















## Barbara Rae Brittain, Joe Green Are United

In a double ring ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Barbara Rae Brittain became the bride of Joe Green Saturday at 3 P.M.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson of 800 James St. and the late Jack Brittain and Mrs. Ruby Green and the late Fred B. Green of Roby.

Rev. Jim Ritter of the Roby First Baptist Church performed the ceremony.

Vows were read facing the fireplace during candlelight ceremony. The fireplace was centered with greenery and rosebuds flanked by 14 candles entwined with evergreen augmented by pink satin streamers.

The bride was given in marriage by her father.

She wore a two-piece street length linen frock with a tunic top featuring a pink four piece tiered collar.

Completing the ensemble were pink linen slippers. Something old was a handkerchief which had belonged to her great grandmother. Something new was her wedding dress; something borrowed was a gold bracelet belonging to her aunt, Mrs. Joe Vickers, Wichita Falls, Texas; something blue was a garter and a birthdate penny had been placed in her slipper.

She carried a nosegay of pink daisies, petunias and pink peach blossoms with

baby's breath and pink and white ribbons.

The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Kelly Brittain of Austin. Rice bags were given to guests by Reini Butler, niece of the groom of Anson and Ashley Herrera, niece of the bride of Snyder.

Amy Herrera, niece of the bride, attended the registry table which was topped with a glass tampani. Guests were greeted at the door by Sharon Herrera, sister of the bride and Karen Vickers, cousin of the bride of Wichita Falls.

The candlelighter was Beverly Brittain, sister of the bride, of San Angelo.

Brad Boyd of Longworth served the groom as best man.

A reception followed in the home. The bride's table was laid with an ecru cloth crocheted by the bride's great grandmother. Antique pink candlesticks flanked an arrangement of silk flowers in shades of pink and white held in a white porcelain vase. The two-tiered wedding cake was trimmed with white daisies with pink centers, topped with wedding bells and turtle doves. The cake was served by Lisa Welch, sister of the bride, from San Angelo. Serving punch was Kamali Smith, niece of the groom of San Angelo. Nuts and mints were served from crystal and silver appointments.

Presiding at the groom's table was Mandy Green of Roby, niece of the groom. She served coffee from a silver service and fruit cake from an antique etched glass cake server.

For a brief wedding trip to East Texas the bride's traveling costume was a silk dropped waisted dress with a full skirt in shades of purple.

The bride is a 1978 graduate of Sweetwater High School where she was a twirler for three years and a class officer one year. She has been a hair stylist for the last two years in San Angelo and Austin and is a graduate of Glen and Lottie's in Abilene. She also attended the University of Texas at Arlington.

The groom is self-employed and is a 1977 graduate of Roby High School.



Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green

### Roby Girls Take Last Few Second Win Over Blackwell

The Roby Lady Lions took on the Blackwell Hornets Friday night in one of the key District games. We trailed the entire game, coming back in the last 2:30 minutes to take the win 58-49. The first half was typical of a majority of the girls' games this season. They played sluggishly and made several turnovers, failing to score alongside the Blackwell team. The second half was an entirely different story. The girls stole the ball numerous times and converted them into layups. We cut down on our turnovers by half compared to the first half. Everyone moved a lot better and quicker defensively and certainly more aggressively offensively. During the entire game, they all showed a great deal of poise and in the closing minutes, they exhibited just the right amount of patience and daring. We went ahead by one point with 2:45 on the

clock and seemed to take off from there, scoring 16 points in the final 1:30, shutting their offense down at the same time.

Susan Gaona and Sabrina Herron were our scorers in double figures with Susan hitting a season and a career high 32 points and Sabrina putting in 10 points. The entire squad did a superb job of upping their district record to 6-1, keeping their spot directly behind Lueders-Avoca and remaining top contention for the district title. This was certainly a win that the girls should be proud of.

