

# Roby Star-Record

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## ROTAN ADVANCE

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### Jill Posey Going To State 4-H Food Show

Jill Posey of Rotan was a first-place winner in the District III 4-H Food Show Saturday, in Wichita Falls. As a top winner at the district level, she will compete in the State 4-H Food Show in College Station in June.

Miss Posey, 14 years of age, is a freshman at Rotan High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Posey, and has been in 4-H Club six years.

The 4-H'er won top place in the main dish class of the senior division with "Sicilian Meat Roll".

Winning second place and a blue ribbon in the senior division were Joyce Lynn Harkey in the breads and desserts class and Julie Posey in the side dish class.

Juniors winning blue ribbons were Jan Posey in snacks and beverage class; Julie Pease in breads and desserts class; and Janell Vaughn in main dish class.

The 4-Hers were accompanied to Wichita Falls by parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vaughn, Mrs. Kim Pease, Mrs. Tom Harkey and Mrs. Richard Posey; also, County Extension Agent, Mrs. Alice Ballenger.



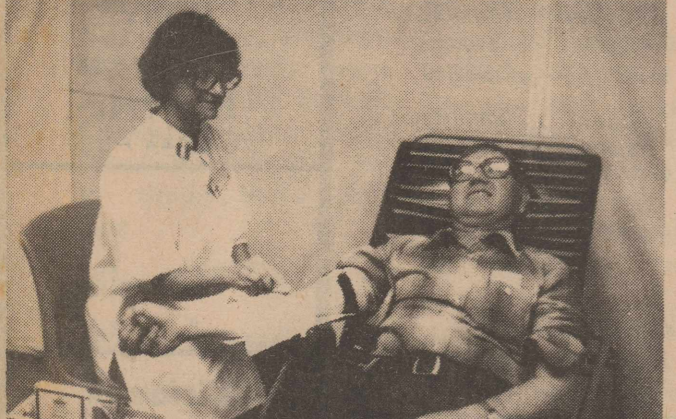
**SELLING COOKIES:** Two members of the Roby Brownie Troop were in Rotan last week selling Girl Scout Cookies. Left to right, Margaret Billingsley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Billingsley, and Tina McClure, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dudley McClure.

### Conrad Hamric Named New C.A.R. Registrar

Conrad Hamric won Children of The American Revolution State Registrar election at the state convention March 7-9, at San Antonio Marriott Hotel. He won over Charles Herbert of Richardson in the state election. Swearing in ceremonies were held Sunday morning after the Memorial Service at the Alamo.

Conrad served as C.A.R. State Chairman of the C.A.R.-S.A.R. committee and was required to report to the delegates Saturday, concerning his activities this year. He was required to participate in a workshop at Dallas in August to explain his contests, but he was unable to attend the August workshop in Houston since school had started for him. His senior C.A.R.-S.A.R. was Mr. Almer Angle of Houston.

In the Anne Pettus Shelburne chapter of C.A.R., Conrad has served as treasurer, vice-president, secretary-treasurer, historian, scrapbook chairman, publicity chairman, conservation chairman, and American Indian chairman.



**GIVING BLOOD:** Glen Gruben was one of the 40 Fisher County residents who gave blood last Friday during the first Red Cross County Blood Drive.

### Jury Duty Exemptions For Elderly

Fisher County residents, age 65 and over, can claim permanent exemption from jury duty, according to Eula Mae Hull, District Clerk, by simply filling out a form available at the County Courthouse.

The names placed in the jury wheel are normally recorded in August of each year. Persons age 65 or older can complete the necessary paperwork to become exempt at the office of District Clerk Eula Mae Hull or County Clerk Geneva Perkins.

### Hobbs Talent Show Set For March 21st

The annual Hobbs Talent Show will be held Friday, March 21, at 7:30 p.m. There will be 3 divisions with first and second place trophies awarded in each division.

The show will be held at the Hobbs School, admission is \$2.00 for adults and \$1.50 for students.

Those interested can call Cherry Eldredge at 735-2484 days or 735-3329 nights for more information.

The Hobbs seniors will sponsor a pancake supper from 5:00 p.m. til 7:00 p.m. in the Hobbs School Cafeteria. Cost is \$2.00 for adults and \$1.50 for students.

### Masonic Lodge Covered Dish Dinner Set

The members of the Rotan Masonic Lodge #956 and Rotan Eastern Star Chapter will host a covered dish supper on Saturday, March 15, beginning at 7:00 p.m.

All Master Masons, their families, and guests, and all Eastern Star members, their families, and guests are invited to attend.

District Deputy Ellis Carter of the 78th Masonic District, Grand Lodge of Texas, will be presenting a film entitled "This Is Free Masonry".

### Roby Board Accepts Resignation

The members of the Roby School Board accepted the resignation of Janet Callan at their regular meeting last Monday and appointed Roy Noles as a member of the Roby School District Equalization Board, according to Superintendent Jimmie Laurie.

Janet Callan has been teaching 7th and 8th grade language arts and reading. She resigned and plans to move to Aspermont.

In other business the board approved the text book committee report; approved the tri-county policies for 1980-81; and approved the monthly school tax report.

The board re-hired all teachers for the 1980-81 school year and adopted the school calendar for next year.

### Roby Lions Land Members On 10B All District Squads

The following players were named to the 1979-80 All District 10-B, North zone boys and girls teams.

Boys: Darlene Herron, junior, Roby; Mary Nell Clayton, sophomore, Roby; Barbara Coleman, junior, McCaulley; Barbara Leatherwood, junior, Hermleigh; Delinda Tee, junior, Hobbs.

Honorable mention: Jill Wright, junior, Roby; Tana Mauldin, sophomore, Roby; Mary Ellen, freshman, Hobbs; Lori Maberry, junior, McCaulley; Jackie Williamson, junior, Hermleigh; Julie Roemish, senior, Herm-

leigh.

Boys: Greg Jennings, senior, Roby; Mark Pope, junior, Roby; Walter Cave, junior, Hobbs; Chip Roe-

mish, senior, Hermleigh; Williams, senior, Herm-

leigh. Honorable mention: Fuentez, senior, Hermleigh;

James Jeffrey, senior, McCaulley; Fernando Ramero, senior, McCaulley; Rodriquez, senior, Hermleigh.



**CALF SCRAMBLE WINNER:** Spencer Houston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Houston of Rotan, won a calf scramble certificate during the recent Houston Livestock Show. Left to right, Olen Fryar, Rotan Ag teacher, Houston, and sponsor Mike Barber of 86 Inc.

### Catholic Supper Set For Saturday

The members of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Rotan will have a "Mexican Supper" this Saturday night, March 15, from 5:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m., according to church officials.

The public is cordially invited to attend the supper. The price for dishes will be \$3.00 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12 years old. The supper will be held in Parish Hall.

### Rotan Student Awarded U.T. Fellowship

Marselina Yanez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Yanez of Rotan will graduate in May from University of Texas at Austin with a Bachelor of Science degree in Home Economics.

Miss Yanez has received a \$4,500 Fellowship to The University of Texas Graduate School to obtain a Master of Arts degree in child development.

### Regina Pearson Named To All District Team

Three members of the girls 8A Rotan basketball team received All-District recognition for their performance during the 1979-80 season, according to Head Coach John Blair.

Senior player Regina

Pearson was voted to the first team as a guard. She was the third top vote-getter in the district, according to Blair. Regina Pearson was the top scorer of the Rotan squad and the only player to receive a

spot on either the 8A first or second team All District squad.

Senior Ramona Pearson and sophomore Rocky Garza were each recognized for their play with All District honorable mentions.

### Volleyball Tourney Set

The Rotan Young Farmers have set their volleyball tournament for April 3, 4, and 5th. There will be three divisions; men's, women's and mixed with trophies given to the top three teams in each division.

Deadline for receipt of entries is April 1st. Entry fee is \$25.00 per team. Businesses are urged to participate by sponsoring teams.

