

Commissioners Approve Exemptions For Elderly

The Fisher County Commissioners voted to allow a \$3,000 exemption, in addition to the homestead exemption, to all Fisher County property owners over the age of 64, beginning in 1979, according to Fisher County Judge D.L. Lovett.

The action took place at the monthly meeting of the Fisher County Commissioners Court last Monday morning.

In other business, the Commissioners, in a motion by Commissioner Jay Hendon and second by E.J. Kiker, voted to discount all 1978 taxes according to the tax statement. There will be a two percent discount allowed in November and a 1 percent discount in December, even though tax notices are late due to the law suit by the oil companies.

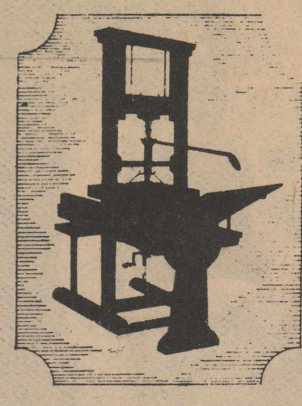
Frank Garcia Begins Game Warden School

Frank B. Garcia of Rotan has been selected to attend the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's 33rd Game Warden Training School in Austin. A 1973 graduate of Rotan High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Garcia and is married to the former Trudy L. Clements. He and his wife have one child.

The new game warden will graduate on Jan. 15, 1979.



Frank Garcia



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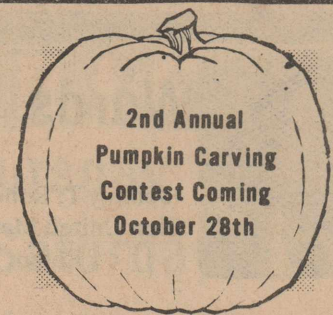
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Contest Coming
October 28th

County Farmers Will Discuss 24D Herbicide Application

Fisher County farmers and ranchers will have the opportunity to express their feelings on the future use of hormone herbicide applications in the county

on Thursday, according to Fisher County Judge D.L. Lovett.

A representative from the Austin office of the Texas Department of Agri-

culture will be in Roby on Thursday, October 12, at 7:30 p.m. for a meeting on the insecticide 24D program. The purpose of the meeting, according to

Lovett, is to determine whether or not Fisher County should be a controlled county with respect to the application of hormone chemicals.

The TDA representative will present a program on the subject, answer local farmers' questions, and discuss the pros and cons of becoming a controlled county.

"The ultimate decision on the issue will be made by the Commissioner's Court", said Lovett, "But the court will do what the majority of the farmers in Fisher County want done" he concluded.

The meeting will be held in the Pink Building.

Chamber Pushing For Nov. 11th Celebration

The Rotan Chamber of Commerce is coordinating a county wide Veteran's Day Celebration that will include a flag raising ceremony, parade, bar-b-que, country-western review to benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation Center, and square dance festival.

The event begins with the flag raising ceremony on November 11th, at 10:30 a.m., at the Rotan Football Field, according to Ben Reaid, Rotan Chamber President.

The parade is scheduled to begin immediately following the flag ceremony, and will circle through the downtown section and end at the George Poe Cotton Warehouse, across from the Calvary Baptist Church.

The Rotan Chamber of Commerce is preparing to serve a bar-b-que meal between noon and 4:00 p.m. on November 11, and will sell advance tickets beginning this Friday.

Adult tickets will be \$3.00 with children's tickets, (under age 12) selling for \$1.50.

The Parade president will be Wendell Morrow. Reaid asked that all interested clubs, organizations and businesses interested in entering a float in the parade to contact Morrow. Reaid has already secured the Rotan and Roby school bands and is working on securing an honor guard from Dyess Air Force Base for the flag raising ceremony. Other chamber personnel are attempting to secure National Guard participants, and a marching band from Carswell AFB.

The country and western review will begin at 2:00 p.m. in the Poe Warehouse. Local talent desiring to participate in the review can reserve time by contacting Francis McDonald at 735-2520. A Fort Worth group, the "Lone Star Cloggers

Splinter Kickin' Revival" has agreed to take part in the Rehab benefit show. No admission will be charged for the review, but donations will be accepted for the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene.

Cotton Incorporated Sets Area Meeting

Fisher County farmers will be present at the annual report of Cotton Incorporated in Sweetwater on October 18, to hear what happens to the millions of dollars it spends each year to expand cotton markets.

The meeting will be at the Holiday Inn and is scheduled to begin at 10:00 a.m., to be followed by lunch.

Top staff people of Cotton Incorporated will give Fisher County cotton producers the opportunity to hear firsthand how their investment is being used

to carry out cotton research and promotion.

Rotan Junior High Parents Night Oct. 17

Rotan Junior High Parents' Night will be held at the Jr. High building October 17, 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

M.T. Hill, Jr. High principal, urges all parents to meet and visit their child's teachers.

Rotan School Talks Old Taxes

The Rotan School Board approved the appointment of eleven people to an Accreditation-Phase One Goal Setting Committee at their regular meeting last Monday night. The com-

mittee is scheduled to meet with Ray Simmons and Dr. Ray Milligan of the Education Service Center next Monday at 7:30 in the Rotan High School Library.

Those named to the committee include: Ben Reaid, Joe Granada, Ronnie Teichelman, Nancy Tandy, Melba McCall, Ernest Ragan, Bobby Gruben, Charee Smith,

Todd Goodwin, George Schroyer and Tom Harkey.

The purpose of the committee work is to set measurable goals and to develop goals that can be adopted by the school board in order to comply with the five year accreditation plan.

In other action the board authorized Superintendent Tom Harkey to check with the law firm of Purdue, Brandon, Blair, Shiever and Fielder in Fort Worth, concerning some questions they had on the implementation of delinquent tax suits.

The board plans to employ a firm to collect approximately \$70,000 in delinquent taxes.

In final action, the board discussed the possible installation of new lights at the football field and tennis courts. No action was taken and the item is expected to be discussed again in November, according to Superintendent Harkey.

Rotan High Pep rally will be held Friday, Oct. 13, at 2:45 p.m. in the high school gym.

All Yellowhammer fans are urged to attend and support the team.

Roby Board OK's Bible Course

The members of the Roby School Board gave approval to the 1978-79 tax roll at their regular monthly meeting last Monday night. The approved tax roll amounted to \$10,938,898.00 and according to Superintendent Jimmie Laurie, "is just a fraction over the 1977-78 roll."

Laurie indicated that school tax assessor-collector, Billie Holcomb, should have the school tax notices sent out by next week.

In other action, the board approved the school audit as prepared by the firm of Riggs and Whooten and approved the current list of substitute teachers.

The board gave approval to the ministers of the Church of Christ, First Baptist Church and First Methodist Church to offer an off-campus bible course as an elective. Laurie said that "Schools in Abilene,

Sweetwater and Colorado City have a similar program and it seems to be working satisfactorily, the board felt the program was worthy of implementation."

Roby Firemen Braced For Turkey Shoot

The Roby Volunteer Fire Department will hold their

Book Review Club Meeting

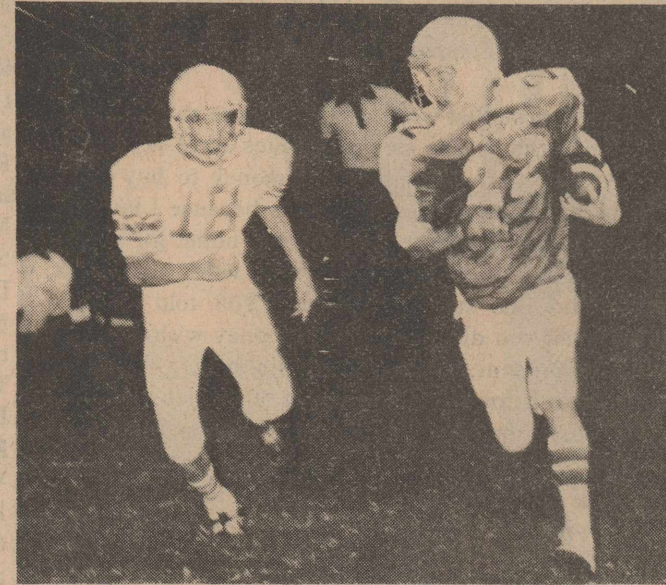
The October meeting of the Rotan Book Review Club will be on Tuesday, October 17, at 3 p.m. The meeting will be held in the Coffee Room of the new Sweetwater Savings Association building on West Snyder Ave.

Guest reviewer will be Mrs. Elwin Skiles of Abilene.

annual Turkey Shoot on October 15, at 1:30 p.m., at Dono Terry's pasture, just south of town on the Farm to Market Road, 1 1/2 miles out of town.

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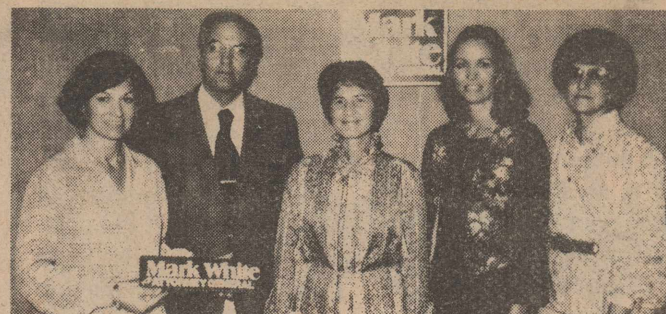
Everyone is invited out to play bingo, shoot skeet or try their luck on a live turkey. There will also be a drawing held on a Winchester, Model 1200 12 gauge pump shotgun, to be given away at the Turkey Shoot. Tickets may be purchased from any Fireman, they are \$1.00 each.



STOPS TOUCHDOWN: Rotan JV player Dale Cox, left No. 18, stopped Hamlin's David South at the 4 yard line during last week's 24-14 come from behind win. The JV team plays Jim Ned at Rotan this Thursday.



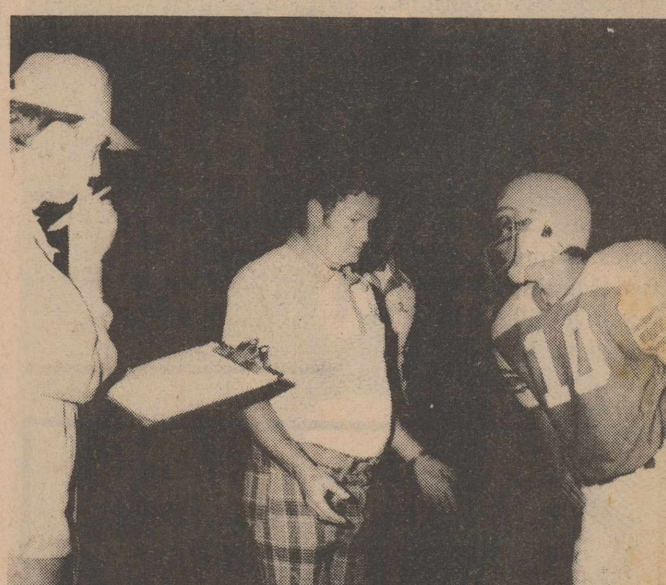
ROBY BAND OFFICERS: Recently elected, front row, left to right, Patricia Toole, treasurer; and Tina Hataway, reporter. Back row, left to right, Michele Cox, secretary; Kathy King, vice president; Sylvia Gaona, president.



MEETS CANDIDATE'S WIFE: Mrs. Mark White, left, campaigned in Roby last week for her husband Mark White who is running for Attorney General. Left to right, Mrs. Mark White, Rudy Hamric, Mrs. Doug Weathersbee, Mrs. John Gray, and Mrs. Maurice Callan.



JUNIOR HIGH TWIRLERS: Left to right front row, LaDonna Eaton, twirler; Jana Smith, drum major; DeLana Long, twirler. Back row, Jerilyn Marshall, twirler.



CALLING HAMLIN PLAY: Rotan coach Don Mullins, center, relays an offensive play to Byron Weathersbee as team statistician, Charles Thornton, looks on. The Hammers travel to Jim Ned this Friday night for their second district game.



Kim's Korner
By Kim Pease

Hog Killing

This may be the last Kim's Korner column you'll have to read, I can hear cheers going up all over Fisher County. "Hey, Martha, old dumbell is going to quit writing his column."

No, I made myself a promise that I was going to write one every week and for the last couple of months I've done it. This could be the last one though.

I was riding to Anson a few days ago, about 7:30 in the morning, the sun was just coming up and it was like a ball of fire coming out of the Eastern horizon. It was a cool, crisp morning, one of the first of the fall season.

I was daydreaming, reflecting on the beautiful sight, glad that I was alive and kicking and the thought crossed my mind that it was just about hog killing weather.

I don't guess people kill hogs anymore. But, I was thinking what my wife's reaction would be if I went home with a fat hog and said, "OK, babe, we're going to kill this pig tomorrow". Yep, we're going to take old Porky out in the back yard, tie her to a tree limb, cut her throat, skin her, cut her up, and freeze her and have pork chops all winter.

I laughed out loud. My wife would sooner cut my throat than a poor little pig's. Then I remembered the time that she ordered trout at a nice restaurant. When the waitress brought the expensive delicacy, I thought my bride was going to burst into tears. The platter looked beautiful. The only trouble, and the cause for near-tears, the head was still attached to the trout. "Oh, Kim", she said, "I can't eat this--look at those big eyes looking up at me".

