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On Monday, June 9 the Roby FHA officers had Coke Party for Freshman girls. Officers present were, Connie Moore, president; Andi Whitfill, vice-president; Vickie Parker, secretary-treasurer and Val Austin, reporter. Freshman girls present were, Jen Holcomb, Linda Lawlis, Terry Posey and Carolyn Wood. Miss Ham-bright and the officers explained to these girls all about FHA.

Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Upshaw, Roby, have visiting in their home their nieces Vicky Penny and Gina, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Justiss, Lubbock.

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### Watson-Brown Wedding Vows Said Saturday June 7 in Houston



Miss Pamela Jo Watson and Jay Carroll Brown exchanged wedding vows June 7 at 8:00 in the evening at the Getsemane United Methodist Church in Houston. The Rev. James Lee Riley led the couple in repeating double ring vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Watson of Houston and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oddis F. Brown of Roby.

Organist, Mrs. William Crittenden, accompanied Roger Eaton of Sweetwater, uncle of the groom, as he sang "The Greatest of These Is Love."

Escorted by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of silk organza with bell sleeves trimmed in Venice lace. The headpiece was a camelot cap with full cathedral length veil. She carried an arrangement of English ivy, white rosebuds, and phalendindrens. Her dress had a cathedral aisle wide train trimmed in Venice lace.

The bride's matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. Rex Kennedy, of Lubbock. Bridesmaid's were Mrs. Dwight Sooter and Mrs. Randall Upshaw of Lubbock and Mrs. Joseph Marquer of Houston. Flower girl was Leslie Jo Kennedy of Lubbock.

The attendants wore Nile green serrano linen with headpieces of Nile green organza sunflowers. They carried pink rosebuds, English ivy and pink glamelias. Rex Kennedy of Lubbock was ring bearer.

Candles were lighted by David Noles of Roby and Joe Marquer of Houston. Hank McCreight assisted them in seating guests.

Best man to the bride groom was his brother, Fenton Brown, of Roby. Grooms-men were Jack Tucker of Abilene and Glen Thomson and Rex Kenedy of Lubbock.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held in the Church Parlor.

The bride's table was laid with white net over white and centered with an arrangement of pink rosebuds and carnations.

The three tiered wedding cake was served with pink sherbert punch by Mrs. Roger Eaton, aunt of the bridegroom, and Kim Hellig.

Chocolate cake was served from the groom's table by Jane Abbot of Dallas.

Following the reception the couple left for a wedding trip to Dallas. Upon their return they will be at home at 3102 4th street in Lubbock.

The bride is a graduate of Robert E. Lee High School in Houston and a senior in Technological College in Lubbock. The bridegroom is a graduate

### Crestview Chat

Hi There!  
Seems this has been a pretty quiet week, only broken by a few grandchildren visiting.

Mrs. Lula Akin had visiting over the weekend, her granddaughter, Mrs. LuDana Bello and that special great one, Raymond Paul. He will be spending two weeks with the R. D. Rains, so we'll see him quite often, I imagine. He's a very handsome little guy.

Also, Mrs. J. A. Brown had her one and only granddaughter visiting, all the way from Charlotte, N. C. Mrs. Robert Maddox, along with her husband and 2 daughters, (Mrs. Brown's great granddaughters), came Monday of this week, left and will return again shortly. We're looking forward to their return visit. Robirene is 8 years; Melisande, not quite 3, so if things get lively down about room 24, we'll know they're back.

We're starting our Crest View scrapbook right away. We have all our pictures made on birthdays since the first of the year, along with some pretty good shots of our staff Christmas Party, last year. These, along with some clippings should be pretty interesting. Mrs. Josephine Thompson was our very first resident here. Hope she'll be here for many more years. We love that sweet lady.

We've been in the bean-snapping business around here the last week or two.

I was wishing my camera was here, little diningroom set-togethers like these are some of our favorite moments at Crest View. Gives us a chance for some oldtime "visitin". Mrs. Ella Smith is one of our very best bean-

### Pioneer Jayton Lady Dies

Mrs. Walton Davis, 83, pioneer area resident, died at 11 a. m. Monday in Callan Hospital, where she had been a patient for several days.

Funeral was held at 4 p. m. Tuesday in First Baptist Church, Jayton, with burial in Jayton Cemetery, under direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Born Majorie Annie Meyers in Iyora, May 16, 1886, her father was one of the first Civil War veterans to take advantage of the Soldiers' State Land Act, bringing his family by covered wagon to the Bookout community in 1889 to homestead a section of land. They later moved to Clairemont.

She was a member of First Baptist Church of Jayton and the Eastern Star.