To enter a team contact either Stanley Edwards at

735-3514, William Cleveland, Jr. 735-3237, or Ronnie Teichelman 735-3301. When entering a team please leave a

number of team member to be contacted to receive information of the time of that team's participation in the tournament.

### McCaulley Tournament

The McCaulley junior and senior classes are sponsoring an outsiders basketball tournament on March 29, 30 and 31. Entry fee is \$25.00 per team. The deadline for

entering is March 21. The first eight teams to enter will be accepted. Everyone is welcome to organize a team and enter. For more information call the school at 915-962-5591.



**100 YARD DASH:** Byron Weathersbee, center, finished in 4th place in the 100 yard dash behind sprinters for Hamlin, Knox City and Stamford at last Saturday's Anson Relays.

## Stenholm Favors Cutting Revenue Sharing

The members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court met for a short meeting last Monday morning. During the meeting Fisher County Judge Marshal Bennett informed the court of a letter he had written Congressman Charles Stenholm concerning the continuation of Federal Revenue Sharing monies.

Stenholm's reply to Judge Bennett was read to the members of the court and is printed in its entirety below.

"Dear Honorable Bennett: Thank you very much for your recent letter in which you expressed support continuing the program of general revenue sharing, which expires September 30, 1980. I

appreciate hearing from you on this subject.

I personally believe that the states' share of revenue sharing should be terminated. Currently, a great number of states have large surpluses, while the Federal debt is growing greater every day. At a time when many Americans have expressed a desire for a cut in

Federal spending, I believe that this is a luxury we can no longer afford.

I fully agree and do appreciate that counties and cities do, as a whole, make good use of the funds. The fact remains, however, that the Federal Government is sharing funds it does not have. These funds, are in part, deficit funds paid for with

"printed money". I believe this printed money is a real contributor to inflation, our number one economic problem.

You may be interested to know that when the people of the 17th District were polled on the question of continuing revenue sharing, about 40 percent favored the continuation, and 40 percent opposed.

I do appreciate hearing from you on this very important issue. It is my opinion that revenue sharing for State and Local governments will continue for at least two more years and probably longer. With best wishes, I remain

Sincerely yours,  
Charles W. Stenholm

Member of Congress

In other action the court members rejected a bid from the C.H. Christian Construction Company for \$65,000 for constructing a bridge in Precinct # 3.

Commissiones discussed a parks and wildlife hearing, Blue Cross-Blue Shield coverage and individual school board elections.





CROSSES FINISH LINE: Paula Terry crossed the finish line first at the Roby Relays held last Saturday.

## Roby Girls Track First

The Roby girls' track team took first place at their first track meet at the Roby Relays.

### Results

440 Relay: Gonzalez, West, Terry, Mauldin, 2nd, 57.7.

880 Relay: Gonzalez, West, Terry, Clayton, 1st, 1:59.8.

Mile Relay: West, Lovett, Faight, Clayton 2nd, 4:40.8.

880 Run: Lovett, 3rd 2:53.7; Mauldin, 4th, 3:02.4.

220 Dash: Clayton, 1st, 27.6 (new track meet record).

440 Dash: Faight, 1st, 67.25.

100 Meter Hurdles: Hoodenpyle, 4th, 19.0.

100 Meter Dash: Gonzalez, 3rd, 14.5; Terry, 4th, 14.52; Hataway, 6th, 14.7.

Mile Run: Cheryl Wright, 3rd, 6:44.2.

Triple Jump: Clayton, 1st, 34-5.

Long Jump: Clayton 1st, 17-11; West, 6th, 13 ft.

Shot Put: Herron, 5th, 26 1/2.

Discus: Herron, 1st,

95-3.

Mary Nell Clayton was high point girl individual.

I am real pleased with the girls' hard effort they have put out so far. They are a hard working group of girls that have a lot of ability and speed.

## Rotan High

## Honor Roll

The following Rotan students were named to the High School honor roll, 4th six weeks:

Seniors: Gary Don Harkney, Julie Posey, Eli Sepeda, Cindy Williams, Ginger Green.

Juniors: Dale Cox, Byron Weathersbee, Keith Blair, Angela Pack.

Sophomore: Laura Gruben.

Freshmen: Spencer Houston, Jana Smith, Darrin Leverton.

National Gypsum Company today announced that the Department of Justice has dismissed criminal price fixing charges

against National Gypsum and three other gypsum manufacturers.

R.E. Scifres, chairman and chief executive officer of National Gypsum stated, "I am very pleased by the action which the government has taken in dropping these charges. National Gypsum has continually maintained its innocents of the price fixing charges and this move is a vindication of our position."

The dismissal also involves a settlement with the Internal Revenue Service of proposed tax deficiencies arising from settle-

ment payments made by the four gypsum com-

panies in the private, treble-damage gypsum antitrust cases concluded in 1973. The company stated that the payment of the tax settlement was anticipated by a provision of approximately \$2.4 million charged against the company's 1979 results of operation.

Commenting upon the dismissal and tax settlement, Mr. Scifres stated, "In the judgment of the company, the cost of further litigation with the

Department of Justice and with the Internal Revenue Service, coupled with the significant amounts of management attention

which would have been required, was not in the best interests of the company's stockholders."

## School Menu

March 17-21, 1980

Rotan

Monday: Breakfast: Fruit, Lunch Meat, Bread, Milk. Lunch: Fried Fish W/Tarter Sauce, Potato Salad, Buttered Green Peas, Orange Wedge, Hot Rolls, Butter, Peanut Butter Cake, Milk.

Tuesday: Breakfast: Juice, Buttered Toast, Applesauce, Milk. Lunch: Seasoned Pinto Beans, French Fries W/Catsup, Buttered Corn, Cabbage Slaw, Corn Bread, Butter, Fruit, Milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast: Juice, Cold Cereal, Milk. Lunch: Turkey, Dressing and Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Hot Rolls, Butter, Fruit Jello W/Whipped Cream, Milk.

Thursday: Breakfast: Juice, Donut, Milk. Lunch: Meat Loaf W/Catsup, Whipped Potatoes, Seasoned Blackeyed Peas, Carrot-Raisin Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Cake, Milk.

Friday: Breakfast: Juice, Buttered Rice with Sugar, Milk. Lunch: Hamburger, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, and Onions, Pork & Beans, Potato Chips, Chocolate Pudding, Milk.

## Rotan Girls

## Place 6th

The Rotan girls varsity track team finished in 6th place last Saturday at the Stamford Relays.

Rocky Garza took two 5th place finishes in both the 440 dash and triple jump. Laura Gruben was 5th in the 880 meter run.

Katy Lopez took 6th in the mile run with a time of 6:53.0.

The 440 relay team was 5th with a time of 56.57. That team consists of Elisa Carrillo, Kellie Pease, Pat Martinez and Rocky Garza.

The mile relay team was 5th with a time of 4:48.0. The mile team is made up of Elisa Carrillo, Kellie Pease, Laura Gruben and Rocky Garza.

## Fisher County

The warmer weather has brought an increase of out of town visitors to Fisher County Nursing Home. We are all looking forward to Spring.

Visiting Mrs. Cordie Wade were several ladies from Hamlin. The group included Mrs. Orville Hill, Mrs. Mabel White, Mrs. Wallace and Sybil Wade.

Judge and Mrs. Wayland Holt from Snyder were in Roby to visit with Mrs. Addie Scott.

Mrs. Neda Kiser's sisters Mrs. Floyd McLain of Sylvester and Mrs. Luther Maberry of McCaulley were here several times to visit with Mrs. Kiser.

Mrs. Billy Duckworth and Mrs. Robert Duckworth of Roby visited with Mrs. Emma Howard and took her out to lunch.

Dove Blevins was visited by his sister, and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Stephens of Abilene.

Guests of Homer Lawlis were Lucille Biers of Sweetwater and Woodrow Lawlis of Sylvester.

Visiting Rector Brown were Mrs. Alva Lauderdale of Jayton and Mrs. Ozella Montgomery of Seminole.

Come by to see us any time, you're always welcome.



