished 5th in the pole vault at 6 ft. 6 inches, while team mate Lyndell Martin finished 6th by clearing 6 feet.

Bill Walker finished in 6th place at the district meet. He recorded a time of 1:52.1 in King had a time of 45.1 in the 660 run. Jerry Wallace the 330 dash and Graham was also 6th in the low

The 440 relay team composed of Robby King, finished 4th with a time of Jerry Wallace, Kirk William-3:18.8. That team is compos- son, and Lyndell Martin ed of Robby King, Mike finished in the 6th spot at

Melinda Hill Perrin, camwill come out swinging from paigning for Governor for the moment the bell sounds in the first round," Mrs. Perrin said during stops on a John Hill, was in Rotan last Monday and said that Dolph 615-mile Hill for Governor Briscoe still has not answercampaign caravan from Mored the bell in the National ton to Austin.

John Hill's Daughter

Campaigns In Rotan

The caravan is one of 10 being led by Hill family members and supporters April 17-21 throughout the state. They will converge Friday in Austin, where the candidate will speak at a San Jacinto Day Caravan Party (Noon, April 21, Waterloo Park, 11th and Red River). The caravans will cover 6,500 miles and will stop at 225

"Instead of fighting for our state's interests on energy, the government has danced around on this issue. Every time he's gone to Washington for a showdown over the energy bill's obvious unfair treatment of Texas, all he has done is tiptoe around the real problem.

"The real problem is that Washington is treating Texas like a colony instead of a working partner. It wants Texas to provide the oil and natural gas to heat the rest of the nation's homes an drun the rest of the nation's factories, but isn't giving us anything in return except the bum's rush.

'If we continue to let our governor stand around and watch while we lose control of our free-market pricing in the intrastate gas market, and while we lose controll over allocation of our gas to other states, our economy will take a nose-dive in a hurry", said Mrs. Perrin.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Mack Waddell of Wichita Falls visited with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waddell. Other guests recently were Dr. and Mrs. Freddy Waddell. Rick and Dan, home on leave from the U.S. Navy, and Mr. and Mrs. B.J. Waddell of Anson.

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Roby Girls Third At District Track Meet

The Roby High School girls took third place at the District track meet held in Snyder Wednesday, April 12. Roby scored a total of 96 points.

The Roby 880 meter relay Hataway, 7th, 14 ft. team won first place with a time of 1:53.6. Debbie Stuart took second place in the 1600 meter run in a time of 6:13.1. Donna Hataway won first in the 100 yard dash with an 11.8 clocking. The 1600 meter relay team took second in 4:40.3.

Roby qualified nine girls for regional to be held Friday and Saturday, April 21 and 22. Those qualifying were Lois Ann Cauble, 880 relay; Donna Hataway, 800 relay, 100 yd. dash; Tammy Stuart, 800 relay; Tina Hataway, 800 relay; Jill Wright, 1600 relay; Jan Wright, 1600 relay; Linda Hoodenpyle, 1600 relay; Jackie Shipp, 1600 relay; Debbie Stuart,

District Results 800 Meter Relay: Lois Ann Cauble, Donna Hataway, Tina Hataway, Tammy Stuart. 1st. 1:53.6.

1600 Meter Relay: Linda Hoodenpyle, Jan Wright, Jill Wright, Jackie Shipp, 2nd, 4:40.3. 200 Meter Dash: Lois Ann

Cauble, 3rd, 28.7; Tammy Stuart, 4th, 28.7. 100 Dash: Donna Hataway

1st, 11.8; Tina Hataway, 5th, 80 Hurdles: Jill Wright, 6th, 13.8.

400 Dash: Jan Wright,

72.7.

800 Run: Mary Barrington, 6th, 3:06.3.

Mile Run: Debbie Stuart,

Cauble, 4th, 14-9; Donna

Triple Jump: Jill Wright, 6th, 29-11/4.

High Jump: Linda Hoodenpyle, 6th, 4-4. Shot: Belynda Stuart, 4th,

27-13/4; Darlene Herron, 5th, Long Jump: Lois Ann 26-91/2; Tina Hataway, 7th, Discus: Darlene Herron,

3rd, 91-1/2; Belynda Stuart, 5th, 83-21/4.



ROBY TRACK TEAM: Finishing 3rd in District, back row, Leslie Carey, Tina Hataway, Tammy Stuart, Donna Hataway and Linda Hoodenpyle. Second row, Belynda Stuart, Lois Ann Cauble, Jan Wright, Darlene Herron. Front, Debbie Stuart, Mary Barrington, and Jackie Shipp.



880 RELAY TEAM: Winning first in the 880 relay at 3rd, 67.0; Linda Hoodenpyle, district with a time of 1:53.7, left to right, Tina Hataway, 5th, 70.0; Leslie Carey, 7th, Tammy Stuart, Donna Hataway and Lois Ann Cauble.



COLLEGE SUMMER SCHOOL

The Social Sciences Division of Western Texas College is planning the following courses at the Rotan extension center. All are college credit courses transferrable to other colleges and universities. High school students who have completed their junior year may take courses with the approval of their high school principal. Registration will be held Wednesday, May 31, at 6:30 p.m. in the Rotan High School library. Classes will meet from June 1-July 28.

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Five Winners Of Rotan Jr. High Awards Told

annually presented by Rotan respective subject. Junior High teachers to outstanding students were made as follows: Math to made earlier this week.

students by individual teach- Weldon Hayes; and English, ers according to the students Darrell Carter.

The five academic awards abilties demonstrated in that

The 1978 awards were Laura Gruben; Reading, Martha Hargrove; Science, The awards are given to Conrad Hamric; History,



TOP FIVE JR. HIGH AWARDS: Winning the annual Rotan Junior High awards are, left to right, Darrell Carter, English; Weldon Hayes, History; Martha Hargrove, Reading; Laura Gruben, Math; and Conrad Hamric, Science.

Hobbs Benny Medrano First At District

52.9.

3:06.5.

The Hobbs Junior High Pole Vault: Miker Porter, boys participated in the 8-B 2nd, 7-6; Doug Anderle, 3rd, District track meet held in 6-6; Larry Phillips, 4th, 6-6. Snyder on Friday, April 15. Hobbs placed 2nd out of Mike Porter, Benny Medraseven teams with a total of 91 no, Junior, Miranda, 3rd,

Boys placing in finals and their events and times are: 4th, 1:48.1. Shot Put: Rudy Garcia, 3rd, 38-7; Benny Medrano, 2nd, 44.3.

2nd, 38-5½. Discus: Benny Medrano, 2nd, 30.5. 1st, 104-11; Rudy Garcia,

6th, 84-5. High Jump: Jay Anderle, Miranda, Mike Porter, 3rd, 5th, 4-8.

Long Jump: Mike Porter, 5th, 15-8½.

School Menu

April 24-28, 1978 ROTAN

Monday: Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Green Peas, Whipped Potatoes, Green Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Cookies, Milk.

Tuesday. Pi Potato Salad, Buttered Corn. Apple Wedge, Cornbread, Butter, Frosted Cake, Milk.

Wednesday: Turkey & Dressing With Gravy, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Hot Rolls, Butter, Fruit Salad with Whipped Cream, Milk. Thursday: Burritos, But-

tered Corn, Lettuce & Tomato, Bread, Butter, Peanut Butter Cake, Milk.

Friday: Hot Dog with Chili, Cheese Wedge, Pork & Beans, French Fries with Catsup, Banana Pudding,

ROBY

Monday: Baked Weiners with Cheese, Buttered Corn, Salad, Fruit, Hot Rolls, Butter, Milk.

