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### Rotan Chamber Planning To Feed 1,000 On Veteran's Day

The Rotan Chamber of Commerce announced last Tuesday afternoon at a noon luncheon meeting that plans were being made to feed 1,000 people at the 2nd annual Veteran's Day Celebration planned for Saturday, November 10.

#### Rotan Chamber President Ben Reaid also Baptist Men Plan County Meet Monday

The Fisher County Baptist Men will meet on Monday, October 22, at the First Baptist Church in Rotan, beginning at 7:30 p.m. for a special program and fellowship.

Dr. T.O. Upshaw, director of missions for the West Central Baptist Association will be the guest speaker.

Refreshments will be served and a time of fellowship will follow the meeting.

announced that the 1979 Six Outstanding Citizens were elected to serve as Parade Marshalls. They include Dr. C.U. Callan, Delila Baird, Josie Baird, Hooper Shelton, Wayne Harris and H. Govan.

The Rotan Jaycees will be in charge of the food preparation and plans are to prepare for 1,000 people. Over 600 were fed last year. The Jaycees are planning to purchase 400 pounds of brisket and 100 pounds of German sausage for the "2nd annual bar-b-que lunch".

The V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary will be in charge of the parade. Preliminary indications are that the number of float entries will far exceed those entered last year, according to Jean McKinney, V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary. Those already signed up for parade entries include V.F.W. and Ladies Auxiliary, Rotan Seed Delinting, Hospital Auxiliary Pink

Ladies, Cross Roads Baptist Church, Mid-west Electric Cooperative, First National Bank, Farm Bureau, White Auto, Western Auto, S&L Texaco, Farm Tractor and Service, and Landes Furniture.

#### Those present for the meeting last Tuesday Young Farmers Plan Cotton Meet In Roby

The Fisher County Young Farmers will have a program Monday, October 22, at 7 p.m. in the Roby High School Auditorium. The program will feature Neta Gibson with the Cotton Pool of Texas.

She is trying to get a better price for cotton, everyone who would like to get a better cotton price is urged to attend.

lucted from 6:30 to p.m. to assist local estate persons in ting new licensure irements which be e effective September 1979. The seminar is g sponsored by Tri- ege Continuing Educa-

tate legislation now uires that "all appli- ts for licensure must plete at least three room hours of course- k on federal, state and

afternoon were Jerry Dycus, Ben Reaid, Larry McClain, Peggy Diamond, Kim Pease and Perry Hunsaker. Also present were Phil Springer, Rotan Jaycees; Jean McKinney, V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary; and JoAnn Cleveland.

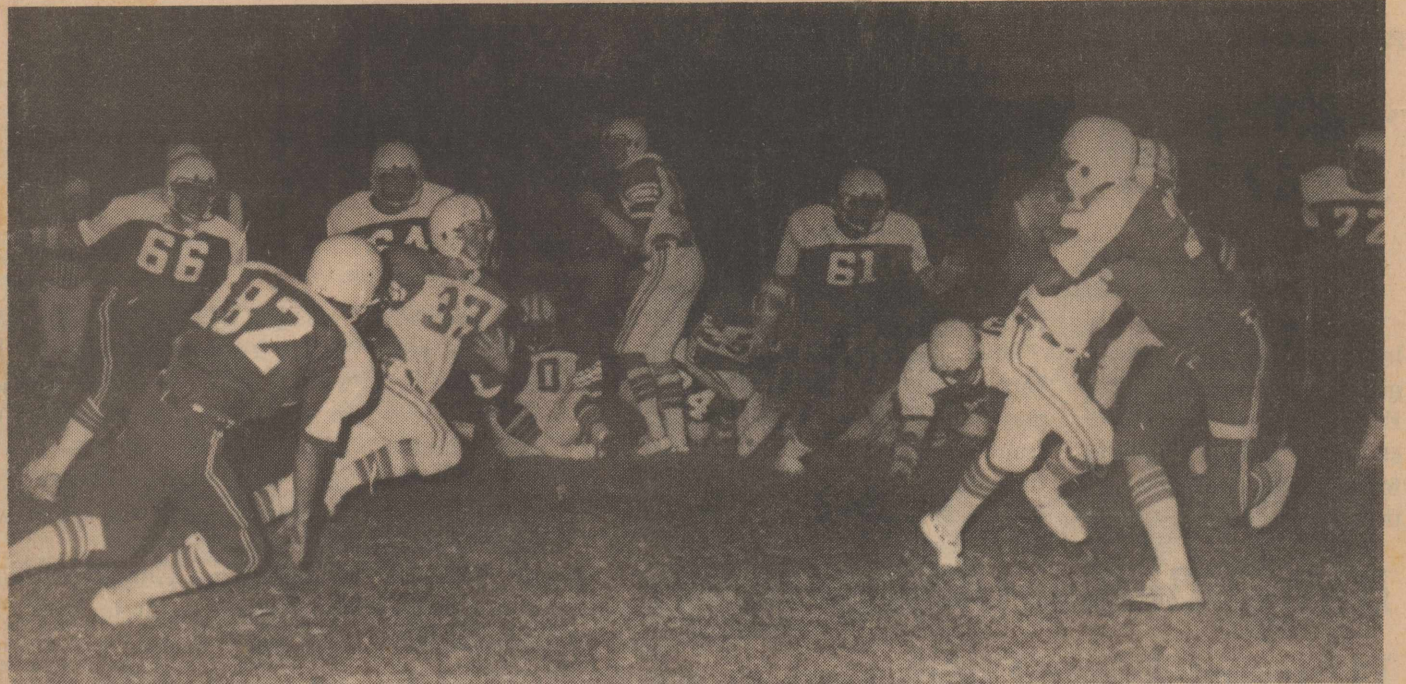
Francis McDonald is in charge of entertainment at the Veteran's Day Celebration. Preliminary reports indicate that there will be a total of 6 square dance goupms from surrounding towns that will be present for the event. There will also be blue grass, western, and clog- ger groups here.

Mother's Morning Out-9:00-12:00 Monday's, First Baptist Church, Rotan. All children up to school age.

The seminar will be led by Kenneth O. Long, Jr., Attorney At Law, and the cost will be \$10.00 per registrant.

For more information about this community service seminar, call Tri-College at 673-4946.

**WATCH SERVICES FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday 11:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Channel 2**



PICKS UP YARDAGE: Rotan running back, Kieth Mullins, number 33, darts through a large hole on his way to picking up a total of 74 yards against the Jim Ned

Indians. Mullins is a doubtful participant in this weeks Roscoe contest because of a separated shoulder.

### Mullins Says That Roscoe Game Is Most Important

Rotan coach Don Mullin didn't dwell on the Jim Ned game last Monday, instead, looking ahead to Roscoe, he said,

"The Roscoe game is the most important game of the year right now". "If we can get by this one, this week, we'll have a little

breathing room", said Mullins.

