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Ten Pages

Roby School Board Sets Open House For New Gym, Band Hall

School Board accepted the recently completed band hall, gymnasium and dressing room complex from the construction management firm at last Monday

The members of the Roby made the final payment on the construction and authorized administrative personnel to preceed with a planned open house of. the new facilities.

Roby School Superinten-

nounced that the open house of the new facilities would be Monday, April 16th from 1:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. with inter-school demonstration basketball games conducted as well night's board meeting and dent Jimmie Laurie an- as tours of the new facili-

Rotan Ministerial Alliance Four Day Easter Messages

The Rotan Ministerial Alliance will be sponsoring community-wide Easter cross, "It is Finished." Services April 17, 18, 19 with Easter Sunrise Service on the 22nd. The weekday services will begin at 7:30 p.m. Each of the three messages will deal with different phrases by Christ on the Cross.

Nazarene Speaker Due

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during a special service on laughter, you'll wash your

Monday, April 16th begin- face with tears and she'll

Martin's whereby she en- church were the bulwarks

tertains, educates, indoc- and centers of community

Tuesday, April 17, Bro. Fred Brown, pastor of the First Methodist church, will bring the message, "Why Hast Thou Forsaken Me?" Then Wednesday, Bro. Charles "Bubba" Stahl will preach on Christ's phrase, "Father Forgive Them". Bubba pastors Calvary Baptist Church. Pastor Joe Nor- fy Christ during this spe-

Nazarene will be hosting

athryn J. Martin, speaker/

humorist, and her country

character "Miz Maudie",

ning at 7:00 p.m., accord-

Pastor of the local Naza-

ing to Rev. Joe Norton,

rene Church.

Nazarene will preach on Christ's final words on the James Carter of First

Baptist Church will be directing the music and coordinating the music program. Special music will be presented by members of the different chur-

The Easter Sunrise service on April 22nd will be held at the Sardis Baptist Church. Pastor Paul Cheatham will bring the message. Services will be at 7:00 a.m. and will be held outdoors, weather permitting.

The Rotan Ministerial Alliance is seeking to magniton of the Church of the cial time of remembering

people with an unusual

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This unusual character

warm your heart with pre-

humorous in good taste.

His death and resurrection. Please come and join in celebrating The Risen Saviour!

ties. Boys and girls will each play one game in the new gymnasium, refreshments will be served and tours given parents and interested parties.

The total costs of erecting the new band hall, dressing room facility and gymnasium amounted to approximately \$701,133.00, according to Laurie. Construction costs actually ran \$577,422 while architect fees amounted to \$44,306; construction management fees were \$68,505 and extra bid items were \$10,900.

The board re-organized officers at the Monday meeting with all three officers re-appointed. Gayle Morgeson will continue to serve as board president: Judye Mauldin was re-elected Vice President and June Wright was re-named board secretary. Roby School Board members hired Tim Smith, a native of Ralls High School

and graduate student at Texas Tech as the new band director replacing Steve Ratliff who resigned

in February.

Hospital Board To Study Expansion And Remodeling

The members of the Fisher County Hospital Board will meet next Monday, April 16th for their regular monthly meeting and at that time will conduct board election for the reorganization of the officers of the board, according to

DPR Water Group Annual Meeting Set For Saturday

The DPR Water Supply Corporation will hold their annual membership meeting on Saturday, April 14th at 7:00 p.m., at the Rotan Community Center, according to Bill Cade, President of the organiza-

Members will be electing cious memories as "Miz three directors. Terms of Maudie" takes you back to directors Bill Cade, Bret "Miz Maudie" is a uni- that simple, rural lifestyle Clements and Dub Rushque creation of Kathryn where the home and the ing expire in 1984.

Other directors include: L.W. Sparks, W.J. Coffman, Walter Cave and I.T. McArthur.

All DPR members are urged to attend. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments served.



Kathryn Martin

Church Of Christ Lectureship

The members of the Rotan Church of Christ will be holding a Spring Lecture-ship beginning on Sunday, April 15th and continuing through Wednesday, April 18th according to Mike Dennis, minis-

The theme of the Spring Lectureship is "Living For Christ In Difficult Times." The speakers include Mike Dennis, Wardell Halliburton, Roy Smalling, Bill Looney and Ben Mere-

Gary McGee, Fisher Coun-meeting. He indicated

include the energy conservation survey conducted by Burr Engineering of Austin; a discussion of the discussion on enclosing

the nursing station. According to McGee, the board will discuss a hospital expansion program but anything at the April

ty Hospital Administrator. that there were only 3 days Other items expected to during the recent highcome before the board census period when a few additional beds could have been used at the hospital for patients. With respect to the en-

expansion of the Fisher closing of the nurses sta-County Hospital and a tion, McGee said board members would discuss this matter and possibly vote on enclosing the nurses station with a partial glass partition and a halfwill probably not act on door in order to make the area more private.