PARTICIPATE IN ROBY RELAYS: Roby girls relay team, left to right, Mary Nell Clayton, Paula Terry, Kristi West, and Lucy Gonzalez.

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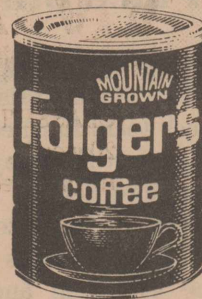
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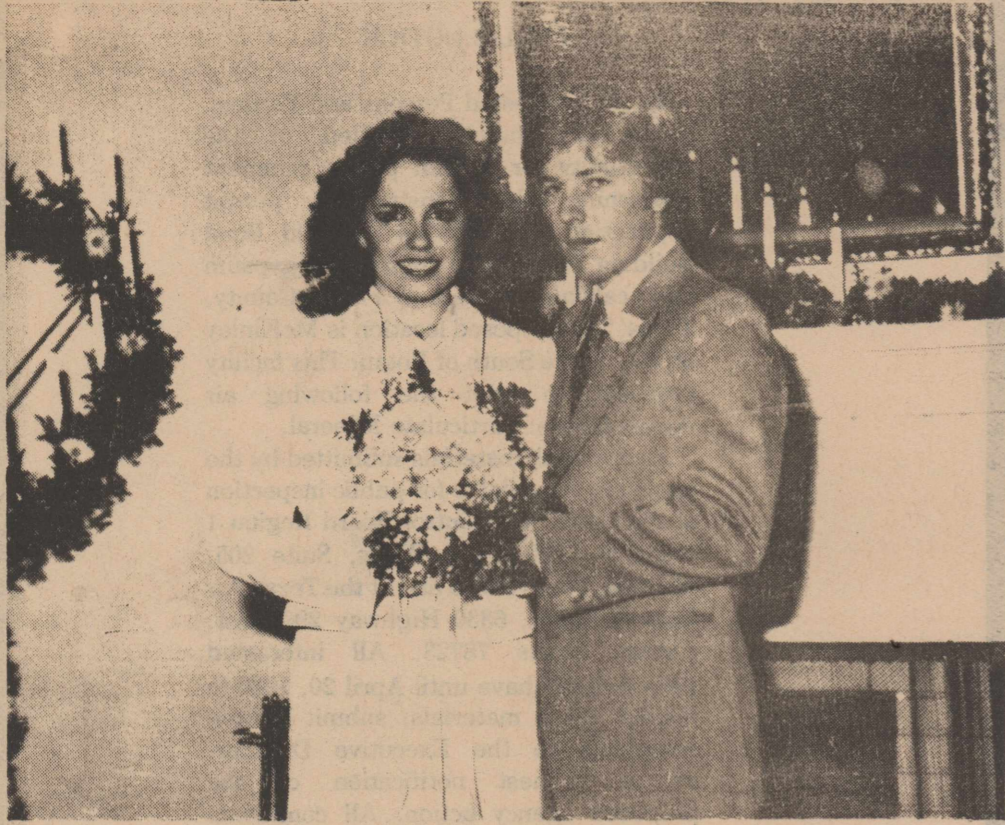


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## Debra Kay Zetzman And Michael V. Terry United

Mr. and Mrs. Michael V. Terry are at home north of Sweetwater, following their marriage Feb. 10 at 2 p.m. in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and

Mrs. Bob Zetzman, 301 Bowie, Sweetwater. The Rev. Charles Reece, pastor of First Christian Church, led the couple in pledging double ring vows.

The bride is the former Debra Kay Zetzman and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Terry of Roby.

Vows were read before an improvised altar in front of the fireplace.

The mantle of the fireplace was framed with greenery touched with yellow daisies and centered with white candles in an arched setting. Flanking the fireplace were round candle holders entwined with greenery and adorned with yellow daisies and holding white tapers.

### Golden Haven Home News

There have been many out of town visitors to Golden Haven Home this week. This always shortens our weeks, and brightens our days, so keep those visits coming.

Visiting Mrs. Eula Williamson was her daughter, Mattie Lou Davis, from Sweetwater.

Mrs. Ezell Whitten was visited by Mrs. Velma Reed from Sylvester and Mr. and Mrs. Creston Whitten of Midland.

Empress Adams of Kermit visited with Mrs. Elizabeth Kingsfield.

Visiting Mrs. Bessie Scott were Mrs. Ruth Brown, Mrs. Martha Williams, and Mrs. Roberta Ford, all of Sylvester.

Mrs. Lena Comeaux of Abilene visited both Saturday and Sunday afternoons with Mrs. Martha Headstream.

Mrs. Lois Scherwitz of Sweetwater was the guest of Mrs. Johnnie Mulanax.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Weems, Mary Posey and Wilda Leach, all of Rotan, visited with Maebell Ogden.

Ike, Cora and Jiggs Roberts, all of Sylvester, visited with Ed Roberts.

Visiting Mrs. Lois Henry were Mrs. B.K. Newhouse of Sylvester and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Dennis of Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis also visited Mrs. Ava Nell Dennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meek and boys of Sylvester were in Roby to visit with Mrs. Letha Meek.

Guests of Mr. John Brown were Mr. and Mrs. Stan Brown of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Brown of Rotan.

Mrs. Dana McReynolds was visited by Mr. and Mrs. Ode Levens of Hamlin and Mrs. Vera Mann of Rotan.

New resident of Golden Haven Home is Mrs. Susie Diddle. Mrs. Diddle, who was born in McClendon County, is a longtime resident of Fisher County. Visiting with Mrs. Diddle were Mr. and Mrs. M.A. Folk, Tammy Folk and Stephen of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. C.T. Meachum of Amarillo, Jerri Flint of Madill, Okla., Gene Diddle of Sweetwater and Mrs. Viola Kennedy of McCaulley.

Come by to see us anytime. We always love company.

When the newlyweds departed the bride was wearing a white linen pant suit. During the spring school break the couple will be in Colorado for their honeymoon.

The bride will be a 1980 graduate of Sweetwater High School. The bridegroom is a 1977 graduate of Roby High School and is engaged in farming and ranching.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose for her wedding a white three piece suit. She carried an arrangement of white and yellow daisies surrounded in greenery and tied with white satin ribbons.

The bride's honor attendant was Sherri Garrett. She wore a brown and beige three piece suit and wore a corsage of yellow daisies and roses.

Best man to the bridegroom was his brother Danny.

Following the ceremony the Zetzman home was setting for the reception.

The bride's table was laid in white and centered with the two tiered

wedding cake which was supported by tall white columns. The case was trimmed with yellow roses and topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. Crystal candle holders held yellow candles and a white milk glass vase held yellow roses. Completing the decorations was the bride's bouquet. Silver and crystal appointments were used to serve the cake, nuts, mints and punch.

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### Two File Late For Elected Posts

There were two late filings in races last week. Ada Jo Brashers of Roby filed for the Fisher County Hospital Board and Connie McQueen filed for a place on the Rotan City Council.

## Rotan Council Postpones Meeting Until Friday

The meeting of the Rotan City Council, originally scheduled for last Tuesday night, March 11, was postponed until Friday night, March 14, according to City Secretary Kenneth Vann.

The purpose of the postponement was because of the illness of Mayor Lester Sescil.

At the Friday meeting, the council will approve minutes of past regular and special meetings, discuss the police department, open bids on a new police vehicle, and hear a report on the Rotan Community Center.

The council will also discuss project reports on the Rotan pool, park, taxes and the 1980 election.

Council members will also discuss dangerous buildings and hear commission reports.

### Rotan Honor Roll

The following students were named to the Rotan Junior High honor roll:

5th Grade: Jenna Thornton, Kelley Thompson, Lousinda Ramirez, Raeford Hargrove.

6th Grade: Rocky Roberts, Joe Mike Sparks.

7th Grade: Tony Gruben, Sonia Carrillo.

8th Grade: Maury Gruben, Robin Harris, Dixie Smith.