Running back Kieth Mullins will be out this week because of a separated shoulder received in the Jim Ned game. Mullins said Mark Nowlin will be back 100 percent this week and that Randy Sparks will be out for the remainder of the year because of shoulder injuries. The coach said the open date after the Roscoe game will give the boys a little breather before the

Albany Homecoming game and some time for those small aggravating injuries to heal.

Rotan will be lining up against one of the larger teams (weight wise) in the district this Friday when they take on the Roscoe Plowboys. Roscoe's offensive line averages 184 pounds with the backfield averaging 161 pounds. The big offensive threat is John Pieper, a 195 pound senior running back that received all-district honors as a sophomore and honorable mention last year.

The defensive line for Rotan will also have to contain 206 pound Randy Elmore at center and 189 pound Rod Hobbs, a junior tackle.

Roscoe will field 7 seniors, 10 juniors, and 2 sophomores and they're coming off a 4-6 season in 1978. They defeated the Yellowhammers last year by a score of 12-8 at the 1978 Rotan Homecoming.

To date this year, the Plowboys are 3-0-2. They defeated Robert Lee 28-21, beat Winters 7-0 and over-powered Jim Ned 20-8. They tied Jayton 0-0 and tied Clyde 6-6.

#### Roby FFA Plans To Sell Holiday Fruit

The Roby FFA chapter held a meeting October 9 to discuss selling fruit. The Chapter members decided to sell fruit beginning October 22. Sales will end in the middle of November and the fruit will be delivered between November 26 and December 20.

Florida oranges, will be \$7.00 for 20 pounds, \$11.50 for 40 pounds and \$8.75 for one-half bushel.

The members elected Debbie Stuart to serve as Chapter Sweetheart for the current school year.

The cost of grapefruit will be \$6.00 for 20 pounds and \$9.50 for 40 pounds. Oranges, which will be

#### Hobbs School Plans Halloween Carnival

The Hobbs School will be holding their annual Halloween Carnival on Tuesday night, October 30, from 7 p.m. until 10:00 p.m.

dart throw, sweet shop and basketball throw.

#### Roby Boosters Set Chili Supper Friday

The members of the Roby Booster Club have scheduled a chili supper for Friday, October 19, in the Roby School Cafeteria. The public is invited to attend.

Cost of the meal is \$2.00 and serving time will be from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.

**Kim's Korner**  
By Kim Pease

#### Ice Water

Anyone who knows Clay Fowler knows that he would sacrifice half of his kingdom to pull a practical joke. Although I didn't witness this event, I wish I'd been there to see the expression on his face.

Several months ago, so the story goes, Clay Fowler and Rodney Tankersley were having coffee and out of the blue Tankersley emptied Fowler's shirt pocket of all the pens, papers, etc. and poured a glass of ice water in his shirt pocket. They said Fowler never flinched, just kept on talking, but Tankersley laughed and said, "Gosh, I wish I hadn't done that", then got up and went on his way.

When you pull one on Fowler, you know he's going to pay you back-but you never know when.

Last week Fowler and Tankersley met again at the drug store and Fowler ordered a cup of coffee and a glass of water without ice. Just as I walked into the drug store Fowler dumped the glass of water down the front of Tankersley's shirt. Everyone roared, now they were even.

After talking with Fowler, I found out that he doesn't always pay off his return pranks quite so quickly.

Fowler said that about 12 years ago someone put a dead rattle snake in the floor board of his pickup and he hasn't returned the joke. Dave Posey was with Fowler the day the incident happened and according to Posey, "Ol' Fowler almost tore the pickup apart getting out." Clay said he thought Bart Strayhorn may have had something to do with it-but a reliable source said, "Bart didn't do it".

My informant said that if Fowler knew who put that snake in his pickup, for sure, it would be "Katy bar the door". My informant wouldn't say who put the snake in the floor board-he only said Bart didn't. But the incident took place in front of the Ideal Barber Shop so that narrows it down to about 25 prank pullers.

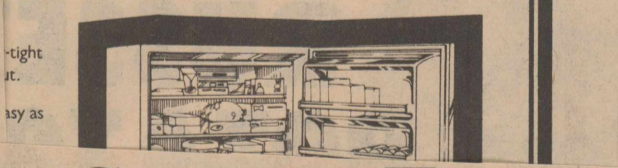
Each year the members of the Rotan Volunteer Fire Department use Fowler's ranch to hold their annual "Turkey Shoot" and each year Fowler tells them "They can't use his place anymore". It's a standing joke with the firemen. Each year when they ask permission to use his place, he says no-but the firemen go ahead and hold it there anyway. They know he's only kidding and doesn't mind. In fact he goes to a lot of trouble to get the place ready for the turkey shoot.

This year the Rotan Volunteer Firemen and the Rotan Junior Class will be holding the turkey shoot November 11, Sunday, beginning at 1:00 p.m.

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### County Farm Bureau Convention Tuesday

Notices have been mailed this week to the members of the Fisher County Farm Bureau informing them of the annual convention. The convention will begin with a dinner at 7:30 p.m. in the Rotan School Cafeteria, October 23.

Following the dinner, reports of the year's work will be given. Some of the reports include the two Rotan High School students who attended the Annual Citizenship Seminar for young people this summer. They are Julie Posey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Posey, and Byron Weathersbee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Weathersbee. Other reports include the financial audit by Glen Gruben;

Service Companies by Ben Reaid, local Farm Bureau Ins. Agent; and Safemark tires by James Carter.

A resolution committee will present suggestions to be passed on to the State Farm Bureau Convention for their consideration. All Farm Bureau policies must start from the local county level. This committee includes John Wallace, Glen Gruben and Horace Carter. A nominating committee, headed by Richard Posey, will present three names to replace the retiring directors. Directors that rotate from the Board this year are Glen Gruben, William Cleveland and Horace Carter.

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3. U.S. Treasury securities
4. Obligations of other U.S. Government
5. Obligations of States and political subdivisions
6. All other securities
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell
8. Total loans (including overdrafts)
9. Lease financing receivables
10. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures
11. Real estate owned other than for sale
12. Letters of credit and customers' acceptances
13. All other assets
14. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 through 13)

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15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations
17. Deposits of United States Government
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions
19. Due to banks
20. All other deposits
21. Certified and officers' checks
22. Total Deposits (sum of items 15 through 21)
23. Total demand deposits

**ROBY 16th BI-ANNUAL HOMECOMING**  
1979 October 19-20  
Friday

5:00 P.M. .... Downtown Parade  
5:30 P.M. .... Pep Rally-Court House Square  
7:30 P.M. .... Football Game-Roby vs Jayton  
Registration-Coffee and Cookies for all Ex's after game in Pink Building at Fair Grounds

Saturday

9:00 A.M. .... Registration, Coffee and Tea in Home Economics Room  
11:30 A.M. .... Luncheon-Band-Lunchroom  
2:00 P.M. .... Entertainment-Roby Band