Tuesday: Sloppy Joe on Bun, Cream Poatoes, Chopped Lettuce, Orange Juice, Chocolate Chip Cookie, Milk. Wednesday: Pinto Beans,

Sliced Balogna, Tater Tots, Fruit, Cookie, Cornbread. Thursday: Fish Sticks, Cream Potatoes, Tomato

and Lettuce Salad, Banana Pudding, Milk, Bread. Friday: Hamburger, Potato Chips, Lettuce, Tomato,

Fruit, Brownie, Milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Gosling of Oklahoma City announce the birth of a son, born April 7. His name is Le Michael Gosling and he weighed 8 lbs. 11 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dwalyn Parker of Roby and Mr. and Mrs. F.E.

Golden Haven Home

Gosling of McLean, Virginia.

We are looking forward to having Sylvester Baptist Church bring our afternoon services this Sunday.

Our out of town guests this week included Mr. and Mrs. D. Stevens visiting with Dove Blevins.

Dana McReynolds visited with Glen Levens and Ina Hoodwin of Hamlin. Vera Mann also visited with her sister Dana.

Ronald and Marie Henry visited with Lois Henry.

John Brown had his great-granddaughter, Carol, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown of Rotan.

Judy Justiss of Sweetwater visited with her mother Letha Meek.

N.G. Jarnagin visited with Marvin Rotter of Hamlin. Maebell Ogden visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lon Weems. Mr. and Mrs. John

leach and Willis Ogden of Rotan also visited Maebell. Our bingo winners this week were Viola Barrington, Maebell Ogden, Dove Blevens, Ed Roberts, Octavaneous Harrell, Mary Hurst,

Nancy Clakr and Lena Early.

Everyone come to see us.

Hobbs Boys Finish Third At District

The Hobbs High School Snyder on Wednesday, April 2nd, 46.7. 12. Hobbs placed 3rd out of seven teams with a total of 89

400 Relay: Gary Allen,

600 Run: Junior Miranda,

300 Run: Benny Medrano,

200 Hurdles: Mike Porter,

1200 Relay: Benny Medra-

no, Jay Anderle, Junior

Other junior high boys

participating in the district

track meet were Todd

Etheredge, Danny Allen,

Ricky Gordon, Brent Barron,

Breck Weathers and Matt

Boys regional competition will be held in Levelland on April 28-29. First and second in each event qualifies for the regional event. Boys placing in the finals and their events and times are:

Shot: Don Denman, 1st,

Discus: Don Denman, 1st, Pole Vault: Mark Anderle, 3:58.0.

4th, 8-6.

le, 5th, 2:17.5.

son. 1st. 16.2.

6th, 49.08 200 Run: Frank Miranda.

Mile Run: Walter Cave, 2nd, 5:02.0.

160 Relay: Jeff Anderle, Mark Anderle, Frank Miranda, Johnny Medrano, 4th,

400 Relay: Wade Pierson, boys particiapted in the 8-B Randy Etheredge, Mark District track meet held in Anderle, Frank Miranda,

800 Run: Johnny Medrano, 2nd, 2:12.6; Jeff Ander-

110 hurdles: Wade Pier-300 Hurdles: Jeff Anderle,

4th, 24.7.

You are invited to a Home Interior Showing honoring

Karen Dooley, Friday, April 21, 2:00 to 7:00 p.m. at the

INVITATION

Rotan Community Center, given by

Roby Junior High Girls Win First Place At District Meet The Roby Jr. High girls

scored a total of 196 points to take first place in the District 8-B track meet.

The Roby girls won first in the 400 meter relay in 55.6. Team members were Paul Terry, Diedra Faught, Tisa Lovett and Mary Nell Clayton. The 800 meter relay team composed of Paula Terry, Tisa Lovett, Kristi West and Mary Nell Clayton took first place in a time of 1:59.7. The 1200 meter relay team composed of Paula Terry, Lisa Hoodenpyle, Diedra Faught and Mary

Twyla McCright took first in the 1200 metere run in a time of 4:48.7. Diedra Faught took first in the 300

Nell Clayton won first with a

time of 3:12.7.

meter dash in 46.8 and first 2:07.4. in high jump with 4 ft. 8 inches. Mary Nell Clayton 1st, 46.8; Lisa Hoodenpyle, won first in the long jump with a 15 ft. 8 inch jump and first in the triple jump with a 33-3½ jump.

District 8-B Results 440 Relay: Paula Terry. Diedra Faught, Mary Nell Clayton, Tisa Lovett, 1st,

880 Relay: Paul terry, Mary Nell Clayton, Tisa Lovett, Dristi West, 1st,

Mary Nell Clayton, Lisa Hoodenpyle, Diedra Faught, 1st, 3:12.7. 1200 Run: Twyla McCright 1st, 4:48.7; Lucy Gonzales,

1200 Relay:Paula Terry,

600 Run: Kristi West, 2nd,

defeated Loraine (Moreno-

Porter and Tammy Gober

defeated Ira (Maupin-House)

6-3, 6-4; Tonya Porter and

Tammy Gober defeated by

Loraine (Smith-Sheffield) 7-5

Tonya Porter and Tammy

Gober finished second in

District 8-B and will advance

to the regional tournament in

Levelland. The girls tourna-

and 6-2.



1200 METER RELAY TEAM: Winning first at district were, left to right, Mary Nell Clayton, Diedra Faught, Lisa Hoodenpyle and Paula Terry.

Porter, Gober Make **Hobbs Tennis Regional**

The Hobbs High School boys and girls participated in Moreno) 6-3, 6-4; Tonya District 8-B tennis tournament in Snyder on Tuesday, April 11, and Thursday, April 13.

Boys and girls playing and scores are as follows:

Singles: Anitra Heyer defeated by Loraine, 6-0, 6-0; Judy Davis defeated by Loraine, 6-0,6-0; Don Denman defeated by Highland 3-6, 6-1, 6-0; Frank Miranda ment is April 20 and 21st. defeated by Highland, 6-4, 4-6, /-5.

Doubles: Mark and Jeff Anderle defeated by Hermleigh, 6-3, 4-6, 6-4; Tonya Porter and Tammy Gober

Cottonwood Cemetery Meeting Apr. 20

The Cottonwood Cemetery working committee will meet Thursday, April 20 as early as possible.

Those attending are asked to bring tools and a lunch.

400 METER WINNERS: Winning first at district for Roby in the 440, left to right, Tisa Lovett, Diedra Faught, Paula

Terry and Mary Nell Clayton.

ROBY JUNIOR HIGH: The Roby junior high track team

won first in district with a total of 196 points.

300 Dash: Diedra Faught,

5th, 51.4,

200 Dash: Brenda Parker.

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4th, 50.4; Tana Mauldin, 3rd, 30.5; Tana Mauldin, 5th, 30.8.

100 Dash: Lucy Gonzales, 2nd, 13.0; Brenda Parker, 4th. 13.35: Tisa Lovett. 5th.

80 Hurdles: Kristi West, 2nd, 14.2; Lisa Hoodenpyle, 3rd, 14.7; Tana Mauldin,

4th, 14.8. Discus: Tana Mauldin, 3rd, 67-111/4.

