



PLAYERS PAUSE: The above two members of the Rotan little league Yankees pause with fellow teammates during the playing of the National Anthem that opened the 1980 season. Players left to right Jason Terry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Terry of Roby and Shane Teichleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Teichleman of Rotan. The little league Yankees went on to defeat the Rebels 15-14.

Yanks, Pirates Win Openers

The Rotan Little League Pirates and Yankees emerged as winners last Monday night after the opening double-header that kicked off the 1980 season for some 60 little league players.

The first half of the double-header the Yankees defeated the Rebels by a score of 15-14 with Darren Pinkard getting credit as the winning pitcher and Sammy Ramirez of the Rebels recorded as the losing pitcher.

The Yankees had 15 runs on 14 hits, had 4 errors and left 5 on base. The Rebels scored 14 runs on

Young Farmer Slow Pitch League Ready

All persons interested in entering teams in the Rotan Young Farmers slow pitch softball league, scheduled for later this summer should be in attendance at an organizational meeting to be held Thursday, May 15 at 6:30 pm at the softball field. Schedules, entry fees and regulations will be discussed at this time.

15 hits, had 3 errors and stranded 5 runners.

Pinkard pitched a full 6 innings striking out 10 batters while Ramirez went the full 6 innings and struck out 15 batters.

Outstanding hitters for the Yankees were Rocky Roberts with 2 hits at 5 times at bat knocking in

three runs and Jeff Branson with 3 hits for 3 trips to the plate with 4 RBI's.

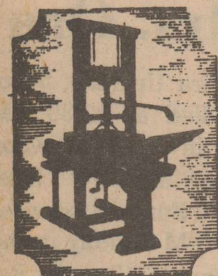
Outstanding hitters for the Rebels were Ward Hayes 4-4 at the plate with 4 RBI's; Danny Carreon, 3-4 at the plate with 5 RBI's and Jerry Streety, 3-4 with 2 RBI's.

In the Vets-Pirates game, the Pirates scored 10 runs on 6 hits and stranded 3 runners while the Vets had 7 runs on 11 hits and left 5 runs on base.

Hitting for the Vets were: Freddy Perales 3 hits in 4

trips to the plate; George Reyes 2/3; Leo Castillo 2/4; and Dave Daniels with a single, double and triple.

Jeff Perales of the Pirates had 2 hits in 4 trips to the plate. Chris Neves has 2 RBI's; Reggie Stinson 2 RBI's and Rafe Hargrove 1 RBI.



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Roby Head Coach Gives Resignation

Roby Athletic Director and Head Football Coach Don Bagwell submitted his resignation to the members of the Roby School

Board last Monday night. Superintendent Jimmie Laurie indicated that the resignation was submitted by Bagwell for "personal

reasons"

In other action last Monday night the members of the Roby School Board hired Hobbs Agriculture Teacher Gary Finley as the new grade school science teacher.

The board was presented the Texas Association Basis Skills (TABS) test results by Pat Hamric, school counselor, for Roby grades 5-9. According to Laurie "we were rather pleased with our results". The board named Mickey

Early, elementary principal as the text book custodian and tentatively assured all auxiliary personnel (bus drivers and lunch room workers) of a school position for the 1980-81 school year.

In final action the board set the lunch room prices for next year as follows: Prices of lunches for grades Kindergarten through 5th grade will 50 cents; grades 6-12 will be 65 cents and adult meals will be \$1.00.

Rotan High, Jr. High Names 1980 Twirlers

The 1980-81 Rotan High School twirlers were announced by Band Director David Morgan last Tuesday afternoon.

High school twirlers named were: Ronda Underwood, Jana Smith and Jerilyn Marshall with Dean Harbin named as the drum major.

Junior High twirlers named were: Desirre

Gray, Annette Overby and Kim Warren with Meg Field named as the drum major.

John Schumacher To Quit Local 4-H Job

Fisher County Assistant Extension Agent John Schumacher has issued a letter of resignation to District Extension Agent Ed Garnett in Vernon,

effective on June 6th according to a report from Vernon.

Schumacher has been with Fisher County as Assistant County Agent

for the past 3 years and will be leaving to enter the private family farming and ranching business in Gainesville.

When contacted last Tuesday morning, Garnett said "We hate to see John leave the extension service, but we understand the opportunity that is awaiting him in Gainesville, we will be getting another man to assist Richard Spencer in the near future".

Willie Hayes President Of FFA Chapter

The members of the Rotan FFA Chapter elected officers Tuesday for the 1980-81 year. Willie Hayes was elected for president, Mike Morrow - Vice President, Weldon Hayes-Sentinal, Dale Cox-Secretary, Mark Harris-Treasurer, Keith Copeland-Reporter. Delegates for the District and area conventions were elected at the meeting. District delegates are Gary Don Harkey, Dale Cox, and Jeff Posey. They attended the District convention Thursday, May 1st. Area delegates are Weldon Hayes, Dale Cox, and Darrell Carter. They will attend the area convention in San Angelo May 9-10.

Signed Keith Copeland Chapter Reporter.

Open House Set At Rotan FFA For Tue.

There will be an open house Tuesday, May 20 from 7:00 to 8:30 for FFA parents and prospective FFA member parents. Projects will be on display and coffee and doughnuts will be served. The open house will be held at the Vo Ag Building.

Dr. James Edwards To Practice At Clinic

Dr. James H. Edwards of Sweetwater, a practicing surgeon and member of the Fisher County Hospital medical staff for the past 2 years, announced this that he will be opening a practice in the Fisher County Doctors Clinic, by referral, on Thursdays.

Dr. Edwards has been doing surgery at the Fisher County Hospital.

Sheriff Has Custody Of Midland Man

Fisher County Sheriff Mickey Counts indicated last Monday that Antonio Garcia Jajola, age 24 of Midland, had been arrested by Midland Sheriff Department officers and is currently in the Fisher County jail charged with Aggravated Assault and Attempted Murder of Danny Terry of Roby.

Bond was set at \$45,000. The case was to be brought before the Fisher County grand jury on Wednesday, May 14th.

Roby Ladies Auxiliary Meeting Set

The Roby Fire Auxillary will meet Thursday, May 22 at 7:00 pm at the Roby Fire Hall for election of officers for the 80-81 term.

County Fair Rodeo Group Will Meet

The Fisher County Fair & Rodeo Association will meet Thursday, May 15, 8:00 pm at the Courthouse Coffee Room in Roby.

Business will include officer and director election and planning for the upcoming Fair & Rodeo. The public is invited to the meeting.

Rotan FFA To Hold Annual Bar-B-Que

The annual Rotan FFA bar-b-que will be held this Thursday May 15 at 6:30 at the Rotan FFA Ag Building. There will be awards presented for members who are outstanding in their field. All members are invited to attend.

Hospital Gives Land For Senior Citizens

The members of the Fisher County Hospital Board conducted a special meeting last Tuesday morning and approved the purchase of two lighted signs for the front of the Fisher County Hospital and voted to grant a portion of the hospital land for the possible construction of a Fisher County Senior Citizen's Center.

The hospital board members met with members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court and Judge Marshal Bennett. At a commissioners court meeting last Monday morning Commissioner Jimmy Wright indicated that a grant for \$7,500.00 has been applied for through the West Central Texas

Billy E. Pena Killed By Hamlin Man

Fisher County law enforcement officers investigated a shooting incident that left an Abilene resident dead in the early morning hours of Saturday, May 10th in the far east portion of Fisher County, according to Sheriff Mickey Counts.

Billy Emilio Pena, age 26, of Abilene, formerly of Stonewall County was dead at the scene after a shooting took place at approximately 1:45 am on May 10th. Law Enforcement officers arrested Christopher Blaine Allan, age 21 of Hamlin and charged him with the murder of Pena. The subject is currently in the Fisher County jail in lieu of \$30,000 bond.

According to Counts, there were approximately 7 people on a county road northwest of Hamlin that were apparently drinking and smoking when the group began "slap boxing". The shooting stemmed from an argument evolving from the boxing.

Council of Governments. Wright said that if the land at the hospital were secured, there was a possibility that the hospital could provide meals in connection with a "Meals on Wheels" program for Fisher County senior citizens. A Senior Citizens group, headed by former Fisher County Judge Ammons is attempting to not only secure the \$7,500.00 grant, but get donations from the cities of Rotan and Roby and funds from Fisher County to complete the construction of a 30 x 50 building.