**Homecoming Program**  
2:30 P.M. Saturday

Master of Cermonies ..... Roland Ray, Jr. Class of 1956  
Invocation ..... Tommie Jack Stuart Class of 1958  
Welcome Address ..... Jimmy Laurie Class of 1958  
Response ..... Scott Feagan Class of 1968  
Introduction of Speaker ..... Don Newhouse Class of 1958  
Speaker ..... Bright Newhouse Class of 1948  
King and Queen ..... Pauline Webb Class of 1933  
Memorial and Recognition ..... Parker Wetsel Class of 1942  
Citizens Award ..... Richard Melton Class of 1955  
Business Meeting ..... Roland Ray, Jr.  
Report on Attendance Distance ..... Barbara Palmer Rasco-Class of 1957  
Adjournment  
Annual Get Together ..... 8:30 P.M.-Sweetwater, Texas Sweetwater Country Club

# Roby Lions Whip Garden City

Roby jumped to a quick lead in their first district game in Garden City Friday night. Defensive standout Mike McGinnis fell on a Bearcat fumble on the 11 yard line to set up

Roby's first score. Britt Stuart gained 8 yards around the right side and Mark Pope scored from the 3. Kenny Martin's kick was good and Roby led by 7-0. Leonard

Hernandez recovered another Bearcat fumble and a 43 yard field goal by Martin gave Roby a 10-0 edge after only 4 minutes of play.

Bearcat linebacker Rosendo Ybarra intercepted a Roby pass and returned it 40 yards for Garden City's only touchdown. A pass from Scottie Hillger to Pete Trevino was good for 2 more points.

Greg Jennings. Martin's kick was good, making the score 24-8. The 3rd quarter saw Roby add a final touchdown as Stuart raced 35 yards. PAT was good.

## Roby Elementary Honors List Told

The following Roby Elementary students were placed on the first six weeks honor roll.

Grade Three: Larry VanLiew 94.50, Katherine Mize 94.25, Carter Edmondson 94.25, Rlanie Ray 93.75, Karie Martin 92.50, Teresa McClure 92.25, Donna Kay Terry 90.75, Candi Carreon 90.50.

Grade Four: Jill Branson 96.33, Shalon Thompson 95.83, Mike Tomlinson 95.50, Reggie Spencer 94.33, Wesley Hayes 94.00, Trey Gardner 93.16, Greg Meek 91.83, Paulina Rodriguez 91.83, Stephen Henington 91.00, Shad Rasco 91.00, Dana Brumfield 90.66.

Grade Five: Jeff Branson 96.16, Debbie Everett 94.66, Micl'el'le Burk 94.33, Jody Mauldin 93.16, Deena Williamson 92.83, Jonny Parks 91.83, LaTricia Allen 91.83, Jeff Holle 91.50, Charla Wiley 90.33.

Grade Six: Tammy Mauldin 97.16, Melissa Howard 96.16, Chris Hayes 95.83, Shannon Wilburn 92.80, Stacy Lynn Toole 90.16.

Grade Seven: Marci Mauldin 96, Mike Meek 94, Jennifer Wright 94, Kim Hunt 92, Ellen Walker 92, Sharron Haggard 91, Nyle Field 90.

Rotan scored again before the first quarter ended. Martin, behind blocking by John Morgeson and Shelby Thompson, drove for 7 yards. On 4th and 8, a pass complete to Denny Cox put the Lions on the Garden City 17. Martin sprinted 17 yards for the score, then kicked the extra point.

## Arrest Man Car Theft

Rotan Police officers arrested Max Garcia of Mexico Sunday, October 14, and charged him with theft of an automobile.

The individual allegedly took a car belonging to Charles Williams of Rotan.

Garcia was arrested and taken to Fisher County Jail in Roby.

## Roby Class 1948 Plans Gathering

The Roby class of 1948 graduates and friends will have a reunion and coffee get together in the home of Florence Randolph Wiley on Saturday, October 20, after the annual meeting at school.

Everyone is urged to make homecoming this year.

## JV Games Changed

The Roby Jr. High and JV football games have been changed from Jayton to Roby.

The 7th grade game will begin at 4:00, 8th grade at 5:00 and the JV at approximately 6:30.

Immediately following the JV game, the bonfire will be held 3/4 mile south of Roby on FM Road 419.

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## WANTED: OIL FIELD EQUIPMENT OPERATORS

Halliburton Services has openings for Oil Field Equipment Operators. Job responsibilities include driving a truck to deliver bulk cement to an oilfield location, transferring the cement to field storage bins or mixing equipment, and operation and maintenance of assigned equipment.

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# Glowing Years

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## County Extension Agent

### HOME ECONOMICS

By Alice Ballenger

Court House Roby

Christmas will soon be here and now is the time to begin thinking of Christmas gift giving. If you plan to make some of those gifts, you'll want to attend the program on Christmas ideas to be given October 22.

Carolyn Schur, Electric

## T.L. Roa Is Named To Director Bd.

T.L. Roa, a resident of Rotan for the past 30 years and owner of Roa's Paint and Body Shop, was recently elected to a two-year term as a member of the Board of Directors of the Aspermont Small Business Development Center, Inc.

The ASBDC covers 17 counties in this area with a representative from each county taking a place on the board.

The announcement was made by Oscar Dickerson, executive director of the Aspermont Small Business Development Center, Inc.



T. L. Roa

Living Consultant, West Texas Utilities Company, will present a program on Christmas gift ideas on Monday, October 11. The program is to be at 2:00 p.m. in the courthouse annex in Roby.

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Pears—an Autumn favorite. Autumn sees fresh pears reach their peak with some late varieties ripening in late fall and winter.

When buying pears, select those that are clean, bright and the right color for the variety. The Bartlett pear becomes yellow with a red blush, d'Anjou turns greenish and the Bosc turns a yellowish-brown.

Avoid damaged, soft or wrinkled fruit. Don't buy the cooking variety (Keifer) to eat fresh—it will have a gritty texture.

Pears are usually picked when slightly immature and allowed to mature at room temperature. Ripening pears on the tree can cause a course or rough appearance to the fruit.

Ripeness is indicated by softness at the stem base.

Calorie-wise, pears are relatively low, varying from 60 to 100 calories. They are also a good source of vitamin A, B and C along with some of the minerals—calcium, phosphorus and iron.

Fresh pears are low in sodium which makes them an excellent addition to a low sodium diet. They also serve as an ingredient for fruit salads, preserves or

jellied fruits, cakes and pies.

Here is a recipe for including this autumn favorite in your menu: Pear Pie—1½ cups sugar, ¼ to ½ cup flour, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, ½ teaspoon nutmeg, 4 tablespoons butter or margarine, 2 uncooked pie crusts.

Peel, core and slice or dice pears. Mix together sugar, flour, cinnamon and nutmeg. Add to pears and toss. Put bottom pie crust in pan, and add pear mixture. Dot with butter. Moisten edge of pie crust, add top crust and slit for steam vents. Bake for 10 minutes at 425 deg. F. then lower heat to 350 deg. F. and bake for about 40 to 50 minutes until well browned. Serves six to eight.