Triple Jump: Mary Nell Clayton, 1st, 33-21/2; Diedra Faught, 2nd, 31-5; Paula

Terry, 4th, 27-111/2. Long Jump: Mary Nell Clayton, 1st, 15-8; Tisa Lovett, 5th, 13-11/2; Paula

Terry, 6th, 12-71/2. High Jump: Diedra Faught, 1st, 4-8; Jana Jennings,







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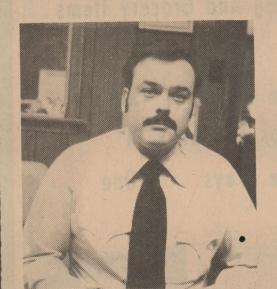
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FISHER COUNTY JUDGE

Subject To Action of Democratic Primary Po. Pol. Ad by Marshal Bennett, 117 N. Cleveland, Rotan, Texas

Coach' Coach Bagwell Comment

On Saturday, April 15, ter and Lubbock High which Timmy Morton and Al very pleased with the boys Gonzales traveled to Lamesa and they gained a lot of riland participated in an AAA respect from their big milexcellent job as the placed in through. every event in which they Holwere entered. Al Gonzales was 3rd in the 100 meter could have done even better. sludash with a time of 11.1 and They were tired from a very 4th in the 200 meter dash demanding schedule and had lie with a 23.0. Brad Stuart was competed in two meets see 2nd in the 300 meter hurdles already in 5 days and this si with 40.7 and the four boys was their 3rd meet in 8 days. ran the 1600 meter relay in I believe that a good track

Lubbock Estacato, Sweetwa- regional.

Brad Stuart, Britt Stuart, is an AAAA school. We were meet. The boys did an brothers before they were

really fine job, I believe they 3:40.5 and were 5th in the meet is worth a week's practice and hope that the The other teams entered conditioning the boys have were Lamesa, Lakeview, received will pay off at

OUR FRIEND

By Billie Gee

"A friend in need, is a friend indeed" We've heard this from way back when, And still antoher familiar phrase Is that "A dog is man's best friend."

Those phrases are beautiful and pretty, You can say them again and again, But no mateer how often you say them They don't describe OUR BEST FRIEND!

This lady is really something else, She's been a good mother and wife. She's taken the bad, along with the good, And has had a wonderful life.

Do you have a friend like ours? Who's so nice in every way. If you do, you are very lucky, Is all that I can say.

She listens to all of your troubles, And helps you over the humps. Just being with her a little while Will get you out of the dumps.

Do you have a friend that is so kind? She can dry up all your tears. Our friend turns sadness to gladness, And makes you forget your fears.

You are always welcome to our friend's house, Hospitality is her style. Just grab yourself a chair and set And gab a little while

Do you have a friend that's witty? Her life is never dull. She's always funny and laughing And can shoot you a line of bull.

A friend that's young, in spite of her years, One you can tell your troubles to, Yet she never gives you any advice Unless you ask her to.

Do you have a friend like ours, That has raised nine kids to be grown? Then has taken time on the Martin bunch And loved them as her own.

Our friend is YOU, MA AARON, In case you haven't figured it out. The dearest and sweetest lady, Its you we are talking about!

So now you've got a bunch more kids, And for you we do feel pity. Just look what you got yourself into By being friends with Kitty.

But, Ma, the Lord took our dear Mother A long, long time ago. I'm sure she did not want to leave, Because she loved us so.

So, Ma, we really need you. A friend and Mother you can be, A stand-in for our Mother, I'm sure she would agree.

So you see we are very lucky To know a lady liek you All kids are blessed with having one Ma But we're thankful that we have TWO.

A loving tribute to Mrs. Frank Aaron of Buffalo Gap from Kitty Cole, her sisters and brothers. Mrs. Aaron is a former resident of Hobbs community. Paid



County 4-H Students Advance To District

The Fisher Cunty 4-H Method Demonstration Contests were held Monday. April 17, at the Rotan Community Center. Over 100 4-H members and adults attended the county contest. The contests are held to give 4-Hers more confidence in themselves and improving their public speaking skills while learning adidtional Although the boys did a information about their pro-

Thirty 4-Hers from throughout Fisher County competed in 13 different categories. Mr. Tom Harkey and Mr. C.D. Herron from Rotan served as judges for the contest. The first place winning demonstrations will represent Fisher County at the District III Contest to be held in Wichita Falls.

The results of the contest are as follows:

Juniors: Clothing Education Activity: Michelle Burk, blue; Deena Williamson,

Electric: Nyle Field, 1st, blue; Jerilyn Marshall, 2nd, blue; Jody Lawlis, 2nd, blue;



Deanne Harbin and Elisa



Jill Posey and Joyce Harkey Jim Baum Will Make Visit In Rotan Friday

Jim Baum of Big Spring, candidate for election to Congress from the 17th District of Texas, will be in Rotan Friday afternoon, April 21. He will arrive at the Newspaper Office between 2:00 and 2:30 p.m.. From the Newspaper Office he will visit local businesses to contact as many voters as possible. Local supporters will accompany Baum on his

tour of businesses. At 4:00 p.m., Baum will meet with interested voters at the Rotan Gin.

The Hobbs Home Demonstration Club members met April 13 in the home of Mrs. James Lay with eight members present. Recreation was led by Mrs. Phillips with a question and answer game. Roll call was answered by each one present with "The healthiest thing about Shauna Bell, 3rd, blue; Rita Wilkerson, 3rd, blue.

Family Life Educational Activity: Stephanie Reed, blue; Julie Farmer, blue; Jill McKinney, blue.

Farm and Ranch Management: Ricky Spencer, blue; Wenzel Hardwick, blue.

Horticulture Preparation



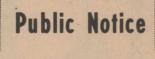
Gary Don Harkey and Robert



Julie Posey and Patricia



Deena Williamson and Michelle Burk



The City of Rotan will accept sealed bids from prospective buyers for two City lots--size 100 feet x 140 feet deep. Location 803 E. McArthur Street. Legal description: Lots 8 and 9, Block 233 Inside Addition. Minimum acceptable bid: \$10.00 per front foot. Bid Opening May 9, 1978, at the regular Council Meeting.

Lester A. Sescil Mayor, City of Rotan 10-2tc

PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Roby will receive bids for 25,000 square yards of Seal Coat, consisting of cleaning, patching and seal coating to specifications. Specifications available at City Hall, Roby.

Bids will be received at the City Hall, Box 147, Roby, Texas 79543, until 4:00 P.M. May 2, 1978. At which time bids will be opened and contract awarded.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids. City Manager,

Roby, Texas

10-2tc

Insurance

Deaton Insurance Agency

776-2228 Ed Deaton-Agent-Roby, Texas and Use: Deanne Harbin, blue; Elisa Carrillo, blue.

Poultry Demonstration: Joyce Lynn Harkey, blue; Jill Posey, blue. Safety: Todd Matthies,

blue; Charla Wiley, blue.

Grass Identification: Weldon Hayes, blue; John Pease, red; Wes Hardin, red.

Seniors: Cooperative: Patricia Posey, blue; Julie Posey, blue.



Jodie Lawlis and Jerilyn Marshall



Leslie Carey



bert Posey, blue; Gary Don

Public Speaking: Leslie

Grass Identification: Keith

Copeland, blue; Mark Har-

ris, blue; Kip Pease, red;

Shannon Strickland, red.

Nyle Field

Harkey, blue.

Carey, blue.

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Snyder News

In Rotan



4-H WINNERS: Junior Family Life educational activity winners, left to right, Stephanie Reed, Julie Farmer and Jill



SHARE THE FUN WINNERS: Performing at the recent County 4-H Demonstration Contest was the above group involved in share the fun. Group members are Lisa Hoodenpyle, Darrel Doty, LaTricia Allen, Jana Jennings, Twyla McCright, Regina Stewart, Robert Allen, Melody Hataway, Paula Terry and Mary Nell Clayton.

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Standby letters credit outstanding (as of call date) 3. Time deposits or \$100,000 or more (as of call date): a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more b. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more Zanna Anderson, Cashier B. C. Drinkard G. L. Drinkard Sworn to and subscribed before me this MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL)

Hustlin' Round Hobbs By Mrs. Jimmy Walker

Hobbs, Texas 735-2840

Well, we are still waiting for that rain, and its sure getting dry. Hate those sandstorms, but we will sure get some of them if we soon don't get some moisture.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez and Jeffrey went to Snyder on Sunday and attended a music recital. Stephanie Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Warren, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez was in the recital. They really enjoyed the music.