Walter Cave

Walter Cave Second In State Track

Hobbs High School junior Walter Cave, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Cave, placed second at the Class B State Track and Field meet in Austin last Saturday afternoon.

After having qualified for trips to regional his freshman and sophomore year, Cave beat 6 other runners in the 1600 meter run at Austin last Saturday.

His second place time was 4:27.9 with first place going to Joe Contales of South Texas with a time of 4:26.4.



Kim's Korner

By Kim Pease

Elephant Soup

Roby Athletic Honors: Congratulations to Mark Pope and Darlene Herron on being named boy and girl athlete of the year. The two were named at the annual Roby Athletic banquet last week.

Store Hours Sign: Noticed the following sign in the window of John's Hamburger Place-"Shop hours- Open when I get here- Close when I get tired".

Donation Deadline: James Springer and J. T. Palmer, Co-chairmen of the fund drive for furnishing the Fisher County Doctors' Clinic have declared June 1 as the deadline for donations. A letter of appreciation has been sent to all donors to date-Those interested in donating in memory of a loved one or family member can do so by contacting either Springer or Palmer.

Back on Feet: Myla Black, Reggie Stinson and Tim Acorn are all back on their feet after recent injuries. Myla broke some ribs after a fall from a horse, Reggie had a fight with a bull and lost and Tim was burned on the leg.

Brothers Compete: I have three younger brothers and four younger sisters. Received a call from my brother George, a resident of Massachusetts, saying he and my brother Bill both took part in the recent running of the Boston 26 mile marathon jogging event. Needless to say these guys are in much better shape than their older brother. I doubt that I could jog from my office to H. L. Davis and Co. without needing the assistance of the Fisher County EMT crew. Both George and Bill finished the race which is a giant athletic fete in itself.

Grandson succumbs: We received word that the 21 year old grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Harrell of Abilene, former Rotan school teachers, died recently in a car accident in Arkansas.

Tickets on Sale: Tickets for the annual "Rotan Chamber of Commerce" Awards Banquet are on sale. There will only be approximately 180 sold. Tickets are \$5 each available from any Chamber Director or from the Newspaper Office.

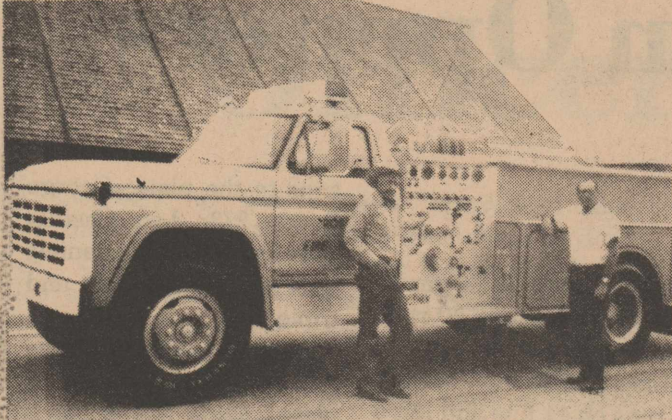
Elephant Stew: If you're planning on feeding a large group this summer try this recipe for elephant stew. One medium sized elephant.

One ton of salt.
One ton of pepper.
200 bushels of carrots.
4,000 sprigs of parsley
500 bushels of potatoes.
Two small rabbits [optional].
Brown gravy.

Cut elephant meat into bit sized pieces. This will take about two months. Cut vegetables into cubes [another two months]. Place meat in pan and cover with 1,000 gallons of brown gravy. Simmer for four weeks. Shovel in pepper and salt. When meat is tender, add vegetables. A steam shovel is useful for this. Simmer slowly for four more weeks.

This will serve 3800 people. If more are expected, add the two rabbits. This is not recommended, as very few people like hare in their stew.

Thought for the week: "My take home pay -won't take me home".



TRUCK ARRIVES: The members of the Roby Fire Department received delivery of their new fire truck last Monday afternoon. Pictured left to right are firemen J. N. McGinnis, and Jimmy Price.

Leisure Lodge

Our community luncheon last Wednesday was a great success. We had many visitors and lots of good food. Everyone really seemed to enjoy it. We welcome Mrs. Carl Martin to Leisure Lodge, happy to have her with us. Mr. and Mrs. Valton Gruben of Tulia visited Maud Gruben on Sunday and Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barker of Roby and Mrs. Jim Albritton of Ft Worth visited Mary Lee Barker.

Visiting Mrs. Martin from out of town was daughters Lillian Yates and Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Thompson all of Mineral Wells. Also visiting Mrs. Martin was Johnny Saucedo of Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Martin raised Johnny after his parents died several years ago. Needless to say he feels they are his parents. I think this is a very sweet and touching story. P. R. Warren of Snyder visited Mrs. Martin. P. R. is Stella's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Simmons and family of Abilene and the Bill Etheridges of Roby visited the Tom Simmons. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Clark of Sweetwater visited Emily Farrett. Mrs. Kenneth Curry and three daughters and son in law of Anson visited Pear Sharp recently. Murlene Rivers of Arlington.



Some say that looking at sapphires strengthens the eyes.

ton visited the R. T. Shipp and Bernie. Visiting Bud Crawford was Mrs. Johnnie Floyd and daughter Tanya Green and Micheal all of Midland. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Boen, Elaine and Jimmie of Odessa visited Mr. Crawford also.

Mrs. J. D. Lewis of Snyder visited Mr. Lewis on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Albritton of Ft. Worth and the John Whites of Sweetwater visited Nancy White. See you next week.

Services Held For Mrs. Ora Upshaw

Mrs. Ora Upshaw, 79 of Roby, died at 12:30 PM Friday in a Brownwood Hospital after a brief illness. Funeral services were 3 PM Sunday in the First Baptist Church, Rotan. Officiating was Rev. Clyde Jackson, retired Baptist minister from Abilene, assisted by Rev. Don Jeffreys, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Roby. Burial was in the Rotan cemetery.

Mrs. Upshaw was born October 16, 1900 in Erath County. She was the daughter of the late Mr. & Mrs. Chesley Devenport. She moved to Fisher County in 1914 from Eastland. She married W. B. Upshaw June 2, 1917 in Blackland, near Sweetwater. Mr. Upshaw died May 18, 1965. Mrs. Upshaw was a member of the Claytonville Quilting Club and the First Baptist Church of Roby.

Survivors include 1 daughter Mrs. Wilda Mize of Brownwood, 3 sons Eugene of Ft. Stockton, Rev. Therman of Stamford, Preston of Hart, 1 former daughter-in-law Mrs. Leon Moore of Abilene, 2 sisters Mrs. J. B. Lincecum of Holliday, Texas and Mrs. Mack Liles of Wichita Falls, 9 grandchildren and

10 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by 1 son, Elton, in 1949.

Pallbearers were Larry Upshaw, Benny Mize, Freddy Upshaw, Kim Mize, Reent Upshaw, Leslie Lovvorn, Russell Johnson, Carlos Jones and Marlan Hart.

Patty Williams, Richard Scott Davis Plan Wedding

Mrs. Doris Williams of 3101 Buttonwillow, Abilene has announced the engagement of her daughter, Patty Jean Maulden to Richard Scott Davis, son of Mrs. Ruth G. Davis of Roby. The bride elect is a graduate of Cooper High School and is employed by LaJet, Inc. in Abilene.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Roby High School and received a BBA Degree in finance from Texas Tech University. He is employ-

ed by United Savings of Texas in Abilene.

The couple will be married May 30 at the Little Church of the West in Las Vegas, Nevada.

Exercise Workshop

An "Exercise Workshop" will be held in the Rotan old gymnasium (Mon. thru Thurs.) May 19th-22nd and May 26th-29th, 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm. The classes are designed to better educate the public in taking care of their bodies by encouraging total body fitness.

Schedule:

Monday - 19th & 26th -Aerobic Dance
Tuesday - 20th & 27th -Slimnastics and Dancercize
Wednesday - 21st & 28th -Discocize
Thursday - 22nd & 29th -Yoga

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Service Conducted For Mrs. B. Freeman

Mrs. Blanche Fouts Freeman 81 of Ft Worth formerly of the Rotan area died at 12:40 P.M. Sunday in the Ft Worth Convalescent Home following a short illness.