## Weather

From the Record of FRED BYERLY  
Rotan Weather Observer

Oct.79 Prec.	Hi	Lo
Tue.9	100	45
Wd.10	77	39
Thr.11	95	39
Fri.12	99	39
Sat.13	97	40
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Mn.15	89	40

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1979		15.52	

## Leisure Lodge Report

We had a quiet weekend with not much happening. We are getting new flooring and it is really improving our home's look. Come by and see it.

We have planned a Halloween party October 31 at 3:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to join us for games and fun.

Our visitors for the past

## Lone Star Is Requesting Service Inc.

Lone Star Gas Company's manager, Frank Grevelle today, October 15, filed an application to change the service charges and revise the gas cost adjustment clause in Rotan.

Grevelle emphasized the base rate being charged for gas consumed by residential and commercial customers will not be increased under the proposal.

The new service charges being requested by Lone Star are \$20 for a reconnection; \$18 per hour for appliance service; \$20 per hour for air conditioning service; \$5 for a returned check; and \$40 to disconnect and re-connect a customer's yard line for repair.

"These charges are designed to recover Lone Star's expenses for these services", says Grevelle.

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few days have been Mr. and Mrs. Ted Taggart of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Taggart and Cheryl of Ft. Worth visiting Edna Taggart over the weekend.

Emily Garrett spent a few days last week in Sweetwater with Luna Kolb, Miss Kolb and Mrs. Izetta Dial brought her home on Friday. Emily reported a good time.

Mrs. Jeannine Acker of Monahans visited her father Rollie Curlee recently.

Visiting Katie Aaron was her granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Lilly, Lisa and Jeni of Waco and Abner Aaron of Dallas and Joe Morrow of Colorado City. Mr. and Mrs. Odell Crawford of Odessa visited Bud Crawford recently.

Maggie Wainscott of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barker of Roby and John White of Sweetwater visited Mary Lee Barker.

John White visited his mother Nancy White.

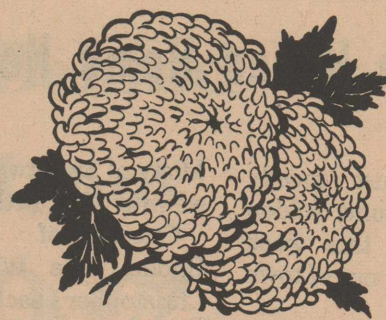
Guess this is all our news, see you next week.

## Card Of Thanks

We wish to take this opportunity to thank the many friends, relatives and wonderful people that were so kind to us during the recent passing of Mae Bennett. We especially want to thank the people that sent cards, telephoned, sent flowers and expressed their love in countless other ways for their thoughtfulness.

May God bless each of you for your kindness.

The family of Mae Bennett



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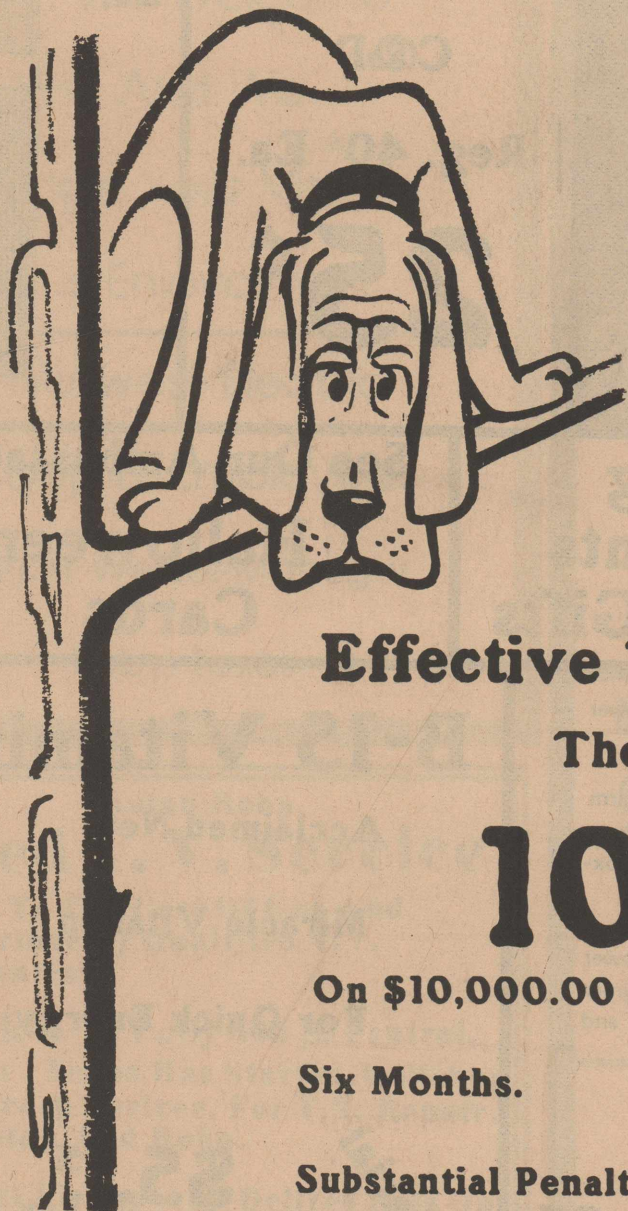
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### Golden Haven Home News

Its been just mostly home folks around Golden Haven Home this week with only a few out of town guests.

Mrs. Mattie Landers of Sylvester visited Mr. Guy Johnson.

Mr. John Brown had two special guests this week. They were his sisters-in-law from Mesa, Arizona, Mrs. Jessamine Rubick and Mrs. Audley Harris. Mr. Brown was very pleased to see them.

Visiting Mr. Louis Kiser were Jap and Sylvine Kemp of Hamlin.

Mrs. Scott was visited by Mrs. Georgia Powell and Mrs. Clara Farrell of Sylvester.

Mrs. Judy Justiss and

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When packing for a plane trip, don't pack indispensable items into a bag to be checked. Carry such items as prescriptions or keys, recommends a resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Misty of Sweetwater visited with Mrs. Letha Meek. Guests of Maebelle Ogden were Wilda and Christopher Leach and Fay McSpadden of Rotan.

Come by anytime to see us, there's always somebody home.

### Hospital News

Admissions to Fisher County Hospital October 9-16, 1979.

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## USDA Cotton Classing Report

The USDA Cotton Classing Office in Abilene has begun receiving cotton samples from the 1979-80 cotton crop. B.B. Manly reported that cotton harvesting began on a limited scale about two weeks ago and has been gaining momentum daily. Most early harvesting has been done south of Abilene in Rannels and Tom Green Counties. The amount of

defoliated acreage indicates that harvesting will soon be wide-spread. About 8,000 cotton samples had been classed in Abilene by Friday, October 12.