Mrs. Opal Phillips went to Post for the weekend and visited Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips. She was accompanied

Sorry to hear that Bro. J.H. Skiles of Stamford is still very, very sick and we hope to hear that he will soon begin to

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid went to Andrews Wednesday and returned home Thursday. They went to visit Mr. and Mrs. Neal Hyer and family. They were accompanied by Mrs. Windle Kincaid from Rotan. Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid ate Sunday dinner last week with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Parks. Also there were Bro. and Mrs. Dutch Parks and family and Jeannie's mother, Mrs. Aldridge from Rotan.

Spending the day Sunday with Mrs. Bea Hardin were Mr. and Mrs. Kennith Hardin, Wes, and Mrs. Kimmia Johnson, all from Rotan. Also Joe Hardin and Marge Peters from Abilene spent the day. Sunday evening Mrs. Bea Hardin and Mr. and Mrs. Kennith Hardin and Kimmia went to Stamford and ate supper with Barbara's mother.

We were sorry to hear about James Ratliff's serious accident. He is now in the Fisher County Hospital and has FHA/HERO" is the theme several broken ribs, a punctured lung, a bruised heart and several other very painful injuries. It happened on Saturday around noon when the dozer he was driving slipped off a bluff out on their place northwest of town, and he was thrown from the dozer. Monday he was in lots of pain, but was a little improved. We surely hope that he will soon begin to feel lots better, and our prayers and thoughts are with him, Diane and the kids.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker and Melody went to Knox City on Friday and Melody rode in their rodeo. Then Saturday Mr. and Mrs. John Pearson. we attended the West Texas Barrel Racers approved barrel races at Sweetwater in the coliseum.

Walt Cave is back in the hospital at Snyder again, and we hope to hear that he will soon begin to feel lots better.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge attended the District Track meet last Wednesday at Snyder. All of the Hobbs High School track boys qualified for regional which will be at Levelland the 28th of this month. Tammy Gober and Tonya Porter qualified for tennis. Congratulations to all these boys and girls.

Mrs. Jerry Stephenson and girls from Abilene spent the weekend visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cave. We are always glad to see Janiece at church as she is always willing to sing for us, and she really sings beautifully. Corey and Tricia Cave, children of Mr. and Mrs. Windle Cave are spending a few days with their grandparetns, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cave, so they are having a busy time.

Sorry to hear that Bill Hardy is very sick in the hospital at Lubbock and we hope that he will soon begin to feel better. Our thoughts and prayers are with him and Diddle.

Mrs. James Ratliff and Teresa also attended the Knox City rodeo Friday night, and Teresa rode in the barrel race. This is all for this week. See you next Thursday.



GOLF CHAMPS AT ROBY: District golf winners after last Monday's tournament are, left to right, Ricky King, high point medalist, Timmy Morton, Jay Hilliard, Denny Cox, and

Two At Rotan To Make State FHA Convention

Rotan Future Homemakers of America Chapter will be attending the 1978 state meeting of the Texas Association of FHA, along with over 6,000 membes and advisors from across the

"The New Dimensions of of the 1978 meeting, which will be held at the Convention Center, Dallas, april

Attending from Rotan will be Lynda Cleveland, president-elect, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Cleveland, and Ramona Pearson, viceresident-elect, daughter of Both girls are junior students at Rotan High School and members of the local FHA

Lewis Timberland, bright and sparking member of Help Inspire Someone will challenge the delegates to grow and develop in leadership and "living" skills. Workshops on topics of concern to young people such as careers, assetiveness, communications, and issues such as abuse of children and the elderly will involve all members.

The business of the Texas Association will be conducted at the House of Delegates session Thursday evening, followed by a talent show featureing representatives

Representatives of the from Areas I-V. The them of the show is "Roots: Dimen-

> Future Homemakers who have achieved unusual accomplishments by completing all levels of Encounter, a special growth and development program, will be honored at the Friday morning session.

A state choir, composed of 130 Future Homemakers, will be featured. Clay Pope, music director of Nueces Canyon Schools, will direct the group.

Installation of the 1978-79 state officers will climax the Friday evening session. At this time, eleven officers elected through chapter participation throughout the state will be placed in office. A newly elected president will receive the gavel from Lee Stevenson, Grand Saline, Texas outgoing president.





SAVINGS ASSOCIATION

Condensed Statement Of Conditions At Close Of Business March 31, 1978

ASSETS:

Mortgage Loans Other Loans Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank Cash and Securities Office Buildings, Furniture & Equipment 1,919,193 Other Assets

TOTAL ASSETS

\$ 40,531,287 9,378,948 410,500 6,261,034 834,952

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LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH:

Savings Capital \$ 48,502,482 4,925,000 Advances from Federal Home Loan Bank 1,169,445 Loans in Process Advance Payments by Borrowers -Taxes and Insurance 250,503 Other Liabilities 144,931 Deferred Credits 1,480,938 Capital Stock and Surplus 669,796 Reserves and Undivided Profits 2,192,819

> 208 Elm, Sweetwater 236-6364 206 W. Snyder, Rotan 735 - 2273 Broadway and Main, Roscoe 766-3996 443 So. Central Ave., Hamlin 576-2631 2205 Hickory, Colorado City 728 - 2667

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET WORTH

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Roby Wins Golf District Meet King Medalist

Last Monday the Roby boys golf team won the 8B District golf championship on the 2nd hole of a sudden death playoff with Ira. The two teams were tied at the end of regulation play with each team having identical 402 team scores.

Ricky King of Roby was medalist scoring 80 with Denny Cox at 90, Jay Hilliard with 104, Timmy Morton 128, and Mark Pope 129. Only the four top scores count in the district team

The Roby and Ira teams advance to regional play on April 26 and 27 at Levelland.

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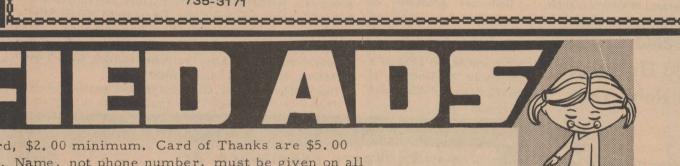
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Deb's Feathered Quill

Well, we had a regular old West Texas rain yesterday. We're going to be in for a lot of that.

Mrs. Lorene Wilburn is still in West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. Don Ballenger came home Friday from All Staints Hospital in Fort. Worth. He said he appreciated all the cards and flowers he received while in the hospital. Kenley Dennis was in Fisher County Hospital for a couple of days, but is out now and doing better. I hope all of these people and anyone else who is sick continues to improve.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Terry Breeden of Abilene on the birth of "James Michael Breeden" born Tuesday, April 12 and weighting 8 lbs. 2 ozs. The proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Allen Morton and Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Breeden of Westbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Oddis Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Brown and Jennifer of Tulia have just returned from a trip to San Antonio, Corpus Christi and Devine. They reported having a very enjoyable trip.

Our deepest sympathies go to the families of Ott Smaulley and Dee Sumerlin.

There are several girls going to Regional Track meet at

Cindy Springer, Ken **Holt Wedding Planned**

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Holt.

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Both are graduates of

Rotan High School and are

now attending Texas Tech

The couple has planned a

September 9th wedding at

the First United Methodist

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Cindy, to Ken Holt, son of Springer announce the engagement of their daughter,

Breakfast For Joe Hubenak In Roby Tues.

Fisher County friends of Joe Hubenak, candidate for Agriculture Commissioner, have scheduled a buffet style dutch treat fund raising breakfast for county residents on Tuesday, April 25.

The fund raising breakfast will be held at the Big Deal Restaurant in Roby, and is scheduled to begin at 8:00

Hubenak will fly-in to the Fisher County Airport on his way to a campaign engagement in Lubbock.

