

Hospital Patients To Be Admitted This Week

Hospital Board Studies Number Of Employees, Plans Opening

The anticipated target date for admitting the first patient to the new Fisher County Hospital will be sometime this weekend. according to hospital personnel. Medical and support person-

nel are in the process of moving live support and auxiliary systems to the new hospital this week in anticipation of the final eron of the Texas Hospital patient move this weekend.

County Board of Directors met maintenance program for the in regular session last Monday new hospital. The organization night for a four hour meeting.

Present for the meeting were: Ralph Ammons, Rudy Martinez, Kirmet Terry, Allan Houston, Dr. C.U. Callan, Dr. J.F. Johnson, James McCallav, Joe Dale Burk, Alta B. Hinson and Reva Hull

the discussion by Hugh Cam-Association shared safety engi-Members of the Fisher neer concerning a preventative was interested in providing a

preventative maintenance program to the hospital for an board members concerning a estimated cost of \$68.00 per month. No action was taken by the board on the matter.

Joe Dale Burk led another discussion concerning the status minutes concerning the person-The first item of business was of the insurance on the new Fisher County Hospital.

Kirmet Terry made a motion. seconded by Rudy Martinez, to purchase a lab blood bank and to also award the water treatment contract to Garrett Callahan Company.

A discussion was held by possible reduction in the number of employees of the hospital. The following information was made a part of the nel matter.

"In accordance with a previous request by the board. Mr. McCallav presented each board member present a copy of the work schedule of hospital employees. After careful study of the work schedules there was

some question as to whether or not there could be any reduction in the number of employees when we move into the new hospital. Mrs. Hinson and Miss Hull each explained that they could foresee no way to reduce

the number of employees in their respective departments, but assured the governing board and the administrator that they would do all in their power to keep the number of employees to the bare minimum required without jeopardizing the effici-

ency of the hospital operation in patients.

Search For Fisher Rodeo Queen Underway

receive nice gifts.

the party and judging.

The committee will meet July

21st at 7:30 to set the date for

There are plenty of girls that

girl does not have a sponsor.

The Rodeo Queen Contest is Saturday night of the rodeo wich underway with entry blanks is August 26, 27 and 28th. First being sent around to all the and second runner-ups will businesses. organizations and clubs in Fisher County. All businesses are urged to start picking a girl to run for their business or club. The deadline for these entries is August 7. A sponsor can enter a junior and a would like to advertise for your serior contestant in the contest. business or organization. If any The fee is \$10.00 per girl. There will be belt buckles for please let the committee know

the winners, they will be so those interested in being a sponsored in the West Texas sponsor will have your name. All contestants will go August Barrel Race next year. They will 19th to be filmed on the Harry

sion and consideration, a motion was made by Mr. Martinez, and seconded by Mr. Houston, that in accord with the by-laws of the Governing Board, Article III, Paragraph 2, that it should be the sole responsibility of the administrator to appoint department heads who would be held accountable to him and that he in turn would be held accountable to the governing board to exercise prudence and take all nec ssary action to see that there was no overstaffing and that all employee's time on the providing adequate care for job should be adequately and properly utilized."

"After considerable discus-

Phillips who was the local Postmaster for the past 25 years. Phillips began his career with the post office 39 years ago. Thornton received notification

Charles Thornton, employee

of the Postal Service for the past

that he had been named Rotan. Postmaster while attending a

training school in Tulsa. Oklahoma.

10 years, was officially named Postmaster of the Rotan office The new Postmaster began last week. He replaces Robert his career as a substitute letter. carrier on March 8, 1966. He has worked as a substitute clerk, regular clerk, assistant to the Postmaster, supervisor of postal operations and post office supervisor in the Rotan office prior to being appointed

Postmaster

Charles Thornton

New Rotan Postmaster

Charles Thornton Is

Tournament July 24, 25

A partnership golf tournament plus greens fees. Trophies will will be held July 24 be awarded first and second 25 at the Rotan Golf Course. Qualifying rounds may be played anytime Saturday, and the final round will begin at 1:00 entries with each flight having

p.m. Sunday. The qualifying round will Contact Joe Kiker or Arvin count only for flight placement. and the Sunday eighteen holes will determine flight winners. Fees will be \$10.00 per team entry fee.

Rotan Schedules Golf

places in each flight. The number of flights will be

determined by the number of as equal number as possible. Everyone is welcome to enter.

White at White Auto Store for further information and to pay



Fair or the Stamford Cowgirl

SECOND PLACE FINISH: The Rotan Cubs took part in the Junior Teenage Area League this past season and finished with a 7-3 record for second place. Team players identified left to right, front row: Lynda Henderson, bat girl; Butch Houston, Ricky LeBleu, Jim

expenses to send three mem-

bers of the Roby Volunteer Fire

Department to the Texas A&M

Fire Protection School. The

school will be held in College

Station from July 25 through

school will be Robert Gramet-

baur, Jay Donham and Pete

the Commissioners that \$3,449

was the city's entitlement for

the period June 30th to

December 31st as Federal

The only other action taken by

the Commissioners at last

Monday's meeting was discus-

sion on salary adjustments for

Don Harkey, Clay Wilfong and

Mark Henderson; Max Kemp

was the county swine winner

while David Posey was the field

crop winner, Penny Coker was

the horse winner; second place

winner was Randy Etheredge.

Britt Stuart will represent the

county in sheep, Donna Hata-

way was the winner in

recreation, Britt Stuart will

recreation. Others entered in

Revenue sharing money.

some city employees.

Agents.

Mayor Cecil King reported to

July 30. Those attending the

Roby City Council Hears Paving Report

The Roby City Council met last Monday afternoon and in one of the highlights of the meeting heard Jimmy Price, Roby City Manager, give a report on the paving currently in progress.

Price indicated that most of the hot topping on the Roby city streets had been completed. He Driver. said that the contractors were currently working on paving the property surrounding the school at present. This area includes paving the school parking area. In other action the Roby Commissioners voted to pay

Roby Flea Mkt. Set On Saturday

Fisher County residents are reminded that this Saturday, July 23, is the date of the monthly Roby Flea Market.

This monthly event is staged to give buyers and sellers in the area an opportunity to display materials and purchase goods in Fisher County.

Additional information concerning the Flea Market can be obtained by contacting Mrs. Ethel Ammons in Roby.

Roby Lions To Get Swine Flu Slide Showing

Members of the Roby Lions Club will have the opportunity to receive first hand information concerning the swine flu outbreak at their regular weekly dinner meeting on Thursday.

Pansy Hale and Marie Boyd are expected to present a slide demonstration at the Lions Club meeting set to begin at 12:00 noon on Thursday.