"Well, cut the head off--that's an \$8.50 meal", I said. Didn't matter if it cost \$467.00, she wasn't about to take a bite of her friend.

Same thing happened to her the time I talked her into ordering a lobster. The waitress pranced over to the table holding a live lobster and said, "mam, is this one OK?" You can imagine how much of the lobster she ate.

I laughed again. My wife would go hungry before she would be a part of killing a pig.

She thinks paper plates were invented exclusively for her, that TV dinners are the greatest invention since sliced bread and her idea of a disaster is when the electric knife, dishwasher, electric blanket and electric can opener all go on the blink at the same time.

If the Crisco lady ever asks me how I like my wife's pie crust--I'll have to call the manufacturer of pie crust shells.

Now that I've had my laugh, it's time to start salvaging my marriage. Janece is a great wife and a great mother and I exaggerate a little about her homemaking abilities. I'm just proud we didn't get married 100 years ago, before the days of frozen pizza, canned corn, instant potatoes and hickory smoked hams [from the grocery store].

This could be my last column.

If my wife doesn't think this is funny, and she probably won't--this could be the final one. I once made fun of her fudge [it didn't get hard] and I've yet to eat a homemade piece of fudge. That was 15 years ago.

If she doesn't take this with her normal sense of humor--I'm up the proverbial creek. I know she's got some ancestors that were full blooded Indians--if she goes on the warpath I'm liable to have 7 broken fingers and a fat lip.



Words of Life

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

CASH AND CREDIT

Too many Christians have not surrendered to God their finances. In church we sing the great hymn, "Jesus Is All the World To Me" and then we refuse to let Jesus have the worldly part of our lives. In effect we are saying to God, "Lord, you can save my soul, but don't try to touch my earthly life."

An excuse commonly used, and thought sincere by many people, is: "I cannot give anything to the church, much less tithe, because I have no money and am even in debt." Too many of us have not only spent all our cash on ourselves, but we have also spent all our credit on ourselves.

Let us suppose that we tried this excuse at home. It is the wife's birthday. The morning comes and I say, "I am sorry, Sweetheart, that I have no money to buy you a present, but please do not think it is because I love you any less". The day passes and I come home for supper wearing a new suit of clothes. My wife would ask, "Where did this suit come from? You told me this morning that you didn't have any money with which to buy me a present." Then I explain how I had gone downtown and bought myself a suit of clothes on credit. Knowing my wife's practical thinking mind as I do, I dare say she would ask, "Why did you not try that credit on a present for me?" Needless to say, I would be in trouble with my wife. My selfishness would be hard to justify to her.

For those self-deceived Christians who face the Lord on Sunday, the birthday of His coming into the world, without a present for Him, I think the Lord would like to ask: "You have spent all your cash and exhausted most of your credit on yourself and selfish desires far more than the tithe would be. If you were really sincere would you not 'seek first the Kingdom of God'?" What will your answer be when God asks you this question? Will you Give God His tithe to support the work of Christ in the world? Amen.

Over 600 Farmers Attend Annual Meeting

Over 600 farmers from within the 14 West Texas counties served by Sweetwater Production Credit Association met in Snyder last Friday for their annual meeting.

PCA President, F.C. Shillingburg, told those present that in fiscal year 1977, Production Credit loaned a total of \$50,393,765.00 but that in fiscal 1978, area farmers received even more credit, borrowing \$71,854,820.00. Guest speaker for the annual meeting was Erbin L. Crowell, vice president of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston. In his address, Crowell said "There's good, bad, and uncertain news for the farmers".

The good news is that farmers will get loans. The bad news is that those loans will cost the farmers more in interest and the uncertainty is who will get the loans. The farmer who has his house in order will have the best chance.

The three directors elected were T.L. Finley of Mitchell County, LD. Echols of Dawson County, and Marvin Standefer of Martin County.

Two farmers with Fisher County ties were named to the 1979 nominating committee. They include Donald Coker of the Roby office and Morris Guelker of the Sweetwater office.

Roby office personnel attending the annual meeting included Manager Sid Hardegrege, Dwayne Parker and Glenda Field.

Notice

Dan Howard, Superintendent of Schools at Stamford, invited interested Fisher County residents to a meeting designed to explain the upcoming Constitutional Amendments. The meeting is being co-sponsored by the Stamford and Lueders-Avoca school boards.

The meeting will take place at 7:30 p.m. on October 12, at the Stamford School Auditorium. Guests expected to be in attendance to answer audience questions concerning the proposed Constitutional Amendments include State Senator Ray Farabee, Senator Grant Jones, Representative Elmer Martin, and Representative Bill Heatley. Tax Attorney Bob Huey of Austin will also be present for the forum.

Buy Chance On Portable T.V.

The Hobbs High School seniors are selling chances on a portable television with the winner to be announced at the annual Halloween Carnival on October 31.

Seniors will continue to sell cakes, cookies, and pies and will have a bake sale before each holiday. Interested people can telephone orders to 735-2522.

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Roby 4-H Club Officers For 1978

The Roby 4-H Club met Sept. 26 and elected club officers. Kelley West was elected president. Vice President is Tisa Lovett, secretary is Jennifer Wright and reporter is Susan Gaona.

The club members are Jennifer Holle, Ellen Walker, Laurie DesRosiers, Cheryl Bagwell, Jeffrey Holle, Gary Tieg, John Shipp, Noel Field, Benny Putnam, Clifton Terry, Sharon Stuart, Rachel Rasberry, Stacy Terry, Danette Ray, Deena Williamson, Kerrie Upshaw, Reggie Spencer, Shad Rascoe, Darry Thomson, Michael Tomlinson, Kevin Stuart, Sharron Shipp, Debbie Martin, Kathy Martin, Nyle Field, Christy Martin, Michelle Burk, Todd Matthies, Matt Floyd, Sabrina Herron, Ricky Spencer, Charla Wiley, John Kiser, Ken Everett, Pache Parks, Chad Terry, Kristi West and Lance Green.

Leaders are, organization, Mrs. Florence Wiley; program, Mrs. Maxine Burk; recreation, Jimmy Wright and Freddie Rasberry; refreshments, Mrs. Jerry Upshaw and Mrs.

Halloween Carnival

The Rotan Booster Club set October 31 as the date of their annual Halloween Carnival. The event will be held in the Old Gym.

Time for the carnival is from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

Anyone wanting a booth at the carnival is asked to contact Mrs. Jimmy Counts.

The Booster Club meets Tuesday of each week at 7:30 in the school cafeteria.

Rotan C Of C Searching For Oldest Veteran

The Rotan Chamber of Commerce is beginning a search for the oldest veteran in Fisher County, according to Ben Reaid, Chamber President.

"We are in hopes of first determining the oldest veteran and secondly honoring this veteran by making him the honorary parade marshal of the Veteran's Day Parade," said Reaid.

Those interested in being considered for the distinction are asked to contact Reaid at 735-3491 or 735-2583.

Ronnie Tomlinson; inspirational, Mrs. Jerry Stuart; telephone, Mrs. Gary Floyd and Mrs. John Matthies.

Rotan Turkey Shoot Set For October 22

The Rotan Volunteer Fire Department and the Junior Class have set the day of October 22 for their turkey shoot. The yearly event will be at the Clay Fowler ranch, north of Rotan.

There will be targets, skeets, live turkeys and bingo offered.

There will also be a drawing for a shotgun. Tickets will be purchased from any Junior Class member or Fireman.



ROBY LION MASCOTS: Two Roby students can take full credit for adding much to the sideline activities during the 1978 football season. The Lion mascots are, left to right, Sylvia Gaona and Jan Wright.

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There is another bridge of inspiration and truth where burdens may be lightened and courage renewed. People everywhere have drawn from its stabilizing influence, and you, too, will always be welcome within the fellowship of the Church. Find out for yourself this week.



Sunday Psalms	Monday Psalms	Tuesday Psalms	Wednesday Jeremiah	Thursday Luke	Friday Hebrews	Saturday Hebrews
119:153-160	119:161-168	119:169-176	31:27-34	22:7-23	8:1-13	10:1-18

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Letters to the Editor

EDITOR'S NOTE: The opinions expressed here are those of the writers and do not necessarily reflect the views of this newspaper. All letters submitted for publication must be signed and are subject to be edited for libelous material. Letters

are accepted on that basis. Names can be withheld upon request, however, initials will be used on all letters. Signed original letters will remain in the possession of this newspaper.

I may be going to the dogs, but at least I am going to defend my own dogs. Sunday morning around five o'clock, we were very rudely and loudly awakened by someone pounding on our front door. He would not identify himself. He said our dogs awakened his baby every morning at that time, and wanted to know if we could stop them from barking. Our dogs bark when other dogs in the area bark, also when stray dogs and cats roam around our place and run freely and illegally up and down the streets and alleys.

We went to a very great expense to have a chain link fence put around our back yard. My mother, who is 82 years old and lives alone and another neighbor on our other side who is very old and crippled feel very safe and secure because of our dogs.

We love our dogs and take very good care of them. They are fed well, get vaccinated when needed, get treated by a vet when they need it, and we went to a very great deal of trouble and expense to rid them, along with our yard, of ticks and fleas when the whole area was so badly infested a few months ago.

I am sorry is our dogs keep anyone awake, but if that person is sure it was our dogs that were barking, I say he had to be up prowling around to find out just where the barking was coming from at that time of morning.

Red and Madeline Partin

Governor; and Lewis Bracy of Uvalde, President of the Governor's bank and one of his close friends. The list of well-identified Briscoe backers now supporting Bill Clements goes on and on.

Mr. Hill knows he is distorting the truth when he claims that 95 percent of the Briscoe leadership is

behind him now. Six of Governor Briscoe's 12 regional coordinators, including myself, already have publicly endorsed Bill Clements, as have more than 70 county coordinators. In more than 170 counties, Briscoe regional or county coordinators are publicly supporting and working for Bill Clements.

We are supporting Bill Clements this year because the race for the Governor's office is not a case of Democrats versus Republicans, rather it is a case of conservatives versus liberals. Bill Clements is the conservative and John Hill is the liberal.

This is the first time Bill Clements has run for public office and he is doing so now because, like a lot of us, he wants less government and less federal interference in our lives. Bill Clements is a proven manager and administrator, a free enterpriser—not a professional politician like his opponent, who has been running for the office for the past 10 years.

Conservatives around the state know John Hill and they know they can't trust him. Mr. Hill engineered the liberal takeover of the State Democratic Party—the first time this has ever happened in Texas history—and he personally supported a McGovern campaign worker to be state party chairman.

Those of us supporting Bill Clements are doing so because we are committed to electing another conservative as governor. Thank you for hearing me out on this issue so vital to the future of our state.

Sincerely,
B.L. Parker,
Regional Chairman
Gov. Dolph Briscoe
Campaign,
Bastrop, Texas



WALKS THE SIDELINE: McCaulley's James Jeffrey, No. 22, was caught by the above two Ira players on this play, but he scored more than his share of points as McCaulley demolished Ira to win their first district contest under head coach Benny Rathke.



ROBY TACKY DAY CONTEST: Roby cheerleaders sponsored the recent Tacky Day Contest at High School. Left to right, Lois Ann Cauble, Kathy King, Sue Hall and Michelle Cox.

Roby Lions Club Donates \$100

The officers and directors of the Roby Lions Club met last Monday morning and voted to donate \$100.00 as a gift to the Roby Cemetery Association. The members also approved additional financial assistance to Girls Town in Whiteface, Texas in order to help them in purchasing a school bus.

Lion members will be selling Halloween candy as a fund raising project this month.

The final item of business at the meeting was the notification of the club's participation in the search for used eye glasses and out of date prescription glasses for the less fortunate people.

Those desiring to help with the eye glass drive are asked to contact any members of the Roby Lions Club or call Ivin Martin for further information. The Club is seeking 200 pair of glasses during the month of October.

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Twenty Fifth Reunion Set October 21

The 1953 Rotan graduating class will have their twenty-fifth reunion. All graduates of the class or persons who attended school with this class are invited to attend.

The reunion will be a luncheon at Bobby Gruben's home at 12 noon Saturday, October 21.

Donovan-Galvani



FASHION BOUQUETS FOR FALL PRINTS. Colorful flowers scattered on navy, berry or black grounds are beautifully designed by D-G into interlock polyester knit shirt, and shell to match with solid color double knit polyester pants, 6-20

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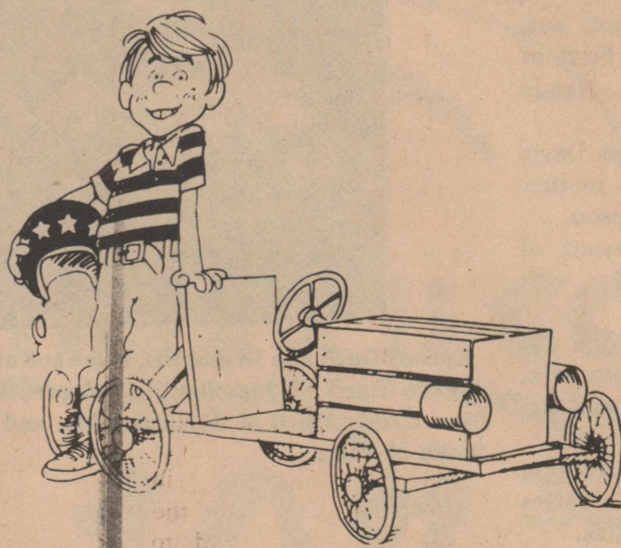
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HOBBS SLAVE DAY: Freshman Slaves at Hobbs recently during Slave Day were, left to right, back row, Gary Allen, Benny Medrano, Jay Anderle, Michael Porter. Front row, Billy Melton, Junior Miranda, Traci Eldredge, Sylvia Alaniz, Lynn Hyer and Todd Etheredge.