Services were 2 P.M. Tuesday in the First United Methodist Church of Rotan directed by

Local Co-Op Granted Loan

Senator Lloyd Bentsen was advised Tuesday that the Rural Electrification Administration has approved a loan of \$1,236,000 to the Midwest Electric Co-operative, Inc., in Roby.

The fund will be used to finance service for 542 additional consumers, build 87 miles of distribution line, make additions to the headquarter facilities, and make system improvements.

The loan is being made on a term of five percent interest.

Harveson and Cole Funeral Home of Ft Worth. Rev. John Robertson, pastor officiated.

Burial was in the Rotan cemetery.

Born December 28, 1898 in McGregory.

She was married to Ernie Freeman and lived in the Rotan area about 40 years moving to Monahans in 1940. She was a piano teacher in Monahans and Ranger before her retirement in 1975.

Survivors include 3 sisters Mrs. G. Edwin Smith, Mrs. Mary Webb and Mrs. Maudine Fouts all of Ft Worth also a nephew of Ft. Worth. She will be remembered as a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.R. Fouts formerly of Rotan. He was a one time mayor of Rotan.



Seedless oranges came from Brazil in the 1800's.



WELCOMES NEW DOCTOR: Raford Hargrove, left, Fisher County Hospital member, welcomes Dr. James Edwards as the newest occupant of the Fisher County Doctors' Clinic.

Mental Health Pushes For Additional Care

As a non-governmental agency the association can and does speak for the consumer—the person who needs professional help for an emotional disturbance.

The number one goal of the association for 1980 is to improve the care for discharged long term mentally disabled persons. The association is promoting self-help groups for families of patients and for former mental health clients.

"The association is a moving force to get services established where

there are none. It also serves as a monitoring agency to see that treatment services are doing what they were set up to do," said Stevens.

The Mental Health Association strongly promotes more community-based care as well as more research into the causes of mental illness.

Announcement

Paul O. LeRoux, M.D., is announcing the opening of his practice of Obstetrics and gynecology in the North Physicians Building at Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital, Sweetwater, Texas. Dr. LeRoux is a Fellow of the College of Obstetrics and Gynecology. For Appointment call (915) 235-1701, extension 201.

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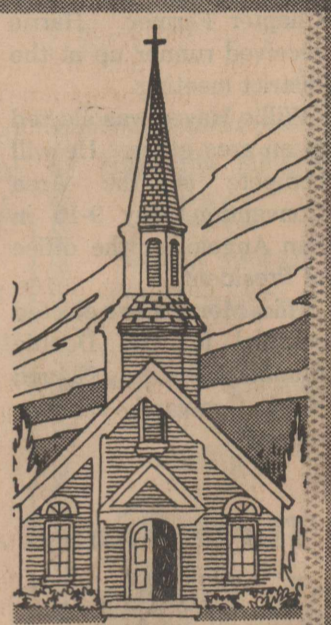


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intended that we should have to solve all our difficulties single-handed. Remember, He established His church on earth for US. In that Church we will find understanding fellowship, and the faith to work out our own destinies.

Take your problems to Church. Pray that you will find a solution to them. Talk them over with your minister. And what seems a maze today may become a straight road tomorrow.

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Roby Lions Club Annual Broom Sale On Thursday

The Roby Lions Club will have their Annual Caravan Broom Sale on Thursday, May 15, 1980 starting at 9:00 A.M.

The caravan will be located on the West side of the Courthouse Square where the merchandise made by blind workers of Texas will be displayed. Lion Wardell Halliburton is coordinator of the sale assisted by Lion Loren Gardner. The public is encouraged to come to this

location for a better selection of the items displayed.

Melody Walker Named To Tarleton Stars

Melody Walker, freshman from Rotan, will be a member of the 1980-81 Tarleton State University Texas Star Drill Team. She was named to the group following auditions held last Thursday.

The Texas Stars are a precision dance and drill team under the direction of Penny Wright. They perform at athletic events

Other Lions will be working in the downtown and business section Thursday morning. From 4 to 6 PM teams of two to three Lions will be going from door to door in the residential areas of Roby should you not have a chance to purchase the merchandise from the downtown location.

Your purchases will help the handicapped and disabled workers whose income is dependent in part on producing these goods.

Also the commissions earned by the Roby Lions will go to projects in our own community. The main project in progress by the Roby Club is the new Baseball Park and Recreation Area in East Roby. Your help and support is desperately needed at this time due to the amount of funds needed to complete this project.

Mark Harris Runner-Up For Award

At the District Convention May 1st Mark Harris was interviewed for Star Chapter Farmer. Harris received runner up at the district meeting.

Willie Hayes was elected to an area office. He will compete at the Area Convention May 9-10 in San Angelo for the office of President.

Mike Morrow was elected sentinel for the Double Mountain District. Signed Keith Copeland, Chapter reporter.

Three Named In County As Bellringers

Mrs. John Gray and Mrs. Carroll Murphree of Rotan and Judy Vanlieu of Roby will lead Bellringer workers in a house-to-house drive during May, Mental Health Month.

"Proceeds will benefit the Mental Health Association in Texas," said John Stevens, state President of the voluntary citizens' association.

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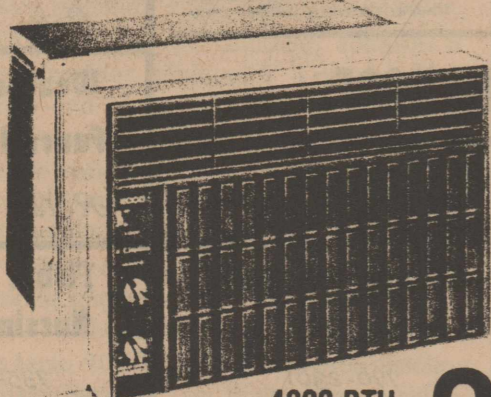
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Rotan Board Accepts Resignation

The members of the Rotan School Board met for three hours last Monday night and one of the highlights of the meeting was an in-depth study presentation by Ray Simmons, of Region 14 Service Center concerning phase 2 of the 1979-80 Rotan Self Study Program. In his report to the board, Simmons outlined the goals of the district then pin-pointed areas that needed improvement. Simmons was pleased with the overall testing program recently conducted. Rotan students in grades 1 through 12 were tested in communication skills-language expressions and math computation. The California Achievement Test (CAT) was the standard of measure used with the local school setting a goal of 50 per cent of all pupils expected to score at or above the 50th NCE, (National Curve Equivalent). Simmons

indicated that the only appearance of a problem area seemed to be in math computation for grades 5-11. Each of these grades fell from 4 per cent to 17 per cent below the measured 50 per cent goal. In other business the board gave permission to teh Fisher County Young Farmers to move the fence at the baseball field. Young Farmer Spokesman Norville Kennedy, Jr., appeared before the board with Jimmy Gruben, requesting permission to move the field from the present 335 feet to 260 feet. Superintendent Tom Harkey briefed the board members on liability insurance for board members. Action on the matter was tabled. Harkey indicated that the Texas Association of School Boards is expected to offer a plan in the near future that would contain a

provision for liability for school board members. One item on the agenda that was not discussed at the request of the Superintendent was "paying of insurance premiums for all employees". This item is expected to be discussed by the board at a later meeting. The board went into closed session at 9:50 pm to discuss personnel and re-opened the meeting to the public at 10:20 pm.