Ratliff, Todd Goodwin and Mark Henderson, Back row, Coach Billy Henderson, Ray Sharpsteen, Sam Helms, James Helms, Coach Allan Houston, Keith Mullins, Mike Morrow, and Randy Smith, coach. Mark Henderson and James Ratliff were picked by the Hamlin team to play in the Snyder tournament.

Roby School Taxes To Increase By 20 %

ratio of all tax property in the

district by 20 percent. This is

due to the last legislature

passing on to the school districts

a greater share of financing the

school programs. The increase

for Roby this year is \$24,000.00.

off commercial rates as far as

gas and other utilities this past

year which increases the cost of

Plus, the costs of all products

the school has to purchase have

increased in cost the past two

years about 20 to 30 percent,

some even more. Roby residents

can meet with the board of

these services.

All schools have been taken

The Roby Board, in its equalization on August 2nd to adoption of a budget has been discuss the values if they forced to raise the assessment choose.

Hobbs Baptist Young Farmers Revival Will Hear Pitch On Begin Aug. 1st **Tractor Pull**

Hobbs Baptist Church will be holding a revival starting

prayer meeting at 7:30 each evening and preaching services at 8 p.m. Bro. Sherman Driggers from Trent will be bringing the messages each night.

invited to attened these revival

Hospital Hires Man As Ambulance Driver

August 1st through the 8th with

The public is welcome and

services.

Monday, July 19, was the monthly meeting for the Fisher

County Young Farmers. Jesse Allen and Richard Lee Stoker of

Snyder discussed sponsoring a tractor pull in Fisher County.

They also discussed the rules and regulations.

Fisher County Hospital District board of directors officially notified Tommy Harbin of Atlanta, Georgia last week that his application was approved provide emergency medical assistance for the new Fisher

County Hospital. Harbin will assume duties on September 1, 1976 and will be

be working 50 hours a week, 5 days a week. at the new hospital as well as being responsible on a 24-hour basis for the transportation of emergency medical (ambulance) patients.

According to hospital personnel, he plans on utilizing volunteer assistance in the operation of the emergency ambulance service.



ELIMINATED IN TOURNAMENT: The local Little League All-Star Team was eliminated by the Stonewall-Kent All-Stars in the first round of tournament play last Tuesday night. The All-Star game was played at Merkel with Stonewall-kent winning by the score of 3-0. Rotan will face Merkel on Thursday night at 7:30 in the final game of the season. All-Star players identified left to right, front row:

Richard Mendoza, Darrell Carter, Weldon Hayes, Ernest Carrillo, and Mike Porter. Second row, Wes Hardin, Robby King, Larry Ramirez, and Arthur Montez. Back row, Benny Medrano, Mark Harris, Kip Pease, and Kenny Martin. Coaches are Tim Allen, Lawrence Ramirez, Waymon Leverton and manager, Charles Underhill.

Fisher County 4-H members recreation were Lana Hall, turned in some 67 records this Susan Matthies, Monte Moryear, the largest number to ever row, Bud Wyatt, Rod Whitfield, be turned in here, according to and Kenneth Terry. Cindy Richard Spencer and Mrs. Alice Posey was the achievement Ballenger, County Extension winner, Revis Cauble was the

4-H Record Books

Sixty-Seven Turn In

leadership winner while Lois Seniors winning the right to Ann Cauble was the clothing represent Fisher County at winner and Vanessa Hardwick District are: Brad Stuart in beef, will represent the county in other seniors competing in beef foods and nutrition. cattle were Sheila Jeffrey, Gary

Juniors turning in records to the county office include Vickie Moore, Veronica Carrillo, Nina Carrillo, Elsa Carrillo, sherri Wall, Dena Tucker, Beverly McKinney, Jerilyn Marshall, Jill Posey, Sharon Stuart, Nerissa Hardwick and Marilyn Wester in foods; Kellie Pease and Julie Posey in foods and nutrition; Kelly Hunt in dress review; Laura Gruben in family Continued to Page 2

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CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1 life education; Joyce Harkey in clothing; Lisa Hoodenpyle in bicycle; John Morgeson in electricity; Mike Cadenhead. rabbits; Jan Wright, Jill Wright, Leslie Carey, Jeff Posey, Alan Kiker, Mike Morrow, James Jeffrey and Darren Jeffrey in beef; Reggie Counts, Shannon Strickland and Kip Pease in swine; Lance Green and Wenzel Hardwick in the regular 7:30 p.m. worship dog care; Reggie Parks, Ricky Spencer, Mark Harris, Jeff Upshaw, Russell Smith, LaRhea Smith and Wes Hardin in sheep; Todd Etheredge, David Etheredge, Tisa Lovett, Lynda Henderson and Linda Hoodenpyle in horse; and Toby Moore in farm animals.

Allens Place Third In Gospel Talent Show

Robert and LaTricia Alen placed third in the International Gospel Music Festival Talent Show in the Abilene Civic Center Saturday night, July 17. In the show there were no age group divisions and the Allens and one trio of young sisters were in competition with all adult groups

Wally Fowler, known as "Mr. Gospel Music" and Jerry Jordon, known for his "Phone Call From God" were among the many stars of the 4-hour show.

Robert and LaTricia are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon R. Allen of Roby.

The Senior Citizens met

Thursday, July 15, at the

Rotan Community Center

in their regular monthly

meeting. The Club celebra-

ted their 2nd anniversary as

The decorations were of a

Bicentennial decor. Every-

one took a covered dish and

put them on a long table

which was decorated in red,

white and blue. The

centerpiece was a cake

decorated in red, white and

blue with a big 2 on top to

celebrate both occasions.

The cake was baked and

well as the Bicentennial.

Senior Citizens Have

Anniversary Gathering

Dr. J. Stevens To **Speak In Rotan** Wednesday

Dr. John C. Stevens, president of Abilene Christian University, will speak Wednesday, July 28, in Rotan. Dr. Stevens will speak during services of the Rotan Church of

the only ACU giving program

where friends of and alumni

donate money for the universi-

At the meeting Dr. Stevens

will give a progress report on

the university, refreshments

will be served and a color film

Kent County To

A Centennial Celebration is

planned for Kent County on

August 21, 1976, to celebrate

the 100th birthday of the

creation of the County. A full

day of events is planned

begining with a parade of years

gone by, dedication and recog-

nition ceremony, bar-b-que, and

All former Kent County

residents are urged to make

their plans now to be in Jayton,

Everyone enjoyed the

noon meal and then a

special program. Floyd

Garcia and Monte Morrow

presented a 30 minute

musical program in honor

of the celebration. Follow-

ing the program, the group

The celebration was a

success and everyone had a

great time. There were 60

joined in the singing.

people present.

closing with a street dance.

Kent County, on August 21.

Citizens as a gift.

Hold August

Bicentennial

called "The Vital Difference"

about the fund will be shown.

ty's daily operational budget.