Levelland this weekend. They are Donna Hataway, 100 yd. dash; Deb. Stuart, mile run; Donna Hataway, Tina Hataway, Tammy Stuart, Lois Ann Cauble, 800 meter relay; Jill Wright, Linda Hoodenpyle, Jackie Shipp and Jan Wright, mile relay. Good luck to these participants.

The Roby One Act Play traveled to Lubbock last weekend to perform for area competition. Although the play did not qualify for regional, Donna Hataway was chosen for the All Star Cast and Grizzly Baker was chosen for Honorable

Happy Birthday wishes this week go to Ada Jo Brashears, Mrs. Tracy King, April 19; Damon Shipp, April 21; Laura Dickson, April 23; Kelly Don Fancher, Linda Hoodenpyle, April 24; Lena Hughey, April 25.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McKelvy of Houston on the birth of a little boy, Johnny Talmadge III, born Saturday, April 15, and weighing 8 lbs. 5 ozs. Grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. Roy Donham and Mr. and Mrs. John McKelvey of Houston. He has an older sister Amber Lynn, 3 years old.

Scott and Revis Bookout of Uvalde visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Keifer Cauble and Lois Ann over the weekend. They also visited Mrs. Neoma Cauble.

Jeanette Klepper, Bobby and Ricky of Midland visited over the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ballenger.

A hamburger supper was given for Jim Baum at the Roby Fire Hall. There were several people attending the campaign Mr. and Mrs. James Lay of Snyder, Mike Roberts of

Rotan, Mrs. Harold Neves of Lubbock, Mrs. Don Havens and Lolie of Houston visited with Mrs. Emma Lloyd Morris. Mrs. Neves also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Donham.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doty on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Prator of Hico, Mrs. Tory McMahon, Scarlet and Carol of Alton, Mo.

That's all for this week, God bless you, see you next week.

Continued From Page 1 brera and Hoss Carrillo will be the Yankee coaches.

There were 46 players that reported to the farm team tryouts last Monday afternoon. After the players were assigned to teams, the following players were placed on the Bears team: Jerry Streety. Rodney Green, Steve McClain, Ted Gunderson, Vicente Ortega, Michael Tomlinson, Steve hughes, Mitchell Whitefield, Matt Floyd, LaTonya Daniel, Sheri Evatt and Kimberly Warren.

The Eagles are: Glenn Overby, Todd Gruben, Donnie Gruben, Joe Almanza, Scott Toliver, George Patterson, Shane Teichelman, Nathaniel Wynn, Jeffrey Perales, Jerry Carter, Lonnie Foster and Rancy Randolph.

Those on the Cowboys are: Russell Elkins, Shelly Hayes, Mary Ann Sepeda, Dion Sepeda, Jason Terry, Reggie Spencer, Todd Matthies, Kevin Stuart, George Reyes, Shawn Donham, Ray Ramirez, Darrian Ragan, and Stephnie Stevenson.

The Hornets players are: Yolanda Acorn, David Stevens, Raford Hargrove, Bryan, Barnes, Steve Tamez, Kenneth McClain, Darry Thomson, Jeff Branson, Brian Sheehan, Steve Dickson, Preston Martin, and Mark Hargrove.

The first Farm Team regular game will be Tuesday, May 9.

Mary Ellen Cave

ROBY

Central Lumber

The Hobbs Junior High

girls participated in the 8-B

District Track Meet held in

Snyder on Friday, April 14.

The girls earned 35 points. Girls placing in the finals and their times and events

Mary Ellen Cave Wins

Hobbs Jr. High Events

Shot Put: Mary Ellen Cave, 6th, 23-0.

440 Relay: Mary Ellen Cave, Lynn Heyer, Sylvia Alaniz, Billie Martin, 2nd,

600 Run: Mary Ellen Cave, 1st, 1:57.4. 300 Run: Lynn Heyer,

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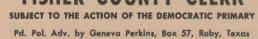
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THE PRESENT

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relief for homeowners and family farmers and repeal of the sales tax on utilities.

Signed into law a requirement that all beef and dairy products purchased by state-supported agencies be produced in the U.S., and has urged President Carter to require federal agencies to do the same.

Has urged President and Congress to require imported agricultural products to meet the same inspection standards as domestically-produced goods and favors the Beef Import and Labeling Act of 1978 requiring imported beef to carry an identification label to the ultimate consumer.

Backs the Flexible Parity Act of 1978 which would establish new target prices for wheat, upland cotton and feed grain.

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Rotan Students Set For Jr. High UIL

The names of the Rotan Junior High students that will participate in the UIL literary events in Asperment next week were released by M.T. Hill, Junior High principal, early this week.

In the spelling and plain writing category the following students from grades 5 and 6 will be entered in compeition: Vance Thompson, Robin Harris, Greg Gruben, Dana Nowlin. In grades 7 and 8 those entered are: Vriginia Almanza, Laura Gruben, Conrad Hamric and Jerilyn Marshall.

In oral reading from grades 5 and 6 Robin Harris, Maury Gruben, Meg Field with Desiree Gray as alternate will participate. In the 7-8 grades, Kip Pease, Mark Harris and John Underhill are entered in oral reading, Jerilyn Marshall is the alternate.

Laura Gruben, Conrad

Hamric and Pam Weathersbee made the ready writing competition from grades 7 and 8. Jana Smith is the

Laura Gruben, Debbie Mann and Darrell Carter are entered in the number sense division; Kevin Copeland is

Those entered in story telling from the elemntary school are Cindy Gaspar, Raford Hargrove, Kelley Thompson with Beth Donham as alternate.

The picture memory team is made up of students from the 4th and 5th grades. Fifth graders are: Desiree Gray, Tony Gruben, Meg Field and Andrea Callan. Ward Hayes is the lone 4th grader on the team. Fourth grader Reggie Stinson was selected an an

Christy Stuart, Clyde Pursley Wedding Set

Stuart of Roby announce the at Diane's Beauty Shop in engagement of their daughter, Christy Ellice, to Clyde L. Pursley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pursley of Sylvester.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Roby High Real Estate in Abilene. School and has completed a cosmetology course at Western Texas College at Baptist Church of Roby.

Hospital News

Patients admitted to Fisher County Hospital week of April 11-18, 1978.

Larry Booth, Patricia Tankersley, Tankersley baby boy, Martina Rocha, John Cross, Eugene Sharp, Arlene Woodard, James Ratliff, Pearl Harrison, Wendell Morrow, James Murff, Rotan; Henry Gruben, Lois Henry, Ruby Kolb, Roby; Lelon Smith, Aspermont; Anton Milkintas, Snyder.



Mr. and Mrs. Danny Helms of Rotan are parents of a daughter, Kendra Jenea, weighing 7 lbs. 11 ozs., born at 4:50 a.m. April 1st, at the Malone-Hogan Hospital in Big Spring. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stuard of Synder and Mr. and Mrs. Dell Helms of Rotan.

The ready writing events will be held on April 25 with the remaining events set for April 26th in Aspermont.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Snyder. She is now employed

The prospective bridegroom is also a graduate of Roby High School and Texas A&M University. He is employed with Rob Ramby

The couple plan to be married June 17 at the First

Roby Golden **Gloves Tourney Begins Friday**

Roby Golden Gloves will host a boxing tournament at the Roby gym April 21 and 2nd. Starting times will be Friday at 7:00 p.m.; Saturday, 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Tickets are \$2.50 for adults. \$1.75 for students. and will be available at the

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Funeral Services

A. Sumerlin

A. Dee Sumerlin, 85, of Rotan died at 7:30 a.m. Saturday, April 15, at Fisher County Hospital after a short illness. Services were held at 4 p.m. Sunday in First Baptist Church in Roby.