After re-opening the meeting Dr. Jerry Marshall made a motion seconded by James Carter to raise the "above scale bonus" paid to Coach Doyle Walker from \$1400.00 a year to \$2,000.00 a year. Board members Marshall, James Carter, Leo Long, Donnie Gruben, Ernest Ragan and Roger Blackwelder voted in favor of the motion. Board member Allan Houston was not present for the

meeting. The board voted to accept

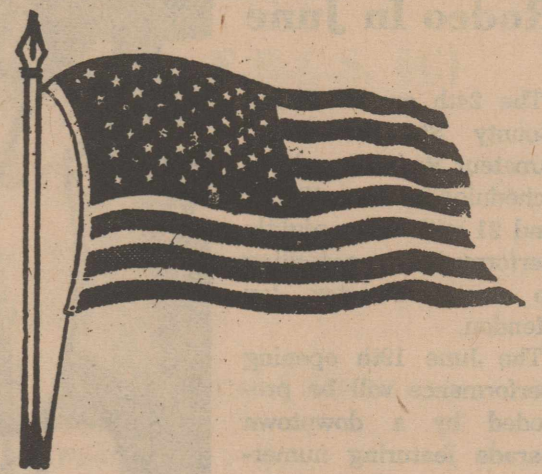
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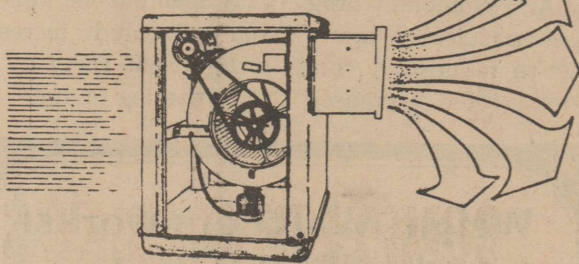
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Conrad Hamric Selected To Attend Austin Science Fair

Science students from across the state will converge upon the University of Texas at Austin June 3-6 for the annual Texas Energy Science Symposium for High Schools.

Conrad Hamric, a student at Rotan High School has been selected to attend.

Mrs. Judy Doyle, teacher at the high school, will accompany him to the symposium.

The event, in its 20th year, is expected to attract more than 500 students and their teachers who will hear scientists and engineers discuss energy related topics.

Ten investor-owned utility companies, including West Texas Utilities Company, are members of the Texas Atomic Research Foundation which jointly is sponsoring the symposium with the University.

Participants will spend two afternoons on tours of science laboratories at the University, including those which conduct experiments sponsored by the

Foundation in thermonuclear (fusion) research. Glen Churchill, President of West Texas Utilities,

Kindergarten Registration At Hobbs

Miss Susan Anderson, kindergarten teacher at Hobbs School, is planning a pre-registration day for all 1980-81 kindergarten students. They must be 5 years of age before September 1, 1980.

It is to be held Monday morning May 19th from 10:00 to 11:00. Parents and children are encouraged to stay for lunch at 11:10. Children's lunches will be served at no charge, and adult trays will cost 50 cents each.

Mrs. Pevehouse, school nurse, will be on hand to answer questions concerning required vaccinations. Parents should bring children's vaccination records and birth certificates.

"Our Company is privileged to help sponsor the event which has proven a great benefit to the young people who have participated in years past.

"attending, students and teachers will receive first-hand information from some of the most authoritative energy experts in the nation. It is truly an educational experience," he added.

The Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation was created in 1957 for the advancement of knowledge of energy, particularly nuclear energy, through scientific and education activities. Its research efforts are presently directed towards controlling fusion reactions through programs being carried out at the University of

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Officer Addresses Commissioners

The members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court met in regular session last Monday morning. The meeting was opened with a presentation by Fisher County Juvenile Officer Gene Ausburne. Ausburne informed members of the court that he had a caseload of 44 at the end of March with 56 new cases added during April. He had received referrals from law enforcement agencies (10), schools (53), parents (1) and Fisher County Juvenile Office (15).

In his presentation to the court, Ausburne indicated that his newly initiated tutoring program was progressing. He indicated that approximately 30 kids have shown up for assistance. Commissioner Jay Hendon indicated that he had received several good comments concerning the work being done in Fisher County by Ausburne and said "just keep up the good work".

Commissioner Jimmy

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Wright inquired of Ausburne what could be done by the members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court to cease the parties being held by school children on private property. He was particularly concerned with the kids under 18 years of age that attended the functions.

Ausburne was amazed at the large number of teenagers in Fisher County that were allowed to operate a motor vehicle without a drivers license. He said "I've never seen so many kids driving without a license than I

have in Roby and Rotan". The court authorized Ausburne to hire a part-time secretary and in a closing statement to the commissioners Ausburne said "The main objective of the juvenile officer is to keep the kids out of court".

Ausburne is giving consideration to beginning a

parents-notification system informing all parents of kids 17 and under that are out on the streets after midnight. Those that are just walking the streets or riding bicycles will be detained and their parents notified, said Ausburne if the program is implemented.

Doyle Bell of McCaulley

appeared before the commissioners requesting assistance in securing a grant from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department for a tennis court and multi-purpose recreational facility. A group of McCaulley citizens have applied for a \$25,000 grant which is half of the anticipated cost of the facility. It is expected to contain tennis courts, horseshoe pits, tether ball facilities, picnic tables and

an outside basketball court. The commissioners, because McCaulley is not incorporated as a city, will hold the hearing on the proposed grant application.

Les Miller, representing Colonial Life and Accident Insurance Company made a presentation to commissioners concerning the possibility of enrolling county employees on a supplementary accident protection program. No

action was taken on the presentation. A final presentation was made to commissioners by W. A. Womble, drug abuse and alcohol representative requesting consideration for increased

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The members of the court asked Womble to specifically spell out the benefits and projected increases and present them at the next meeting in June.

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Mrs. Donald Bilbo

Peggy Denise Upshaw, Donald Bilbo Married

Peggy Denise Upshaw and Donald Ray Bilbo were united in marriage at 7:00 pm on April 25th in Wylie, Texas. The ceremony was held in the Wylie Baptist Church with Rev. Oscar Fanning, officiating.

The wedding music was provided by Stephanie Jones and Janice Reeder. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Upshaw of Rotan.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Bilbo of Rule.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore a gown of white Georgiette enhanced with Alencon lace, key-hole neckline with full long sleeves. The dress had a fitted bodice and a full pleated skirt with a circular train. The veil was trimmed in the same Alencon lace.

The bride's matron of honor was her sister Mrs. Raymond Wylie of Rotan. She wore a floor length dress of rose coral brocade taffeta and carried a bouquet of beige, coral, and salmon colored satin flowers.

The groom wore a white tuxedo with a salmon colored orchid. The father of the bride and wedding party wore brown tuxedos.

Kenneth Bilbo of Dickinson was best man.

The ushers were Buddy and Hoby Strand both of Stamford. The ushers also served as candlelighters.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Kenneth Bilbo of Dickinson.

The reception was hosted by the bride's parents in the fellowship hall. Punch, coffee and cake were served by Nancy Boles of Midland, Mrs. Carey Smith of Abilene and Mrs. John Stewart of Rule.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the parents of the groom at K-Bob's in Abilene.

The bride is a graduate of

Rotan High School. The groom is a graduate of Windham High School, Windham, Texas. He is presently a field foreman employed by Amoco Production Co. in Dickinson, Texas.

After a wedding trip to Austin where Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bilbo had reserved the bridal suite of the Driskill Hotel, the couple will make their home in Dickinson, Texas.

Golden Haven Home News

The ladies of Golden Haven Home would like to express their thanks to Mrs. Ruth Ellis, and the members of First United Methodist Church for lovely corsages each of them had for Mother's Day. It's always so nice to be thought of!

Mrs. Martha Headstream had as her guest Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ralph Headstream and family of Dallas, and Mrs. Aubrey Headstream and family of Haskell.

John and Wilda Leach of Rotan visited Mabel Ogdin.

Visiting Mrs. Eva Nell Dennis this week were Jimmy Dennis, Roy Dennis and Larry, Pam, Dianne, Stacie, and Toby Dennis.

Visiting Mrs. Jonnie Mulanax were Johnny and Barbara Betts and Mrs. Dero Ballenger of Sweetwater.

Martha Williams of Sylvester visited with Mrs. Bessie Scott.

Mothers Day guest of Mrs. Lora Stephens were Mr. and Mrs. Merle Stephens Lanette, Phillip and Lora of Mesquite.

Guests of Mrs. Elizabeth Kingsfield were Verna Lou Upshaw of Fort Stockton, Neva Phillips of Hobbs and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kingsfield of Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Bryant of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bettis, both of whom celebrated birthdays this

month. Guests of Mrs. Carlie Butler included Pat Hood of Snyder, Suzanne Goodson, Alissa Uranga, and Wendal and Susan McCraw of Abilen.