Rotan Home Demonstration Club Discussed Protein Power

The Rotan Home Demonstration Club members met in the home of Oma Long on October 5. The meeting was called to order by the vice president, Laura Lee Hudnall, in the absence of the president, Lois Sparks. The thirteen members answered the roll call to "one basic food". Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. A brief business meeting was held and the Council report was given by Dolly Curry.

Several members contributed \$57.50 to the Library Fund.

Laura Lee Hudnall gave an interesting program on "Protein Power". She stated, "All living things, both plant and animal, contain protein. The main function of protein in the body is to build and repair tissue. The nutrient protein is needed by every cell in the body. Protein can be used to provide energy. However, carbohydrates, sugars, starches and fats provide the energy for the body to allow protein to be used for its functions. Lack of protein causes edema or dropsy, low resistance to disease, slow healing of wounds, tendency to age early, slow thinking, poor tissue development and repairs. It is most important that we include

protein rich foods in our daily diet in order to maintain good health."

The next meeting will be with Laura Lee Hudnall

International Day

International Day will be celebrated in Stamford Oct. 14. The ethnic culture event is being sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce's Retain Trade Committee.

Featured all day will be food booths around the square with foods representing Swedish, German, Mexican, Polish, Soul, Czech, Lebanese, Irish and others.

Arts and crafts exhibits and merchandise booths featuring items from around the world will also be displayed. Several merchants will stage sidewalk sales. Jest Amusements will have their rides set up on the south side of the square and will run from 1 p.m. to midnight.

Highlight of the International Day festivities will be the Joe Havlack Band of Rowena, and old fashioned Oom Pah band for street dancing and listening.

Anyone in the Big Country area wishing to set up a booth to sell items

or for fund raising purposes is invited. They should contact the Stamford Chamber of Commerce office, 915-773-2411.

Fisher County Juniors Leaders Met Tuesday

The Fisher County Junior Leaders 4-H Club met Tuesday night, October 3, for a program concerning the Texas 4-H Congress in Fort Worth. The program was presented by Gary Don Harkey, Leslie Carey, Britt Stuart and Lynda Hoodenpye. Each told of their experiences concerning the tour.

After the program, Mark Nowlin and Paula Terry served refreshments.

McCaulley High Favorites Elected

McCaulley High School recently selected their favorites for the 1978-79 school year.

The favorites are: Mr. and Miss M.H.S., Earl Williams, senior, and Carla Young, junior; Most Likely to Succeed, Shiela Jeffrey, senior, and Lance Brown, senior; Best All Around, Anita Dunlap, senior, and James Jeffrey, junior; Most Popular, Rosie Benavides, senior, and Kenny Smart, senior; Most Friendly, Rita Wilkerson, freshman, and Donnie Gardner, senior; Most Attractive, Tami Jeffrey, freshman, and Todd Stevenson, sophomore.

Also, Best Dressed, Lolita Perales, senior and Britt Jeffrey, sophomore; Most Mischevious, Kathy Wilkerson, junior, and Mike Wilkerson, sophomore; Most Studious, Dennisa Decker, junior, and Lance Brown, senior; and Most School Spirit, Shiela Jeffrey, senior, and Bobby Benavides, junior.

Bill Fisher Spoke To Roby Lions

Republican Bill Fisher, candidate for the office of U.S. Representative, recently spoke to the Roby Lions Club during their noon meeting.

Richard Spencer, Fisher County Extension Agent, has arranged for a series of Community Development programs for the Lions Club to be presented beginning in October and to continue through April. This week's program was the general introduction to Community Development.

Roby Fire Department Get Together

On Saturday night, September 23, several of the Roby Volunteer Fire Department members and their families met at the Firehall for a hamburger supper. This was the first family get together since it was decided that the department would have to raise the money to pay off their new fire truck. The entire Fire Department has worked hard the past year on various projects to earn the needed money.

The supper was thoroughly enjoyed by all those attending. They were: John and Valene Kiker; J.N. and Ola McGinnis; Pete, Suedel and Karen Driver; Eugene, Buelene, Sharron, Jackie, John,

Damon and David Shipp and guest Curtis Chatman; Ronnie, Diane, Micheal and Missy Tomlinson; Jay, Rosemary, Todd and Shawn Donham; Tommy,

Becca, Stephanie and Buster Frierson; Danny, Della, Kim, Jennifer and Carrie Jo Jones; Larry and Nyle Field; and a nephew of Jay Donham, Randy

Pope of Splendor, Texas. After the supper the dominoes, cards and crokenole board were set out and everyone enjoyed the games and talk session.

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October 20 is the date for Rotan's annual Homecoming.

Tickets for the football game with Roscoe can be purchased at the high school principal's office or reserved by calling 735-3041, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. The game will begin at 7:30 p.m.

Dues for Homecoming will be \$4.00 for each person. This will be collected at the door of each function. If you attend one part or all parts of the Homecoming, the price is \$4.00. This includes the after game coffee, luncheon, banquet and dance.

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Golden Haven Home News

We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Mrs. Clara Neves. May the Lord see through this time of

Charlie Butler has returned home. We want to wish her well.

Sunday Services were conducted by the First Baptist and the First Methodist Churches.

Bingo winners were Mrs. Octaveneus Harrell, Mrs. Dana McReynolds, Mrs. Viola Barrington, Miss Maebell Odgen, Mrs. Mary Cooper, Mr. Dove Blevins, Mr. Ed Roberts.

Those visiting from out of town were Fay McSpadden of Rotan, Wilma Singley of Brownwood, they visited with Maebell Odgen.

Pete Polk visited with Dove Blevins.

Mrs. Bessie Scott was visited by Hazel Ford of Tahoka and Rev. Randy Bryant of Abilene.

Mrs. Mattie Lou Davis visited with her mother Mrs. Eula Williamson.

Mr. Buddy Bryant of Amarillo visited with Gladys Bryant.

Mrs. Pat Levins of Victoria visited with Mrs. Dana McReynolds and Mr. Willard Tiltotson.

Mrs. Viola Barrington was visited by Mr. Charles McKimney of Dallas.

Mrs. Sue Ellis of Sweetwater visited with Mrs. Octaveneus Harrell.

Nancy Clark was visited by Vera McKay and Theo Miur, both of Abilene.

"Some fellows dream of worthy accomplishments while others stay awake and do them."

See you next week.

Grandparents' Corner



Kacee Murff, age 18 months, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Murff of Junction. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Murff of Rotan and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Smith of Roby.



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ON TOUCHDOWN GALLOP: Wayne Jones, NO. 22 far right, dashes toward one of two scores last Friday

night as Hobbs defeated Southland. The other identified Hobbs player is David Etheredge, third from left wearing No. 11.

Funeral Services

Mrs. A. L. Barnes

Mrs. A.L. Barnes, 82, of Roby died at 9 p.m. Friday, Oct. 6, in Fisher County Hospital following a lengthy illness. Services were at 10 a.m. Monday in Primitive Baptist Church in Roby.

Elder V.R. Henderson and Elder Carl Watson, of Primitive Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Roby Cemetery.

Born June 13, 1896, in Van Zandt County, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R.F. Stewart. She married A.L.

Barnes Sept. 29, 1912, in Hodges. They moved to Fisher County the same year and she has lived here since. He preceded her in death June 23, 1977. She was a member of Primitive Baptist Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Lunette Goforth of Roby; three sons, Al of Hemet, Calif., Cecil of Lubbock and Jack of Roswell, N.M.; a sister, Jewell Hanna of Tyler; three grandchildren; four great-grandsons.

Lee Farmer

Lee Farmer, 90, formerly of Fisher County, died at 10 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 7, in South Community Hospital in Oklahoma City. Services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Weathersbee Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Clifton Hancock, Baptist minister from Sonora, officiated. Burial was in the Rotan Cemetery.

Born in Indian Territory Oct. 23, 1887, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Farmer. He was raised at Walnut Springs and moved to Fisher County in 1913. He

had lived in Stephenville, Fisher County and Denton Valley since that time.

Mr. Farmer had lived in Oklahoma City, Okla. for the past two years. He married Ida T. Ellis Dec. 25, 1912, in Ranger. She preceded him in death Oct. 28, 1969.

Survivors include two daughters, Ida Lee Hancock of Sonora and Doris McMinn of Big Spring; two sons, Roger of San Antonio and Charles of Oklahoma City, Okla.; nine grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren. Grandsons were pallbearers.

Mrs. W. D. Neves

Mrs. W.D. (Clara) Neves, 85, of Roby died at 7:30 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 8, in Fisher County Hospital following a brief illness. Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday in the First United Methodist Church in Roby.

The Rev. Loren Gardner, pastor, officiated. Burial was in the Roby Cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Born Oct 15, 1892, in Roby, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Mark L. Simmons. She graduated from the Masonic Home in Fort Worth where she was valedictorian of her class. She married Walter D. Neves May 29, 1912, in

Roby. He preceded her in death in 1973. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Roby.

Mrs. Neves was a charter member of the Order of the Eastern Star of Roby. She was also a life-member of the Woman's Society of Christian Service.

Survivors include a son, Ellis of Snyder; a daughter, Virginia Melton of Roby; two brothers, Jeff Simmons of Roby and Tom Simmons of Rotan; five grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by three brothers and five sisters.

Roy Helms

Roy O. Helms, 59, of Detroit, Tex., formerly of Scurry County, died at 2:55 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 8, in Veterans Administration Hospital in Bonham, Texas, after a brief illness.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Weathersbee Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. F.W. Rogers, Nazarene minister of Lubbock, officiating. Burial was in Rotan Cemetery.

He was born Nov. 22, 1918 in Scurry County. After his marriage to Ila Cleveland on Oct. 16, 1946, he moved to South Dakota. In 1961 he moved to Detroit, where he was a rancher.

He was a veteran of

World War II, and a member of the American Legion.

Survivors include his wife of Detroit; one daughter, Mrs. Donny Hurst of Blossom, Tex.; one brother, J.W. Helms of Rotan; and two grandchildren.

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Roby Lions Beat Miles Bulldogs

The Roby Lions came away from Miles the victor, beating the Bulldogs by a score of 19-16.

At 3:41 into the game, a Mark Pope pass to Clay Smith brought the Lion's first TD and the Roby fans to their feet. The PAT by Kenny Martin was through the uprights, making it 7-0.

Miles' first TD came with 11:47 left in the second quarter, PAT was good.

Roby's Mike McGinnis recovered a Miles fumble that set up the Lion's second touchdown by Britt Stuart. The PAT failed but the Lions were given a second chance by a

penalty, but the 2 point try failed.

In the 3rd quarter with 5:35 left, Miles ran across their second touchdown, PAT failed.

Later in the 3rd, a Lion penalty cost them a TD.

In the 4th quarter, a field goal by Miles put them ahead 16 to 13. But, the Bulldogs were barking up the wrong tree as Roby's Al Gonzalez slipped around left end for a TD with 2:00 left in the game. The PAT failed.

With 59 seconds left, Roby's Brad Wilburn wrapped up the game with an interception.

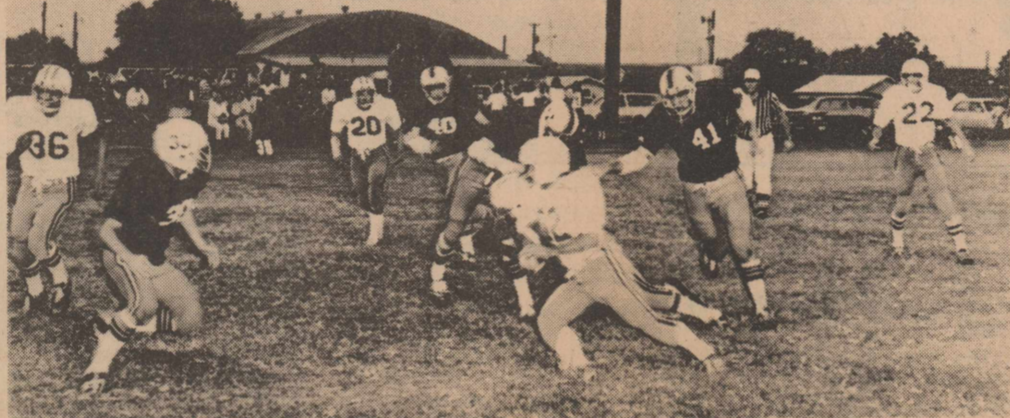
Britt Stuart was leading rusher with 121 yards.

Other fumble recoveries were made by Mark Kiser and Timmy Morton.

The Lions are ready for district.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Rotan Fire Department will be selling tickets for a portable eight-track tape player-radio combination. The tickets will be sold at their booth at the Halloween Carnival on October 31.