Christ on "The Value of Christian Education.' After the worship services, ACU officials will conduct a Rotan city campaign for the 1976 ACU Annual Fund. The fund, with a goal of \$466,000, is

CHURCH OF NAZARENE

F.W. Rogers, Pastor Bible Class-9:45 a.m. Worship-10:50 a.m. Evening Service-7:00 p.m.

Michael Robinson, Pastor Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

9 Miles SW of Rotan

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD Rotan, Texas Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Church-11:00 a.m. Night Services-7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Rotan Latin American Bible Class-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Sylvester, Texas David Binkley, Minister Morning Worship-9:45 a.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Rotan, Texas Steven Sweet, Pastor Sunday School-10:00 a.m.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC

Mr. and Mrs. Hill G. Smith of Lewisville visited in the home of Mass-Saturday Eve.-7:30 p.n

CHURCH OF CHRIST Rotan, Texas Bible Study-9:45 a.m. Worship-10:30 a.m. FIRST UNITED

METHODIST CHURCH Rotan, Texas Rev. Cecil M. Tune, Pastor Sunday School-9:30 a.m. Worship-10:30 a.m.

Rotan, Texas

SYLVESTER BAPTIST **CHURCH**

Sunday Night-7:00 p.m.

SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH Bro. Henry Dickson, Hawley Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

Sunday School-10:30 a.m.

Worship-11:00 a.m.

Rotan, Texas John Hoorman, Pastor

Attend Services FOUR FREEDOMS

The first three have sometimes been marred by abuse. The fourth is nullified by neglect.

Carry that thought with you -- especially on Independence Day during the celebration of our nation's Bicentennial. And then, next Sunday, join all the rest of the millions of our people who are making sound and sacred use of their religious freedom.

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Sunday Mark 1:29-39	Monday Luke 11:1-13	Tuesday Luke 18:1-8	Wednesday Genesis 26:17-25	Genesis 50:15-21	Friday Luke 6:27-36	Saturday John 15:9-17	10.00

EMMANUEL **BAPTIST CHURCH** Rotan, Texas Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

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CROSS ROADS BAPTIST 6 Miles SW of Rotan Michael H. Hicks, Pastor Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Roby, Texas Rev. Luther Baker, Pastor Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH Hobbs Community L.D. (Dutch) Parks, Pastor Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Roby, Texas Rev. Allen Cartrite, Pastor Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Sunday School-11:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

FOURSQUARE CHURCH

Rotan, Texas **Eighth and Genevieve** Rev. Richard L. Dickerson Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

EL PASO BAPTIST CHURCH South of Roby F.E. Healer, Pastor Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rotan, Texas Rev. Fred Thomas. Pastor Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship-10:55 a.m.

METHODIST CHURCH Longworth, Texas Ivan Allen, Minister Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

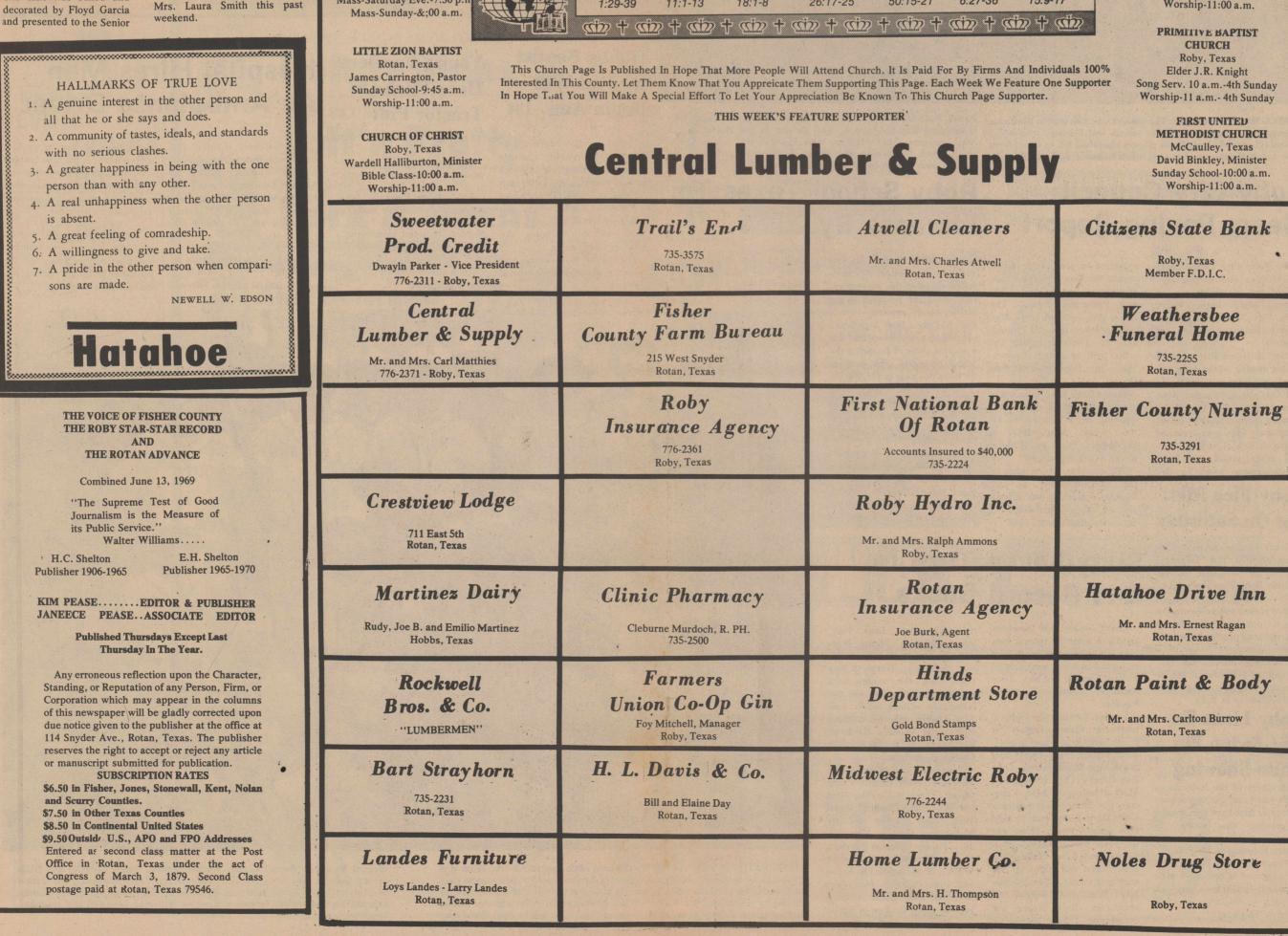
LONGWORTH BAPTIST Longworth, Texas Rev. Billy Oliver, Pastor Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

McCAULLEY BAPTIST McCaulley, Texas Rev. George Caffey, Pastor Sunday School-10:00 a.m. Worship-11:00 a.m.