### DANCE

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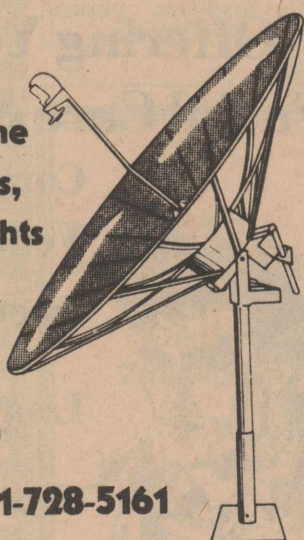
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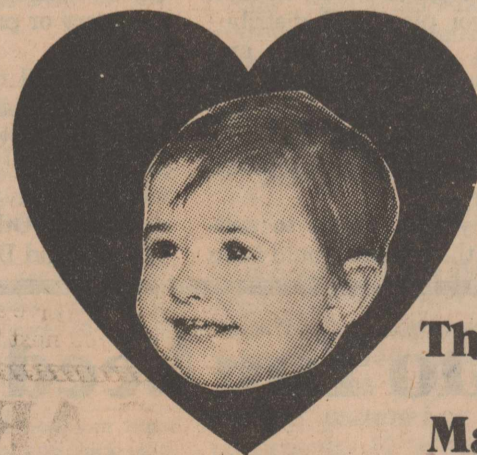


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ROTAN JR. VARSITY BOYS: Top row (l to r) Coach Posey, Rafe Hargrove, Ward Hayes, Joe Almanza, Brad Long and Ray Moreno. Bottom row: Leo Castillo, Dion Sepeda, Darrin Pinkard, Edward Martinez, Jerry Carter, and John Pease.

## Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well, we have really had a beautiful week of such lovely weather; almost like Spring, but Monday morning its cold again, but I guess we are going to have to expect some more winter weather as February is always a bad month weatherwise. Wish we could get a good slow rain right about now, so the farmers would have plenty of moisture to start plowing their fields. Most of them out this way are already plowing, etc.

Not too much news this week as all of our phones out this way are on the blink, and although they ring and ring, and it sounds like you are getting through, nobody answers, and the repair service said they are working on it and should have it fixed by later on tonight.

We were glad to have Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid back at church on Sunday; was sure good to see them again after they had been unable to come. They both are feeling very much better now, although Lucy is still pretty weak and is having to take good care of herself. We are sorry to hear that Lealon Wilburn is still in the hospital at Lubbock and all of the family have been there with him and Mrs. Wilburn off and on the past week. We hope to get a good report from him later on this week.

Jim and I went to Rotan on Monday to watch the 7th and 8th grade teams, girls only, play Snyder. Tuesday we watched the Junior Varsity and Varsity boys and girls play Hamlin at Rotan. Thursday we went to Roscoe to watch the 8th grade girls and boys play in a tournament there. Friday we went to Haskell with Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben to watch the Junior Varsity and Varsity boys and girls play there. Saturday we went back to Roscoe to watch the 8th grade girls play, and the 8th grade boys played Divide and won, so they won Consolation. We went from Roscoe to Abilene and spent the remainder of the day there.

Heard from Melody and Mark who are very busy as the Fort Worth Stock Show and Rodeo is going on, and Mark has been there for several days with his boys and their animals. Melody is going to ride in the barrel race tonight and again on Wednesday night, in the rodeo, so is getting pretty nervous, is hoping she can stay off the barrels. It is by invitation only and should be a big barrel race as there are so many girls and ladies entered. Hope that she does good. Sorry that this is all this week, but will get the news later on this week and put it in next weeks paper. Have a good week. See you next Thursday.

they really had a good time visiting. Jim and I went to Rotan Monday night to watch the 7th and 8th grade boys and girls play basketball; they played Hamlin. Tuesday we were back again for the Junior Varsity and Varsity boys and girls games; they played Munday. Wednesday we went to Sweetwater and Thursday we went to Snyder. We attended the 7th grade girls Basketball tournament at Snyder that evening, and it was really cold weather. They called the remainder of the tournament off until next week-end as it began to snow at Snyder Friday morning. Friday we went to Seymour to watch the Junior Varsity girls, the Varsity boys and girls play; we went with Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben.

Well, this is about all for this week. Hope that we will have some warmer weather for a change. Have a good week. See you next Thursday.

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### Valentine Party Fun!

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## Mrs. Joe Ballenger Hosts Center Extension Club

Mrs. Joe Ballenger was hostess Tuesday when the Center Extension Homemakers Club met at the annex in Roby.

Decorating the home with wall groupings, accessories and arrangements was the program given by Alice Ballenger, County Agent.

Mrs. J.T. Mahafee was in charge of the meeting with recreation directed by Elizabeth Billingsly.

The minutes were read by Mrs. James Cave. The council report was given by Helon Thornburg on the District 3 meeting to be held in Rotan April 26. Plans are underway for that important meeting.