The Carnival will be held at the old gym in Rotan.



SWEEPS FOR LONG GAINER: Donny Gardner, center in white jersey, eludes an Ira tackler during last Saturday's action at Ira. Other players in white, are No. 36 Bobby Benavides, No. 20 Todd Stevenson, and No. 22 James Jeffrey.

Sylvester Talk

News From Sylvester, Texas

By Peggy Kelly

These beautiful days sure have been nice. I've noticed all the farmers are sure taking advantage of them to plant their wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thompson had their grandson, Kirk Maberry, staying with them last weekend. He is the son of Arthur and Dana Maberry from Sweetwater.

Elsie Moffett's daughter and her husband, and their children Jose and Don Mark visited weekend before last. They are from Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Green had their vacation last week. June went into the hospital at Piedras Negras, Mexico for an arthritis treatment for three days. They came back through Big Bend country and said it was beautiful. They also visited the McDonald Conservatory in Fort Davis.

Its where the old fort used to be. June's brother Weldon Miller and his wife, went on this trip with them and June said they really had a good trip. I want to send my deepest sympathy to June because her brother Weldon passed away Saturday. The funeral was held at 2:00 Monday, at the Calvary Baptist Church in Stamford.

Peggy Moffett has been in charge of organizing a meeting, at the First Baptist Church, for the boys and girls each Sunday night at 5:00 p.m. The first five minutes there will be a Bible Story with pictures led by Lona Mitcham. There will be individual classes for ages three through the twelfth grade. The pre-school leaders are Peggy Moffett and Mozelle Cross. The first through sixth grade

girls have Pat Moffett. The first through sixth grade boys have Norma Maeek. The seventh through twelfth grade girls have Doris Pippin and Lucille Watson. The seventh through twelfth grade boys have Danny Moffett. The public is invited to

send or bring their children to these meetings each week. The pastor, Rev. Mitcham, will bring a Bible Study to the adults during this time and the regular church service is at 6:00 p.m. each Sunday. Hope you have a nice week and I'll see you

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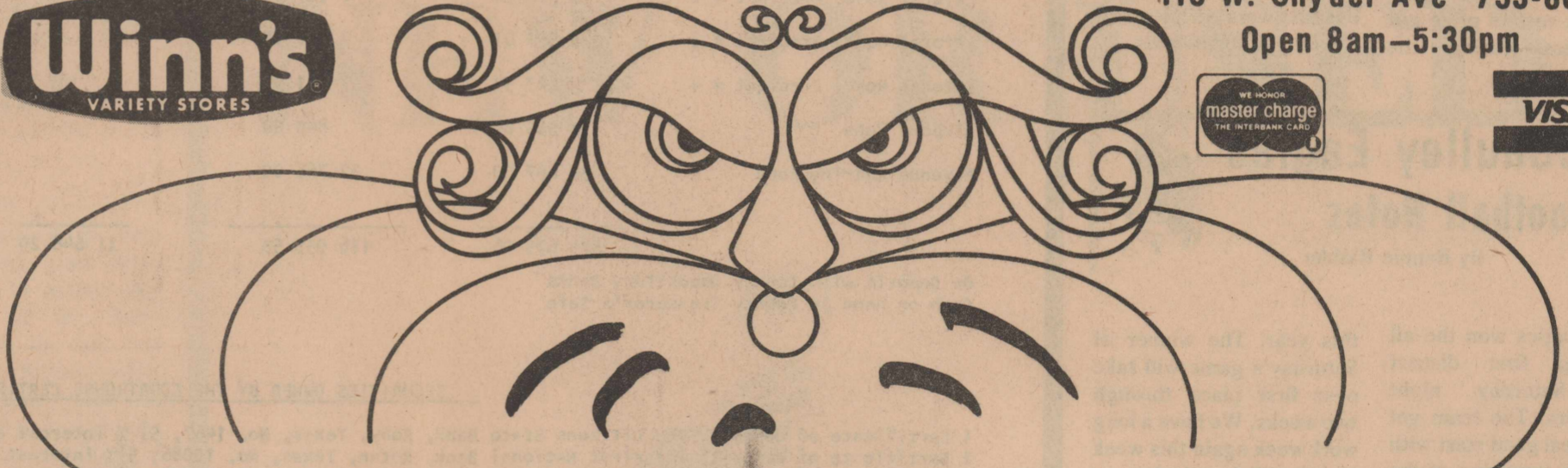
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McCAULLEY HIGH CHEERLEADERS: The above four cheerleaders were on the sidelines at Ira last Saturday night when McCaulley took their first district contest. Left to right, Sheila Jeffrey, Debbie Decker, Rita Wilkerson and Tami Jeffrey.

Rotan 4-H Members Complete Project

Six Rotan 4-H members recently completed a 4-H project called "Management: Life Skills, Getting the Things you Want." The members learned about management, talents, go power, brain power, the use of time and community resources. They viewed slides, played games and talked about

using their own resources to gain the things they want most from life.

The 4-H'ers who completed this project are Elisa Carrillo, Deanne Harbin, Jodie Lawlis, Jill Posey, Joyce Lynn Harkney and Jerilyn Marshall.

This project is just one of many that are available to

4-H members throughout and members through the County Extension Office in Roby, Texas.

Rotan Football Players Injured

Two Rotan football players received serious injuries in games last week, according to Heach Coach Don Mullins.

Rotan Junior Varsity player Dale Cox injured his left hand in a contest against Hamlin last Thursday night. Cox broke a

bone in his hand behind the index finger.

Last Friday night Rotan varsity player Byron Weathersbee fractured his jaw on the next-to-the-last offensive play of the Hamlin-Rotan contest. Weathersbee was hospitalized in Abilene last Monday, had surgery to wire his jaw closed on Tuesday and was released from the hospital on Wednesday.

McCaulley Activities

Activities for the 1978 McCaulley Homecoming have been announced by the Ex-Student Association officers. Registration for ex-students and teachers will begin at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, October 14, in the McCaulley Gymnasium followed by the business meeting for the Ex's and open house at the school.

Dinner will start at 4:30 p.m. and will be catered by Underwoods of Abilene. The bonfire and pep rally will begin at 6:00 p.m. with the football game between McCaulley and Trent scheduled to kickoff at 8:00. Halftime activities will include the crowning of the Coming Home Queen and King and the Eagle Football Sweetheart and Football

hero. Following the game, the McCaulley Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor a dance to be held at the fire department building in McCaulley.

Homecoming officers for 1978 are: President, David Hill; Vice President, Rickey Jeffrey; Secretary, Arvinelle Smith; and Treasurer, Ann Kincaid.

Fisher County Redevelopment

Congressman Omar Burleson advises that the Economic Development Administration has designated Fisher County as a Title IV redevelopment area under the Public Works and Economic Development Act.

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Rotan, Texas

J. A. Houston Wins Grand Prize

J.A. Houston, manager of National Gypsum's Rotan Plant, was the winner of the grand prize--\$500.00 savings account during the recent grand opening festivities of the new Sweetwater Savings Office on West Snyder.

Ten other Fisher County residents received daily first and second prize gift certificates during the

week long open house celebration.

Winning the five daily \$35.00 gift certificates were Ben Reaid, Frank Miranda, Maud E. Williams, Dean Harbin and Arthur Montez.

A.B. Parker, Roy Linebarger, Rudy Hamric, P.W. Woolf, and Essie Pearson were recipients of \$70.00 gift certificates.

McCaulley Eagles Football Notes

By Bennie Rathke

The Eagles won the all important first district game Saturday night against Ira. The team got off to a real good start with the 78-36 trouncing of the Bulldogs. This was by far the best offensive performance of the year by McCaulley. We had 25 first downs to Ira's 13.

Scoring for the Eagles were James Jeffrey, 4 touchdowns; Earl Williams, 2 touchdowns; Kenny Smart, 2 touchdowns; Bobby Benavides, 1 touchdown; and Todd Stevenson, one touchdown. Jeffrey kicked 8 two-point conversions for another 16 points. Williams and Benavides each added one point conversions.

I feel we played real good defense at times, we certainly could improve our pass defense. We let some people get behind us and with our lack of speed this can be disastrous.

This week is homecoming week so the Eagles should really be fire up against the Trent Gorillas who also share the district 2-B lead. The Gorillas defeated Highland 34 to 20 mostly on some outstanding running by Herbert Beaver. I think if we can contain Beaver Saturday we can defeat Trent. He will be the most talented running back we will face

this year. The winner of Saturday's game will take over first place through two weeks. We have a long work week again this week as we will be playing on Saturday, October 14. We certainly want to welcome all our Exes to McCaulley for the game. The game will start at 8:00 instead of the originally scheduled 7:00. See you Saturday.

The Junior High will be open this week following their first district loss last week to Highland. Hopefully, with a little help from Southland they can get back in for a share of the championship. They will be working real hard and will travel to Southland Thursday.

I would like to add that I was especially pleased with the performance by the Eagles. I know it will take a supreme effort to beat Trent but the Eagles will be playing with a lot of emotion following the big win over Ira. So it should be a real good game. I would also like to recognize James Jeffrey as the outstanding player Saturday as he scored 40 points. He really did a good job on the pass-run option out of the spread.

Homecoming is this Saturday, so lets back the Eagles. Eagles beat Trent!

Fisher County Quarterly Report

On October 9, 1978, the Commissioners Court of Fisher County met in regular session, examined and compared the Quarterly Report of Inez Stephens, County Treasurer, for the quarter ending September 30, 1978, and found the same correct and the respective amount to have been received and paid out during the quarter.

Fund	Balance 7-1-78	Received Last Quarter	Transfers in	Transfers out	Paid out Last Quarter	Balance 9-30-78
Jury Fund	11 909 18	98 19			2 654 79	9 352 58
General Fund	246 621 10	42 377 84	10 000 00	10 000 00	89 296 68	199 702 26
Road & Bridge, Operating Prec # 1	103 886 14	842 14			10 074 97	94 653 31
Road & Bridge, Operating Prec # 2	49 855 16	717 15			10 431 18	40 141 13
Road & Bridge, Operating Prec # 3	38 424 55	773 16			13 637 58	25 560 13
Road & Bridge, Operating Prec # 4	39 833 87	717 16			12 259 78	28 291 25
Social Security	20 306 77	9 258 92		10 000 00	9 901 84	9 663 85
Courthouse Certificates	4 690 56	77 18	1 648 29	1 648 29	4 675 00	92 74
Lateral Road, Precinct # 1	7 344 58	7 121 94			-0-	14 466 52
Lateral Road, Precinct # 2	9 776 74	7 121 95			1 810 50	15 088 19
Lateral Road, Precinct # 3	5 551 03	7 121 95			1 984 61	10 688 37
Lateral Road, Precinct # 4	4 223 34	7 121 95			2 437 23	8 908 06
Airport Fund	1 555 04	840 00			1 773 51	621 53
Revenue Sharing Fund	30 697 00	32 766 00			34 415 34	29 047 66
	574 675 06	116 955 53	11 648 29	21 648 29	195 353 01	486 277 58

On Deposit with County Depository Banks
Cash on hand in County Treasurer's Safe

SECURITIES OWNED BY THE COURTHOUSE CERTIFICATE OF OBLIGATIONS

1 Certificate of deposit, The Citizens State Bank, Roby, Texas, No. 1467, 5 1/2% interest due quarterly	60 770 32
1 Certificate of deposit, The First National Bank, Rotan, Texas, No. 10086, 5 1/2% interest due 3-6-79	59 171 80
1 Certificate of deposit, The First National Bank, Rotan, Texas, No. 10279, 5 1/2% interest due 5-24-79	8 697 25
	128 639 37

OWNED BY FISHER COUNTY

GENERAL FUND	
1 Saving Account No. 800-1, dated 9-15-78, issued by The First National Bank, Rotan, Texas, 5% interest due quarterly	10 000 00

FISHER COUNTY PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND INVESTMENTS

3 Post, Texas, Independent School District Bonds Nos. 572-574, 4% interest, due 5-1-1980	3 000*00
1 Dallas County, Texas, Permanent Improvement Bond, Series 1953, No. 3938, 2 1/2% interest due 1-1-1979/69	1 000 00
1 U. S. Government Bond No. 2682-D, 4 1/2% interest, due 8-15-1992/87	1 000 00
25 Haskell County, Texas, Water Improvement District waterworks revenue and unlimited tax bonds Nos. 66-90, 4 1/2% interest due, \$5,000.00 each year, 11-1-1986	25 000 00
1 Certificate of deposit, Citizens State Bank, Roby, Texas, No. 1514, 5 1/2% interest due 1-1-79	7 266 46
12 Tobacco Consolidated School District Bonds, Series 1961, Nos 536-547, 4.40% interest due 1-1-1982/76	12 000 00
36 Harris County, Texas Water Control and Improvement District No. 58, waterworks revenue unlimited tax bonds, Series 1961, Nos. 6-40 and No. 48, 5% interest due 5M 4-1-1981-83, 1M 4-1-1984	36 000 00
1 Certificate of Deposit, Citizens State Bank, Roby, Texas, No. 1075, 5 1/2% interest due 5-27-79	1 000 00
	86 266 46

FISHER COUNTY BUILDING FUND WARRANT INDEBTEDNESS

Courthouse Certificate	Original Issue	Redeemed Prior Years	Redeemed This Year	Outstanding 9-30-78
	357 000 00	135 000 00	35 000 00	187 000 00

A. J. Ford
A. J. Ford, Commissioner, Precinct # 1

Jay R. Hendon
Jay R. Hendon, Commissioner, Precinct # 3

D. L. Lovett
D. L. Lovett, County Judge

E. J. Kiker
E. J. Kiker, Commissioner, Precinct # 2

Thurman Terry
Thurman Terry, Commissioner, Precinct # 4

Subscribed and sworn to this 9th day of October 1978

Doree Reed
Notary Public, Fisher County, Texas

Commissioners Approve Exemptions For Elderly

The Fisher County Commissioners voted to allow a \$3,000 exemption, in addition to the homestead exemption, to all Fisher County property owners over the age of 64, beginning in 1979, according to Fisher County Judge D.L. Lovett.