To print the story of a day or the thoughts of a mind . . . To gather in assembly to express common concerns . . . To talk to the man across the street or the millions across the

land ... To worship God according to the dictates of one's own conscience

> These four freedoms stand like sentinels of Liberty.



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ROTAN MAJORETTES: These girls will be performing during the coming sports season for Rotan High School. Left to right, kneeling, Sonya Leverton, senior; Donna Smith, junior. Standing, Linda Hinson, sophomore, and Lisa Hale, senior, drum major.

Rotan Majorettes Back From Annual Twirl Camp

Rotan High Majorettes were among some 340 participants in the 1976 Southwest Twirling Camp and Drum Major Clinic held on the campus of Cisco Junior College June 6-11.

Baton twirlers and drum majors from high schools,

junior highs, and elementary schools all over the Big Country and other parts of Texas as well as Oklahoma attended the five-day clinicworkshop in Cisco. They were given instruction in the latest techniques in baton twirling and drum majoring, and they also

learned now baton routines for performance during the coming year's sports season Rotan majorettes are

Sonya Leverton, senior; Donna Smith, junior; Linda Hinson, sophomore; and Lisa Hale, senior, drum major.

Pansy Hale Named To Swine Flu Coordinator

Mrs. Dolph Briscoe has appointed Mrs. Pansy Hale of Roby County chairperson for the First Lady's Volunteer Program, Office of the Governor. Mrs. Hale will be responsible for cordinating volunteer activities in Fisher County, working with Mrs. Sam Waldrop of Abilene who coordinates volunteer services in the 19-county area covered by the West Central Texas Council of Governments.

The First Lady's Volunteer Program was created by an Executive Order signed by Governor Briscoe in October, 1974. The order calls for the office to act as a liaison between the Governor's Office and other state agencies in seeking ways to develop and expand volunteerism and to

teer Program is co-sponsoring the upcoming swine flu effort with state and local health officials. The Volunteer Program will recruit and place the estimated 600,000 volunteers needed to help inoculate 10 million Texans form the deadly influenza. Volunteers of every cate-

gory wil be needed--doctors, nurses, aides, clerks, and for transportation, telephoning, and many other duties. County committees will be headed by the First Lady's Volunteer Program chairperson. Subcommittees will be composed of local counterparts of members of the statewide organization steering committee appointed by Mrs. Briscoe. These include: Agricultural Extension Ser-

Lung Association of Texas, American National Red Cross--Texas Division, Auxiliary to the Texas Osteopathic Medical Association, B'nia Brith Women, Texas Academy of Family Physicians, Texas AFB-Cio, Texas Association of Hospital Auxiliaries, Texas Classroom Teachers Association, Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, Texas Department of Public Welfare, Texas Hospital Association, Texas Jaycees and Jaycee-Ettest, Texas League for

Nursing, Texas Manufacturers Association, Texas March of Dimes, Texas Nurses Association, Texas Nursing Home Association, Texas Osteopathic Medical Association, Texas Pediatric Soceity, Texas Pharmaceutical Association, Texas State Teachers Association, Women's Auxiliarty to the Texas Medical Association. State Bar of Texas.

Leisure Lodge News By Ima Berry

Several of our residents were able to go to the parade Monday morning. Needless to say, they really enjoyed it. We would like to thank the Firemens Auxiliary and Fire Boys for providing the chairs in front of the Police Station. We could see everything real well, and really appreciate this fine gesture.

We also had a watermelon party Monday afternoon. Everyone really enjoyed it.

Had quite a bit of out of town company the past week, some of whom were Rev. Billy Hudnall of Austin visiting his parents the G.A. Hudnalls; Mrs. Hull's daughters Mrs. Gladys Farrar and grndson of Roby and Mrs. Lois McDaniel and grandson of Snyder; Miss Emily Garretts visitors were Mrs. Luna Kolb and Mrs. Izetta Dial of Sweetwater; visiting Miss Maudie Moize was Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bailey of Friona; visiting Mrs. Ivy Campbell was her sister, Mrs. Jenny Hawkins of Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Curlee of Colorado City visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bartley; Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Cave of Stanton visited Mr. Emmett Cave; Mrs. W.J. Patterson and friend of Peacock visited Helen Warner last Tuesday.

Miller Coppedge's daughter Vesta Halaway and husband of Bloomfield, New Mexico came by and took Miller to Amarillo for a short visit. miller reports a very good time.

We all enjoyed the wonderful rains we've had the last few days. Have had a number of

out-of-town visitors. Visiting the Bud Crawfords was Mrs. Mike Thornton and Adam of Snyder, Mrs. Eddie Stewart and David also of Snyder, they are granddaughters; their daughter, Mrs. Doris Floyd of Midland and son and daughterin-law, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Crawford of Odessa. Mr. and Mrs. John White of Sweetwater came to see Nancy White. Emily Garrett's visitors was a neice, Mrs. Addie Rutledge of Oklahoma; her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Rutledge of Odessa; and Mrs. John Carter of California. Emily had a full day Sunday, she was able to attend the church services and had lunch with Mrs. Hanson. Our bingo winners last week

were Travis Montgomery, Pete Dodd and Francis Frazier. They won most games.

Guess this is all the news, see you next week.

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Notice

Fisher County Commissioners will accept bids on seal coating and gravel for the parking area around the Courthouse.

Bids will be opened at the meeting of Fisher County Commissioners Court on Monday, July 26, 1976, at 10:00 a.m. This project will be paid by Revenue Sharing Fund. Wage rates will have to apply

according to the Department of Labor on this project. Bids should be in writing, and sent to Fisher County Judge, Fisher County Courthouse, Roby, Texas and clearly marked

bids The Fisher County Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

22-2tc Fisher County Commissioners will accept bids on carpet to be installed in living area, bedroom and hall at the Fisher County Jail.

Bids will be opened at the meeting of Fisher County Commissioners Court on Monday, July 26, 1976 at 10:00 a.m.

Bids should be in writing, and sent to Fisher County Judge, Fisher County Courthouse, Roby, Texas and clearly marked bids.

The Fisher County Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

This project will be paid from Revenue Sharing Fund. 22-2tc

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Bus Barn for Hobbs Independent School District, Hobbs, Texas.

Sealed proposals addressed to Sim Groves, President of the Board of Trustees, Hobbs Independent School District, Hobbs, Texas, for the construction of:

bus barn will be received up to and not later than 7:00 p.m. August 10, 1976. At this time they will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Auditorium of the High School Building.

Combined proposals will be received for General Construction; Plumbing, Heating & Air Conditioning; and Electrical.

Copies of the Drawings and Specifications are on file and may be seen in the office of the Architect and the office of the School Superintendent in Hobbs.