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**SALE:** World Book Encyclopedia, dryer, refrigerator, 2 sofas, and chair. Roby First Baptist Youth selling for their Spring retreat, 776-2159, see at Baptist parsonage, Roby. 4-1tp

**FOR SALE:** AKC cocker spaniel puppies, \$90. Call 735-2087 or 735-2091. 4-1tc

**FOR SALE:** 1979 14x72 Broadmore mobil home over \$8,000 already invested, buy equity for \$2,500. Extra nice for further information. Call 735-2912. 4-2tc

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**CAMP SPRINGS WELDING:** Portable welding, at shop or in the field. Service 24 hours. Call 573-0078. 17-tfc

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**CAKES:** Anniversary, birthday, special parties. Your favorite theme on your personal cake. Deb-rah, 776-2159. 33-tfc

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**MONUMENTS AND MARKERS:** J.B. Smith, 308 E. 4th St., Rotan, Texas, call 735-3290. 14-tfc

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Large Selection Of Art Supplies Wood Frames Macrame Supplies Art Classes: Oil Painting Tole  
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**FOR SALE:** Baby bed, solid cherry, beauty rest mattress, \$200.00; twin mattress, box spring, \$200.00, fruit jars. Mrs. Preston Morrow, Rotan, Texas. 4-1tp

**FOR RENT:** Unfurnished apartment for rent, fenced yard. Call 776-2485 or 776-2431. 49-tfc

**IF YOU COULD LOSE WEIGHT BY YOURSELF YOU WOULD HAVE DONE SO BY NOW:** Let us help. Private counseling-Mon-Fri., 8-1, 2425 College Ave., Diet Center, 573-8583, Snyder. 1-tfc

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**FREE GIFT**  
Call for your appointment for your make over, and receive a Free \$25 Gift.

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**FOR SALE:** One IBM Executive electric typewriter, \$150. The Newspaper Office, 735-2562. 1-tfp

Boot and Shoe Repair at Longhorn Leather Works, 211 Lamar, Sweetwater, next to Ken's Drive Inn Gro. Open 8 to 5:30 Monday-Friday, 8 to 12 Saturday. Call 235-4250. 2-4tc

**FARM WELDING** and X-Ray tested pipe welding and fabrication. Lee Welding Service, Roby, 776-2166. 2-tfc

**HAND MADE GIFTS:** Vera's Gift Shop. Open 9 to 11 a.m. and 1 to 5 p.m., 908 E. 8th St., Rotan. 49-tfc

**FOR SALE:** Telephone posts, will make good corner posts. Farm Tractor and Service, Inc., Rotan. 37-tfc

**NOTICE:** We buy scrap iron. Farm Tractor & Service, "Your John Deere Dealer", Rotan, Texas. 52-tfc

**THIS WEEK ONLY:** Christi Harris Cosmetics will have free make overs starting at 9:00 Thursday morning at Hinds Shoes and Apparel. 4-1tc

**NOTICE:** Tired of aching back, nervous, muscle tension, try a waterbed. From the WATERBED SHOP. Come over or see Joe Bob or Ellen Martinez at 1908 37th, Snyder, Texas. 573-5381. 1-4tc

**FOR SALE:** Fertilized bermuda grass hay, \$2.50 per bale at the barn. Some damaged bermuda grass hay suitable for garden mulch, etc. \$1.00 bale. Call 735-2376. 1-tfc

**FREE:** Five puppies, part Australian Cow Dogs to give away. Call Calvin Carriker, 776-2132. 1-tfc

**FOR SALE:** Registered polled hereford, cow and calf pairs, also yearling heifers ready to breed. Call 735-2022. 4-3tc

**STRAYED OR STOLEN:** Wed., Feb. 27, 2 miles NE of town, 6 month old female registered Doberman. Black and tan, answers to Tib. Please call 735-2921, family pet, reward. 3-tfc

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# Blue - Gold Banquet

The Cub Scouts of Hobbs School, Den 1, held their Blue and Gold Banquet Feb. 25, at the Gym Annex, in celebration of the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Cub Scouts and the 70th anniversary of the Boy Scouts.

The theme of the banquet was "Knights of Yore". Each boy displayed his shield and sword, painted during the den

## Rotan Junior High Boys Track Meet

The Rotan Junior High boys track team finished third at Forsan last Friday. They finished behind Stanton and Roscoe.

Charles Williams, Charles Adkins, Randy Martinez and Sammy Turner made up the 400 meter relay team which finished in 2nd place.

Charles Adkins, Randy Martinez, Joseph Hernandez, and Sammy Turner made up the 1200 meter relay team that finished second, also.

Sammy Turner finished 2nd in the 100 meter dash; Charles Adkins finished 3rd in the high jump and the 400 meter dash.

Randy Martinez finished 3rd in the long jump and 800 meter run.

Charles Williams finished 1st in the 1200 meter run.

Jay Loving brought home a 6th place ribbon in the pole vault.

Our next track meet will be at Knox City on March 21.

## Roby School Will Dismiss On Friday

Roby Schools will be dismissed at 2:30 Friday, March 14.

The students will observe Spring Break March 17 through March 21.

meetings. Some of the boys chose authentic replicas of shields of knights of the Middle Ages, as researched by their leader, Mrs. Jimmy Don Hale; other boys' shields were original, just in case one could make up his own shield). The authentic designs from the 1200's, as selected from Boutell's Heraldry, were of the DeBohun, DeQuincy, and DeLa Rivers families, displayed by Travis Hale, Matt Cave, and Aaron Porter, respectively. John Griffin placed pictures of the mythical animal "Griffin" on his shield. For a bit of authenticity, Jackie Medina placed a chevron on his azure shield, while Shawn Finley chose a "Fess Gules" or red bar across his shield. Ricky Martin and Tony Medina chose their own designs but on authentic colored backgrounds—azure and or, blue and gold.

The "Knight's Code" as given in Scouting Magazine, November, was displayed on a table, it was on a blue background with gold letters. Consented, it read: Be always ready, Defend the poor, Do nothing to offend, Be prepared to fight for your country, Win honor and a name for honesty, Never break your promise, Work cheerfully. This code is consistent with the principles of scouting.

The boys had previously seen a filmstrip on knight-hood at one of the meetings and some have read the primary-level

book "Knights of the Middle Ages". They heard the record of "King Arthur and The Knights of the Round Table", also.

Badges were presented as follows: Bobcat, Shawn Finley, John Griffin and Aaron Porter; Wolf, Travis Hale and Ricky Martin; Bear, Matt Cave, Jackie Medina, and Tony Medina.

On hand to congratulate the Cub Scouts were parents; guests, Supt. and Mrs. M.D. Maxwell, Mr. Orville Anderle, and the Hobbs Boy Scouts, Jay and Doug Anderle, Mark Gordon, Lyle Hale, and Jeffrey Martinez.

Mr. Anderle presented the following awards to the Boy Scouts: Jay Anderle, Star; Doug Anderle, 1st Class; Jeffrey Martinez, 2nd Class; Mark Gordon, Tenderfoot.

The Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts are now preparing projects for the Scout-A-Rama to be held March 29, in Sweetwater.



SHEILDS DISPLAYED AT BLUE AND GOLD BANQUET: Back row, Travis Hale, Jackie Medina, Tony Medina, Matt Cave. Front row, Aaron Porter, John Griffin, Shawn Finley and Ricky Martin.

## W.T.U. Scholarships

Two \$800 scholarships will be awarded Petroleum Technology students at Western Texas College for the 1980-81 school year, Randy Mosley, assistant professor of Engineering Technology, has announced.

Students interested in the scholarships should

make application by May 1. The scholarships will be awarded on the basis of need and ability. Money for the scholarships was made available by the King Foundation.