The action took place at the monthly meeting of the Fisher County Commissioners Court last Monday morning.

In other business, Commissioners, in a motion by Commissioner Hendon and second E.J. Kiker, voted discount all 1978 taxes according to the statement. There will be two percent discount allowed in November and percent discount in December, even though notices are late due to law suit by the companies.

Frank Garcia Begins Game Warden School

Frank B. Garcia of Rotan has been selected to attend the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's 33rd Game Warden Training School in Austin. A 1973 graduate of Rotan High School, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Garcia and is married to the former Trudy L. Clements. He and his wife have one child.



Hustlin' Round Hobbs

By Mrs. Jimmy Walker

Well, its been a good week, weatherwise, and it is beginning to feel like fall. Also, all the hay fever sufferers know that its that time of year. Never knew so many folks with hay fever and sinus.

Gloria Martinez from Fort Worth has been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez. Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Martinez, Jennifer and Kimberley from Rotan visited with the Martinezes on Sunday night and they all celebrated Rudy's birthday with a supper.

Mrs. Bea Hardin went to Throckmorton on Sunday for the day. She visited Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Thompson and boys. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hardin. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hester from Denver City visited Bea Thursday through Saturday. Mrs. Angela Aldridge was also with them. Mrs. Hester is Bea's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Parks ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid. The Kincaids went to see Eddie Williams Sunday night.

Eddie Williams had a bad heart attack on Friday and is in the Fisher County Hospital. We hope that he will soon begin to feel much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker went to Hamlin Thursday night to watch the Rotan 7th, 8th and Junior Varsity play. They won all 3 of their games. Friday night the Walkers and Melody went to the Hamlin-Rotan football game, so we have been seeing lots of football, on TV as well, and now its time for the World Series so Jim is really looking forward to those games.

Randy Etheredge, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge, is in the Fisher County Hospital and will be staying for a day or two as they will be running some tests. Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and boys went to Mr. and Mrs. Windell Barretts Sunday for a get-together. Jackie Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Windell Barrett is going to Arizona and then to California so they visited him before he leaves. Frank Miranda and Mac Raines were also there. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge also attended.

Mrs. James Ratliff and Teresa went to Sweetwater Saturday night and Teresa rode in their play night. Jim Ratliff is doing real well but is still in the hospital at Abilene. We hope that he will continue to improve.

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



Jerry and Betty Warren of Crowley are parents of a son, Ricky Lee, born Oct. 3. He has 3 brothers, Deryl, Lennie and Rodney, and one sister, Deborah. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynn of Granbury and Mr. and Mrs. P.R. Warren of Snyder.

Individuals Arrested

Two individuals from Kansas were arrested by Fisher County law enforcement authorities last Thursday, October 5, after being suspected of selling

Young Peoples Devotional

Bro. Wardell Halliburton, Roby Church of Christ minister, reported that Wednesday night the young men of the congregation presented a short devotional.

The Young People of the church will meet Sunday night after church in the home of the Halliburtons.

marijuana to Rotan school students, according to Deputy Sheriff Ernest Skeen.

The incident took place in the area around Snyder Avenue and McKinley Street in Rotan.

Wallace Wahl, 17, of Wellington, Kansas was arrested by Deputy Skeen and Assistant Rotan Police Chief John Walker and filed on for possession of marijuana. He was fined \$200.00 and sentenced to a 30 day jail term. The second individual was a minor. He was released to Kansas law enforcement authorities for further disposition.

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Tuesday: Breakfast: Orange Juice, Oatmeal with Butter and Sugar, Milk. Lunch: Poor Boy Steak W/Gravy, Green Beans, Whole New Potatoes, Cabbage Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Jello.

Wednesday: breakfast: Grape Juice, Grilled Cheese on Bread, Milk. Lunch: Taco with Meat & Cheese, Pinto Beans, Lettuce-Tomato Salad, Bread, Milk.

Thursday: Breakfast: Pineapple Juice, Donut, Milk. Lunch: Fried Fish W/Tarter Sauce, Whipped Potatoes, Seasoned Black eyed Peas, Hot Rolls.

Butter, Peanutbutter Cake.

Friday: Breakfast: Orange Juice, Cinnamon Toast, Milk. Lunch: Hamburger W/Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato & Pickles, Pork & Beans, Potato Chips, Chocolate Pudding, Milk.

Roby Monday: Barbeque Beef, Buttered Corn, Green Salad, Fruit, Hot Rolls, Butter and Milk.

Tuesday: Hot Dogs, Cream Potatoes, Salad, Chocolate Chip Cookie, Milk.

Wednesday: Pinto Beans, Spanish Rice, Baked Potato, Carrot Stick, Fruit, Corn Bread, Milk.

Thursday: Chicken Salad, French Fries, Tomato-Lettuce Salad, Lemon Ice Box Pie, Milk, Bread.

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



TAKE PART IN SOCK IT TO UM DAY: The above six teachers and students at Rotan High took part in the Sock-It-To-Um Day last Friday. Left to right, Dean Brown, Betty Strickland, Jeannie Swafford, David Thornton, Mark Cade, and Mrs. Betty Strayhorn.



STUDENTS DRAW ATTENTION TO SOX: The above five Rotan students were just a few of those observing Sock-It-To-Um Day last Friday prior to the Rotan-Hamlin football game. Left to right, Julie Posey, Charee Smith, Jamie Strickland, Byron Weathersbee and Gary Don Harkey.

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The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pope of Batesville, and parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thompson, Jr. of Uvalde. Bridal attendants were Miss Janie Brown of Uvalde, maid of honor, and Miss Laura Condry and Miss Susie Baxter of Batesville, bridesmaids.

Attending the groom as best man was Tobe Whitley. Groomsmen were his father and brother, Claude and Greg Thompson. Ushers were the groom's grandfather, H.A. Nolen of Rotan, and his uncle, Jack Porterfield of Wichita Falls.

The bride is a 1978 graduate of Uvalde High School and previously graduated from Batesville Junior High School. She served five years in Zavala County 4-H Work. The groom graduated from Uvalde High School and attended Southwest

Roby Methodist To Hold Song Service Sunday

The Roby First Methodist Church will have a song service Sunday, October 15, at 11:00 a.m. The service will be entitled "One Great Hour of Singing" will feature different song leaders and songs that signify the beginning of religions to the present.

The program is open to anyone that wishes to attend, according to Rev. Loren Gardner, pastor.

Roby Baptist Has Formed Youth Choir

Rev. Don Jeffrey of the Roby Baptist Church reported that the church has formed a youth choir.

The group consisting of Junior High and High School age students will meet each Sunday afternoon at 4:30 in the church auditorium.

There will also be singing as a part of evening church services. Following the singing, sandwiches will be served.

At 6:00 Sunday evening, a youth class will be taught by Mrs. Ellen Hataway, which will be plays and skits pertaining to religious fellowship.

All Junior High and High School age students are invited to attend all meetings.

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NOTICE: Meeting at Pink Building, Roby, Texas, Thursday, Oct. 12, 1978, at 7:30 p.m. This meeting is on the insecticide 24D problem. Speakers will be from Dept. of Agriculture, Austin, Tex. Public invited to air the rules and regulations of the insecticide regulated county. 34-2tc

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY FOR SALE: 3 lots, 150x83 ft. on highway 180 and College in Roby. One block from city square, commercial property, has house and several old buildings on lot. Call 915-694-0430, or write Dave R. Weeks, 4603 Leisure, Midland, Tex. 79701. 9-tfc

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NOTICE: I will not be responsible for any debts other than my own. Bobby Jack Barrington. 36-3tp

PORCH AND YARD SALE: in Rotan to benefit Library Fund, Sat. Oct. 14 706 N. Roby Ave. 34-1tp

FOR SALE: Green naughtyde, five piece living room suite. Call 735-3576, Jeanie Baker. Also, black bean bag. 35-1tp

GARAGE SALE: Friday and Saturday, Oct. 13 and 14th from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., 205 E. Lee, Billy Tidwell. 35-1tp

FOR SALE: Triticale and oat seed. Guy Kemp, 776-2423, Roby. 35-tfc

FOR SALE: Have few wheat seed left, bargain. L.A. Sparks, 735-3068, Rotan. 35-tfc

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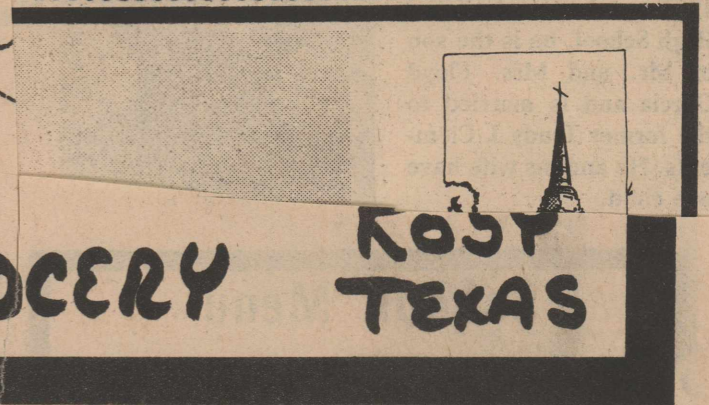
NOTICE: During the week of September 18 our agency received 25 inquiries for county homes on 5 to 40 acres, ranging in price from \$25,000 to \$200,000. If you can help supply this need, please call Harmon at United Farm, 776-2131. 33-3tc

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Fisher County AGENT NEWS

by Richard Spencer

Gov. Dolph Briscoe has proclaimed October as "Cooperative Farm Demonstration Month" in Texas and called upon all citizens to join in the observance.

The first farm-conducted demonstration of the use of scientific research in farming-as an educational tool for improving agriculture-was inaugurated near Terrell, Texas in 1903. A 70-acre tract on the Walter C. Porter Farm was selected for the farm demonstration site by Dr. Seaman A. Knapp, a longtime educator and special agent for the U.S. Department of Agriculture. This educational method of employing the principle of "learning by doing" is an expression of the procedures of democracy, wherein the individual puts forth his efforts voluntarily to learn the practical use of new ideas for the benefit of himself, his family and neighbors, the proclamation indicates.

From the beginning in 1903, when Dr. Seaman A. Knapp proved that farm demonstration educational programs are successful, the county agent system operated by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service has grown. Extension work is now cooperatively supported by county, state and federal governments. Today, as in 1903, the chief teaching method for both adults and youth continues to be the demonstration technique. Observances of the 75th anniversary of farm demonstration work are scheduled in each of the 14 Extension Service districts. These will follow the October 12 kickoff meeting in Dallas at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center and a program that afternoon at the Porter Farm near Terrell.

Representatives of the families of the Dr. Seaman A. Knapp and Walter C. Porter will participate in the Dallas program, along with state and national dignitaries. At the district and county observances, long-time farm demonstrators will be recognized and honored. The public is invited to participate in the programs. The District program from this area will be held in Vernon October 20. Outstanding Result Demonstrators from each county will be honored. C.D. Herron was selected from Fisher County.

Farmers and other interested people in the Rolling Plains are invited to attend the annual meeting for the Rolling Plains Economic Program October 20 at the Vernon Regional Junior College, according to Richard Spencer, County Extension Agent. Registration for the event will be given by Dr. Jim Williams, VRJC President and Ed Garnett, District Extension Agent will respond.

The film "Cooperative Farm Demonstration Work" is scheduled to be shown and then opening remarks will be given by Congressman Jack Hightower of Vernon. At 10:15 a.m., Texas Extension Director D.C. Pfannstiel will introduce the keynote speaker, W.A. "Bill" Proter of Porter Farms, Terrell, Texas.

At 10:45 a.m. one outstanding demonstration cooperator from each of the twenty-nine counties will be recognized. Following this portion of the agenda, Dr. Uel Stockard, State Extension Agent will make a presentation for the outstanding demonstration handbook from one county in the R-PEP area. The Texas Wheat Producers Board will recognize one outstanding wheat demonstrator cooperator.

Following a lunch break, Task Force Meetings on beef cattle, cotton, sheep, small grains and vegetables will be conducted in various locations on the VRJC Campus. The Beet Cattle Task Force will discuss 2,4,5-T use, biological control of mesquite and reproductive tools for better management of beef cattle. The Cotton Task Force will check planting dates, fertilization, boll weevil control, planting methods and harvesting alternatives. Keifer Cauble, Crops Committee Chairman and David Finley, County En-

Rotan 4-H Community Club Meets

Rotan 4-H Community Club met Monday, Oct. 9, at the Rotan School lunchroom. Alan Kiker told the group about beef and John Pease told about swine.