Each bidder must submit a cashiers check, dertified check, or bid bond payable without recourse to the order of the owner in the amount of five percent of the largest total amount of his proposal. This is considered a guarantee that the bidder will enter into the contract and execute contract

surety within ten days after notice of award. The successful bidder must furnish bonds in the amount of one hundred percent of the contract price, for the faithful performance and

payment of all obligations thereunder. The owner reserves the right to hold the bids for a period of thirty (30) days after the time set for the submission of the bids.

The owner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

By Order of the Owner Hobbs Indep. School District 23-2tc

the Roby Independent School District will meet from 8 a.m. until 12 noon, August 2, 1976, at

Grant Announced

By Burleson

Congressman Omar Burleson announces the approval of a \$9,348 Community Services Administration grant to the Aspermont Small Business Development Center, Incorporated, in Aspermont. The grant is effective July 1, 1976, Dressing room additiona and and will run for three months.

The areas served are Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Stonewall, Briscoe, Dickens, Cottle, Childress, Donley, Foard, Hall, Hardeman, King, Motley and Wilbarger Counties. The funds will be used to provide economic development activities in the areas served.

USE YOUR

FREEZER WISELY ...

Roby Baptist WMU Has Meet

Beautiful" and "Star Spangled

Banner'' after which they

adjourned to Fellowship Hall for

refreshments.

presiding.

From the Record of **FRED BYERLY** The WMU of the First Baptist Rotan Weather Observer Church of Roby met Tuesday, July 13, at 2 p.m. at the church with Mrs. William Hughey July '76 Prec Tues.13 .13 Wed.14 Tr. Topic of the program was Thur.15 .08 "Happy Birthday America". A Fri.16 .08 candelabrum holding three Sat.17 .15 candles was in the center of the Sun.18 table. A candle lighting service Mon.19 was participated in. After the Total .44 Total precipitation to date:

candle lighting service, a flag 1975.....11.45 bearing ceremony was observ-1976. ed. The meeting closed with the members singing "America The

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Roby, Texas 79543



Post Office Building 776-2228 **Pin Ball Alley Recreation Center Open Friday, July 23rd** At 12:00 Noon In Old **Bennett Grocery Building**

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Pool Tables Air Hockey Foosball Machines Pinball Machines And Music

12:00 Noon To 12:00 Midnight

Fun & Entertainment

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The board of equalizatin of the Roby School Tax Office. 22-2tc



Rotan Advance-Roby Star Record Lynn Gibson Is Named To **Kansas** Position



Lynn Gibson

Lynn Gibson, 32, a native of Fisher County, was recently named range conservationist for the State of Kansas. He will be based at Salina, Kansas.

Before his assignment to the State post, Mr. Gibson had served two years as range conservationist for the 10-county Vernon SCS area and the Abilene area. Prior to his move to Vernon, he was a SCS district conservationist at Van Horn and Eastland. He had also served with the SCS in Stephenville and Breckenridge.

A graduate of Roby High School, he received a B.S. degree from Texas Tech University in 1966.

He is married to the former Norma Sparks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Sparks of Rotan. Mr. Gibson is the son of

Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Gibson of Roby

They have two children, Todd, age 7, and Keri almost 3. The Gibsons are members of the Church of Christ and he is associated with a number of professional organizations.

Young Farmers Hold Fishing Trip Last Friday

The Fisher County Young Farmers held their annual fishing trip Friday and Saturday nights.

The members attending were Larry Williamson, Charlie Joe Nunn, Mark Kiser, Jerry Hoodenpyle, Guy Kemp, Donald Coker, Gene Terry, Tubby Moore, Tommie Jack Stuart, Bob Moore, Johnny Claxton, Jimmie Laurie, Gerald Owens, Jerry Upshaw, Geronimo Gaona. Joe DeLa Santos. Guests were Caffey Welch, Kerry Green, Dwaine Rasco, Bunny Terry, Tony Terry, Charlie Horton and Baron Wetsel. **** Canning probably offers a greater money-saving opportunity than other methods of home food preservation. But the most economical methods depend on the family's eating habits. Money is not saved by canning green beans, for example, if the family only likes frozen ones, reminds Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist

Belynda's **Pen And Pad**

Roby, Texas 776-2684

Hello, everyone this has been another wet week, but it looks like now we might get some wind. The weeds are surely starting to grow and everyone is going to have to start plowing if it gets dry enough. Buddy Murff is now recuperating at home after his long stay in the hospital.

I hope that everyone that has been down is now recovering well and doing much better.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Stuart and grandchildren Tiffany and Gary Stuart of Eastland traveled to Lubbock Saturday to visit their son. James Stuart and his family. They enjoyed their little weekend visit but it just didn't last long enough for them to get all their visits out. They returned home Sunday.

The Kiker-Strong reunion was held at Roby over the weekend, there was several attending, coming from New Mexico and all over Texas. Saturday night they had their regular fish fry, which every year Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kiker of Orange Grove provide the fish, 45 attended this meal.

Mr. and Mrs. B.B. Etheredge had some visitors Wednesday night from Portles, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. D.H. Bulluck and family. The Tracy Kings of Roby had a family reunion. Starting July 9th, they begin to arrive with the rain. Some arrived from 4 p.m. Friday until 7 a.m. Saturday, the 10th. In al there were up to 30 people. All their family was together for the first time ever. Some had not met others, such as in-laws and new babies. The greatest surprise to the Kings was when the oldest grandson walked into the house about 5 p.m. Saturday. He is from Big Lake, Texas. He said that he couldn't

miss all the good cooking. In all the rain and a crowded house, everyone enjoyed themselves, from Friday night through Sunday. Some of the family started leaving Sunday, then others Monday and all were gone on Tuesday except a granddaughter and her children who left on Monday the 19th. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Tracy King who held the event in their home, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Headstream and Hal of Hobbs, N.M.; Tracy Headstream, Big Lake; Mr and Mrs. Charlie Graugr and Lisa Jo, Garber, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Glenn King, Lorrie, Alfred and Tracy Ann of Premont; Mr. and Mrs. Rick Allison, Angie, Dustin and Rikki, Enid, Okla.; Mrs. Tracy King's brother and his wife of Roswell, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. leonard McCombs, Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Head and Tom, Abilene; Mrs. Brady Shafle, Aspermont; and her daughter and granddaughter. The hours just weren't long enought, but they made the best of it with laughs and shouts as tales were told, mostly on Mom. But all was fun and they hope to do it again some day. Hal and a friend, Bart, took Debbie home Monday the 19th.

Becca and Tommie Frierson and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Edmondson traveled to Coleman to attend the rodeo Wednesday night. Johnny tied for 2nd Wednesday. Then Friday night Becca and Tommy, Monty Neighbors and Eddie Richard went to the rodeo at Coleman and met Sharron Neighbors who had returned home from Brownwood after attending a coaching clinic for a few days this past week.