Visiting Mrs. Lois Henry was Mrs. B.K. Newhouse of the Pledger Community.

New resident in Golden Haven Home is Mrs. Ozell Shook. Welcome to Golden Haven Mrs. Shook.

Mrs. Judy Justiss of Sweetwater visited with her mother, Mrs. Letha Meek and took her out to lunch on Mother's Day.

Remember to drop by to see us any time.

Fisher County Nursing Home

The residents and staff of Fisher County Nursing Home extend sympathy to the family of Mrs. Annie Knight. Mrs. Knight was a quiet, lovely, gentle lady, who will be missed by all. Also, we would like to thank Mrs. Knight's family for the beautiful basket of flowers they shared with us for Mother's Day.

Mrs. Lizzie Owens was honored with red roses for being the oldest mother to attend her church on Mother's Day.

Visiting Mrs. Cordie Wade this last week were Mrs. Bob Tagart, and Mrs. Horace Daniel of Hamlin.

Mr. Virgil Campbell was visited by Mrs. C. C. Elric and Mrs. Effie Mardis of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Brooks Middleton of Haskell, visited her grandmother, Mrs. Pearl Adams.

Visiting Mrs. Thadde Wilson, were Wallace and Marianna Strayhorn of Burkburnett.

Mrs. Beulah Moffett had as her guest, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Moffett of Dallas.

Visiting Mrs. Mattie Key were Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Canfil of Clyde.

Ross Gruben of Royston spent some time with Mrs. Tish Hayes.

Mrs. Alton McCain and Mrs. Luther Maeberry were in Fisher County Nursing Home to visit with Mrs. Neda Kiser.

Visiting Mrs. Ollie Shipp were three of her daughters, Mrs. Frances Morgan of Roby, Mrs. Laverne Young of Fort Worth and Mrs. Margie Hankins of Mineral Wells.

Mrs. Lowell Forrest of Snyder visited with Mr. John Cox.

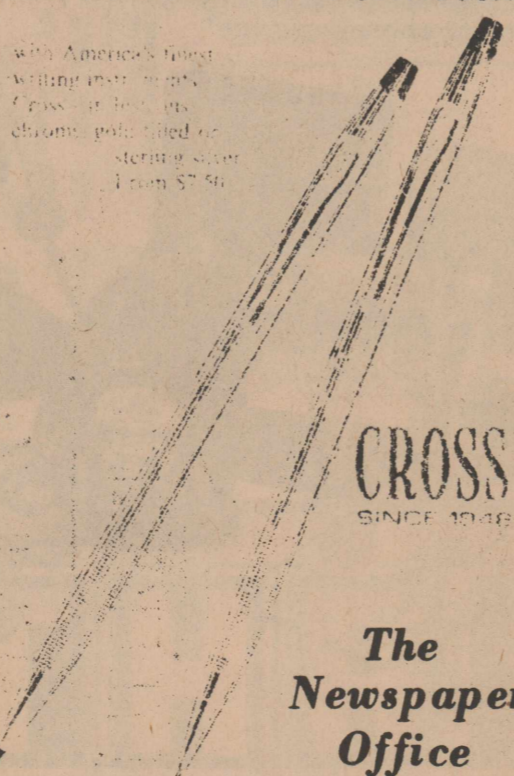
A word of thanks is due this week to all of you who so graciously give of your time to the residents of Fisher County Nursing Home. This week we would especially like to thank Mrs. Leila Nash who comes faithfully to help us with our games and Mrs. Vera Weems who supplied needed items for one of our residents. Thank you both, ladies.

Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital May 6, 1980 thru May 12, 1980 were: Jim Gallagher, Chris Gasper, Annie Seaton, Beatrice Herrera, Glenn Gabel, Bacilio Almanza, Belinda Hitchcock, Patti Morrow, Carl Martin Ricarda Carrion all of Rotan, Marvin Ashley, C. W. Smith, Ozelle Shook of Roby, Betty Tolison of Peacock.

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By Joy Walker

Well we have missed several good rains again, but some folks got a little and that's better than nothing. Maybe we will get some this week, sure hope so, as its beginning to get cotton planting time. Mr. and Mrs. Windel Kincaid and Jan Kincaid visited with us at church on Sunday and they all ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kincaid.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Williams have returned from Tyler; they came back Thursday night. They really had a good visit with Mr. and Mrs. Randy Williams and their new grandson, who weighed 6 lbs. 5 ozs., and not 5 lbs. 6 ozs. as I originally quoted. Sherry got to come out of the hospital on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McIntosh from Alba visited with Sherry and Randy and Andy and Louise on Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Etheredge and boys went to Mr. and Mrs. Windell Barrett and family to celebrate Mother's Day on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge were also there. Mrs. Lealon Wilburn is feeling lots better and we are glad to hear that she is doing so good.

Congratulations to Judy Cave, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Cave, on her engagement and approaching marriage to Kenneth Doyle Blackwell of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cave attended the funeral of Mrs. Ora Upshaw on Sunday at Rotan. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Duke from Loraine and Gene's sister, Sally and her husband from San Francisco, Calif. visited with J. C. and Alice on Friday.

Mrs. Opal Phillips went to Post for Mother's Day and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips. She went Friday and came back on Sunday.

Mrs. Patti (Williams) Morrow is in the Fisher County hospital at Rotan and we hope that she will soon be able to return home.

Melody Walker came home for the week-end and for Mother's Day. She was accompanied by Blake Moody of Ozona, and Tarleton State. We really had a good time visiting and they returned to college and their last finals on Monday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker attended the funeral of Mrs. Lyn Tubb of Snyder on Sunday afternoon. We have known Lyn and her husband and children ever since I came over here, and Mandy, their daughter, has been riding with Melody for a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Martinez and children from Rotan visited with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez for Mother's Day.

We gave the prettiest corsages at church on Sunday and the oldest mother present was Mrs. Mary Anderson. The youngest mother was Mrs. Jimmy (Petra) Simmons and the mother with the most children present was Mrs.



The name Idaho comes from an Indian word meaning "gem of the mountains."

Heriverto (Virginia) Solis.

Mrs. Neva Moffett is still in the hospital at Abilene and seems to be feeling maybe a little better, but she has those days and then again she has real bad days. We do hope that she will soon begin to improve.

Congratulations to Walt Cave, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter, on his winning 2nd place in the mile at the Class B state meet in Austin on Saturday. He ran his best time of the year. Both Mr. and Mrs. Walt Cave were there to watch him run.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker went to Rotan Monday night to watch the Yankees play the Rebels in Little League. We have another grandson, Donnie Carl Gruben, playing now, so now that Greg is too old for little league we can still keep going. I also went to Rotan Monday morning to watch the 8th grade Assembly program.

Morris Hardin from Lubbock spent Sunday and Monday visiting with his mother, Mrs. Bea Hardin. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hardin from Rotan spent part of Sunday afternoon with Bea, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hardin, Wes and Kimmia all ate dinner with Bea. Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Tankersley and family from Sweetwater also ate dinner with Bea on Sunday, so she had a big crowd.