Local cotton prices were weak to lower last week. Some prices declined by one cent per pound during the week. Most cotton sold at 9 to 9½ cents over 1979 CCC loan values, which

was about 53 to 55 cents per pound. Grade 31, Staple 30 cotton miking 35 to 49 sold at 54 to 55 cents per pound. Cottonseed prices paid producers at gins were mostly 115 dollars per ton.

The quality of early harvested cotton has been much higher than usual so far this season. Most cotton has been very bright and clean, with

grade 31 comprising 61 percent of the samples classed. Grade 21 comprised 21 percent and grade 30 accounted for 7 percent. Fiber length has been slightly shorter than that of the previous season with 62 percent being staple 31, 24 percent being staple 32, and 13 percent being staple 30. Micro-naire readings were 88 percent within the 35 to 49

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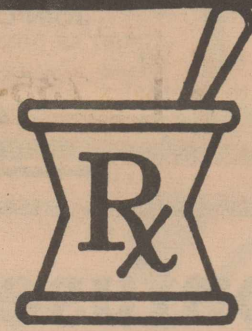
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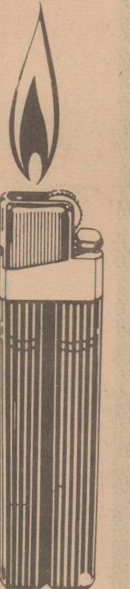
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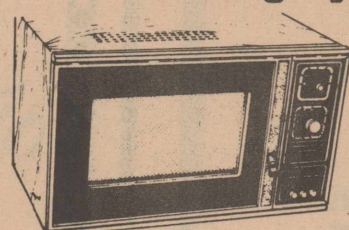
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# ORANGE STREAKS

By Don Mullins



It's hard to explain how we beat Jim Ned 38-9 with the stats being so close. Jim Ned came ready to play and it took the Yellowhammers a quarter to wake up. Stat-wise, it was very close, we had them 15-13 on first downs, 164-142 in rushing yardage and 28-29 on passing yards. Turn overs were about even, we recovered five fumbles, they had 4. The biggest turn over was when Eli Sepeda intercepted a pass and limped it back for a 63 yard TD.

We were much improved offensively from the Hamlin game and played nearly as well on defense. I was real concerned about this game because Jim Ned has the potential to beat anyone in the district. They were in the pressure game and with a few breaks they could have made it a closer game with us.

I was very pleased with our offensive grades this week, we had a high of 9 individuals that graded high enough to receive an offensive award. Mark Nowlin, Kieth Mullins, Eli Sepeda, Kip Pease, Wes Counts, Byron Weathersbee, Mike Morrow, David Underhill, Willie Hayes and Gary Don Harkey had scores of 95, 95, 90, 90, 89, 86, 85, 83, 81 and 82 respectively.

In the turn over department, Mike Morrow recovered 2 fumbles, Bob McArthur, Willie Hayes and Julio Carrillo had one each. The interception mentioned earlier by Eli Sepeda will be remembered for some time. Eli had hurt his knee earlier and could hardly walk, much less run, but a block from Bob McArthur enabled Eli to score his first touchdown ever.

Defensively, we had another good night (after the first quarter), especially, the second half. We had 4 individuals grade high enough to receive a defensive award against Jim Ned. They were Bob McArthur 53, Willie Hayes 51, Eli Sepeda 48, and Julio Carrillo with a 47. Others were Mike Morrow 36, Kip Pease 30, Gary Harkey 22, Dale Cox 29, Mark Nowlin 27, Alva West 26, and Jeff Posey with 18. These were our 11 on defense and we think that they play defense as good as any team we've had in a long time. When you have all 11 grading in the double figures, then you have a good defensive unit.

We coaches, and I know our supporters, are pleased with our season thus far. We are now in preparation to meet the Roscoe Plow Boys Friday night at Roscoe. We haven't beaten them in 4 years and our goal this week, I'm sure, is to end that 4 year streak. Roscoe, as usual, is very large and strong. They don't have a lot of depth but have a very good front ball team. They are 3-0-2 for the season and are tied with us and Baird in district now. Roscoe has had two weeks to prepare for us, it's their homecoming and they must beat us to retain their district lead. Again, as it has been the past two weeks, we must win to keep our lead.

We are in fair condition going into the Roscoe game. Eli's knee is alright and should be 100 percent by Friday. Kieth Mullins will probably miss this game due to a slight

shoulder separation received Friday night. Jimmy Weatherman is responding and should be ready to go after the open date. We lost Randy Sparks for the season. Randy had another sholder knocked down and was advised not to play any more.

We had lots of comments on our improvement at the football field and we can't thank the Jaycees enough for what they have done this summer. The press box is one of the best around, in any class, and we are very proud of it.

### 7th Grade Report

The Rotan Yellowhammers scored 44 points against Jim Ned and only allowed the Indians 37 total yards and two first downs. The Hammers are still not scored on and have scored a total now of 74 points in 4 games.

Charles Williams led Rotan scorers with three touchdowns. Charles had one 9 yard run, a 3 yard run and a 45 yard punt return; Herman caught 2 touchdown passes--one 52 yard pass and a 23 yard pass; Paul Zambrano ran a reverse for a 12 yard TD; Rudy Garza scored on a 12 yard run; and rounding out the scoring was Tony Gruben receiving a pass for a 2 point conversion. The Hammers play Roscoe Thursday at 5:00.

### 8th Grade Report

The 8th grade Yellowhammers traveled to Jim Ned last week and handed the Indians a 22-8 defeat.

The Yellowhammers boosted their record to 4-0. The offensive line has done a great job for the Hammers all year. The line consists of Julian Montez at center, Rene Silvas, Joe Paul Soliz and guard and Lance Greenway and Jackie Ragan at tackle.

Troy Daniels continued to show his great running ability by scoring three touchdowns. Daniels returned the opening kickoff 65 yards for the game's first touchdown. Daniels scored again on the Hammer's first offensive set from 49 yards away. Sammy Turner added the 2 points. Daniels scored in the third quarter from 68 yards out and Sammy Turner added the final 2 points.

The Hammers will try to keep the winning streak to 5 as they host the Roscoe Plowboys Thursday, Oct. 18, JV Game

Jim Ned won the flip and chose to receive. They were on Rotan's 2 yard line within minutes and scored. Rotan ended up being behind 20-0 at the half and never caught fire in the first half.

Jim Ned onside kicked and recovered the ball but Rotan's strong defense held them to a standstill. Near the end of the 3rd quarter, quarterback Keith Blair threw a pass to Richard Mendoza to Jim Ned's 10 yard line and the 3rd quarter ended.