To visit Mrs. Gladys Holcomb and realtives of Roby were Jana and Paul Jinkens, Loyl Jean Bailey and Rick Holcomb all of Abilene; Randy and Brenda Holcomb and children of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Glendal Ballenger and Chad of Roscoe and Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Ballenger and Debbie of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ballenger over the weekend.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Carter was Chick and Jane Carter of Odessa.

Plans for the rodeo queen contest are now underway, and they would like the sponsors and cowgirls to get ready.

The Holcomb reunion was held this past weekend at the Roby Pink Building. There was up to 45-50 visitors. Those attending were from Waco, California, Midland, Abilene, San Angelo, Sweetwater, Fort Worth, Garland, Rotan and those of Roby.

Mrs. Wanda Kiker's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Miles and family of Parfield, Calif. and Mrs. Kiker'd brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Holcomb and family of Waco, and some friends, Mr. and Mrs. Gray Wayfield stayed a while longer with Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Kiker.

Jimmy Adair of Corpus Christi spent the night with E.E. Sumerlin while he was here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Stuart and Jordon have recently moved into their new home. They bought the Cecil Alexander home

The Birthdays this week are Joe DeLos Santos and Shelly Boyd, July 22; John Shipp and John Cleveland of Rogers, N.M., July 23; Jim Hilliard, Mike Connor and Jess Goforth, July 25; Roxie Haggard, July 26; Marjorie Stuart McCuistion, July 27; Franklin each and Don Stuart of Eastland, July 28; Billy Carter, July 21.

Funeral Service

M.D. Ivey

M.D. Ivey, 82, of Rotan died County Hospital after a brief illness. Services were held at 2 Church.

The Rev. Fred Thomas, pastor, and the Rev. L.L. Trott of Abilene officiated. Burial was in Rotan Cemetery.

Born Oct. 24, 1893, in Picton, he married Anna Dean Smith June 1, 1924, in Colorado City. He was a Mason, a deacon of First Baptist Church, and choir director of the church for 26 years. He was a member of the Lions Club and active in the Boy Scouts.

Survivors include his wife; a at 4:45 a.m. Saturday at Fisher son, Denny of San Antonio; a grandson, Marcus of San Antonio; a granddaughter, Xan p.m. Monday at First Baptist Barkofske of Dallas; and a sister, Anna Lee Collins, of Austin.

> He was preceded in death by a daughter, Evelyn Mathers, in 1971.

Pallbearers were Neil Wright, H. Thompson, Stan Nowlin, Herbet Kennedy, Gerald Harmon, Loys Landes, Louie Hayes and John Gray. Honorary pallbearers were

Theda Finch of Rotan; 6

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the deacons of First Baptist Church, members of Mr. Ivey's Sunday school class and Dr. J. Frank Johnson.

Mrs. Thelma Marshall

Mrs. Thelma Lee Marshall, 83, member of the First Christian a former Rotan resident, died at Church, Sons of Herman Lodge 7:30 a.m. Wednesday, July 14, at and was a retired LVN.

Grimes Memorial Hospital at Survivors include 3 daughters, Navasota. Services were held at 9 Mrs. Loucille Arrington of a.m. Friday at Forest Park Houston, Mrs. Mildred Thomp-Lawndale Funeral Chapel in son of Sweetwater and Mrs. Houston.

The Rev. M.R. Massey, grandchildren; nine great-grand-Baptist minister, officiated. Bur- children; 2 great-great-grandial was in Forest Park Lawndale daughters. Cemetery, Houston.

Born Aug. 18, 1892, in Indian Territory, she came to Rotan in 1914. Mrs. Marshall had been a resident of Navasota Nursing Home four years. She had lived in Houston since 1931, moving there from Rotan. She was a

Flovd Noles

Floyd Noles, 73, of Rotan died at 6 p.m. Thursday, July 15, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock following a lengthy illness. Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at First Baptist Church

The Rev. Thurman Upshaw of Stamford and the Rev. Mike Hicks, pastor at Cross Roads Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in Rotan Cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Born Oct. 18, 1902, in Fisher County, he was a retired farmer. He married Alvoy Thompson Dec. 22, 1928, at Rotan.

Survivors include his wife: two daughters, Daulma Stribling of Hereford and Tyra Jo Carmichael of Abilene; and four grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Lazaro Mi-

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Happy Birthday, everyone.

Chine Stuart is sporting around in a new goldish colored Chev. pickup. Calvin Elkins is driving a new beige colored club-cab pickup.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ammons are moving from Roby to Azle, Texas. I am so sorry to see you leave us, but I am sure that if you are happy, it'll make us happy too.

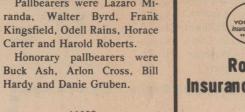
The Sardis Baptist Church is holding a revival July 18-25 at 8 p.m. each night. The pastor for the revival is a former resident of Roby area, Jimmy Kinsey of Sweetwater. The song leader is Jack Staples and his wife playes the piano, they are from Abilene. Saturday night is young people night, the children age 11 and under will hold their fun at one place and those 12 and up will meet elsewhere. There will be a supper and fun. This is really a blessing for every member of the Sardis Baptist Church. Everyone is invited to share God's word with each other.

If you are going on vacation I hope that your trip is safe and that you enjoy and relax the whole free time.

Don Gattis of Austin, Pearson Knolley, San Dia, Jimmy Lanley of Austin, were here taking photo of Jimmie Laurie and Tommie Jack Stuart for a slide presentation for the Texas Young Farmers.

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Hardy and Danie Gruben. ***** greetings to Mr. Little.



Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Little and Loran's visitors over the weekend were Brol Phil J. Little and son Phil, Jr. of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Browning of Lovington, N.M., Jenel Holcomb and daughter Julie of Midland. They came to wish birthday

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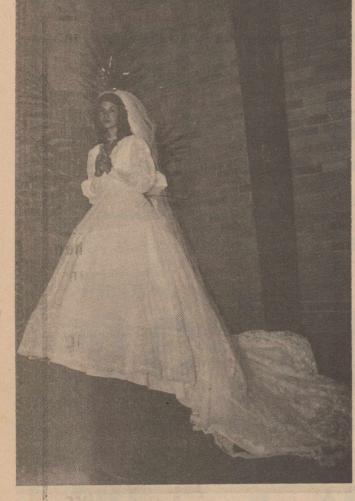
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Mrs. Tony Soliz **Esmeralda Guerra** And Tony Soliz **Exchange Vows**

p.m. in the Church of Christ, pink carnations. Roby. Wardell Halliburton, minister, performed the cere-

Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Soliz, Rotan. The bride was given in long stem pink carnation.

marriage by her father. She

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Everyone is looking forward to the Fisher County Singing Group who will be here at 7 p.m. July 27. They come each 4th Tuesday of the month, all are invited to attend.