Information about the scholarships may be obtained from Mosley or Glenn Davis, Financial Aids Officer at WTC.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

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A copy of all materials submitted by the applicant is available for public inspection at the Texas Air Control Board Region 1 office at 1290 South Willis, Suite 205, Abilene, Texas 79605 and at the Texas Air Control Board, 6330 Highway 290 East, Austin, Texas 78723. All interested persons shall have until April 20, 1980 to inspect these materials, submit written comments to the Executive Director, and/or request notification of the proposed agency action. All comments received in writing by the above date shall be considered by the Board in making its decision on the application. All comments will be made available for public inspection at the Texas Air Control Board office in Austin.

4-2tc

# Notice Fisher County Voters

## ● New Voter Registration

## Certificates Will Be Mailed To All Fisher County Registered Voters In The Near Future.

Please Take A Few Minutes To Carefully Read All Instructions On The Certificate.

FISHER COUNTY Tax Assessor-Collector Roby, Texas 79543

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VOTER REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE (CERTIFICADO de REGISTRO ELECTORAL)

NO. 382

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Name and permanent residence address (Nombre y direccion residencial permanente)			

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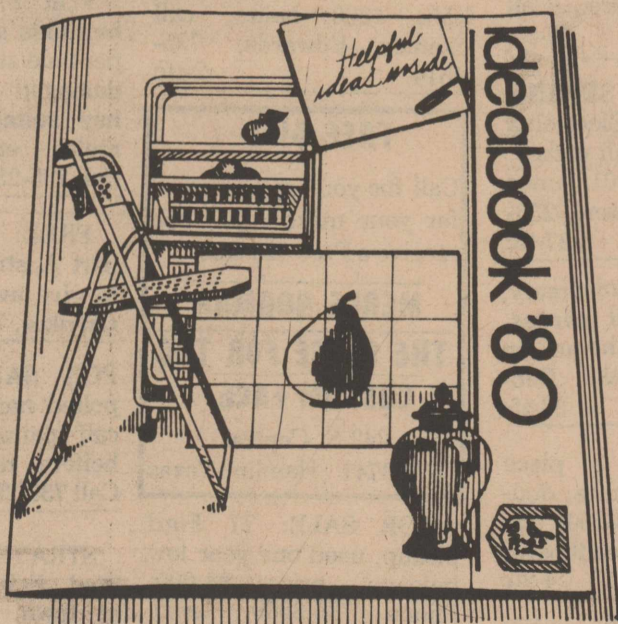
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- If Name & Address And Voter Precinct No. Is Correct-Sign And Keep Card.
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Rotan, Texas

# Keith Blair Wins Pole Vault

Rotan's Keith Blair took first place in the pole vault competition last Saturday at Anson with a height of 11 feet. The 10 points picked up by Blair put the Rotan team in 4th place

overall for the day's meet. Others in the pole vault competition were Byron Weathersbee with a height of 9 ft. 6 inches and Kieth Mullins who cleared opening height.

Willie Hayes placed 9th in the shot put competition with a toss of 39 feet while

tossing the discus 113 feet for a no-place. Kip Pease had a no-place toss of 110

feet in the discus.

In the high jump competition Marcus Conner placed 4th with a jump of 5 feet 6 inches.

Kip Pease had a long jump of 18 ft. 6 inches and Cecil Turner had 17 ft. 10 inches, but both failed to place in the competition.

Gary Don Harkey placed

3rd in the high hurdles with a time of 17.2 while Kieth Mullins had a no-place time of 17.6.

In the 330 intermediate hurdles both Harkey and Mullins had times of 46.0.

The 400 meter relay team took an overall 3rd place with their time of 45.6. First and second

place went to Knox City and Hamlin, respectively. The team members are Cecil Turner, Roger Hooper, Kip Pease and Byron Weathersbee.

The mile relay team had a time of 3:48.0 and placed 6th in the Anson Relays. Team members are Cecil Turner, Kip Pease, Eli Huit and Marcus Conner.

Roger Hooper was first in the 100 meter dash with a time of 11.5; Cecil Turner was 3rd with 12.3 and Byron Weathersbee was 4th with 12.4.

In the 220 dash, Roger Hooper was 4th with a time of 24.4 and Weathersbee was a non-placer with a 25.0.

Eli Huit finished 2nd in the 440 meter dash with a time of 53.8. Richard Mendoza had a time of 59.0.

In the 880 race, Marcus Conner had the best time

of Rotan runners with a time of 2:15; Jimmy Weatherman had a 2:18 and Dennis Warren had a 2:25.

In the mile (1600 meter) run Keith Blair finished with a 5:24; Henry Williams with a 5:26 and Keith Copeland with a 5:32.

## Public Notices

### NOTICE OF FISHER CO. WATER AUTHORITY DIRECTORS ELECTION

To the resident qualified voters of the Fisher County Water Authority: an election will be held on the fifth day of April, 1980 in the courthouse at Roby for the purpose of electing two directors to the Fisher County Water Authority. All persons desiring a place on the ballot as a candidate for director of the Authority must apply at least 20 days prior to the day of said election for his name to be placed on the ballot. Applicants should file their application to become a candidate with the Secretary of the Board, Zanna Anderson, at the Citizen's State Bank, Roby on or before 20 days before April 5, 1980.

Roy Noles, Pres. Fisher Co. Water Authority 2-3c

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The Hobbs Independent School District Board of Trustees hereby orders and gives notice of an election to be held on April 5, 1980, for the purpose of electing three (3) trustees for a full three (3) year term. Por la presente la junta de regentes del distrito escolar independiente ordena y da aviso que se llevara a cabo una eleccion el dia 5 de abril de 1980 con el proposito de elegir tres regentes por un termino completo de tres años.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will begin on 17 March 1980 and continue through 1 April 1980, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday. Votacion por ausencia en persona comencara el Lunes el 17 de marzo de 1980 y continuara hasta el Martes el 1 de abril de 1980 desde las 8:00 a.m. hasta las 5:00 p.m. en todos los dias que no sean sabado, domingo, o dia oficial de vacaciones estatales.

Hobbs School is the address of the place for absentee voting in person and to mail applications for an absentee ballot. La direccion indicada es del sitio para votar por ausencia en persona y para hacer solicitud para boleta de ausencia por correo.

The polling place designated below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election. Los sitios de votacion indicados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m. el dia de la eleccion.

Pct. No. (Num. de precincto): All Location (Colocacion): Hobbs School. 4-1c

The Hobbs ISD hereby announces that all persons are entitled to receive an exemption of \$5,000 from the market value of their residence homestead for the purpose of school taxes. In addition, all persons who are 65 or older or under a disability for purposes of payment of disability benefits under Federal Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance are also entitled to an additional exemption of \$10,000 from the market value of their residence homesteads for the purpose of school taxes.

To qualify for these exemptions, an application must be filed with the school district tax office by April 1. Application forms are available at the school tax office located at Hobbs School. 4-3c

Trustee Election Order and Notice Orden Y Aviso De Eleccion De Regentes

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Pct. No. (Num. de precincto): All Location (Colocacion): Fisher County Courthouse Meeting Room. 4-3c

The Fisher County Commissioners Court will accept bids on the construction of a 100' span, 16' wide bridge to be built in Fisher County. The materials to be used shall consist of three bent of pile and three pile to each bent, consisting of 8"x8" beam, braced by heavy angle, caps 12"x12" on each bent of pile, 3 lines 24" beam on main span, 4 lines 8" beam, with two between each of the 24" beams, a 5" concrete deck with 1/2" re-enforcing bars 12" centers.

Bids will be opened at 10:00 a.m. Friday, March 21, 1980, in the Commissioners Court Room, Courthouse, Roby, Texas.

The Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids. 4-2c

The McCaulley Independent School District hereby announced that all persons are entitled to receive an exemption of \$5,000 from the market value of their residence homestead for the purpose of school taxes. In addition, all persons who are 65 or older or under a disability for purposes of payment of disability benefits under Federal Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance are also entitled to an additional exemption of \$10,000 from the market value of their residence homesteads for the purpose of school taxes.

Also, farmers or ranchers have the option of having their agricultural land taxed at its productive rather than market value.