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

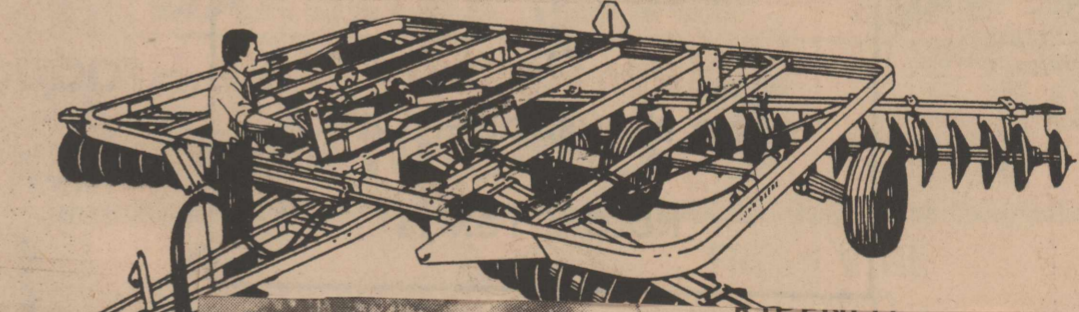


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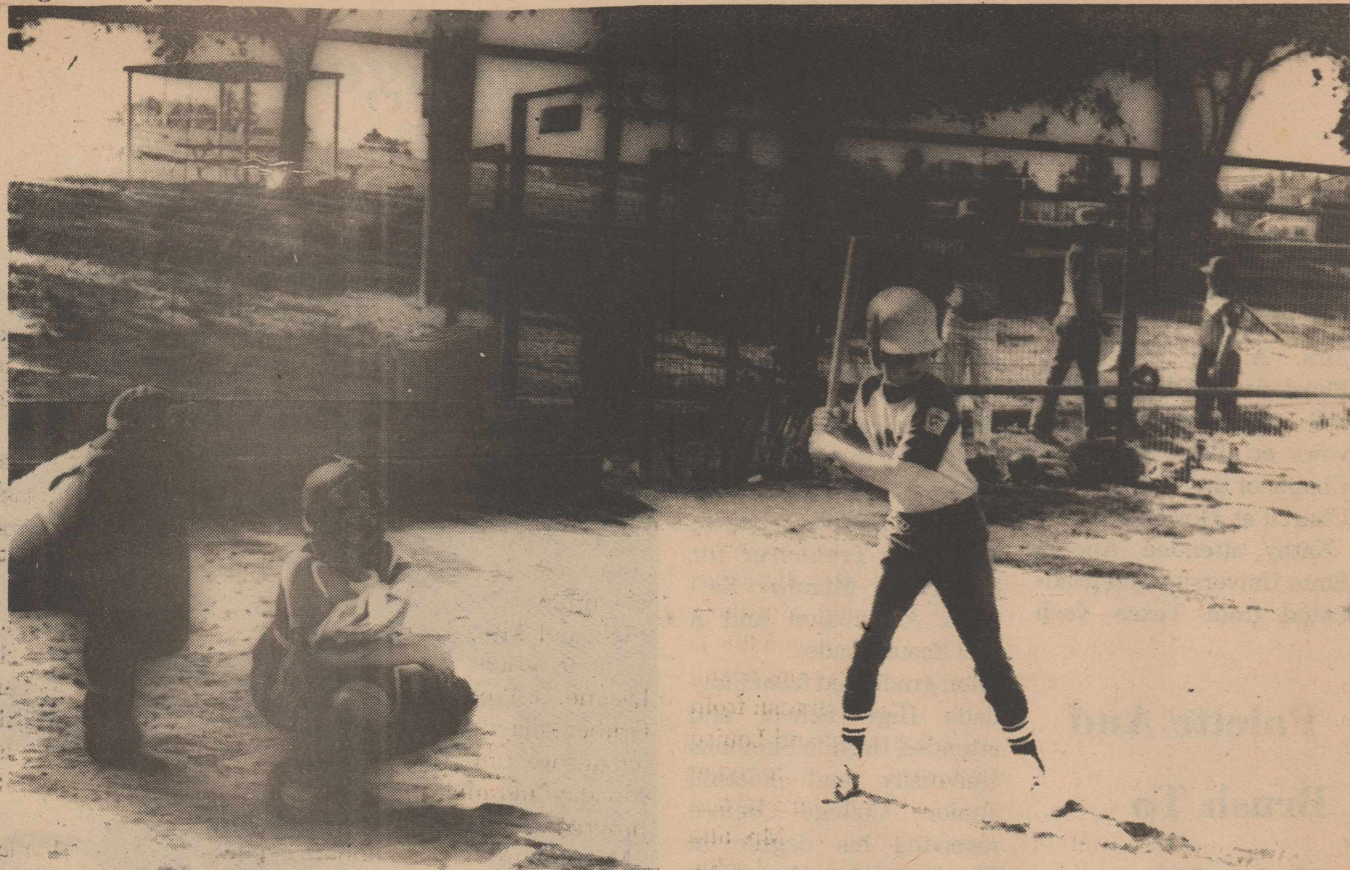
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FIRST BATTER: Gary Teague a member of the Rotan little league Yankees was the first batter last Monday night as the Yankees defeated the Rebels in the season opener.

**Fisher County
AGENT
by Richard Spencer**

The top 3 cotton varieties during 1979 from Fisher County Result Demonstrations were Tamcot SP-37626#, Famcot SP21-593# and GSA-71-565#. The last two mentioned varieties have been the top yielders for the past 5 years and are very proven to the area.

Instead of staking and pruning tomatoes this year, use wire cages to support the plants.

Caging offers the home vegetable gardener in Fisher County several advantages, including less sun burn and higher yields.

with less work. Ground rot and fruit cracking are also reduced in cage-grown tomatoes.

Cages can be constructed from concrete reinforcing wire, hog wire, or any other sturdy wire mesh that has openings of at least four inches. Cut and bend the mesh material

into cylinders, then fasten the ends together and snip off the bottom rung. By cutting off the bottom rung, cages can be pushed into the ground about six inches for support. Make cages 18 to 20 inches in diameter and two-and-one-half to five feet tall.

All varieties will do well in cages but suggests high-yielding, disease resistant tomatoes such as Bigset, Bonus, Spring Giant, Better Boy, Flor-america and Terrific.

Space plants about two-and-one-half to three feet apart in the row, with four to five feet between rows.

Place a cage over each plant, making sure it is well anchored into the ground. The wire mesh will support the growing plant. No suckering, pruning or training will be necessary. As fruit ripens, pick it through the cage openings. Initial expense of cages may seem high, but they can be stored and used each year. Cages can also be used for growing other trailing crops such as cucumbers and pole beans.

**Roby Baptist Church
Bible School Dates**

The Roby First Baptist Church has set May 26-30 as the date for its vacation Bible school. The school will begin each morning at 10:00 am and dismiss at 1:00 pm. Children should bring a sack lunch and awards will be given each day for the best decorated

sack. All children age 3 through 6 grade are urged to come to the church on Saturday May 24th at 9:00 am for registration. Each child should bring a critter (not a pet) for the 2nd annual critter race on that day.

**Two Arrested In Rotan
For Theft Of Money**

Two Rotan individuals were arrested by Rotan Police officers and charged with burglary in connection with the theft of \$15.00 from the Rotan Field house, according to Rotan Police Chief Gene Pack.

On Tuesday morning Pack arrested Moises Ortega of Rotan age 19 and a 17 year old Rotan youth and charged the two with burglary. According to Pack the two entered the Rotan Field House while the athletes were in

the gymnasium and took \$15.00 from the wallet of one of the Rotan athletes. The two were transported to the Fisher County jail where bond was set.

**Mark Harris
Gets Third
At Area**

Mark Harris received third place in the area convention Talent contest and first runner-up in the sheep proficiency award this weekend. Also receiving an award was Willie Hayes. He elected area II Vice-president and will attend an officers clinic this June. Delegates for the convention were Weldon Hayes, Darrell Carter and Dale Cox.

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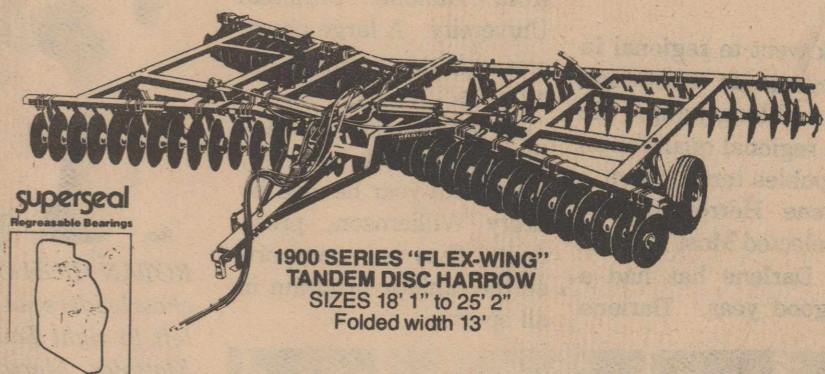
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Thank you also to each of you who helped prepare the delicious meal that was served.

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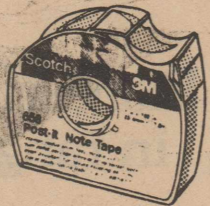
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Roby Athletes Of Year Are Named

The Roby Lions had their 1979-80 Athletic Banquet honoring all athletes for their accomplishments they have done this year.