In giving her program Alice Ballenger stated that room accessories can be functional as well as decorative, naming ash trays, lamps, mirrors, as well as pictures to give a total look. She stressed keeping the display simple, if

storing some and only showing them seasonal. Eye level when seated is

## College Scholarships For 1984 Deadline Approaches

Junior and senior class high school students who are interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by March 15, 1984 from the Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045. To receive an application, students should send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with a note stating their name, address, city, state and zip code and approximate grade point average. Fifty award winners will be selected on the basis of academic perfor-

the new trend in hanging pictures. The program was informative as well as enjoyable.

mance, involvement in extracurricular activities and need for financial aid.

Refreshments were served to the agent, Alice Ballenger, Eilene Cave, Louise Mahafee, Bernice Randolph, Britty Turnbow, Luella Waddell, Helon Thornburg, Elizabeth Billingsly, Mayme Kemp, and Joyce Noles.

The next meeting will be Feb. 14 with Luella Waddell giving the program on You, Top to Bottom. Visitors are always welcome.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McCleskey

### Leonard McCleskey's Celebrate 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McCleskey of Chula Vista, California, formerly of Rotan, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary December 16, 1983. Mrs. McCleskey is the former Mamie Ashley. On December 8th they were entertained by their children with a dinner and presented a sightseeing tour of Hearst Castle at San Simon, Calif., one of the world's grandest estates with pools, fountains, statuary, Italian gardens and pillared colonades-this is to be taken in April. Then on December 12th a grandson reserved the J.D. Spreckles suite for them at the Glorietta Bay Inn in Coronado and the children and grandchildren had dinner catered into the suite. Besides the children and grandchildren helping celebrate the occasion, Don Ashley of Livingston, Texas and Leonard Ashley of Bowie, Texas, brothers of Mamie, and her sister Glenna Denton of Hobbs, New Mexico flew out to join in the celebration along with her brother Loyd Ashley and family of Chula Vista.

Among cards of congratulations received from family and friends included one from President and Mrs. Ronald Reagan.

The McCleskeys have three sons, Curtis of Imperial Beach, Calif., Freddie of Mira Mesa, San Diego, Calif., and Dennis of Chula Vista, Calif., three lovely daughters-in-law, Jackie, Julie and Karen, four grandsons, four granddaughters and one great granddaughter.

Leonard was born near Stephenville, Texas to the late Mr. and Mrs. W.G. McCleskey, and moved to Rotan in 1928. Mamie was born and raised in Rotan. She was the daughter of the late Frank Ashley and late Ema Ashley-Rivers, granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Ashley and the late Mr. and Mrs. R.M. (Uncle Tom) Coppege.

The McCleskeys farmed some in Rotan and also ran some filling stations there before leaving Rotan in 1940 moving to McCamey, Texas then to Odessa, Texas, and in February 1942 they moved to San Diego, Calif. Leonard retired from Rohr Aircraft (Rohr Industries) in 1972 after thirty years. Mamie worked at Rohr about

three years. They built their home in Chula Vista, Calif., and moved into it in 1949 where they still live today. Their hobbies are fishing and boating, most of which they do at the Salton Sea near El Centro, Calif., trailer traveling and crafts. This year they plan to do a lot of sightseeing in several of the states.

### Legal Notice

"Notice is hereby given that Jeffrey M. Cole c/o LeClair Operating Company, Inc., has filed an application for a permit to drill a well for oil, gas or other petroleum products situated in Block 211 or 212, located within an area shown as drilling block number 13, upon exhibit A of the ordinance regulating the drilling for oil or gas within the City of Rotan, Texas, acting under and pursuant to the terms and provisions of an ordinance making it unlawful for any person to drill for, mine, or in any manner engage in operations for the purpose of extracting oil, gas or other petroleum products from the soil within the territorial limits of the City of Rotan, Texas; except in accordance with the expressly designated provisions of such ordinance."

"A hearing upon such application will be held in the City Hall in the City of Rotan, Texas, on the 13th day of March, A.D., 1984, at 7:00 P.M., at which time and place all persons interested may appear and contest said application."

Norman Arnett, Attorney  
Jeffrey M. Cole  
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### Roby Garden

### Club To Meet

The Roby Garden Club will meet Thursday, February 9 at the Mid-West Electric Co-op at 9:30 a.m. Mrs. Jesse Goforth will be hostess. Mrs. Robert Musgrove of Sweetwater will bring a program on pruning and gardening.