will also include rest rooms and a laundry/storage area. Board members, at last Monday's meeting discussed the project and if bids are "in-line" will construct the concession stand at the north end of the field in the area of the dirt road that runs north of the scoreboard area. Board members are in

Rotan School Board OK's

hopes of receiving a bid on

the concession stand in the

area of \$17,000 to \$20,000,

according to Leo Long,

Board President. The

concession stand project

Concession Stand Bid

The members of the Ro-

tan Independent School

District board of trustees

met last Monday night and

accepted two teacher re-

signations, re-aligned the

officers of the board and

acted to initiate bids on the

construction of a football

field concession stand and

renovation at the elemen-

Board members accepted

the resignation of Dickie

Lepard, high school social

studies teacher and head

boys basketball coach and

Mrs. Fred Hawkins, junior

high special education tea-

In the area of board

re-alignment, Leo Long was re-elected to the position of Rotan School Board

president; other officers include: Pete Fowler, Vice

President; Roger Black-

welder, Secretary and Lar-

ry Landes, Assistant Sec-

Board members voted to

advertise for bids on (1) a

metal building to house

the concession stand at the

football field (2) a concrete

slab for an addition to the

football field house and (3)

renovation to the elemen-

Board members are in

Pony League In

Rotan Registers

Try-outs for the Rotan

Pony League team will be

conducted on Thursday,

April 12th and Friday,

April 13th beginning at

6:00 p.m. at the Rotan

Softball Field, according to

Manuel Yanez, Pony Lea-

The Rotan Pony League

team has joined a league

in Anson with three Anson

teams, one team from

Hawley and one from

Rotan to have an organiz-

John Pearson will serve as

the team coach and the

first game is scheduled to

be held on Tuesday, May

ed Pony League team.

gue Manager.

On Thurs & Fri

tary school floors.

tary building.

hopes of expanding the field house by adding a

room of the south side of the building to be used as another dressing room.

The final bid to be accepted will be on renovating the floor at the elementary building. This project is anticipated to cost between \$9,000 and \$12,000.

Board members approved associating with Region 14, Education Service Center for the 1984-85 year. Cost is \$3.00 per ADA student.

Rotan School Board members reviewed the honor point system and agreed to continue with the present policy.

Atwell Gets Write-In Post

There were a total of 192 write-in votes for candidates to fill a position on the Rotan City Council in last Saturday's election.

Candidate Hooper Shelton, an announced candidate, received a total of 304 votes, second in balloting was Gary Dickson with a total of 250 votes and third went to Charles Atwell, write-in candidate with 114 votes.

There were a total of 346 votes cast in the election. Other write-in candidates receiving votes were: Connie McQueen-8; Jim Nowlin-13; Alva Mercer, Carlton Burrow-4 each; Donald Hull, H. Thompson, S.M. Weathersbee and Frances

F. Floyd-3 each; Mrs. Billy Jo Allen, Donald Mc-Queen, J.D. Burk, Joe Dickson, Norvelle Kennedy, Forrest Hunsaker. Buster Wright, Jerry Marshall, Kim Pease, Glenda Wright, J.A. McClain and Jerry Dycus-2 each and Joe Morrow, Glenda Floyd, Bill Day, Bart Strayhorn, G.W. Crawford, Rudy Hamric, John Gray, Charles Thornton. Jimmy Gruben, John Mercer, Phil Springer and Robert Witherspoon-1

Shelton, Dickson, and Atwell replace former councilmen J.A. McClain, Jim Nowlin and Connie Mc-

Moses Gonzalez In Germany

Army Pfc. Moses Gonzalez, son of Olga B. and Margie S. Gonzalez of 302 E. Johnston, Rotan, Texas, has arrived for duty in Landsberg, West Ger-

Gonzalez, a cannon crewman with the 59th Ordnance Brigade, was previously assigned at Fort Sill, Okla.

He is a 1982 graduate of Rotan High School.

619 Hospital Ballots Cast

This is the first year for Fisher County Hospital Board election that returned three incumbents to three posts on the board. according to Gary McGee, Fisher County Hospital Administrator.

Board members Raford

A total of 619 ballots were Hargrove polled 548 votes, cast in last Saturday's Dave Williams captured 545 votes and Frank Mitchell received 539 votes in the election.

> The board will meet on Monday, April 16th to elect officers for the new board and swear in new members.

Little League Registration Set

Little League registration and try-outs will be conducted on Saturday, April 21st beginning at 2:00 p.m. at the community room-Homestate Savings Assoication, according to Don Hull, Little League President.