The Rev. Allan Cartrite, pastor of North Park Baptist Church in Abilene, officiated. Burial was in Roby Cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Born July 17, 1892, in La Vaca County, he moved to

Fisher County in 1900. He married Essie Mae Weems April 12, 1912, in Rotan. She died March 24, 1970. He was a farmer and a member of First Baptist Church in Roby.

Survivors include a son, Macon of Abilene; two daughters, Mrs. Dwight Lovett of Rotan and Mrs. Noel Petre of Abilene; two brothers, C.E. of Amarillo and E.E. of Roby; a sister, Mrs. B.D. Smith of Hermleigh; seven grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Jennifer Vahlenkamp

Jennifer Robin Vahlenkamp, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Vahlenkamp of Roby, died at 1:00 a.m. Saturday, April 15, in Texas Tech University Health Science Center in Lubbock. Services were held at 4 p.m. Sunday in Weathersbee Chapel in Ro-

The Rev. Tim Baldinger, pastor of Faith Lutheran Church in Abilene, officiated. Burial was in Longworth

Cemetery.

Survivors include her parents; a brother, Robert Eugene of the home; maternal grandmother, Dixie Flannery of Cleburn; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Vahlenkap of Old Glory; maternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Lytle of Abilene; maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Louis Boyd of Snyder; and paternal great-grandmother, Vela Meier of Stamford.

Church of Rotan, officiated.

Burial was in Roby Ceme-

Born Sept. 3, 1881, in

Delta County, he moved to

Fisher County in 1898. He

married Ida May Henson

April 12, 1906, in Roby. She

died May 12, 1973. He was a

retired farmer. He was a

member of Woodmen of the

Survivors include three

sons, C.A. of Big Spring,

J.P. of Spokane, Wash., and

great-grandchildren.

by two sons.

Ottis Smaulley

Ottis M. Smauley, 96, of Roby died at 3:15 a.m. Saturday, April 15, in Golden Haven Nursing Home in Roby after a long illness. Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in Weathersbee Chapel in Rotan.

The Rev. David Bugg, pastor of First Baptist

Hayes, Terry Win At Area

Judy Hayes and Jo Ann Terry of Roby were winners at the annual Creative Art Club Exhibit in Sweetwater

Judy Hayes won 2nd with ner landscape painting in oils

entitled "April Majesty" Jo Ann Terry won 3rd with her landscape in oils entitled

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Walter Walls 50th **Anniversary April 29**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wall will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception in the inside Garden Room of the First Baptist Church, Snyder, on Saturday, April 29, from 4 until 7 p.m. Relatives and friends are invited to share

Palette And **Brush Club Plan Art Show**

The Palette and Brush Club met April 17 in the Midwest Electric Reddy Room to plan the annual art show. Members present were Jonnie Hoodenpyle, Doshia Cave, Connie Tutt, Eltha Ragan, Judy Hayes and JoAnn Terry.

The Art Show is scheduled to be held Sunday, April 30, in the Fisher County Courthouse from 2 to 4 p.m. Refreshments will be served and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Members of the Art Club are asked to take the paintings they want to exhibit to the Courthouse on Saturday, April 29, at 3 p.m., to prepare for the showing.

O.J. of Seminole; two Officers were elected at daughters, Laura Mae Willithe last meeting in February ams of Hermleigh and Lota for 1978. They are: Presi-Bell Gent of Sweetwater; a dent. Jo Ann Terry; Vice brotehr, Ruel of Sweetwater; 13 grandchildren; and 18 President, Jonnie Hoodenpyle; Secretary-Treasurer, Judy Hayes; Reporter, Glen-He was preceded in death na Gene Moore.

this occasion with them and are asked to please omit

Hosting the event will be their two daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hudnall, Suzanne and Tim of Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rhodes, Janna and Jeana of Duncanville.

The couple was married May 2, 1928 at Camp Springs, Texas. They have farmed in Scurry County all their married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Wall reside at 3600 Hill Avenue, Snyder and they are members of the First Baptist Church there.

Correction

There were some names eliminated from the list of winners at the district Firemen's Convention article in last week's paper and one ladies team member was

The correct list of winners in the pumper race include: Jerry Boone, Perry Thomson, Red Bennett, Buster Wright, James Mann and Jerry Stevenson. That same group also won the 6-man hookup event.

Winning second place at the district convention in the ladies division were Aurora Nowlin and Pat Boone in the two person race.

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HORSE JUDGING FIRST: Winning first place at the 4-H Districk meet in Roby recently in Junior Horse Judging are, left to right, Todd Etheredge, Tisa Lovett, Alan Kiker and not pictured Tabb Hines.



WINNERS: The 4-H Junior Livestock Judging Team won first place recently at the district meet. Left to right, Darren Jeffrey, Jennifer Wright, Ricky Spencer and Darren Stephens.



SENIOR TEAM WINS: A first place finish was awarded the Fisher County 4-H Senior Livestock Judging Team at district recently, left to right, Britt Stuart, Brad Stuart, Britt Jeffrey and James Jeffrey.



4-H HORSE JUDGING: Placing 3rd at the district Senior Horse Judging Contest were, left to right, Endgate Adkins, Damon Shipp, Linda Henderson, and Mike Morrow.

Low Income, Elderly Can Get Assistance

People for Progress, Inc., of emergency energy assist-Sweetwater will be in Roby ance program must bring on Wednesday, April 25, and with them a receipt from one Thursday, April 26, at the monthly gas and electric bill Fisher County Courthouse, from last winter, proof of North Annex, in the social worker's office to accept applications for the home weatherization program and the emergency energy assistance program.

There have been two grants awarded to People for Progress to assist lowincome and elderly persons with repair of their homes to provide better insulation and retain heat during the winter months and another to assist with outstanding fuel bills, food bills, medical bills, and clothing and bedding needs.

Applicants for the weatherization program must bring with them a copy of the deed of their home, proof of monthly income and their social security card. All applicants applying for weatherization of their homes, must own their own home.

Persons applying for the

medical or other bills. from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. on April 25 and 26.

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Leisure Lodge Report

We welcome Dr. Dwight Mr. and Mrs. Doug Simmons Hope he will be very happy over the weekend also. with us. So happy to have him with us.

out of town guests the past Trimble.

McAlester, Okla., visted the weekend. Tom Simmones several days.

Carmen to Leisure Lodge. and fmaily of Abilene visited

Empress Adams of Kermit and Mr. and Mrs. Paul We have enjoyed several Foreman of Roby visited Will

Mrs. Melva Youngblood of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Amarillo and Mrs. Nell Simmons Jr., their daughter Crawford of San Angelo Mrs. Linda Turner of visited Lois Deel over the

morning service and again at

7:00 p.m. for the evening

He is replacing Rev. David Bugg, pastor, who is current-

Dr. Guy D. Newman, a

native Texan, is in his fifth

vear as Chancellor of

Howard Payne University,

founded in 1889, having

served as President for 18

He holds three earned

degrees: the Bachelor of

Science from Baylor Univer-

sity, the Master of Theology

and the Doctor of Historical

Theology Degree from Sou-

thwestern Baptist Theologi-

cal Seminary, Fort Worth.

He also holds an honorary

Doctor of Divinity degree

which he received from

Dr. Newman has traveled

in Western Europe, the

British Isles, Eastern Eur-

ope, behind the Iron Curtain,

the Middle East, Japan,

Southeast Asia, and the Far

East, as well as extensively in the United States.

Roby Flea

Market Set

For Saturday

The monthly Roby Flea

Market will be held Satur-

day, April 22. The event is

sponsored by the Roby Lions

anyone wishing to partici-

pate. The Flea Market is

held at the intersection of

Free space is available to

Howard Payne in 1955.

ly involved in a revival.