Receiving the Most Athletic Boy award was Mark Pope, Junior who had a very outstanding year. He lettered in 5 sports, football, basketball, track, tennis and golf.

Mark was all district secondary in football as well as honorable mention on quarterback and punter. He was all district in basketball first team where he and his teammates were zone champions.

Mark went to regional in two events in track-high jump and long jump. He was a regional qualifier on the doubles tennis team.

Darlene Herron, Junior was selected Most Athletic girl. Darlene has had a very good year. Darlene

lettered in three sports basketball, track, and tennis. In basketball she made all district first team 1979-80 and was Roby's high point girl. She went to regional in track in two events shot and discus. Darlene also went to regional in tennis.

Outstanding lineman went to Kevin Rivers, senior. Kevin was Honorable mention center on offense and honorable mention defensive tackle on defense.

Speaker for the banquet was Don Hood, track coach from Abilene Christian University. A large crowd attended this to honor the athletes.

We would like to thank the Athletic club for a very successful year headed by Larry Williamson, president. They have supported the athletic program in all sports.



ROBY BAND OFFICERS: Elected officers for 1980-81 school year are left to right Jill Wright, secretary; Leslie Carey, treasurer; Darlene Herron, President; and Mary Barrington, vice-president.



ROTAN HIGH CHEERLEADERS: The new Rotan High cheerleaders were named earlier this week. Identified left to right Laura Gruben, Deana Tucker, Carrie Sue Matthies, Martha Hargrove, Vickie Moore.

Roby Cemetery Group Plans Big Work Day

The Roby cemetery association met last week to discuss financial and work data. Monday, May 19th was set for the annual work day at the cemetery. The working will begin at 8:00 AM. Everyone interested in our cemetery is urged to bring their yard and garden tools and mowers and clean their families plots or help with those others needing a plot or gravesite to be taken care of just send thirty dollars or more to Mrs. Dudley Hambright. Mrs. Hambright will hire someone to take care of your desired gravesite for the year. If you desire to have one cleaned-up just once, send ten dollars with name and location of grave. Due to inflation, wage, prices and cost of gasoline, the pay for these jobs had to be increased some.

If you have not visited our cemetery in a while you should take a drive out there to see all the improvements that have been made by the cemetery association and interested individuals. If any information is needed about the Roby Cemetery contact Dick Melton, Dudley Hambright or John Kiker.

The covered dish dinner will be served at 12:00 noon for the workers by interested ladies and friends of our community. The association meeting will follow the luncheon.

Cathie Krug Russell Hicks Are Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Krug have announced the engagement of their daughter Cathie to Russell D. Hicks son of Bill Hicks and Glendean Parker Hicks. The bride elect attended York College in York, Neb. and Lubbock Christian College of Lubbock. Her fiance is a graduate of Stanton High School and San Angelo State University. The couple plan to be married June 21 in Municipal Garden and Arts Center in Lubbock.

McCaulley Girl Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Burk of McCaulley announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathy to Ron Hill son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Muncy of Floydada. Kathy and Ron will exchange wedding vows on June 22 in the Chapel of the First Baptist Church at Floydada.

Kathy attended Angelo State University and graduated from Texas Tech

University. She is presently the Home Economist at Lighthouse Electric and has served on the Floyd County Fair Board as Secretary and as President. She was secretary for the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce, American Cancer Society Board, Secretary-Treasurer for the Texas Member Services Association and a Girl Scout Leader.

Ron graduated from Floydada High School and attended Hardin Simmons University and Foothill Junior College before receiving his degree in Physical Education from California Baptist College.

He is presently attending Golden Gate Baptist Theological Seminary in San Francisco and is employed with school security in Mill Valley, California. He has been a member of the L.I.F.E. Revival Team of Golden Gate Seminary. Grandparents of the

bride elect are Mr. and Mrs. Milton Burk of Roby and Mrs. R. G. Thomson, of Rotan.



Kathy Burk and Ron Hill

Palette And Brush To Hold Show

The Palette and Brush Club will have the annual art show at the courthouse in Roby Sunday afternoon from 2 until 4 May 18th. You are invited to attend this annual show of paintings in oils and acrylics.



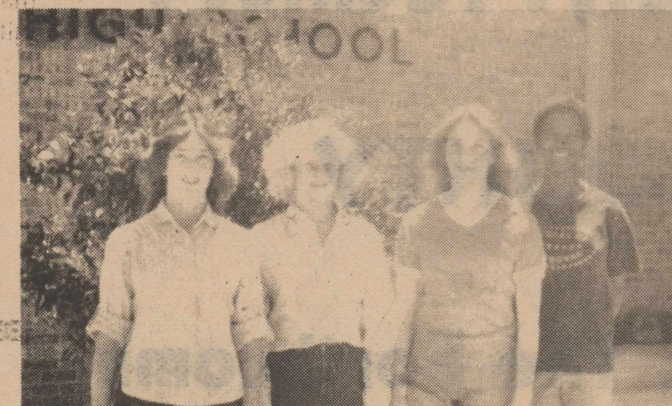
MOST ATHLETIC COUPLE: Darlene Herron and Mark Pope were named the most Athletic girl and boy at the recent Roby Athletic banquet.



OUTSTANDING FOOTBALL PLAYERS: Kevin Rivers left was named the Roby outstanding lineman of 1979 while Britt Stuart received the honor of outstanding back.



ROBY JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS: The above three Roby Junior High students were named cheerleaders for the 1980-81 season. Left to right Jennifer Wright, Stacy Terry, and Susan Gaona.



ROBY HIGH TWIRLERS: The above four Roby High School students were named twirlers and drum major for the 1980-81 year. Left to right Tana Mauldin, drum major, Danette Ray, twirler, Leslie Carey, twirler and Mary Nell Clayton, twirler.



JUNIOR HIGH TWIRLERS: The above four Roby Jr. High students were named twirlers for the 1980-81 season. Left to right Desirre Gray, Annette Overby, and Kim Warren, twirlers; Meg Field, Drum Major.