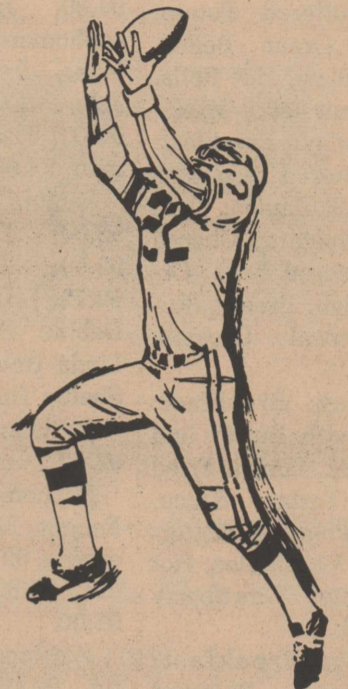
The next play Eli Turner scored and also got the extra point. With the score now 20-8, the defense once again held them. Then Blair threw a screen pass to Marcus Conner which set up Rotan's final TD. In the final minutes Rotan threatened to score but quarterback Blair was hit just as he was about to pass and fumbled. The

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# Yellowhammers Keep Winning Streak Alive With Jim Ned Victory, Eli Sepeda Helps With Score

The Rotan Yellowhammers dominated the scoreboard against the Jim Ned Indians but the statistics for both teams were fairly even.

Rotan's kickoff team, consisting of Mike Morrow, Wes Counts, Gary Don Harkey, Bob McArthur, Allen Houston, Julio Carrillo, Byron Weathersbee, Brian Greenway, David Underhill, Kip Pease and David Thornton booted the opening kick to the 9 yard line and Jim Ned's Jerry Don Atwell returned it to the 30 yard

line.

Eleven plays later, after Jim Ned tallied 37 yards on the ground, Julio Carrillo stopped a sweep around right end to kill their first possession.

Rotan took over on the 36 yard line, but three plays later, facing 4th and 21, the Hammers kicked back to the Jim Ned 40 yard line.

Alva West, Willie Hayes and Eli Sepeda had key defensive plays to stop the Indians on their second possession. Their drive ended at Rotan's 36 yard

line after Carrillo recovered a fumble.

Kieth Mullins and Mark Nowlin ran three plays at the Indians, and faced with 4th and 4 from the 42, Ruben Cabrera punted. Rotan had two possessions in the first quarter and ran only 9 plays.

Two plays into the second quarter Eli Sepeda hit the Jim Ned signal caller in the backfield causing a fumble that was recovered by Bob McArthur.

The Hammers capitalized on the mistake by

taking the ball 30 yards for the first score of the night. Mullins carried twice for 24 yards, Byron Weathersbee picked up 5 yards and Mark Nowlin carried the ball over the white stripe from 1 yard out. The extra point pass fell incomplete and Rotan took the lead 6-0 with 11:25 left in the half.

For the first time in the game Rotan's defense shut down the Indians on their next possession forcing a 4-4 punt. After three kicks, Byron Weathersbee returned the ball to the 27

yard line.

On 1-10 from the 27 yard line, Kip Pease broke a 73 yard run to put the Hammers in front 12-0. Weathersbee ran the extra point giving Rotan a 14-0 with 6:10 left in the first half.

The Rotan defense tightened up in the closing minutes of the second quarter, but a fumble in the Rotan backfield gave Jim Ned possession at the 37 yard line and six plays later the Indians scored their only touchdown of the night.

In the second half Jim Ned's Danny Blankenship kicked a 26 yard field goal with 6:48 left in the 3rd quarter to cut Rotan's lead to a slim 5 points.

Weathersbee took Jim Ned's kick and returned it 61 yards to the 22 yard line to set up the next score. A 4th down pass to Mike Morrow gave Rotan a 1st down from the 6 yard line. Weathersbee took in the touchdown giving the Hammers a 20-9 lead. The extra point kick failed.

On 3rd and 12 from their own 14 yard line, Mike Morrow recovered a Jim Ned fumble that set up another Hammer score. Kieth Mullins scored from 5 yards out increasing the lead to 26-9. Cabrera's extra point left the score at 27-9.

Things turned sour for Jim Ned at the last of the third quarter. Willie Hayes recovered a Jim Ned

fumble with 1:30 left in the third period, but a few plays later Rotan gave the ball back to the Indians on a fumble.

Eli Sepeda added 6 points to the score when he intercepted a Jim Ned pass and galloped gingerly for 36 yards to pay dirt. Sepeda's score gave Rotan a 33-9 lead and Weathersbee's extra point conversion increased the lead to 35-9.

Rotan's final points came after the Hammers took possession on their own 35 yard line with 4:16 left in the game and marched to the Jim Ned 10

yard line in 9 plays. With 5 seconds left in the game, David Thornton kicked a 3 point field goal from 18 yards out.

Kieth Mullins carried the ball 16 times last Friday night for 76 yards or an average of 4.7 yards a try. Mark Nowlin picked up 54 yards on 10 carries for 5.4 average and Byron Weathersbee carried 7 times, Kip Pease carried 3 times for 78 yards or 26.0 yards per carry.

Rotan had 15 first downs to 13 for Jim Ned; 164 yards rushing compared to 142 for the Indians and 28 yards passing to Jim Ned's 29 yards.



RETURNS TO LINEUP: Rotan running back Mark Nowlin number 22 in white returned to the lineup after sitting out the

Hamlin game because of an injury to score a touchdown and pick up 64 yards rushing.

## Swindlers Pry On The Elderly

Social Security officials in the five-state Dallas Region have issued warning of a growing number of cases of swindlers who prey on older people by posing as social security

employees.

In the past two weeks, we have had at least eight cases of swindlers operating in New Mexico and Southeastern Oklahoma, said, Glyn Hammons,

manager of the Abilene Social Security Office. An 87 year old New Mexico man had saved \$1,358 to pay for his funeral. A con man, who posed as a social security representative and said he would get the man more benefits, took the money and disappeared, Hammons said. Similar incidents occurred in other Spanish-speaking communities in New Mexico. A 65 year old man lost \$800 the same day, and another man lost \$600 the week earlier. An aged couple in Broken Bow, Oklahoma, lost \$260 to two swindlers posing as social

security representatives. One of the men, posing as a doctor, said he would do a physical examination, and if their health were poor enough, they would receive from \$100 to \$125 more in benefits.

Other social security offices in McAlester, Hugo and Poteau, Oklahoma also have received several reports of people posing as social security employees in order to gain admittance to homes. Once inside, these people will try to steal money or other valuables, or sometimes will try to sell worthless junk, Hammons said. In

one case, three imposters entered a couple's home on the pretense that social security wanted to give them new carpet to help their arthritis.

The Social Security Administration urges everyone to be extremely cautious of anyone appearing at their home claiming to be a social security representative, Hammons said. We suggest that before admitting anyone, ask for identification, then call the Social Security Office to verify that the person does work for Social Security and has been sent to your home.



NEW BUSINESS OPENS: Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Jack Stuart of Roby recently opened up a new business on East Highway 180. The business will feature handmade ceramics and greenware. It is located across the street from Armstrong Implement Company.