Rotan First Baptist To Have Guest Sunday

service.

Dr. Guy D. Newman, in Sunday at the First Baptist his fifth year as Chancellor of Church in Rotan. He will Howard Payne University, speak at 10:55 at the will be the guest speaker this

McCaulley ISD **Board Extends Two Contracts**

The McCaulley I.S.D. Board of Trustees met in regular session on April 12. The results of the April board election were canvassed and winners declared. The newly elected members are Randy Kelly, David Estes and Gene Tabb. Other board members are Marion Reed, Jerry Jeffrey, Juluis Decker and Cecil Williams.

New officers were elected for the board, they are: Cecil. Williams, president; Randy Kelly, vice president; and Marion Reed, secretary.

In other action the board extended a three year contract to Edd R. Farmer, Superintendent and a two year contract to Doyle Bell, principal.

Roby Garden **Club Meeting**

The Roby Garden Club met Thursday, April 13, at 9:30 a.m. at the Midwest Electric Coop. Hostesses were Mrs. Max Carriker and Mrs. Jess Goforth.

Coffee was served to each one on their arrival.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Edd Carter. After a short business session the program was turned over to Mrs. H.L. Bosse of Stamford who conducted a workshop on flower arranging. The program was quite interest-

Members present were Mmes. Edd Carter, Richard Ray, William Hughey, L.L. Stuart, Harvey Hood, William McCright, Earl Kiker. Coy Carriker, Forrest Tefteller, Roland Ray, Sr., W.W. Morton, and hostesses Mrs. Goforth and Mrs. Max Carriker.

Refreshments were served from an appointed table that was covered with an attractive table cloth.

Roby Garden Club Plans Flower Show

The Roby Garden Club will present its 19th annual Flower Show on Thursday, April 27, at the Midwest Electric Coop, from 3 to 6

Mrs. Belle Williams and Mrs. Warren of Abilene visited the Ben Williamses

Sunday.

Miss Luna Kolb of Sweetwater visited Emily Garrett and Mary Lee Barker on Sunday. John White of Sweetwater

visited Nancy White. Miss Ruby Gilbert of Clairmont visited Mrs. Charles Davis.

We want to express our thanks to the ones who bring Sunday School. Also a thank you to Oleda Merrick who is so faithful to come, play and sing for us.

Guess this is all the news for this week. Everyone come see us. See you next

Mrs. Jane Dever and Mrs. Ruby Hall of Snyder visited the G.A. Hudnalls on

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Roby Boys Win Dist. Stacked For Regional

The Roby boys track team, meet, their times and events having never finished lower than 4th in a season meet, won the team trophy at the district track meet last week by outscoring second place 46.0. Loraine 149½ to 111.

In addition to winning the meet, Roby qualified 6 boys for the regional meet and had the district meet "high point individual" in Brad Stuart. This is the fourth straight year Stuart has captured the high point honor. Ricky King and Al Gonzales pushed team mate Stuart this year with 31 and 25 points respectively.

The regional qualifiers, as a result of high finishes at district meet include: Brad Stuart, 330 hurdles, 800 meter run, pole vault and mile relay; Ricky king, broad jump, high jump, 400 meter relay and mile relay; Al Gonzales 100 yard dash, 200 meter dash, 400 meter relay; Britt Stuart, 400 metere relay and mile relay; Johnny Rivas, 400 meter relay and Timmy Morton on the mile relay team.

Roby's regional qualifiers will participate in a Rising Star regional qualifiers meet 5-4. on Friday beginning at 12:00, according to Coach

participants at the district

is as follows:

400 Meter Relay, Britt Stuart, Ricky, King, Johnny Rivas, Al Gonzales, 1st,

800 Run: Brad Stuart, 1st, 2:08.0: Mike McGinnis, 4th,

110 meter Hurdles: Ricky King, 4th, 17.2; Mark Pope,

100 Yard Dash: Al Gonzales, 1st, 10.3; Britt Stuart, 3rd, 11.1.

400 Meter Dash: Timmy Morton, 4th, 56.3.

300 I.Hurdles: Brad Stuart, 1st, 40.7; Johnny Rivas, 3rd, 42.07; Greg Jennings, 4th, 47.3.

200 Meter Dash: 1st, Al Gonzales, 23.0. Mile Run: Kenny Martin,

6th, 5:20.1. 1600 Meter Relay: 2nd,

3:39.7, Ricky King 56.2, Britt Stuart 55.5, Timmy Morton 56.2, Brad Stuart 51.8. Broad Jump: Ricky King,

Pole Vault: Brad Stuart, 1st, 10-9; Mark Pope, 3rd, 9 ft.: Britt Stuart, 6th, 8 ft. High Jump: Ricky King,

2nd, 5-6; Mark Pope, 4th tie, Discus: Brad Wilburn,

Shot Put: Danny Baker, The complete list of 4th, 37-9; Brad Wilburn, 5th



DISTRICT CHAMPS: Roby won the district meet by outscoring Loraine last week. Team members are, left to right, front, Damon Shipp, Carlos Rivas, Gary Huffman and Danny Baker. Second row, Shelby Thompson, Brad Stuart, Johnny Rivas, and Britt Stuart. Back row, Timmy Morton, Brad Wilburn, Al Gonzales and Ricky King.



ROBY TRACK REGIONAL QUALIFIERS: The above six Roby track members will be participating in the regional competition. Left to right; Timmy Morton, Brad Stuart, Johnny Rivas, Britt Stuart, Ricky King and Al Gonzales.

Lt. Gary Powell At **Army Infantry Basic**

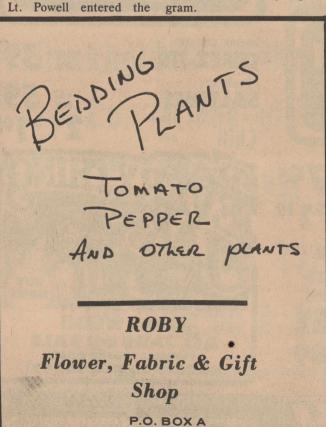
son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene received a B.S. degree in Powell Jr. of Rotan, recently completed an infantry officer University, Abilene where he basic course at the U.S. also received his commission Army Infantry School in Ft. through the Reserves Offi-

ROBY

Second Lt. Gary C. Powell, Army in October 1977. He 1977 from Hardin-Simmons cers Training Corps pro-

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Roby Elementary Top At UIL Literary Meet

Elementary teams displayed heir winning talents by doubling in points the second place team Ira at the UIL Literary meet. The Roby boys and girls had a total of 110 points.

point individual with her first place in ready writing and a second place in spelling for a

Rotan FFA Team Places High At Levelland

The Rotan FFA Livestock Team travelled to Levelland Saturday to participate in the South Plains College judging contest. The team consisting of David Posey, Mike

Morrow and Gary Don Harkey, placed second overall in a field of 42 teams with a score 1212 out of a possible 1350 points. Mike Morrow was high

point individual of the contest with a score of 421 out of a possible 440. Gary Don Harkey was fourth high individual with a score of

The team will travel to Lubbock Saturday to participate in the Texas Tech judging contest.

Fisher County Nursing Home

We will be having the Primitive Baptist Church bring our afternoon services. We really appreciate you all

We had our monthly birthday party. We want to thank the ladies of the First Baptist Church for this. Those honored were Pearl Adams, John Cox, Nora Millwee, Mattie Rister, Eria

Our out of town visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stephens and daughter visiting Eva Stephens.

Mattie Drennan of Welch visited with Addie Scott.

Vivie Barnes was visited by Jannie and Cecil Barns of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Smith and daugher, Lunette Goforth and Frances Morgan all of Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Teague of Harmony visited with Alva Teague.