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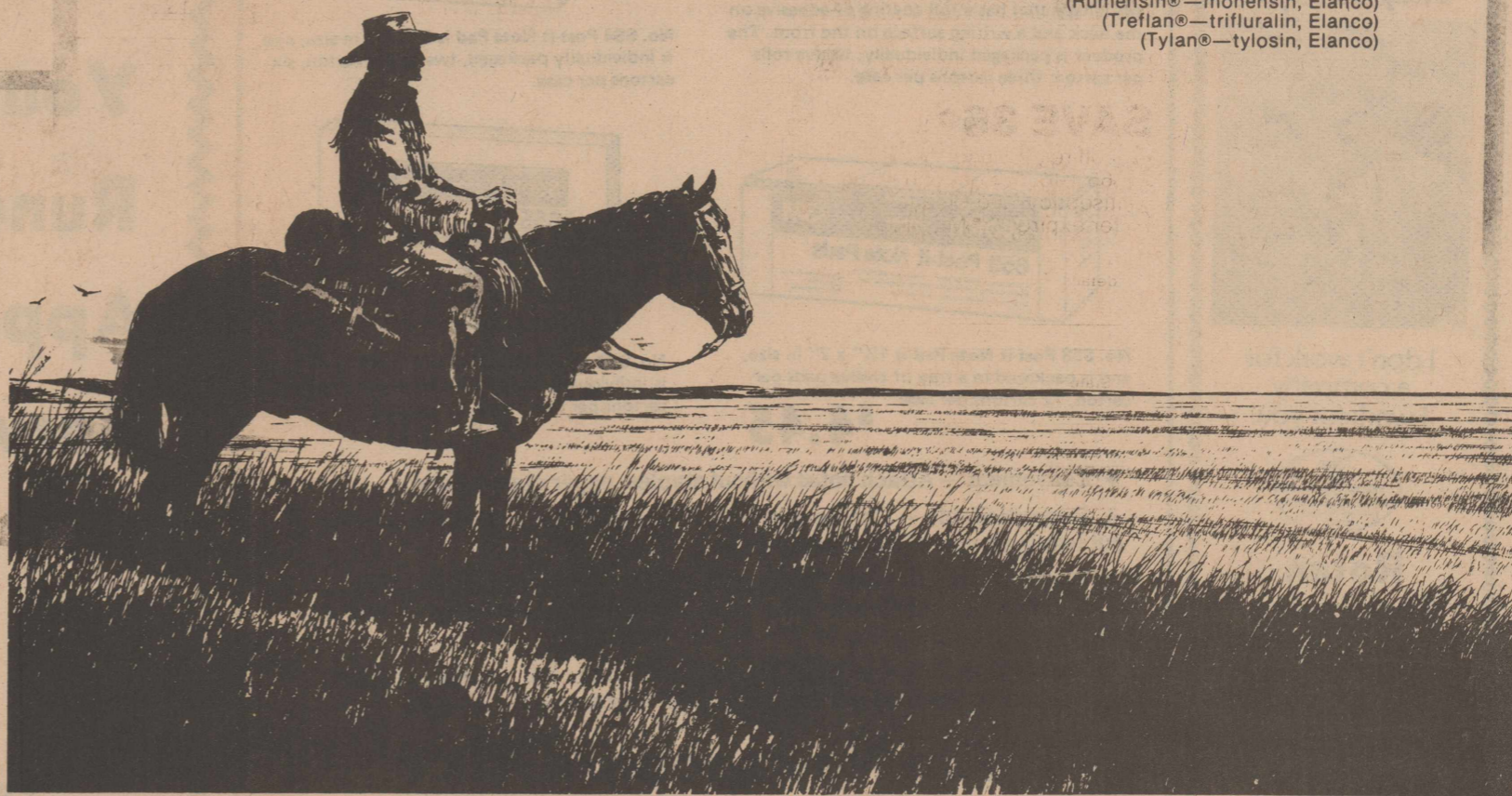
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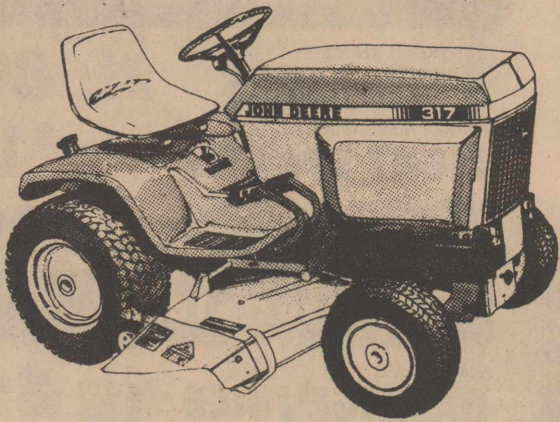
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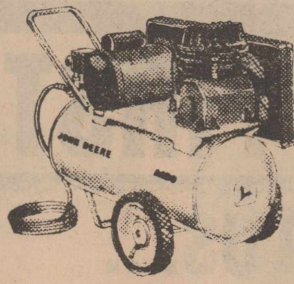


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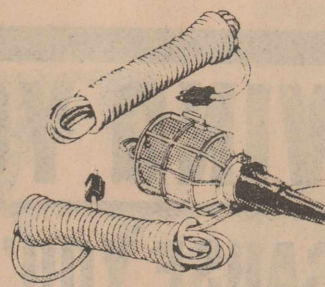
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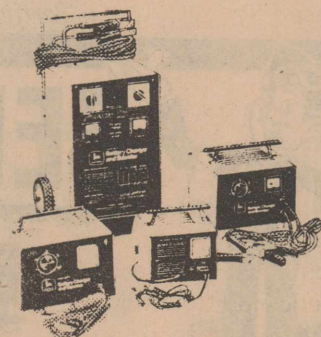
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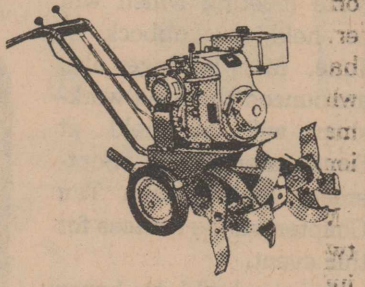
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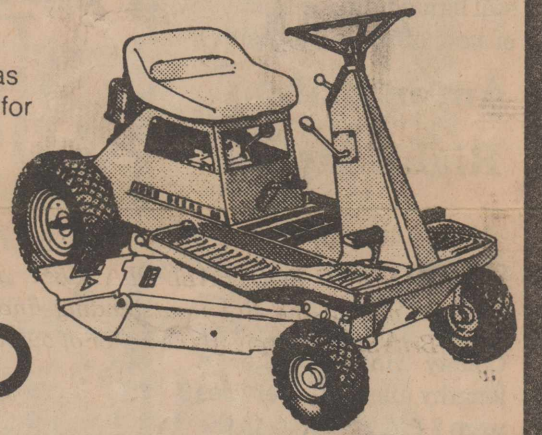
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Gamma Tau Chapter Holds Meeting

Gamma Tau Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma held their May meeting Monday May 5 at 7:00 P.M. in the Methodist Church of Rotan.

Louise Bollinger presided for the business meeting. Partial expenses were voted for the outgoing president and incoming president to attend State meeting which will be held in Lubbock in June. Miss Bollinger also announced the area workshop will be held at Sweetwater next September and Gamma Tau Chapter will be hostess for this event.

"Let us build to honor women who have given distinctive service" was the topic for the program. Zelma Hulse introduced the program with Patsy Hamric reading the poem "Builders" with musical background presented by Louise Callan at the piano.

Joyce Smith, ceremonials chairman was in charge of the ceremony, "Honor our Founders." A beautiful candlelighting ceremony was held with Mary Ann Marshall lighting a white candle for each of the twelve founders. Edith Hughes assisted with the script for this ceremony. Music was provided by Louise Callan and Mary Ann Marshall.

While the candles were still lighted the installation of new officers was held.

Annie Knight Rights Held

Mrs. Annie Knight, 78, of Rotan, died at 3:10 A.M. Wednesday, May 7, 1980 in the Fisher County Hospital after a lengthy illness. Services were 2 PM Thursday in the First Baptist Church with Rev. David Bugg, pastor, officiation. Burial was in the Rotan cemetery under the direction of Weather-see Funeral Home. Mrs. Knight was born July 27, 1901 in Tyler County. She was the daughter of the late Mr. & Mrs. George Neely. She married Barney Knight Nov. 5, 1916 in Tyler County. They moved to Fisher County in 1921 from Tyler County. Mr. Knight died October 5, 1974. Mrs. Knight was a member of the Eastern Star and the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include 1 son, Rayford Knight of Dallas, 2 daughters, Mrs. Carroll (Wanda) Murphree of Rotan and Mrs. George (Lena Mae) Inman of Grand Prairie, 2 sisters Mrs. Kate Kinney of Woodville, Texas and Mrs. Allie Marshall of Woodville, Texas, 10 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Who was preceded in death by one son, John, in 1940 and also by 2 grandsons and 2 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be grandsons.

Ruth Wiman led the procession of old officers and new officers in, and as they stood around the candlelighted table the new officers were installed. They were: President-Kathy Landrum, First Vice President-Second Vice President, Chryette Hawkins, Re-

cording Secretary- Joyce Smith, Corresponding Secretary- Edith W. Hughes, and treasurer-Nelda Tandy.

Following the installation the incoming president, Kathy Landrum, spoke briefly and asked members to get in groups of 3 or 4 and fill out a

questionnaire for ideas for next year's programs.

Ruth Wiman presented a beautifully engraved silver tray to Louise Bollinger who had so graciously served the chapter as president the past two years.

Hostesses for the evening were: Josie Baird Chair-

man, Joyce Hill, Betty Strayhorn and Ruth Witherspoon.

Refreshments were served to: Josie Baird, Delila Baird, Nelda Tandy, Bessie Cleveland, Lura Lee Davis, Ruth Wiman, Kathy Landrum, Mary Ann Marshall, Ruth G. Davis, Earline Kelley, Edith W.

Hughes, Mollie Lee Melton, Dixie Haggard, Mildred Epps, Ruth Knapp, Jane Phillips, LaVerne Kennedy, Patsy Hamric, Chrystelle Hawkins, Zelma Hulse, Louise Bollinger, Betty Strayhorn, Louise Callan, Ruth Witherspoon, Joyce Hill, Joe Clark, and Joyce Smith.

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