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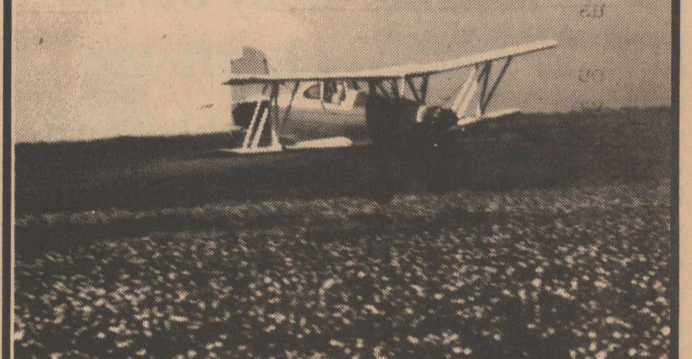
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## COUNTY AGENT NEWS

By Richard Spencer

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The soil's fertility and physical condition can be greatly improved by the incorporation of organic matter.

Fall is an excellent time to collect unused vegetable parts from the garden to return to the soil. This includes lawn clippings, leaf rakings, and other plant matter that is free of disease and nematodes as it will all aid in building up the organic matter content of the soil. Plant nutrients and other minerals, required for plant growth, are contained in the blackened plant remains and other organic wastes. To obtain complete decomposition add about 2 pounds of a complete fertilizer per 100 square feet of bed area as the bacteria and other organisms must have nitrogen to do a good job of decomposing the organic matter. These elements, vital for healthy plant life, are released to the new plants once the organic matter is decomposed and are thus released and recycled.

A compost pile is also a good way to utilize organic wastes. The partially digested compost, or home-made humus, is high in organic matter. Use this when transplanting trees and bushes, or as a topdressing in preparing garden beds.

This organic matter improves the general phy-  
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defense held them until time ran out.

The 2nd half was outstanding for Rotan but was not enough to win. The final score was Jim Ned 20, Rotan 14.

Outstanding defense was displayed by Weldon Hayes, Darrell Carter, Dale Wayne Eaton, Eli Turner, Keith Blair, Moses Gonzales, John Pilians Henry Williams and Roger Hooper.

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sical properties of the soil as it causes better soil structure, increase pore volume of the soil, improves moisture retention and allows more efficient utilization of fertilizer applications. This means that sticky clay soils can be changed into more manageable clumps forming a loamy soil. Adding organic matter to loose, droughty sand will help it hold plant nutrients and moisture, thus improving plant growth.

In both cases, the soil particles are less tightly packed together and the increased pore space allows moisture to flow through. These pore spaces in the soil allow better air exchange, thus improving the oxygen supply in the soil. Oxygen is vital for food plant root functions and growth.

### Roby Garden Club Holds Monthly Meet

Mrs. Coy Carriker and Mrs. Jesse Goforth were hostesses to the Roby Garden Club Thursday, October 11, at 9:30 A.M. at the Mid-west Electric Coop.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. L.L. Stuart. After a short business session, Mrs. Stuart turned the program over to Richard Spencer, County Agent, who presented the program. His topic for discussion was "Trees and Their Diseases". This was presented in a very interesting way and enjoyed by everyone.

Members present were Mmes. Max Carriker, Edd Carter, Harvey Hood, Earnest Hammer, W.W. Morton, Dwalyn Parker, Tom Parker, Richard Ray, Roland Ray, Jr., L.L. Stuart, Forrest Tefteller, and the hostesses Mrs. Carriker and Mrs. Goforth.

Refreshments were served buffet style.

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## Robyn Martin, Jeff Anderle Are Married

Esther Robyn Martin and Jeffery Paul Anderle were married Saturday, October 13, at First Baptist Church in Rotan with Father John Hoorman and Rev. George Land, grandfather of the bride, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byrle Martin of Rotan. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Anderle of Rotan.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Maid of honor was Pam Alls of Rotan. Anitra Hyer of Rotan was bridesmaid. Amber Martin of Rotan was flower girl and Joshua Schenk of Scotland was ring bearer.

Candlelighters were Eddie Martin, brother of the bride, and Doug Anderle, brother of the bridegroom. Mark Anderle, brother

of the bridegroom was best man. Groomsman was Dennis Wright of Rotan.

Randy Martin, brother of the bride, and Jay Anderle, brother of the bridegroom, seated guests.

The parents of the bride hosted a reception in Fellowship Hall of the church immediately following the ceremony.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the bridegroom's parents at the Hathahoe.

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## Inside The Lion's Den

The Roby Lions put together their best effort of the year Friday night defeating Garden City 31-8. The defense really did an outstanding job as they held the Bearcats to 70 yds. total offense with 37 yards rushing and 33 yard passing. The Bearcats' only score was on a 33 yard pass interception in the first quarter.

Roby struck quickly as they covered a fumble at the Garden City 15 and scored in 2 plays on an option keeper by quarterback Mark Pope. Kenny Martin added the point after, making the score 7-0. Roby recovered a second fumble on their 32, but the Bearcats held at which time Martin calmly stepped up and kicked a 43 yard field goal. With 2 minutes left in the first quarter, Martin snaked into the end zone from 17 yards out and added the extra point to run the score to 17-0. For almost a quarter the Bearcats played Roby tough and Roby could not mount any serious drives. But Greg Jennings made a leaping catch on a pass from Pope with 25 seconds left in the half and with Martin's kick ran the score to 24-8 at the half. Roby's last score came on a fine 35 yard run by FB Britt Stuart, Martin again added the point and the final score was Roby 31-Garden City 8.

I thought our line blocking was vastly improved this week with outstanding jobs turned in by Kevin Rivers, John Morgeson, Shelby Thompson, Mike McGinnis, Carlos Rivas. Our perimeter blocking was also better with fine efforts by Greg Jennings, Denny Cox, Leonard Hernandez, and Brad Horton. Our JV played the last 6 minutes of the game and did an excellent job on defense giving up only 2 first downs.

Our kicking game finally jelled as demonstrated by the outstanding 43 yd. kick and a 4 for 4 extra point night by Kenny Martin as well as blocking kickoffs that kept them deep in their end of the field.

Everyone's spirit was so much better this week and it was displayed all week long, at the pep rally, and at the game by the players and fans alike, thank you.

This week we have 3 games with Jayton on Thursday, starting with the 7th grade at 4:00, 8th at 5:00 and JV about 6:30. Then we have our homecoming game against Jayton on Friday at 7:30. All of these games are in Roby as we changed the Jr. High and JV games here because of the bon-fire. Everyone be sure to come as it should be a fun filled and exciting two days.