Those attending Bible Study Mendoza. this week are Lulline Blount. Beulah Moffett, Tishie Hayes, Sadie Cross, Rector Brown, and Sam Sahw. Our thanks to Narcissa Clegg and Mr. Rogers. Last Sunday, July 18, the Methodist Church held Sunday afternoon services. This Sunday the Church of Christ will hold services. All are invited to which start at 2 p.m.

Esmeralda Campos Guerra sequins. Her veil was outlined and Tony Soliz exchanged with lace matching that of the wedding vows Saturday at 4:00 gown. She carried a bouquet of

Maid of honor was Miss Marta Guerra of Roby. Bridesmaids were Alicia Guerra, Julie The bride is the daughter of Guerra, Norma Aguilar, Linda Mr. and Mrs. Serapio Guerra. Aguilar, Linda Martinez, Jo Parents of the bridegroom are Ann Garcia, Elvia Rangel and Gloria Cortinez. they wore floor length gowns and each carried a

Ramon Guerra, brother of the wore a traditional long white bride, was best man. Groomsgown covered with lace and men were Johnny Barrera of Hamlin, Juan Cortinez and Jorge Rangel, both of Abilene, and Rey Martinez of Sweetwater

John Soliz of Rotan and Jesse Mendoza of Hamlin, relatives of the bridegroom, seated

guests and were candle lighters. Married couples were Mr. and Mrs. Max Lopez, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garcia, Mr. and Mrs. Rey Garcia, Mr. and Mrs. John Soliz and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse

McCaulley

By Mrs Fred Kemp

Steve Whigham, sophomore ministerial student at HSU will do the preacing for a 5-day revival which began Wed., July 21, at the McCaulley Baptist Church, assisted by song leader, Steve Walker, junior music major formerly of Merkel. At the piano will be Faye Freeman who wil also help with the visitation during the period. Everyone is urged to attend the services. We feel sure you will enjoy these worship services.

Ten members of the 1956 Graduating Class spent the day showing off children, visiting, eating and catching up on what has happened at McCaulley since they were graduated twenty years ago. Of the 15 members graduated that year, we can truthfully say they are successful, happy and are a great credit to any community. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Don Drummond, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Scifres (Mrs. Scifres is the former Evaline Mahaffey), Mr. and Mrs. Russell (Mrs. Russell is the former Zoie Adair), Carol Hennington Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Don Alexander. Also former teachers of these students who were present were Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Green, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kemp

Mr. and Mrs. Rickey Jeffrey have a new baby daughter, Amy Minon. Amy is in a Lubbock Hospital receiving therapy for a lung problem but is responding to the treatment beautifully. Stuart will have to take less attention now

That much needed rain finally came, at the time of this writing, July 19, McCaulley has had five inches of rain during the past ten davs

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kemp and Max have just returned from a week of vacationing with Mr and Mrs. Jim Kincaid and Jennifer of Valdosta, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis and Luke were here recently getting ready to move their mobil home to New Deal.

Shandele Maberry, daughter of Smitty Maberry of Littlefield has been spending the summer with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Maberry. This week she is in Midland visiting her Aunt Betsy Mitchell and her daughter Michelle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Maberry and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Maberry of Hamlin drove to Lamesa July 7 to attend the birthday celebration of Mrs. Cora Fancher who is 90 years old.

Mary Lou and Millet Roland of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Maberry Sunday. Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Webb the past week were Mr.

and Mrs. Ellis Eivens from Ft. Worth and their daughter Suzy, and her two daughters Angie and Cassie of Beaumont. Other visitors in the Webb home were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Eivens of Levelland, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carter and their two children

Shelley and David from Yorba Linda, California. Mr. Eldon Franklin and James Jeffrey attended the State FFA Convention in Dallas last week. Mrs. Franklin spent the time in Ladonia visiting Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Franklin and sons, Scott and Shaun. This week Scott and Dhaun are here with their grandparents

Sen Tower Introduces P.L. 93-641 Repeal Bill

Origanization for Preserva- hospitals. Ordering patients tion of Local Medical Services, transferred to Health Centers Inc. (O.P.L.M.S.) has been away from their homes would notified that Senator John mean the decrease of income to Tower (R-Tex.) introduced Senlocal hospitals, eventually leadate Bill 3573 on June 16, calling ing to the reduction of services for the repeal of Public Law offered by those small local hospitals and, in time, result in 93-641 "National Health Plantheir closing. ning and Resources Develop-

O.P.L.M.S. has been notified This law, to be operated that the State of Missouri filed suit in Federal Court, Washingunder the auspices of H.E.W., ton. D.C., June 15, 1976, would establish Health Centers in designated areas for the challenging the constitutionality mandatory treatment of all of Public Law 93-641.

major illnesses with or without Missouri's entry into the fight against this law follows the the consent of patients or their

Hustlin' Round Hobbs By Mrs Jimmy Walker

Hobbs, Texas 735-2840

been having. Everyone sure got a good rain though, and the farmers are really going to be busy as soon as the fields get dry enough. Lots of folks are already hoeing as those little weeds are really coming up fast.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Josh Phillips on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Phillips from Arlington.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Williams Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Doss and family from Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hartley also from Plainview visited with the Williamses on Wednesday and spent Wednesday night with them. Ricky Williams from Lubbock visited with his parents all day Friday. Mrs. Ricky Williams was in Brownwood at basketball camp.

Shephanie and Nicole Warren, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Warren of Snyder, spent the week visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez.

Hobbs Baptist Church is having a revival starting the 1st of August through the 8th, so everyone be sure and come. Our evangelist for the revival will be Bro. Sherman Driggers from Trent. Our sincere sympathy goes out to Mrs. Alvoy Noles and her family on the death of Floyd Noles, who passed away Thursday at Lubbock. Mr. Noles was a long time member of our community. We were very happy to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Gary Finley and Shane to our church Sunday. They have moved to Hobbs and Gary is the new Ag teacher. They moved here from Hamlin and we want to welcome them to our community.

Evette Gruben, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben and Carye and Donnie Carl Gruben, children of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Gruben, spent Sunday and Sunday night with the Jimmy Walkers. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker and Melody went to Abilene



Since several people have

Weekly: Monday-dominoes;

asked about our activity sched-

ule, I thought I would print it in

Tuesday, ring toss or horse

shoes; Wednesday and Friday,

bingo; Thursday-outings; Sun-

day morning-Sunday School;

Sunday afternoon-Church ser-

Monthly: The first and second

Thursday of every month-Try to

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with watermelon feast or ice

cream supper; Third Tuesday of each month-The Fisher County

Singing Group; Fourth Tuesday-The WMU of the Baptist Church

in Roby holds birthday party.

Anyone wishing to provide

special entertainment (playing

instruments, singing, etc.) for

the home on the first and second

Thursdays of the month should

contact Carolyn Nichols, activi-

ties director. It would be greatly

week are: Mrs. Elizabeth Bird

from Odessa visiting her uncle,

Pete McClure: Buddy Bryant

from Amarillo visited his wife.