To qualify for these exemptions, an application must be filed with the school district tax office by April 1. Application forms are available at the school tax office located at McCaulley School. 4-3c

The Roby Independent School District hereby announced that all persons are entitled to receive an exemption of \$5,000 from the market value of their residence homestead for the purpose of school taxes. In addition, all persons who are 65 or older or under a disability for purposes of payment of disability benefits under Federal Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance are also entitled to an additional exemption of \$10,000 from the market value of their residence homesteads for the purpose of school taxes.

To qualify for these exemptions, an application must be filed with the school district tax office by April 1, 1980. Application forms will be mailed to everyone who qualified last year, and are also available at the school tax office located at 108 College, Roby. 4-3c

Notice to All Persons Having Claims Against the Estate of J.O. Roberts, Deceased

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of J.O. Roberts were issued on January 21, 1980 in Cause No. 2535, pending in the County Court of Fisher County, Texas to Elizabeth Roberts.

The residence of such Executrix is Rotan, Fisher County, Texas. The post office address is: c/o Donald L. Anderson, Jr., P.O. Box 3215, Abilene, Texas 79604.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. 4-2c

Dated the 4th day of March, 1980. David L. Hooper, A Professional Corporation Donald L. Anderson, Jr. Attorney For The Estate 4-2c



**CLEAR HURDLE:** Shelley Hayes, Rotan Jr. High, clears the hurdles on her way to a 6th place finish in the 100 meter hurdles.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Thompson of Uvalde announce the arrival of their daughter Taadamexa. She was born Monday, Feb. 4, in the Methodist Hospital, San Antonio, and weighed 6 lbs. 11 1/2 ozs. and measured 18 1/2 inches long. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pope of Batesville; paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thompson of Uvalde. Paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. A.L. Wilson of Park Manor of Uvalde and maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Nolen of Rotan and Mrs. Vida Mae Thompson of Ballinger. \*\*\*\*

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy D. Marks of Ewa Beach, Hawaii, are the proud parents of a baby boy born Tuesday, March 4, at 5:05 p.m., weighing 8 lbs. 10 ozs. His name is Brandon Scott.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ken Myers of Rotan, Mr. Jimmy L. Marks of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Small of Ft. Myers, Fla. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Nina Eeds of Rotan.

**LOOK WHO'S HERE!**

## I.R.S. Adds New Forms

The Internal Revenue Service has added another form to its 1099 series. It is called "Statement for Recipients of Nonemployee Compensation" and is numbered 1099 NEC.

In the course of your trade or business activities you may make payments to individuals who are not treated as your employees. If you have paid at least \$600 in fees, commissions, prizes or awards, or any other form of compensation, you are required to give them a form 1099 NEC, said the IRS.

A copy of the 1099 NEC should be filed with the Internal Revenue Service along with a transmittal form 1096.

Should you be unable to obtain a Form 1099 NEC, the Form 1099 MISC may be used as long as the transmittal form 1096 shows that the Form 1099 MISC has been substituted.

## Cristine Gruben Attends Meeting

Cristine Gruben, manager of the Allsup's Store in Rotan, attended a shortage control seminar in Clovis, New Mexico. Over 200 Allsup's employees attended the seminar dealt with merchandise shortage and effective methods to control it. Jack Henry, a nationally known expert in convenience store security, was the featured speaker.

According to Lonnie Allsup, the company's

president, "This seminar is part of our commitment to our customers. Country-wide surveys show that over 8 billion dollars a year is lost due to theft and is reflected in the price of all products. Ultimately these losses are borne by the consumer. We at Allsup's are doing our best to prevent these unnecessary cost increases by making our people aware of available solutions."



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JUMBO ROLL

## LECTURESHIP

March 24-28

Theme: "Our God, He Is Alive"

We Invite You To Share In These Inspirational Lessons

**OUR GOD IS ALIVE**  
Monday, March 24, 7:30 P.M.  
PAT MCGEE, ABILENE

**HIS SON LIVES**  
Tuesday, March 25, 7:30 P.M.  
JOHN MORGAN, ROSCOE

**HIS WORD IS ALIVE**  
Wednesday, March 26, 7:30 P.M.  
LOY MITCHELL, ODESSA

**HIS PROMISES LIVE**  
Thursday, March 27, 7:30 P.M.  
DOUG ALLEE, SNYDER

**IN CHRIST WE LIVE**  
Friday, March 28, 7:30 P.M.  
TOMMY SOUTH, ANSON

Church Of Christ

Roby, Texas

## Brenda Hinson, Ronnie Rexroat Exchange Vows

Brenda Sue Hinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garvis Hinson of Rotan, and Ronnie Joe Rexroat, son of Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Rexroat of Lubbock, were united in marriage February 23. The candlelight ceremony was performed at First Baptist Church of Rotan by Rev. David Bugg, pastor.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length white quiana gown with a lace bodice. She wore a fingertip mantill veil. Her bouquet was cymbidium orchids.

The parents of the bride hosted a reception in their home.

The couple will make

### Brotherhood At Rotan Has Meeting Set

First Baptist Church Brotherhood, Rotan, meeting will be held in Fellowship Hall March 18 at 7:30 p.m.

This will be Ladies Night and is the ladies chances to eat free chili prepared by the men.

Entertainment will be a singing group from Rule.

### Hobbs School Tax Pamphlet Is Available

Patricia Porter, tax assessor-collector for the Hobbs Independent School District, today announced the availability of a new 12-page pamphlet which may help district residents save on their property taxes.

According to Mrs. Porter, the pamphlet explains how the property tax system in Texas operates, and highlights possible tax savings available to citizens.

The publication was developed by the State Property Tax Board in accordance with the provisions on Senate Bill 621, passed by the Texas Legislature in 1979.

She also noted that homeowners are eligible for a \$5,000 school homestead exemption, and that certain disabled persons and those aged 65 or older may qualify for additional exemptions from the value of their property.

Also, farmers and ranchers have the option of having their agricultural land taxed at its productive rather than market value.

To qualify for exemptions and productivity valuation, however, application must be made to the school tax office before the district's rendition period ends on April 1.

"District residents are encouraged to review the pamphlet and make application for all tax relief to which they are entitled before the rendition period ends," Mrs. Porter said.

The Hobbs School tax office is located at the school in the Hobbs community.

their home in Lubbock.

The bride attended Rotan High School and is a graduate of WTU at Canyon. She is employed by Methodist Hospital, Lubbock.

The bridegroom attended Lubbock High School and Texas Tech. He is employed by International Trucks at Lubbock.



ROBY SPRINT RELAY TEAM: Members of the Roby Sprint Relay team that took part in the Roby Relays last Saturday, let to right, Mark Pope, Forrest Graham, Robby King, Britt Stuart.

## Roby Boys All Dist.

Greg Jennings and Mark Pope made first team. All-District Greg Jennings is a 6-0 senior and he had a very good year averaging 18 points a game and about 10 rebounds. He also averaged 23 points a game in district until he got sick in the last couple of games. We will miss Greg very much next year.

Mark Pope, a 5-11 junior, averaged 15 points a game and also about 10 rebounds a game. He averaged 18 points a game during district and really did a good job; when Greg was out Mark was one of the most improved players on the team. We are glad to have him back next year and we plan on going further next year.

Shelby Thompson, Britt Stuart, and Denny Cox, all seniors, all had good seasons for us. We will really miss them, especially their good hustle, attitude and leadership. Because of these five people and the rest of the team, we finished higher than people thought we would. These boys earned all this through hard work and determination.