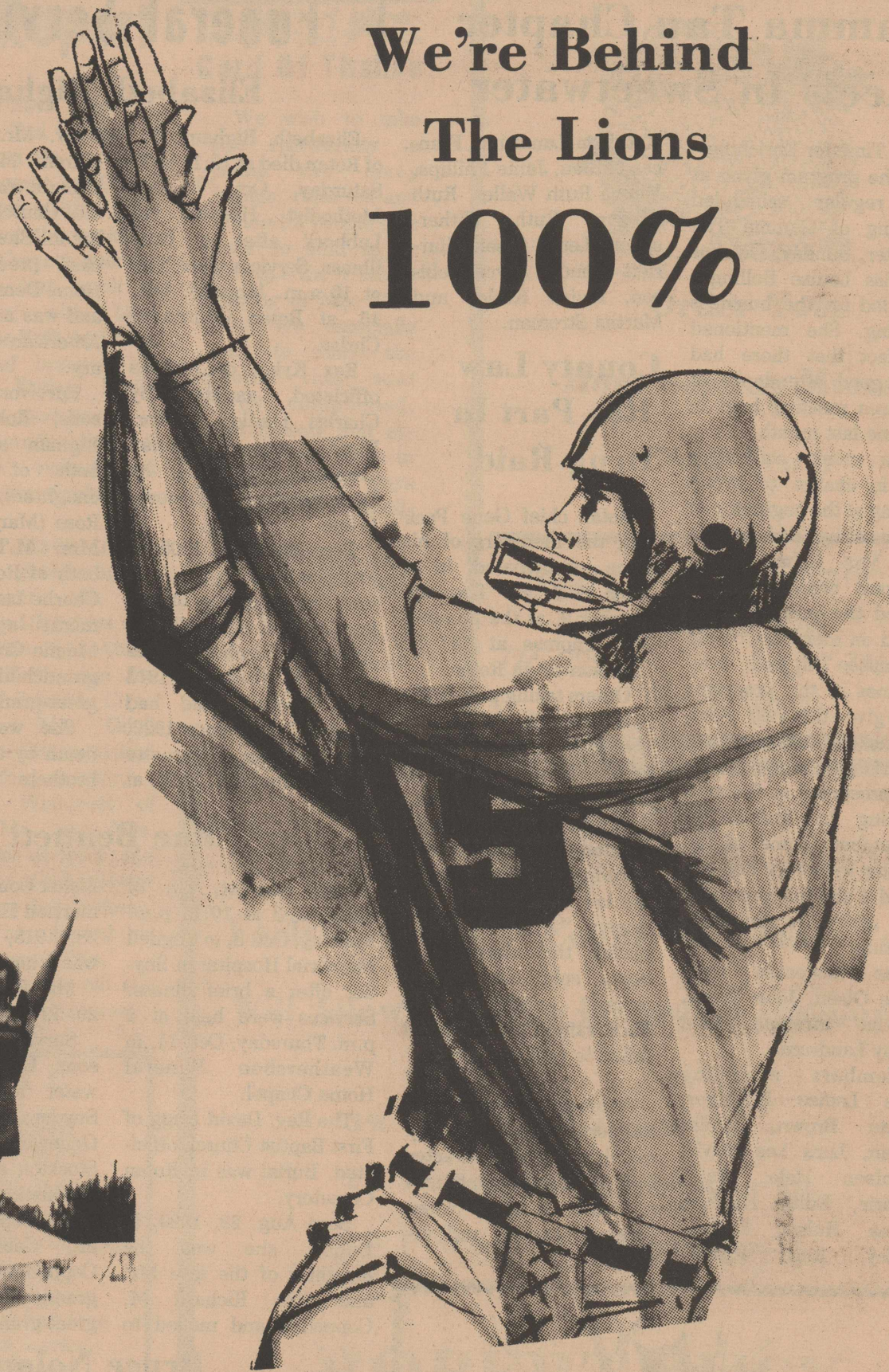
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# Hobbs Squad Pulls Out Squeaker Win

This week was one of those games we could have won by 20 points and barely escaped with our skin. Hermleigh opened the game 6-0 then we set 8-6 they took over and went 28-8 at halftime. We set 20 points down going into the 4th quarter and with 8 minutes left in the game, we finally came alive with Walter Cav. returning a kickoff to the 0 yard line and one kickoff for the TD. The fine running of David Etheredge and Mike Porter put more points on the board. The heart thumper came when we pulled within 4 points of Hermleigh and got the ball back. We then fumbled to them on the 10 yard line and they scored. We then had to score 2 TDs which looked tough, but we stuck in there and scored twice, bringing the score to 42-40. Hermleigh came back and we had them held up at the line and let the runner go and

he ran to the 5 yard line, only to be caught by Jeff Anderle from all the way across the field. We then held on 3 goal line plays. Hermleigh had no time outs and the clock ended the game. The last play was questioned due to a Hermleigh fumble but

Hermleigh recovered their own fumble which does not stop the clock. They tried to rush in a last play in 3 seconds, but the defense is allowed more time than that to get set. It was a hard fought last quarter. We almost beat ourselves with 2 fumbles

setting up TDs for Hermleigh on the 10 and 15 yard lines and one pass interception.

This is our open date and we are going to rest a little then start all over with basics. We then play Ira which will be a tough contest and then the big

dog of the district this year, Trent.

In the first quarter of this week's game, Hermleigh scored 6 points, Hobbs 0; second quarter, David Etheredge powered for a 2 yd. TD and also kicked for 2 extra points. The third quarter saw

David Etheredge again score from 2 yds. out, Wayne Jones scored on a 2 yd. dive and Etheredge kicked the extra point. In the fourth quarter, Walter Cave returned a kick off 60 yards and Mike Porter ran for a 5 yd. TD. It was an exciting game

for the fans, but it was hard on the coach. It was good to prove that we could come back from 20 points down in the 4th quarter.

This week we play open date and if we don't

fumble we can win. I'm very proud of the team and in my mind we are champions. Hobbs has never been 6-0 and we hope to keep on truck'in. Every game is a big one for the next 4 weeks. Our district is very tough with lots of seniors.

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require these special services, and these changes put the cost of the work or those who use the service".

the gas cost adjustment requested in the application would allow Lone Star to recover distribution operation expenses that increase with the city gate cost of gas.

The estimated increase in annual revenue for Lone Star's Rotan distribution system under the proposed change is \$6,813 or 2.84 percent.

## Farmers Union Pressing On Loan Supports

The Farmers Union announced today that it is continuing its legal studies of the matter but has suspended for the time being plans to proceed with a lawsuit to compel the Department of Agriculture to raise price support loans on wheat and feed grains to 90 percent of parity.

Tony Dechant, National Farmers Union President, stated, "The announcement that the U.S. Government is raising its limit on grain export sales to the Soviet Union to 25 million tons probably removes any actual restriction on the amount the Russians would want to buy immediately. For that reason, we are suspending for the time being our plans for initiating legal action to compel observance of Sec. 1002 of the Agricultural Act of 1977, which requires that price supports be raised to 90 percent of parity whenever sales of certain agricultural commodities are suspended to any country with whom sales of other goods are permitted.

"Nevertheless, we regard the bilateral agreement with the Soviet Union as a 'standby embargo' measure which has the effect of restricting the market opportunities of American farmers both in the short run and the long run.

"Under terms of the agreement, the U.S. Government as it has in the past, might again restrict sales of grain to quantities smaller than the Soviet Union might otherwise want to buy.