Jill told about food and nutrition and Joyce talked about clothing.

The group played a game, had refreshments and were dismissed.

The next meeting will be held the second week in November, on Monday at the lunchroom.

tomologist will discuss Fertility and Insect Control during the Cotton Session.

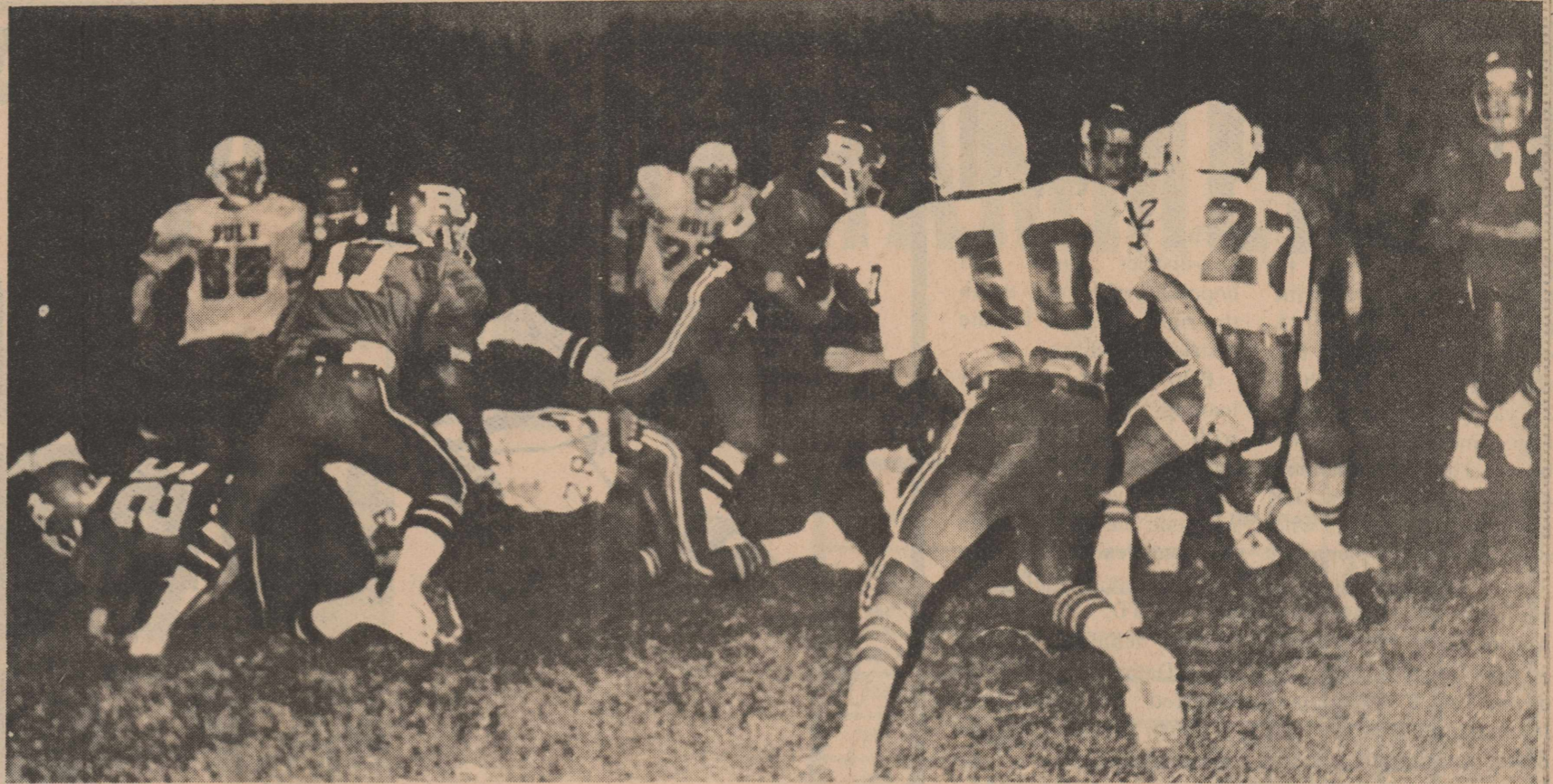
The Sheep Task Force will examine ewe nutrition and management using cotton gin trash for sheep confinement operations. Small grains participants will discuss variety improvement, diseases, fertilization and wild oat control. In the Vegetable Task Force Meeting, economic factors, production practices and new marketing alternatives for fruit and vegetables will be discussed.

The meeting is open to the public. Pre-registration forms and further information may be obtained from the County Extension Agent's office.

Hospital News

Admissions to Fisher County Hospital October 3-10, 1978. Visiting hours are 10:00 to 11:30 a.m.; 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Danny Gunerson, Tony Soliz, Romie Kersh, Susie Martin, Lois Sparks, Lewis A. Cleveland, LaRhea Smith, Richard Floyd, Eddie Williams, Linda Warren, Henry Lee Martin, Dovie Glenn, Jack Hale, R.T. Shipp, Rose Mary Carrillo, Tom Stinson, Randy Etheredge, Randall C. Lawlis, Rotan; Vickie Jeffrey, Abbey Leigh Jeffrey, McCauley; Juanita Ramon, Clara Neves, Roby; Betty L. Smith, Aspermont.



LION PICKS UP YARDAGE: Gordon Maberry, center, carrying ball, picked up several yards against Rule two weeks ago. Other players, left to right, No. 25 Britt

Stuart, No. 17 Al Gonzalez, and No. 73 Terry Owens. The Roby Lions open district play this Friday with a home game against Garden City.

Open House Set For Hamlin Medical Clinic

Open House will be held Sunday, Oct. 15, from 2 to 4:30 p.m. at the new building of Hamlin Medical Clinic, 350 Northwest Avenue F.

The public is invited,

FFA Fruit Sale

The Rotan FFA will be having its annual fruit sale beginning next week, October 16 through Oct. 30.

Citrus, navel oranges, and apples will be available in small and large boxes through the FFA members.

Class Reunion

The Rotan graduating class of 1973 will have a class reunion Saturday, October 14, at 2:00 p.m. The reunion will be in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Maurice Callan, north of Rotan.

The meeting will be a casual get together.

according to the three Hamlin physicians, M.L. Smith, M.D.; Joe D. Hymer, M.D., and Robert L. Stafford, M.D., owners of the new facility.

The doctors moved to the new building on July 24. Their offices were

formerly in the east wing of Hamlin Memorial Hospital, one block south of the new location.

The clinic includes four doctor's offices, 11 examination rooms, a complete laboratory, x-ray room, emergency room a therapy room, cast room, nurses

station, business office and reception area.

The three doctors all practice family medicine and Dr. Smith is a surgeon and obstetrician.

Dr. Russell Dressen, optometrist of Abilene, is using one office and examination room each

Wednesday to give visual examinations from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and contact lenses, 4 to 6 p.m.

Regular clinic hours are from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

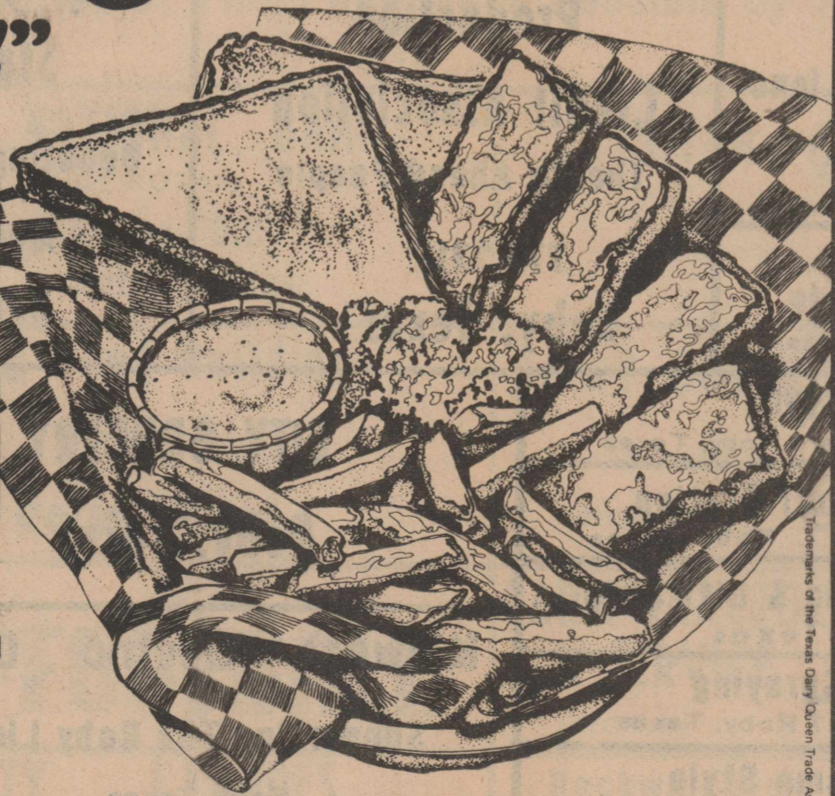
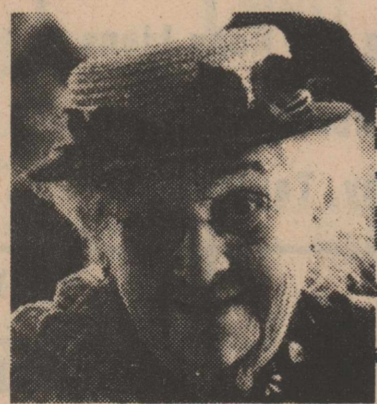
Monday through Friday. Emergency patients only are seen on Saturday at 9 a.m.



Mr. and Mrs. Steve Greer announce the adoption of a pink bundle of joy named Kellie Dee Greer. Kellie arrived home on October 5 and was greeted very affectionately by her brother, Royce who is three years old. She was born on Friday, Sept. 29, and weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sim Groves of Camp Springs and Viola Greer of Tahoka. Great-grandmother is Mrs. C.M. Greer of Tahoka.

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On Friday, Oct. 6, the Roby Lions traveled to Miles and came away with an action packed 19-16 victory. Roby received the opening kickoff at their 37 yard line and wasted little time getting on the board. The Roby linemen opened good holes for tailback Britt Stuart, who carried 6 straight plays for 33 yds. and 3 first downs, setting up the Lions with a first down on the Bulldog 30 yard line. On their first down, Stuart was stopped for no gain, but on the 2nd down quarterback Mark Pope hit end Clay Smith on a 30 yd. pass play with just 3 minutes gone in the first quarter. Kenny Martin kicked the point after and the Lions led 7-0. Miles came right back with a score of their own and the score was tied at 7-7 with eleven minutes left in the 2nd quarter. Following a punt by Roby, the Lions recovered a Bulldog fumble on the Miles 20 yd. line. Again the Lions wasted little time in cashing in as Britt Stuart darted in for the score on a 5 yd. run with 4 minutes left before the half. A run attempt for 2 points was stopped and the score was 13-7 Roby.

Miles tied the score again with 5:35 left in the 3rd quarter following a Roby punt to the Bulldog 47. The Bulldog tailback broke 45 yds. for the tying points, but Roby blocked the point after kick to remain tied at 13-13. Miles kicked a 32 yard field goal following a fine defensive effort by Roby when the Bulldogs had first and goal from the Lion 9 yd. line. The field goal put Miles on top 16-13 with 6:23 left in the game. At this point the Roby linemen took control of the line of scrimmage as Roby drove 63 yds. for the winning touchdown which was culminated by Al Gonzalez's 26 yd. dash to paydirt with exactly two minutes left in the game. The point after attempt failed and the final score read 19-16 Roby. Three plays following the kickoff, Brad Wilburn intercepted a Bulldog pass and the Lions killed the remaining time with two quarterback sneaks by Mark Pope.

This was our last non-district game and hopefully will head us in the right direction for the district title chase.

Britt Stuart was our leading ground gainer with 121 yards and one TD, followed by Al Gonzalez with 59 yards and one TD. Clay Smith was our leading receiver with 1 pass for 30 yards and one TD.

Our leading tacklers were Danny Terry with 19 assisted tackles, Brad Wilburn 16 assists and one intercepted pass, Ricky Kiser 12 assists and 2 fumble recoveries, Mark Pope 1 tackle and 13 assists, Britt Stuart 14 assists, Timmy Morton 1 tackle, 10 assists and 1 fumble recovery, and Mike McGinnis one tackle, 3 assists and 1 fumble recovery.

I felt like the offensive line, consisting of Clay Smith, Ricky Kiser, Shelby Thompson, Mike McGinnis, Freddy Herrington, Danny Terry, Brad Wilburn and Greg Jennings did an excellent job this week and this was the type effort we have been needing.

We have three games scheduled for Thursday, but due to injuries on the junior high and high school teams, we have canceled the 7th grade game and the JV game. We will have an 8th grade game starting at 6:30 at Lion Field Thursday, Oct. 12.

On Friday, Oct. 13, the Roby Lions open district play by hosting Garden City. If you recall, Garden City upset Roby last year and that loss eventually cost the Lions a share of the zone championship. We need to win this one and fan support is a great motivation, so come on out and cheer the Lions to victory. The remainder of our games will start at 7:30, so come early and get a good seat, this game stacks up to be a good one.