Gladys; Jim Melton and family

Our out-0f-town visitors this

this week's column:

Would like to thank the Roby Charles, home at Sylvester. Her Church of Christ for holding daughter and family, Judy Sunday afternoon church ser-Justice from Sweetwater, and vices. This Sunday, July 25, the family were there also. Longworth Baptist Church will Mrs. Carrie Holcomb attendhold services starting at 3 p.m.

ed the Holcomb family reunion here in Roby Sunday with her son Jack and family

It looks like it is finally going to clear off after all that rain we have Thursday night and Melody rode in the A.J.R.A. rodeo which was being held there. It was thick black mud but Melody had a real good pole bending despite the arena. We heard that it was even worse on Friday night and they had to call it off on Saturday night as it had rained so much

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and Todd went to Snyder on Friday night to watch the Sweetwater Girls All Stars softball team play Snyder. LaTisha Kiker from Sweetwater, and the neice of Mrs. J.W. Etheredge, plays on the Sweetwater team. The Etheredges were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lealon Wilburn and Mrs. Jim Wilburn and girls, all from Roby,

Hobbs FFA boys and Ag teacher Gary Finley went to Dallas Tuesday to attend the State Convention. They returned home on Friday. Those attending from Hobbs were David Etheredge, Randy Etheredge, Wayne Jones, Terry Porter, Charles Wright, Mike martin, Mark Pierson and Don Denman.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge went to Seminole Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Windell Barrett of Snyder to watch Tania and Corby Barrett participate in the open 4-H horse show which was being held

Well this is about all for this week. Know that I have mised some of the news, but the phones are out. See you next week.

CALVIN **Card of Thanks** CROW We wish to thank everyone for coming to our 50th REPRESENTING anniversary. Thanks for the nice gifts and a special thanks goes to our children: Charles Shpp and wife, Judy Adkins and son, Reliable Dean Shipp and family of Friona, Delbert Shipp and family of Seminole, Buddy Mr. and Mrs. Vollie Shipp

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Our bingo winners this week are: Annie Owen, Alice Sutton, Lulline Blount, Sam Shaw, Sadie Cross, Tishie Hayes, and Rector Brown

Happy Birthday to Hughie G. Rogers. Mr. Rogers was born July 23, 1884 in Lipan, he entered our home October 21, 1974.

week are Mr. and Mrs. George Snapp and family from Odessa visited his father, Dave Snapp; Mrs. V.N. Owen from Novice visited Mrs. Annie Owen over the weekend; Mrs. Kelly and Leguan from Sylvester visited Neda Kiser; Joe and Leo Kiker visited their cousin Lulline Blount and also Tishie Hayes; Beulah Moffett's granddaughter, Glo, from Dallas, visited

her. Visiting Bill House Sunday Continued to Page 7

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The couple is making their home at 611 E. Elizabeth, Rotan. The bride attended Roby Schools and the bridegroom attend the church services attended Rotan Schools. He is employed at Thriftway, Rotan.

Two At Rotan Attend W.T.C. **Bible Camp**

The second annual Western Texas College Bible Camp Our out-of-town visitors this opened Sunday July 11 with about 80 students enrolled and continued through Saturday, July 17.

Features of the camp were daily Bible classes and devotionals, along with a varied program of recreation and arts and crafts. The camp was for students in grades 7-12 and recent high school graduates.

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ment Act of 1974".

for Preservation of Local Medical Services, Inc. is now carrying on this fight on a national scale.

O.P.L.M.S. is a non-profit organization, whose directors are concerned citizens, none of whom are related to the medical field and who view this law as another federal attempt to further control local doctors and

visited Clara Neves; Janet action taken by North Carolina, Schattel from Hermleigh and Alabama, and the National Mrs. Lucille Burchard from San Association of Regional Coun-Antonio visited Mrs. Pearl cils of Government in Washing-Henry. ton, D.C., as well as others.

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To the people of Rotan, Roby and surrounding area: I would like to take this

opportunity in the form of a 'Letter to the Editor'' to thank each and everyone of you for your support and confidence in me in my pursuit of the Postmaster job in Rotan.

It has been many long months coming since the application for retirement of past Postmaster Robert Phillips, before I was finally appointed and your great support helped me endure this trying period.

I would also like to express my sincere appreciation to

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Robert and Janie Phillips who helped me in every way possible and never lost faith in me. I can only hope with God's help and yours that I will be able to justify your confidence in me. May God bless each and everyone of you. Thank you. Sincerely.

Charles Thornton Rotan Advance-**Roby Star Record** Rotan, Texas Dear Kim. I am sure you will refuse to print my letter, but here goes. We have a gold mine here

in Rotan and Rotan Area. If we just could get the people to see it. There is ground here in town that is nothing short of a disgraceful shame, no owners, no taxes collected-ever. No wonder everytime you paint anything or do any mainten-

ance work on your home, your taxes are raised. Now about this gold mine, if there is any one interested, I will be glad to show it to them and also let them primafacia evidence of the fact, yours sincerely.

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Fisher Farmers Third In Total Pea Production

Fisher County farmers placed third in 1975 Texas cowpea production with a crop totaling 842,000 pounds, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White reported.

County farmers harvested 1,300 acres with a yield of 648 pounds of dry peas per acre.

Texas production was some 6.4 million pounds of dry peas and 3.2 million pounds of green peas.

Dawson County led the state in production with a crop of 911.000 pounds.

Complete figures for Texas field crops have been compiled in the "1975 Texas Field Crops Statistics". Copies may be obtained by writing Agriculture Commissioner John C. White, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin,

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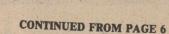
Due to doctor's vacation. the Well-Baby Conference and Immunization Clinic will be held the 5th Friday (July 30) of this month. This change is for the month of July only.

Change in Well

Baby Conference

The Immunization hours are from 10:00 a.m. until 12 noon and the well-baby clinic from 12:30 until 3 p.m. These are held in the

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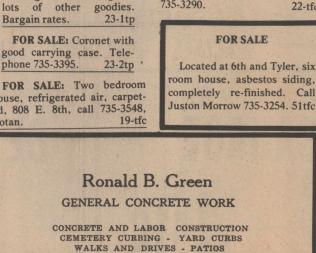
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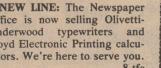
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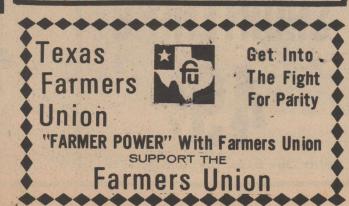


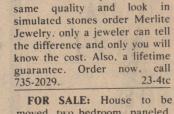
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