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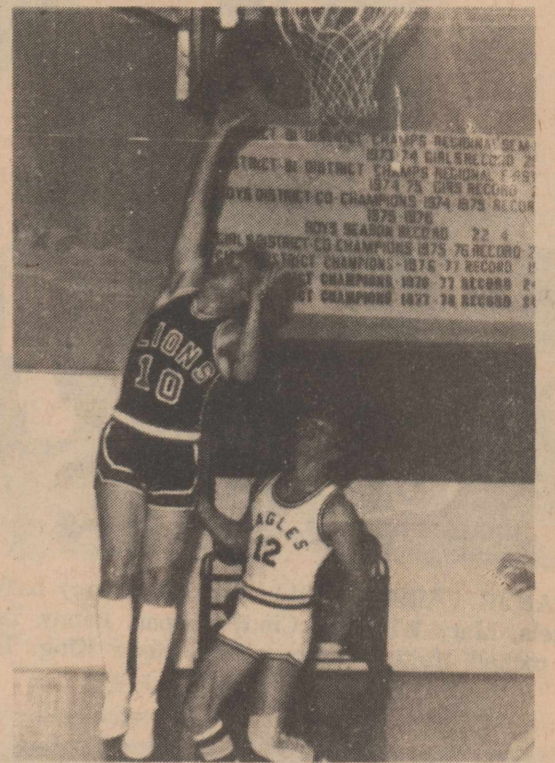
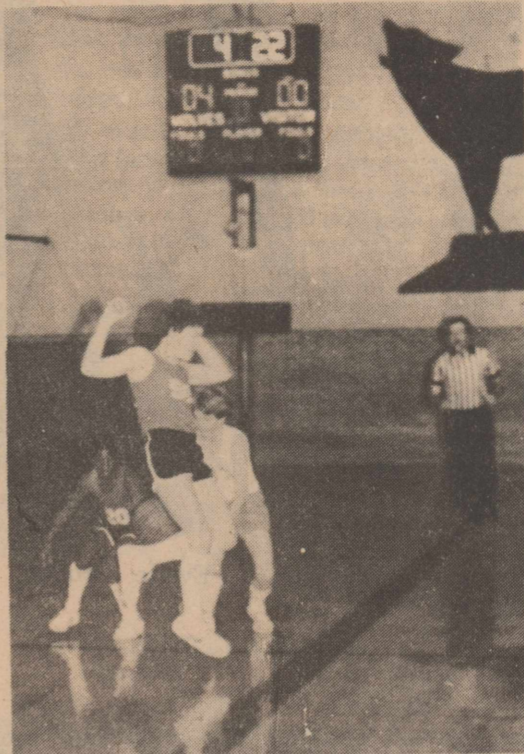
# Fisher County basketball



### Rotan Basketball Schedule

Feb. 3-Munday-There-4:00-Uarsity & JU Boys & Girls

Feb. 7-Seymour-Here-4:00-Uarsity & JU Boys & Girls



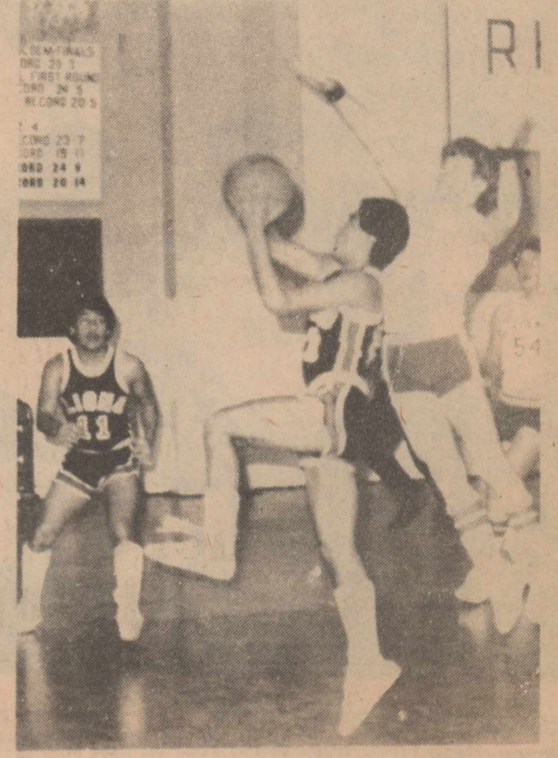
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Feb. 1-3-Blachwell (District Tournament) 8th Grade Boys & Girls

Feb. 2, 3 & 4-Jayton JU Tournament

Feb. 3-Trent-Here-6:30-Uarsity Boys & Girls

Feb. 7-Divide-There-6:30-Uarsity Boys & Girls



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