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ROBY CUB CHEERLEADERS: Three Roby junior high girls will be leading pep squad members this year as they spur the Roby Cub football team on to victory. Left to right, Lucy Gonzalez, Regina Stewart and Kelley West.

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Roby Lions
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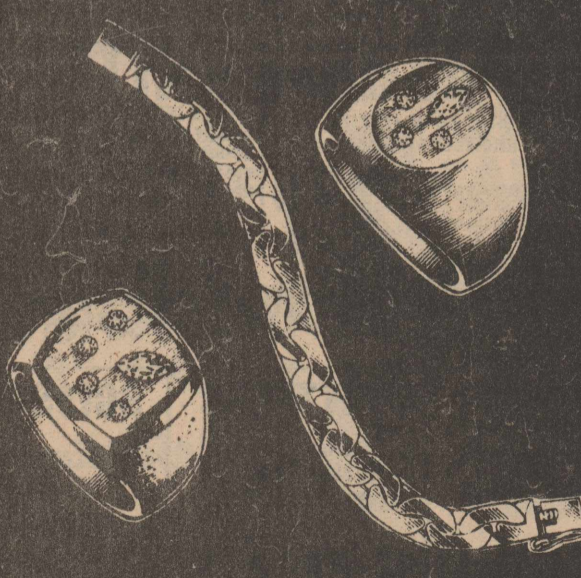
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SEPT. 29	RULE	8:00	H	6	22
OCT. 6	MILES	8:00	T	19	16
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Yellowhammers Lose To Hamlin Pipers

The Hamlin Pied Pipers remained true to past years tradition last Friday by driving a large green spike through the big orange scoring bubble inflated by the Rotan Yellowhammers over the past 4 weeks.

Rotan didn't have any trouble coasting to four lop-sided victories but stumbled last Friday night when they allowed Hamlin a 27-14 win, leaving their season record at 4-1 and

district record at 0-1. Hamlin scored with only 1:29 seconds ticked off the clock on their first possession when running back Ronald Brown rambled 51 yards on his first of three TD runs for the night.

Rotan's kickoff receiving team of Byron Weathersbee, Fred Acorn, David Posey, Greg Hayes, Willie Hayes, Robert Posey, Blake Hale, Bob McArthur, Eli Sepeda and

Mark Henderson formed a pocket, allowing Keith Mullins to advance the ball to the 42 yard line. On the opening offensive play Hamlin snagged the first of 4 interceptions for the night, but Rotan got the ball back after putting on a devastating defensive fight. Alva West stopped an off tackle play for no gain; Willie Hayes and Eli Sepeda teamed up to stop a run up the center, then Julio Carrillo, Gary Don Harkey and Robert Posey killed Hamlin's drive and gave the offense the ball on the 21 yard line.

Disaster struck again as Hamlin recovered a fumble on Rotan's second offensive play of the night and turned it into an 8 point play.

Trailing 14-0 with 3:29 left in the opening period, Rotan settled down and on their next offensive possession drove 49 yards on 14 plays to post the first of two scores for the night.

Runs by Mullins, Acorn and Posey, plus a pass play to Mark Henderson gave Rotan possession at the one yard line. David Posey scored on a drive with 1:06 left in the first period, but the extra point failed giving Hamlin a 14-6 lead.

Willie Hayes recovered a Hamlin fumble in the 2nd quarter and Jacinto Reyes pulled down a Hamlin pass in the end zone as defense prevailed for the Yellowhammers. Hamlin took a 21-6 lead at halftime.

Rotan took second half kick off and marched 60 yards to a score that gave fans renewed hope that the Hammers could rebound after a shocking first half. Byron Weathersbee took the opening kickoff to the 40 yard line. Fred Acorn picked up 12 yards on two runs and Keith Mullins scampered to the Hamlin 34 yard line on two back-to-back runs. Posey passed an aerial to Greg Hayes at the 29, then Acorn turned on the after-burner on an end sweep, scoring from 29 yards out. Gary Don Harkey pulled in a Posey pass that left Rotan within 7 points of the green-clad Pipers from the East.

Hamlin came back with 6 more points in the 3rd period and neither team scored in the final period.

Offensively, Fred Acorn carried 26 times for 138 yards to lead all Hammer runners. Mullins had 9 carries for 42 yards, David Posey carried 10 times for 20 yards and Weathersbee carried 2 times for 3 yards.

Robert Posey, Mark Nowlin and Mark Cade each had quarterback sacks in the Hamlin game. Greg Hayes led all receivers with 4 snags. Mark Henderson and Gary Don Harkey each had one reception for the night.

The Hammers travel to Jim Ned this Friday for their second district contest then return home on October 20, to face Roscoe in the annual Homecoming contest.

Leisure Lodge Report

By Ima Berry

We again extend our sympathy to the Tom Simmons family in the loss of his sister, Mrs. Clara Neves of Roby.

Our thanks to the First Baptist Church for our Sunday School classes each Sunday. Also, many thanks to Overa Jones for coming each Monday morning and entertaining us.

We would like to extend an invitation to all young children to come to Leisure Lodge on Halloween for treats. Our residents plan to make the treats. We ask that the children please come early as some of our residents like to retire early. We will be looking for the little ghosts and goblins.

We welcome Mrs. Pearl Sharp who came in last Friday from Fisher County Hospital. So happy to have you Pearl.

Our out of town visitors have been Mrs. John White of Sweetwater, visiting Nancy White and Mary Lee Barker. Also visiting Mrs. Barker was Mrs. Jack Barker of Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simmons of Fort Worth visited the Tom Simmons

recently. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Simmons and family of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Etheredge of Roby.

Slats Hendon of Lubbock, Loanne Morris of McCamey and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Graham and sons all visited Viola Hendon.

Mrs. Iris Davis of Memphis, Texas and Mrs. Virdie Adkins of Phoenix, Ariz. visited the George Hudnalls. They are neices of Mrs. Hudnall.

Katherine Vaughn of Ralls and Marie Vaughn of Pecos visited Maudie Moize.

Ina Harris enjoyed visits from both her sons, Leon of Gainville, and Joe Doughlas, of Louisiana.

Guess this is about all our news for this week. Everyone come see us.

Dr. Callan Is Chairman For Bill Clements

Gubernatorial candidate Bill Clements today announced that Dr. Maurice Callan is serving as the Fishr County chairman for the Bill Clements for Governor Campaign.

"Clements campaign organizations have now been established in all of the state's 254 counties. This is an unprecedented accomplishment in a Republican gubernatorial campaign in this stae," Clements said.

"And, it points up the fact that my campaign is not a one-party effort. My candidacy is attracting Democrats, Independents and Republicans alike this year because Texans are realizing that the governor's race is not a case of Democrats versus Republicans, but a case of conservatives versus liberals," he added.

"This statewide organization clearly shows the strong momentum of my campaign and the widespread support for my candidacy," he stated.

"Many Texans realize that my opponent is a liberal, as shown by the 300 percent increase in the size of his staff and the 600 percent increase in his budget during his term as attorney general. His record speaks for itself and it clearly says that is not a good manager of the taxpayer's dollars," Clements said.

"Texans want another conservative governor in Austin-like they have always had--and they want someone who will safeguard their future from excessive taxation and government spending. I am committed to that and I have proposed a Taxpayer's Bill of Rights to ensure it," Clements said.

Blood And Urine Tests To Be Offered

The Multiphasic Health Clinic conducted by Texas Department of Health, Public Health Region 4 Nursing Staff will be held Monday, October 16, at the Firehall in Roby. Screening will be done for high blood pressure and anemia. Blood and urine tests will also be offered. Clinic hours are 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, and 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

An Immunization Clinic will be held from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. on the same date at the Firehall. Please bring current immunization records for your children.

McCaulley 4 H Club Elect Officers

McCaulley 4-H club met for their first meeting of the year, elected officers and discussed plans for the coming year. Future meetings will be held in the high school gym the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30 P.M. Officers for 1978-79 Tami Jeffrey-President, James Jeffrey-Vice President, Rita Wilkerson-Secretary and Treasurer, Shiela Jeffrey-Reporter, Britt Jeffrey-Parliamentarian.

SAURDAY OCTOBER 14, 1978 10:30 A.M. STITH CO-OP GIN YARD [JONES COUNTY]

Located 6 miles North of Tye, Texas on F.M. Road 707. Then 3 miles West on F.M. Road 605. This is a "Farm Equipment" Reduction sale for: Richard Cooley, Glen Bickwell, Douglass Bagley, O.D. Pool, Calvin Cooley and Vonday Davis.

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HOBBS CHEERLEADERS: Left to right, Tonya Porter, Paula Martin, June Martinez, Mascot-Julie Martin, and Irma Medrano.

Hobbs Students Named To Honor Roll

The following Hobbs students were listed on the honor roll, for the first six weeks.
4th grade, A Honor Roll:

Cheila Clawson, B Honor Roll: Lisa Alaniz, Paul Hyer, Lolly Whitworth, Georgia Wright, Murray

Wright.
5th grade B Honor Roll, Eloisa Medina.
6th grade B Honor Roll: Melodie Way.

7th grade A Honor Roll: Teresa Cantu, Matt Martinez. B Honor Roll, Doug Anderle.

8th grade A Honor Roll: Lisa Martinez. B Honor Roll: Larry Phillips Cristie Price.
9th grade B Honor Roll: Jay Anderle, Sylvia Alaniz, Traci Eldredge, Lynn Hyer, Michael Porter.
10th grade A Honor Roll: Delinda Teel. B Honor Roll: Nancy Martinez.
11th grade B Honor Roll: Jeff Anderle, Raymond Cantu, Anita Hyer, Julie Martin, June Mar-



CAREER LEARNING CENTER: Three Hobbs students are participating in the career learning center program provided by the Region 14 Service Center in Abilene. The program was originally developed by Pat Hamric, counselor at Rotan, Roby and Hobbs and is now being used by all schools in the Big Country. Hobbs students at the learning stations are, left to right, Diana Alaniz, Teresa Ratliff, and Teresa Cantu.

12th grade A Honor Roll: Tonya Porter, Patty Martinez, Delores Teel, Todd White, Wayne Jones.

12th grade A Honor Roll: Kathy Hull, Judy Medrano, Debra Teel, Everett Simmons.



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Hobbs Pigskin Talk

By Mickey Early

Hobbs 16-Southland 6, how sweet it is. We were very glad to open up district play with our first victory. We now stand 2-2 for the season and 1-0 in district play. We scored both touchdowns from scrimmage play on a 4yd. run by Wayne Jones and a 60 yd. run by Wayne Jones. I was extremely pleased with our running game this week as Jones ran extremely well. Southland spent all night totally keying on Jones and he still ran for over 150 yards. I was disappointed in our passing game, however. We had men wide open all night and could not deliver the ball.

Offensively, we are improving every game. We proved we could run the ball for the first time this year.

Defensively, we stood solid, only giving up yardage due to silly mistakes or poorly missed tackles. These being things we can correct as long as we play good tough football, and we can hit as good as any team.

We allowed too many deep pass patterns to get behind our secondary, but our rushing defenders (like Dennis Wright, Walter Cave and Jeff Anderle) put enough pressure on the quarterback, and they did not complete any passes. We had an interference call on the 20 yd. line by one secondary man which set Southland up on the goal line. These are mistakes due to inexperience and we are correcting these game by game. Wayne Jones intercepted a pass at the goal line to stop one drive by Southland. We had 4 penetrations that we failed to score on.

Johnny Medrano came up with a big play, killing a long punt on the 3 yd. line, and Benny Medrano made a great saving tackle on Southland's splitend on a 50 yd. run.

This week is the week we play the dog of the district. The Mad Dog that is Hermleigh. They are rated 2nd in the area, first in the district, and should be rated first in state, but they have to play us this week and that is all that is important to us. I feel that we can defensively play very well against them and I plan to work hard on our offense this week to prepare us to score against them. They have an extremely fine football team--so do we.

Junior High
I failed to mention last week that our young junior high won its first football game last week against Hermleigh 18-12. Doug Anderle and Larry Phillips

led the charge as Anderle scored from 40 yds. out and Phillips scored on a one yd. drive. We are very young in junior high with little experience, but we are growing and learning and that is what it is all about anyway.

I talked with Jim Ratliff on the phone after the Southland game and he said that he should be able to leave the Abilene Hospital in 4 or 5 weeks with hard work and long hours of therapy. Jim is in a body cast and Coach Eldredge reported that he may get to move around on crutches next week. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Jim and his family, and we know with the strong will of Jim and the love of God, Jim will soon be up and around. Rumor tells me that he may be chasing the nurses down the halls now.

Bill Burns Promoted To General Mgr.

Bill R. Burnes, Midland, has been promoted from Midland-Odessa area sales manager to general sales manager, Cardinal Surveys Co.

Burnes' responsibilities will cover company sales operations in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, with special emphasis on fluid movement logging.