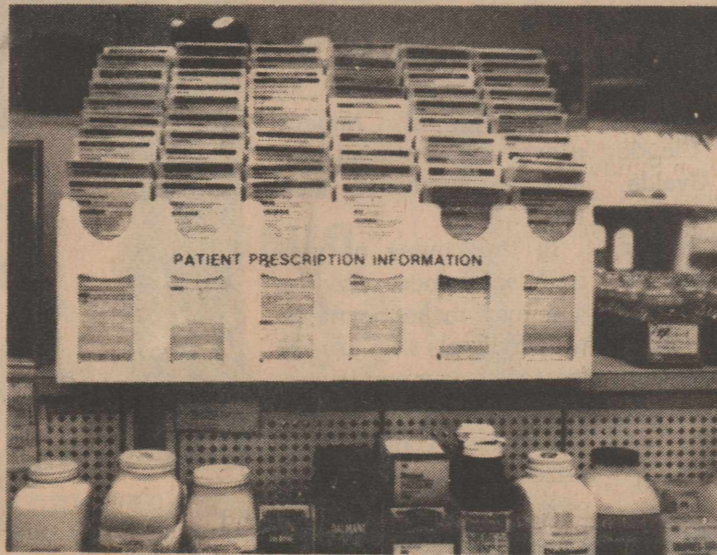
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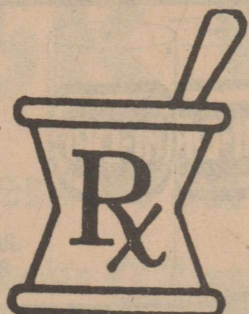
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## Roby Boys Finish At Top Of Roby Relays

Following is the results of the track meet held at Roby Saturday, March 8.

Sprint Relay: 4th, 48.4, Britt Stuart, Robby King, Forrest Graham, Mark Pope.

880 Run: 2nd, 2:10.2, Mike McGinnis; 4th, 2:12.1, Kenny Martin.

110 H.H.: 18.5, Mark Pope; 21.7, Terry Coker. 440 Run: 62.4, Gordon Maberry; 62.8 Forrest Graham.

100 Meter Dash: 12.3, Robby King; 13.5, Kirk Williamson.

330 I.H.: 1st, 44.9, Britt Stuart; 54.5, Terry Coker. 220 Dash: 5th, 25.5, Robby King; 26.8, Gordon Maberry; 28.3, Kirk Williamson.

Mile Relay: 3rd, 3:50.4, Kenny Martin, Britt Stuart, Mark Pope, Mike McGinnis.

Long Jump: 5th, 18-2, Mark Pope; 6th, 17-10, Robby King.

High Jump: 5-8, Mark Pope; Terry Coker.

Shot: No placing, Britt Stuart and Kenny Martin.

Discus: placing, Kenny Martin.

The Roby Lions placed 6th overall from a field of 13 teams. The boys did about as well as I expected for this time of the year and as the younger ones mature and get stronger, we should make very marked improvement throughout the season. I am very proud of the effort of our young men and they will get better.

The coaches, administration and student body would like to thank all of the fine people who volunteered their time and effort to make our track meet a success. Almost everything improves with age and experience, and I feel like this year's meet was the best one since it was re-established 3 years ago.

The Jr. High goes to Robert Lee on Thursday, March 13, and the high school will be in Aspermont on Saturday, March 15.

## Leisure Lodge Report

We welcome Mr. Hubert Danial to Leisure Lodge. He came on Tuesday, March 4. Happy to have him with us.

All our residents are doing well at this time.

Looking forward to the Fisher County Singing Goup tonight. They postponed the date from 1st Tuesday till 2nd Tuesday because some of our residents were puney with colds.

Mrs. Betty Tankersley and two daughters of

Blackwell and San Angelo visited the Gains Smiths over the weekend.

Mrs. Laura Mae Williams of Herraigh visited Lena Williams.

Visiting Charlie Gruben was his sister Mrs. Preston Upshaw and a friend from Hart, Texas.

Also visiting Maude Gruben was Mrs. Upshaw, a friend and Mr. and Mrs. Bob McKinney of Dallas.

Mrs. Rink Cooper of Sweetwater visited her sister Jimmie Brewer.

Ricky Sharp of Odessa visited his grandmother, Pearl Sharp.

Mrs. Lula Mae Crawford of Hamlin and Miss Luna Kolb of Sweetwater visited Emily Garrett.

Mrs. Ida Danial of Sweetwater visited the Riley Shipp and Bennie.

Mrs. J.W. Arnold of Burleson and Mrs. Paul Christian of Midalothian visited Ina Harris.

Visiting Rose Hale was her nieces Mrs. Neva Harbin of Snyder and Nina Baker of Colorado City.

Mrs. J.C. Lewis of Snyder visited J.C. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Simmons and family of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Etheredge of Roby visited the Tom Simmons.

Visiting Mary Lee Barker was Jack Barker of Roby, John White of Sweetwater and Miss Luna Kolb of Sweetwater.

John White of Sweetwater visited his mother Nancy White.

We wish to thank all our volunteers for what they do. We really appreciate everything they do.

We need many more volunteers. Just a visit means so much to our residents.

See you next week.

## Card Of Thanks

Our sincere thanks and appreciation is extended to all our friends and neighbors for the flowers, cards, prayers and concern shown during the loss of our son-in-law.

Also, we thank everyone for the cards sent during the illness of Willie. May God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Schubert and family

## Hustlin' Round Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well it looks like we might get a little rain, and sure hope that we do. Its warm enough, some of these days have really been nearly hot and all of my fruit trees are almost in bloom. I am sure they are going to get killed though as its really early for them to be budding.

Congratulations to Cathy Hull and Perry Thomson on their marriage Friday night at Rotan. Everyone I have talked to said it was such a beautiful wedding and I wish I could have gone but things just came about that it was impossible to get there.

Mrs. Rudolph Martinez attended the Bloodmobile which was held on Friday at Fisher County Hospital and they had a pretty good crowd. Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez attended the wedding of Cathy and Perry Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter and boys from Brownwood visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Cave. They also visited us at Church on Sunday and its always good to have them. Billy gave a real good talk on Home Missions, he visited Nevada last Summer and helped build a church in Wells, Nevada. Loretta and the boys are spending a few days with the J.C. Caves as the boys are on their Spring Break from school. Monday they all went to Sand Springs to visit Alice's sister, Anne Hooker.

Mrs. Lucille Burns and her son James from Ackerley visited Tuesday all day with Mrs. Opal Phillips. Wednesday, Billy Phillips from Arlington came by for a visit with Opal. Opal went to Post for the weekend, went Saturday and came back on Sunday. She visited with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips. Now her sister, Mrs. Frank Hackney, from Greenville, is visiting with Opal.

We are glad to hear that Calvin Phillips is getting along real well and we hope that he will continue to improve.

Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hester from Denver City visited Bea Hardin and they stayed until Saturday. Mrs. Bea Hardin hosted a Bridal Tea for Mr. and Mrs. Anderle (Anitra Hyer) on Friday and they really had a good crowd. Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Mikeska from Houston spent the weekend with Bea and they all attended the Rattlesnake Roundup at Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hensley from Bellville and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Briles from Katy and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Merz from Houston all spent the weekend with Bea and attended the Rattlesnake Roundup Sunday afternoon. they all returned home on Sunday.

Melody is home from Tarleton for her Spring Break, has a week vacation so we are glad to have her here.

Bro. and Mrs. L.D. Parks and family ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and boys attended the wedding of Cathy and Perry on Friday. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge attended the wedding. Sam gave the bride away.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker and Melody went to Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben's Monday night for a fish fry. Also there were Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Gruben and family. We celebrated Donnie Carl's 10th birthday so happy birthday to him.

Well this is about all the news this week, so see you next Thursday.

## Mrs. Skiles Will Be Rotan Book Reviewer

The Book Review Club will meet for its regular meeting March 18, at the Sweetwater Savings meeting room. The program will begin at 3 p.m.

Mrs. Elwin Skiles of Abilene will be the guest speaker. She is well known in her own right, but also because she is the wife of a long time president of Hardin Simmons University, and before that he was minister of the First Baptist Church in Abilene.

All members are urged to attend and bring guests if they choose.

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## Rotan H.D.C. Meets Here

Mrs. Dolly Curry hosted the March 6 meeting of the Rotan Extension Homemakers Club.

Mrs. Richard Floyd, vice president, presided. Recreation was led by Beatrice Hargrove. Effie Murphree called the roll which was answered with "a short cut in cooking". She read the minutes from the last meeting. Mary Posey gave the council report.