John Cox celebrated his 78th birthday by going home Sunday and visiting with Loel Forrest of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wills of Gail, Mr. and Mrs. Joe York of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Templin of Alpine and Bruce Cox and family. We know he had a lovely time.

Bingo winners this week were Sadie Cross, Grace Edwards, Alice Sutton, Rector Brown, Florence Hale and Lulline Blount.

Come to see us.

On April 5 and 7 the Roby total of 25 points. Fifteen point winners were LaTricia Allen with her first in story telling, Dannette Ray with her first in ready writing, and Mary Lou Carreon with her first in spelling.

Second place winners with Kelley West was high ten points were Michelle Burk in story telling and Christy Milstead in spelling. The picture memory team of Stacy Toole, Jennifer Wright Shannon Wilburn and Tammay Mauldin won third place for a team total of five points. Jennifer Wright was the only member of the team to record a perfect paper.

Other third place winners with five points each were Noel Field in ready writing. Tisa Lovett in oral reading, and Deena Williamson in

Cynthia Waddell To **Wed Robert Sommers**

Franklin D. Waddell announthe Chapel onthe Campus of ce the engagement of their A&M University. Mr. Somdaughter, Cynthia Lu, to mers is a senior at A&M. Robert Mark Sommers. A

Lt. Col. (Ret.) and Mrs. May 7 wedding in planned at

Roby Elementary Class Produces Safety Film

Brenda Boone's class at Roby Elementary School have produced their own colorful filmstrip on traffic safety with materials provided free of charge by the Texas Office of Traffic

In "The Safest Show on Earth" class members create their own illustrations for a full color, sound filmstrip exploring key aspects of passenger, bicycle and pedestrian safety.

The Texas Office of Traffic Safety makes available to the school all necessary materia als without cost for "The Safest Show on Earth". After the students finish their illustrations, the drawings are processed into a

Eager Beaver 4-H Club **Holds Meeting**

The Eager Beaver 4-H Club had a meeting April 17, at the Community Center at 4 p.m. Mrs. Rheta Thomson, presented a program on hair care and care of nails.

Members present were Sonia Carrillo, Meg Field, Andrea Callan, Stephnie Stevenson, Kristi Counts, Terri Whitefield, Annette Overby and Kimberly War-

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The next meeting will be Monday, May 1.

Fourth grade students in filmstrip by media Intensive Learning Corporation, designers of the program.

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Mrs. Boone's class invites parents and friends to come at 1:20 p.m. Friday, April 21, to view their film. Refreshments will be served.

Cong. Burleson **Announces REA** Area Loan OK

Congressman Omar Burleson announces the approval of a \$1,240,000 Rural Electrification Administration loan to the Taylor Electric Cooperative, Incorporated with headquarters in Merkel. The counties served are Taylor, Callahan, Eastland, Fisher, Jones, Nolan, Shackelford, Coke, and Run-

The loan will be used finance service for 1,386 additional consumers; finance 113 miles of distribution line; and finance system improvements.

Rotan Junior High Girls Place 4th

The Rotan Junior High girls captured 25 points and 4th place last week at the annual district track meet in

Beverly McKinney finished second in the 880 run with a time of 2:50.6 to top all Rotan Junior High

Debbie Mann won a third place in the 80 yard hurdle event with her time of 13.6

and Nina Carrillo was 5th in the discus competition with 62 feet 6-34 inches. Elisa Carillo finished in 6th place in the 880 run with a time of

The mile relay team took 4th in the district meet with a time of 4:54.2. Mile relay members are Beverly Mc-Kinney, Kellie Pease, Rocky Garza and Laura Gruben.

Darla Crow, Randall **Lawlis Exchange Vows**

Darla Crow and Randall Lawlis were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony Saturday, March 25, in the home of the

bridegroom's parents. Rev. Luther Baker, pastor of the United Methodist Church of Roby officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Crow of Hamlin. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. John L. Lawlis of Roby. The bride was given in

marriage by her father. Linda Lawlis, sister of the bridegroom, was candle lighter and presented the

Forming the background for the ceremony were white candles, and a sunburst bouquet of multi-colored daisies, with baskets of white lilies on each side.

Mike Porter 2nd At Jayton In Pole Vault

The Hobbs Junior High boys participated in the Jayton Junior High track meet on Thursday, April 6.

Those boys who qualified for the finals in their events and times were:

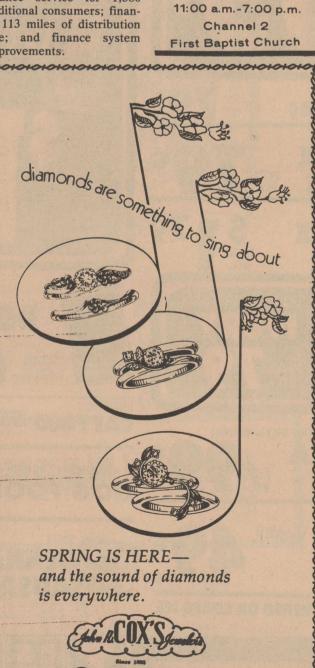
Pole Vault: Mike Porter, 2nd, 7-6; Doug Anderle, 5th. Shot: Rudy Garcia, 6th. 220 H.H.: Mike Porter,

440 Relay; Mike Porter, Gary Allen, Junior Miranda, Benny Medrano, 6th, 54.9. 660 Dash: Junior Miranda,

2nd, 1:47.8. 330 Dash: Benny Medrano 3rd, 44.3; Doug Anderle,

1320 Relay: Jay Anderle, Mike Porter, Junior Miranda and Benny Medrano, 4th,

JOIN OUR SERVICES Sunday 11:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.



SWEETWATER



DARTS FOR FINISH LINE: Beverly McKinney, Rotan Junior High track member, dashes for the finish line in the 880 run at the district meet in Jayton last week. She was the high individual from Rotan with her 2nd place finish.





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gifts, please.



SECOND HIGH: Gary Don Harkey, at the recent Sweetwater judging contest was 2nd high individual in the livestock judging contest.



HIGH POINT MAN: Mike Morrow, Rotan FFA, was high point individual at the judging contest last Saturday at South Plains College in Levelland.

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POLITICAL CALENDAR

The Rotan Advance-Roby Star Record is authorized to announce the following can didates subject to the Democratic primary on Ma

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District Clerk Eula Mae Hull

Justice of Peace, Prec. 1 **Aubrey Chandler Jeff Simmons**

Commissioner, Prec. 2 Earl J. Kiker Billy Henderson

Fisher County Judge Dwight Lovett Marshal Bennett

Justice of Peace, Prec. 3 **Ernest Roberts**

Donald Grubens Betty Kersh, Kerry Bredemeyer Vows Read the 440 dash with a time of 651 and Ramona Pearson

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Kersh and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bredemeyer announce the marriage of their children, Betty Jean and Kerry Wayne, on April 14. marriage by. Rev. John

bride's parents. They were attended by Kathy Hull and Perry Thomson.

After a brief wedding trip the couple will make their home in Rotan. They are seniors in Rotan High School. She is employed by Hatahoe and he is employed by Landes Furniture Store.

ROTAN GIRLS TRACK Continued From Page 1

65.1 and Ramona Pearson was sixth with a 67.8.

In the 880 dash Vickie Moore finished 5th at district with a time of 2:48.1.

Cheryl Jones, Tammy Whitefield, Blanche Gentry and Ginger Duke will participate in regional in both the mile relay and 440 relay. Tina McCombs and Ann Gentry will be relay team alternates.

Re Elect DWIGHT L. LOVETT Fisher County Judge Your Vote And Influence Appreciated Pd. Pol. Adv. By D.L. Lovett, Rt. No. 1, Rotan, Tex. 79546

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