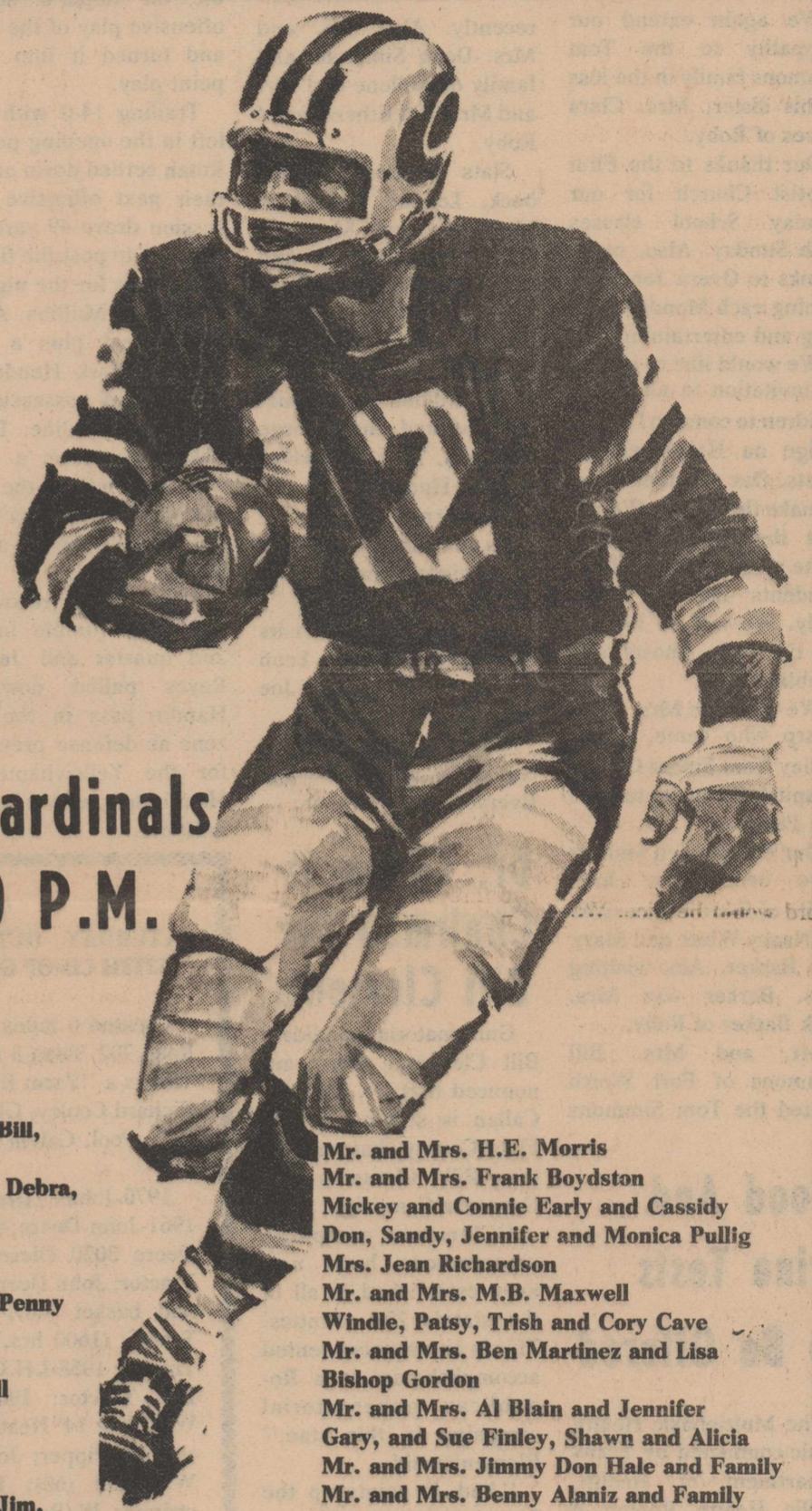
A former Texas Tech University student and marketing-management graduate of Angelo State University, Burnes joined Cardinal in Jan., 1976, after serving as Permian Basin industrial relations manager for a major oilfield equipment manager. He also is a former management instructor at Midland College.

HOBBS PANTHERS

Game Time & Place

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SEPT. 15	BRYSON	8:00	T	0	14
SEPT. 22	LEUDERS-AVOCA	8:00	T	12	32
OCT. 6	SOUTHLAND	7:00	H	16	6
OCT. 13	HERMLEIGH	7:00	T		
OCT. 20	OPEN				
OCT. 28	IRA	7:00	H		
NOV. 3	TRENT	7:00	H		
NOV. 10	HIGHLAND	7:00	T		
NOV. 17	MCCAULLY	7:00	H		

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ORANGE STREAKS

By Don Mullins.



We graded high enough to win, but the score read 27-14 in favor of Hamlin. Costly turnovers at the right time enabled Hamlin to take advantage to win the first district ball game. We graded 74 percent on offense which is normally high enough to win, several won offensive awards for their play, but it was not enough to win. Offensively, Keith Mullins, Fred Acorn, Bob McArthur and Greg Hayes graded high on offense.

Defensively, we did not have a very good night. We simply could not stop Hamlin when we had to. They didn't do anything we weren't ready for, but they did a good job blocking us at the right time. Willie Hayes led the defense with a score of 58, followed closely by David Posey with a 57. Gary Harkey followed with a 47, Robert Posey had 39, and Alva West was 5th with a 33. West, Jacinto Reyes and Willie Hayes all had turnovers, West and Willie had a fumble and Jacinto intercepted a pass.

Fred Acorn still had a good night with 138 yards and a touchdown. Robert Posey scored the other TD on a one yard sneak. Gary Harkey scored 2 extra points on a pass, to end our scoring.

It was one of those games you would like to play over, but we must forget it and start over again this week on our preparation for Jim Ned. We still have half of the season to go and a 9-1 record would be nice. We can still win or share the district if we don't lose any more and with the way football goes, we still have a good chance of winning it out right.

Jim Ned is a young team that likes to throw the football. They are averaging 150 yards per game through the air. We must pay a lot of attention to our secondary this week to defend against the pass. Our JV and Jr. High play here Thursday against Jim Ned, starting at 5 p.m.

Jr. High Report
Last week the seventh grade rolled over the Pipers from Hamlin 36-0.

Charles Adkins did a great job offensively and defensively for the Hammers. He caught two touchdown passes from Greg Gruben. Troy Daniels, also an improving offensive player, crossed the goal line three times. Daniels scored from 4 yds. and 79 yds. away, then returned a punt 65 yds. for his last touchdown. Randy Martinez, Sammy Turner, and Greg Gruben added 2 point conversions. The defensive unit is to be commended also as they held Hamlin to one first down.

In the eighth grade game, Roger Hooper unleashed a 50 yd. punt return for the first score of the game. With 13 seconds left in the first quarter, Hooper exploded up the middle for a 43 yd. TD. In

the second quarter Hamlin scored on a 4 yd. run around the end to make it 12-6. The Hammers regained the ball and drove it down field then Hooper again carried the ball across from 19 yds. out. Dennis Warren added the 2 point conversion. This ended the half at 20-6.

As we opened the second half of play, we carried the ball five times then Hooper unleashed another long run of 49 yds. to score. Benny Lopez added the conversion. Hamlin then got the ball and drove it down to score to make it 28-12. With 2 minutes left in the third period, Warren threw a pass to Felipe Sanchez, good for a 27 yd. touchdown. In the final quarter the Hammers scored again with Hooper taking the ball on our own 14 yd. line and running 86 yds. for the TD. Hamlin got the ball for the last time and scored with 4 seconds remaining on the clock. As the clock ran out, the score was Rotan 40 and Hamlin 18.

Rotan JV Report

The Rotan Yellowhammer JV traveled to Hamlin, Thursday, Oct. 5. The Yellowhammers scored a come from behind 24-14 victory over the Pied Pipers. Cecil Turner was an offensive threat for the Hammers, running for 123 yards on 11 carries. Kip Pease ran for another 88 yards on 13 carries, scoring two touchdowns and throwing for another.

Rotan trailed at the half 14-0 and came roaring back in the second half, scoring on their first drive. The score came on a one yard quarterback sneak by Pease at the end of a twelve play, seventy-four yard drive. Extra point was a pass from Pease to Cabrera.

The second score came in the fourth quarter on third down and one-inch play, from the Rotan thirty-nine yard line. The pass complete from Pease to Cabrera covered 61 yards and tied the score at 14. The extra point was made by Pease around right end.

The Pied Pipers fumbled the kick off and the ball was recovered by Moses Gonzales. The Hammers scored ten plays later, with the extra point being a pass from Pease to Cox.

Defensively for Rotan, Mark Harris, Weldon Hayes, Robert Montez, Jimmy Weatherman, and Jeff Posey played well.

The Yellowhammer JV's are now 3-0. They host the Jim Ned Indians, Thursday, Oct. 12, after the 7th and 8th grade games.

ROTAN YELLOWHAMMERS

Get out and CHEER!!!

Game Time & Place
Rotan Yellowhammers
VS.
Jim Ned Indians
Oct. 13 7:30 P.M. There

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	PLACE	WE	THEY
SEPT. 8	SPUR	8:00	T	41	14
SEPT. 15	MERKEL	8:00	H	50	15
SEPT. 22	ROCHESTER	8:00	H	63	0
SEPT. 29	ROBERT LEE	8:00	T	24	7
OCT. 6	HAMLIN	7:30	H	14	27
OCT. 13	JIM NED	7:30	T		
OCT. 20	ROSCOE	7:30	H		
NOV. 3	ALBANY	7:30	T		
NOV. 10	BAIRD	7:30	H		
NOV. 17	HAWLEY	7:30	T		



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We wish to extend our deepest sympathy the family of Mrs. Vevie Barnes. May God be with you during this time of sorrow.

Mr. Jack Hale is in the Fisher County Hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Monday, the patients enjoyed the piano playing of Mrs. Jones and the singing of Mrs. John Cox and Mrs. Charles Rollins.

We want to welcome Mrs. Roy Nash back to play dominoes with us.

Wednesday's bingo winners were Mr. John Cox, Mrs. Thaddie Wilson, Mrs. Florence Hale, Mr. Rector Brown, Mrs. Lulline Blount.

Thursday, the Nazarene Church conducted our Bible Study Class.

First Baptist Church and Cross Roads Baptist Church brought our Sunday Services.

Out of town visitors this week consisted of Winnie Fay Darden of Fort Worth visiting Mrs. Lillie Terrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Cas Lightfoot of Crane visited with Mrs. Joe Reed.

Loel Forrest of Snyder visited Mr. John Cox.

Mrs. Roberta Barnes was visited by J.W. Franklin of Lubbock.

Now that school is well

underway, I would like to extend an invitation to any club, organization or group to entertain at Fisher County Nursing Home. The residents love to watch the children.

Thank you very much.

"One thing about kindness--the more of it you give, the richer you become".

See you next week.

Weather

From the Record of FRED BYERLY
Rotan Weather Observer

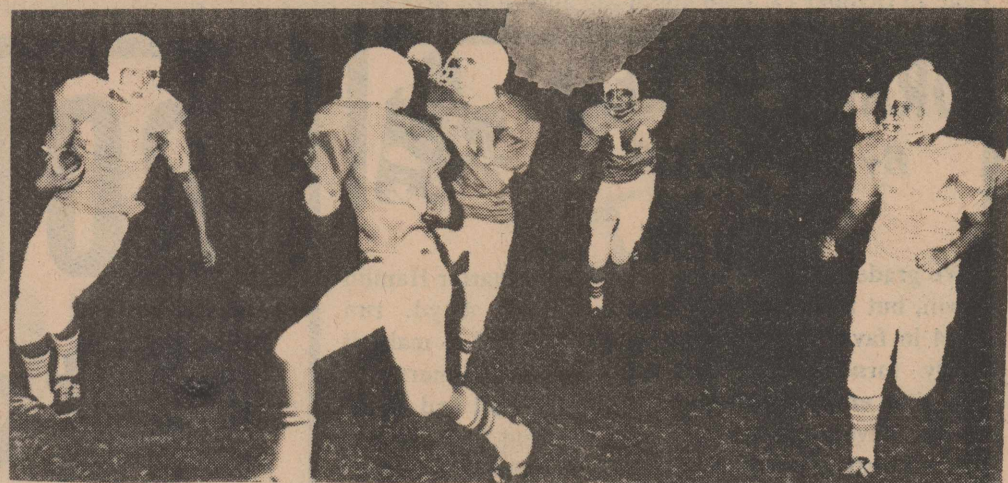
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Wed.4		86	52
Thu.5		85	60
Fri.6		72	60
Sat.7		80	59
Sun.8		76	55
Mon.9		81	64
Precipitation to date:			
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Card of Thanks

I'd like to take this means to say Thank You to my friends for all the cards, phone calls, flowers, gifts and visits during my stay at Methodist Hospital.

Every act of kindness was deeply appreciated.

Leota Edwards



ROTAN SEVENTH GRADE GAME: The Rotan 7th grade Hammers defeated Hamlin last Thursday. Extreme left, Benny Lopez No. 40, gains yardage for the Hammers.

Public Notices

I, Billie L. Holcomb, Tax Assessor-Collector for the Roby Independent School District, in accordance with the provisions of Section 20.03 (c) of the Texas Education Code have calculated the maximum tax rate which may be adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Roby Independent School District without holding a public hearing as required by Section 20.03 (d) of the Texas Education Code.

That rate is as follows: \$1.70 per \$100 of assessed value.

Billie L. Holcomb
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