An interesting program and demonstration on microwave cooking was given by Dolly Curry, she explained microwave ovens can be more energy efficient than conventional appliances because food cooks faster and because the energy heats only the food, not the entire compartment. At least one household in five and possibly one in four will have a microwave oven by the end of 1980, according to industry predictions.

Mrs. Curry served chocolate fudge, cookies and strips of bacon she had prepared in her microwave oven, with other snacks, coffee and punch to the thirteen members present.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Viola Hendon. The program will be "Upcoming Fashions-Spring 1980" presented by Alice Ballenger, County Extension Agent. The meeting will be March 20, at 2:30 p.m.

## Law Makes Raid On Bootleggers

Members of all Fisher County law enforcement agencies plus representatives of the Alcoholic Control Board at Sweetwater and Abilene raided two Rotan individuals for bootlegging on Saturday, Mar. 1, according to Sheriff Mickey Counts.

Law enforcement officials raided Donnie Powell and Clarence Conners and confiscated a quantity of beer and whiskey. The two were jailed and released on bond on March 2.

## Funeral Services

### Vernon Frazier

Vernon Frazier, 71, of Rotan, died at 9 a.m. Wednesday, March 5. Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday March 6, at Weathersbee Chapel.

The Rev. David Bugg, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was at Rotan Cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Born Jan. 8, 1909, in Rotan, he had lived in Rotan most of his life. He

married Vida Acker April 9, 1944, in Rotan. He had operated Frazier Drug Store from 1964 until his retirement in 1977. He was a veteran of World War II, and a member of the Masonic Lodge. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; and a sister, Ruby Nowlin of Rotan.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Fletcher, in 1955.

### George Campbell

George Duncan Campbell, 79, former Rotan resident, of Garden Grove, Calif., died Feb. 27, in Garden Grove. Services were held at 11 a. m. February 29 at Riverside National Cemetery, Riverside, Calif. Burial was in Riverside National Cemetery. Rev. Fred DeBerry of Standard Avenue Baptist Church, Santa Ana, Calif., officiated.

Mr. Campbell, son of the late George and Allie Campbell, lived in Rotan several years before moving to New Mexico and California.

He was a veteran of the National Guard, Navy and U.S. Air Force. He later worked as an appraiser for the F.H.A.

He enjoyed hunting, photography and fishing. He continued his fly fishing hobby during retirement spending part time as an outdoor writer

## Weather

Mar 79 Prec.	Hi	Lo
Tue. 4	74	30
Wed. 5	73	26
Thr. 6	80	27
Fri. 7	80	39
Sat. 8	77	40
Sun. 9	80	35
Mn. 10	74	40

## Art Club

### Holds Meeting

The Palette and Brush Club met March 3, in the Willie Wirehand Room at Midwest Electric in Roby.

Bernice Landrum of Abilene presented the lesson in oil on still life and trees.

Mrs. Ronny Henry, club president, made several announcements on future programs, and the date change for the Art Show which is usually held in April. She appointed a nominating committee, with Mrs. Fred Waddell as chairman. Others are Mrs. Bert Killingsworth, Mrs. Murray Simmons and Mrs. Ragan.

Members present for the Landrum workshop were Neoma Cauble, Margaret Norton, Duena Reynolds, Sis Killingsworth, Wilma Teague, Jonnie Hoodenpytle, Billy Coffman, Marie Henry and Luella Waddell.

The next meeting will be Monday, March 17.

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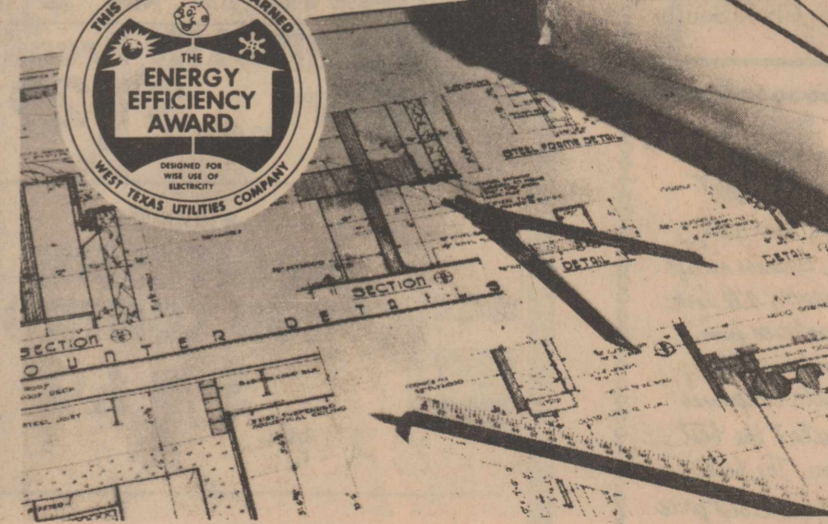
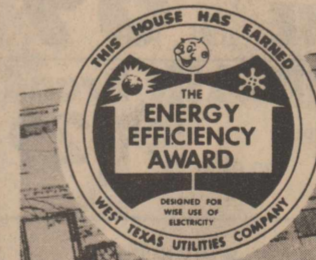
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# Sam Helms Wins At Tennis Tourney

Sam Helms of Rotan won the consolation bracket of the Sweetwater tennis tournament last weekend. Helms lost to Fowler of Sweetwater in the opening round then bounced back to defeat Gonzales of Lakeview, Jones of Sweetwater and Greg Hayes of Rotan to win the bracket.

In other action at the Sweetwater Tournament Greg Hayes was defeated by Helms of Rotan 3-6; 6-2 and 4-6 in the finals.

Robert Gray and David Thornton lost the first match and won two of their next three. Keith Armstrong and Alva West rounded out the Rotan doubles entries.

In the girls division, Cindy Williams lost her first two matches then defeated Burnett of Sweet-

water but was forced to forfeit the final match due to a twisted ankle.

Angie Sepeda and Nina Carrillo lost the first two matches then defeated their opponents in the final two matches.

Martha Hargrove and Laura Denton also took part in the tournament.

Prior to the Sweetwater tournament the Rotan tennis team defeated Snyder by a score of 13-5 matches in a dual meet.

Boys singles winners were Sam Helms, Greg Hayes, Conrad Hamric and Moses Gonzales. Doubles winners were Conrad Hamric and Sam Helms,

David Thornton and Robert Gray, and Alva West and Keith Armstrong.

Girls singles winners included Cindy Williams, Martha Hargrove and Nina Carrillo. Doubles winners were Nina Carrillo and Angie Sepeda, Martha Hargrove and Cindy Williams.

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## Rotan Junior High Girls Track Results

The Rotan Junior High girls track team finished 4th in the Samford Relays last Saturday with two Rotan girls taking three first place medals.

In the broad jump Kathy Connors was first with a leap of 17-7, she also finished first in the 220 with a time of 28.2.

The other first place finish went to Barbara Daniels in the discus with a throw of 75 ft. 7 1/2 inches.

Others entered in the junior high division of the Stamford Relays were Desiree Gray, 5th in the high jump; Dana Nowlin 5th in the 440; Janice Weatherman 5th in the 660 run; and Shelley Hayes 6th in the 100 meter hurdles.

The sprint relay team was 2nd with a time of 58 seconds. That team is made up of DeLana Long, Kim Warren, Kristi Holt and Kathy Connors.

The 1320 run had two local entries. Robin Joplin was 3rd and Janice Weatherman was 4th.

The 880 relay team, consisting of Gayle Johnson, Kim Warren, DeLana Long and Kristi Holt, finished 5th.

The final event was the mile relay team. Gayle Johnson, Kim Warren, Kristi Holt and Kathy Connors, made up the team.

## Card Of Thanks

I want to express my sincere appreciation to all the people that helped me look for my lost wedding band. A special thanks to the Boy Scouts and to Betty Rivers who found the ring. There are still a lot of honest and helpful people in Fisher County.

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