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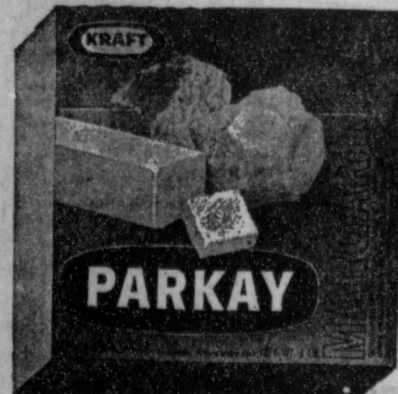


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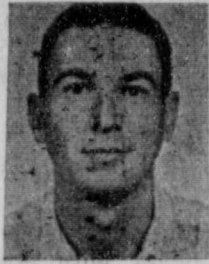


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## COUNTY AGENT NEWS

by Richard Spencer

Machinery and equipment cost continues to be one of the largest items of expense facing the farmer, and this expense continues to increase. Based on records from several Rolling Plains farmers, total machinery and equipment cost on the average increased from about \$8,000 in 1967 to about \$9,700 in 1968. Machinery and equipment expense accounted for about 50 percent of the total farm expense.

These farmers averaged 752 acres of dryland cropland with 234 acres of cotton allotment and 236 acres of wheat allotment. Average investment per acre of cropland for machinery and equipment was \$14.46.

An average of 1740 hours of tractor time was used on each farm.

The total machinery and equipment cost per hour of tractor operation was \$4.18—up more than \$1.00 from 1967. The breakdown on total cost per hour was:

Cash operation cost \$2.13  
Interest on investment .45  
Depreciation 1.60

Total Cost per Hour \$4.18  
Cash operating cost includes fuel, oil, grease, repairs and maintenance.)

Machinery and equipment cost per acre for cotton and wheat varied some between farms but not as much as one might expect. The breakdown of machinery and equipment cost per acre for cotton and wheat is shown below:

**Cotton**  
Cash operating cost \$12.07.

Interest on investment, depreciation, taxes and insurance \$12.26. Total machinery and equipment cost per acre, \$24.33.

### Wheat

Cash operating cost \$6.51. Interest on investment, depreciation, taxes and insurance \$4.61. Total machinery and equipment cost per acre \$11.12.

The "so-called" fixed or investment cost in machinery and equipment is shown to be as high as the operating expense. This is primarily due to larger and fewer tractors being purchased to offset labor scarcity. Thus the only way this cost can be lowered is to use the tractor more efficiently (more hours)—which means obtaining more farm land or doing custom work.

What is your machinery and equipment cost per hour of tractor operation? Chances are you will say they are not as high as those stated above—but do you really know? Records are the only way to know for sure. You can obtain assistance in setting up a set of books to establish your cost by contacting your local agricultural agent.

Cattle grubs cost Texas Livestock industry several million dollars each year. Losses to this pest are an important problem in Fisher County.

Losses occur at all levels in the production and marketing chain. The cow-calf producer is concerned about the reduced milk production by mother cows and resulting reduced weaning weights of calves. The feeder suffers profit losses as a result of reduced gains and lowered market price for grubby animals. The packer who buys and slaughters grubby animals realizes hide losses, carcass trim, increased handling costs and lowered carcass value. Consequently, cattle grub control deserves the attention of the entire beef cattle industry.

Cattle grubs can be effectively controlled through the proper use of systemic insecticides. Depending upon the operation, systemics can be administered as dips, sprays, backline pour-ons, mineral mixes or feed additives. Cost of these treatments vary with the method and chemical selected, but generally, ranges less than 50c per animal in most instances.

Our office has a complete listing of chemicals and methods of treatment for systemic cattle grub control.

Before purchasing and applying livestock insecticides, read the label and pay particular attention to precautions and restrictions listed. Observe strictly the slaughter intervals as clearly stated on the label, as well as other precautions.

Looking at the crops over the county, it looks as we have an excellent start and chances are good for another bumper crop year. We have several tests out on varieties, fertilizers, and weed control. We hope to have some good results to include the demonstration handbook next year.

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## Wedding Held Saturday May 31



formerly Byrde Thomas

Byrde Thomas and David Eugene Halstead were married May 31 in the Thomas home.

Rev. Eddie Thomas of Abilene, brother of the bride, read the vows.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thomas of Rotan and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gilliam of Sweetwater.

The bride presented in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white shadow voile over satin with fitted waist, full skirt and wedding ring neckline. She carried white roses and stephanotis.

Her sister, Mrs. Wayne Deen of Merkel, was her only attendant. She wore a gown of blue voile over satin and carried blue cornflowers and lillies of the valley.

Joe Millhollow of Sweetwater was best man. Candles were lighted by Wayne Deen of Merkel and Wayne Hoppe of Fritch.

The bride, a graduate of Rotan schools, attended McMurry College and is employed with Southwestern Bell Telephone in Midland.

Halstead, a U.S. Army veteran, is employed by Trit-O-Lite Chemical Co., in Midland.

## West Home From Viet Nam



Sgt. George L. West

Sgt. George L. West returned from Viet Nam on June 3 where he has served with Hqs. USARV, Long Binh. His wife, Frances and five children have been living in Rotan during his absence. Sgt. West is on a 30 leave, waiting for reassignment.

He was awarded the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service in the Republic of Viet Nam from April 1968 to June 1969.

Delmar Burk, Roby, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Knox and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Moore, Sunday.

### NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Equalization for the Hobbs Independent School District will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Hobbs School House at 1:30 p. m. on Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1969, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property situated in the Hobbs Independent School District, Fisher County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1969.

Hobbs Independent School District.  
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## Hughey Receives STSC Degree

San Marcos—A Roby student, John B. Hughey, was among the more than 900 candidates for degrees awarded in commencement ceremonies at Southwest Texas State College, May 28.

The January and May graduates receiving diplomas heard an address by Houston attorney Roy Willbern, president of the SWT Ex-Students Association. About 850 of the graduates earned bachelors degrees while around 60 received masters.

Hughey, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hughey of Roby, received a bachelor of science in education degree.

## Rotan Native Receives Degree



Sid Thrash

Sid Thrash, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus J. Thrash of Shoals, Indiana, received his B. S. degree (Business), with a major in Marketing and a minor in Psychology, Sunday evening, June 8 at Roberts Stadium, Evansville, Indiana, when Evansville held its Commencement Exercises.

Sid, a 1965 graduate of Shoals High School, married the former Penny Earl, also from Shoals, and they have one son, Jason, who is 17 months old.

He has accepted a position with State Farm Insurance and after graduation, he and his family will reside in Bloomington, Indiana.

Sid was born at Callan Hospital, Rotan, January 5, 1947 and attended Rotan Grade School for two years. In 1955 the family moved to Shoals, Indiana, when his father, Rufus Thrash, was transferred from National Gypsum Company in Rotan to the new plant in Shoals.

He is the grandson of Birdie Mayo (Thrash), and great nephew of the late Roland Ray and Faye Ray. Richard and Inez Ray and Dennis and Anie O'Briat.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waddell, Roby, spent the weekend in Denton, visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Jack Waddell, who is attending North Texas State College, working on his Doctorate Degree. Their grandsons, Steven, Fred, Danny and Ricky returned home with them to spend their summer vacation. They will also visit their uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Allen Waddell.

Mrs. Inzer Whitefield of Rotan and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hayes, Jamie and Chris of Roby went to Possum Kingdom Lake Saturday, where they were met by Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Waggoner, Skipper, Bryan and Lauri of Graham; Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Wendel Decker and Joey. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ford, Jeff, Clifford and Rebecca, Mr. and Mrs. Wallie Bearden and Brandon, all of Arlington for a weekend outing.



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### HD Club Hears County Nurse

Rotan Home Demonstration Club met June 5 with Mrs. C. C. Roach.

Mrs. Oma Long Recreational Leader led the group in a very interesting quiz game.

Roll call was answered by "The Last Time I Had a Physical Check." Mrs. W. P. Curry presided over the business meeting.

Miss Mary Posey was elected delegate to State Convention, which meets in Dallas Sept. 17.

Mrs. Thomas Colwell was elected alternate. Mrs. Haldean Cave, County School Nurse gave the program on general diseases in an informative manner.

Present were, Mmes. H. L. Davis, J. P. Harper, Thomas Colwell, Cleo Shell, Viola Hendon, Beatrice Hargrove, Homer Aaron, Oma Long, W. P. Curry, W. L. Terrell, hostess, Mrs. C. C. Roach and Misses Louada and Mary Posey.

Two visitors were Mrs. Sylvester Martin of Sulphur Bluff and Mrs. Haldean Cave.

The Club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Joe Little in their next meeting. Program will be on Cotton Council.

### McCRIGHT-MITCHELL WEDDING DATE SET

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McCright, rt. 2, Roby, announce the engagement of their daughter, Deborah to Leonard G. Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Mitchell of Roby.

The bride elect is a 1969 graduate of McCaulley High School.

Leonard is a 1965 graduate of Roby High School, and is now employed at Farmers Union CoOp Gin in Roby.

The couple will exchange vows July 5 at the Church of Christ in Roby, at 8:00 p. m. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry McClain of Arlington came Friday night and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McClain and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hanson Jr. and Mrs. Hermleigh and Larry attended National Guard.

Robin Woodruff of Denton is spending several days in Rotan with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Klepper and Frank, while her mother, Mrs. Robert Woodruff is in Hawaii with Lt. Robt. L. Woodruff on R&R.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Brinegar and daughters of Midland Rev. and Mrs. Jim Weathers and children of St. Louis, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ashton and Mark of Abilene spent the weekend in Rotan with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ashton. Mrs. Brinegar and the Weathers remained for the week.

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Tender  
**PEAS**  
303 Can  
3 for 69c

Fresh  
Yellow  
**SQUASH**  
pound  
9c

Armour's Star Sliced Lb.  
**BACON** Lb. 69c

Stokley's  
**FRUIT COCKTAIL**  
303 Can - 2 for  
55c

Ice Cold  
**MELONS**  
pound  
5c

Fresh All-Meat Lb.  
**BALOGNA** lb. 49c

Fresh  
**GROUND MEAT** 49c

Donald Duck  
Fresh Frozen  
**ORANGE JUICE**  
6 oz. can  
25c

Fresh Dressed Lb.  
**FRYERS** lb. - 33c

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