Registration will be conducted from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. All parents of boys and girls age 6 through age 12 are asked to complete the form in this weeks paper and have the form and registration fees ready to present to the registration clerk on Saturday afternoon, April

Registration fees will be \$10.00 for the first child and \$8.00 for additional

Tryouts will be conducted at the Little League Field beginning at 4:00 p.m., Saturday, April 21st, according to Hull. A work day schedule has

been established in order to prepare the Little League field for play. Work days have been set for Saturday morning, beginning at 9:00 a.m., starting children participating in on Saturday, April 14, the Little League program. again on Saturday, April

21 and ending on Saturday, April 28th. All parents and interested individuals are asked to meet at the field at 9:00 a.m. with rakes, hoes, shovels and equipment to get the playing field in shape.

The first Little League game of the 1984 season will be on Monday, May 14th. Farm teams and T-ball teams begin play on Tuesday, May 29th. Children ages 6 through 12 residing in the Rotan, Roby and Hobbs school districts and residing in Fisher County are elegible. to play in the Little League programs.

Additional information can be secured by contacting Donald Hull, Rotan Little League President at

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Roby Girls & Boys Jr. High Track Teams Win District In North Zone

The Roby girls compiled 143 points to win district in the North Zone and the boys had 195 points to receive their honor. The North Zone district consists of Roby, Lueders-Avoca, McCaulley, Blackwell, Trent and Divide. The Roby Jr. High track

00000000 Golden Haven **Nursing Home** 000000000

We want to thank Bert Burns of Sweetwater for playing the piano.

We want to thank Emma Fenwick for her gifts to the residents.

Visiting Ezell Whitten-Ivy May Early of Abilene. Visiting Eva Chapman-Jack and Irene Chapman of Roscoe and Raymond and Nanie Keating of Sweetwater. Velma Reed of Sylvester visited with Ezell Whitten and Carra Perkins. Visiting Carlie Butler-Mrs. Tommy Hood of Snyder. Visiting Johnnie Mulanax-Gail Lobdell of Sweetwater. Visiting Letha Meek-Charles, Norma, and Greg Meek of Sylvester. Visiting Carra Perkins-Mrs. Artie Smith of Sylvester. Carra Per kins was out several days to visit Raymond and Linda Perkins of Lubbock.

Our bingo winner this week was Eva Chapman. The residents enjoyed an Easter party given by the

Roby Baptist Church GA's and Act Teens. We appreciate their time spent with

Our residents look forward to outside visitors. You help to keep them in touch with the community. Tempie West



The Family of Beulah Moffett wish to express their sincere thanks to the nursing staff of the Fisher County Nursing Home for their devoted care of our Mother for so long. To her many friends and church study groups. To the Methodist women who brought and served food in the fellowship hall for all the family. The beautiful flowers, memorials and words of comfort helped so much at a difficult time.

The Moffett Family



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team members placing in events were as follows((shot put) Kim Justiss 5th, Linda Ramon 6th, (discus) Cherie Feagan 2nd, (high jump) Cherie Feagan 1st, Donna Gordon 3rd, Ruth Ann Stearnes 4th, (long jump) Ruth Ann Stearnes 2nd, (triple jump) Lorena Cave 6th, (2400m run) Patricia Gonzalez 1st, Becky Kiser 4th, (400m relay) Denise Goolsby, Donna Gordon, Kim Justiss, and Lorena Cave 5th place, (80 hurdles) Karie

Martin 6th, (100m relay)

Ruth Ann Stearnes 2nd,

Kim Justiss 5th, (800m

relay) Cherie Feagan,

Dana Brumfield, Lorena

Cave, Ruth Ann Stearnes

Melanie Ray, Ruth Ann Stearnes, Donna Terry, Terri Morgeson 1st. Boys placing were as follows: (shot put) Robert Garcia 1st, (discus) Robert Garcia 5th, Jay Linn Helm 6th, (high jump) Shalon Thompson 1st, (long jump) Shalon Thompson 1st, Carter Edmondson 5th, (pole vault) Carter Edmondson 1st, Reggie Spencer 2nd, Ronnie Rodriquez 3rd, (2400m run) Craig Maxwell 3rd, (400m

2nd, (300m dash) Donna

Gordon 1st, Melanie Ray

5th, Terri Morgeson 6th,

(200m dash) Donna Gor-

don 2nd, Dana Brumfield

5th. (1200m dash) Karie

Martin 3rd, (1600m relay)

relay) Carter Edmondson, James Gantt, Jason Terry, Heath Dickson 2nd, (600m run) James Gantt 2nd. Santiago Guerrero 3rd, (80m high hurdles) Ronnie Rodriquez 1st, Greg Meek 2nd, (100m dash) Shalon Thompson 2nd, Heath Dickson 5th, (300m dash) Santiago Guerreo 3rd, Ronnie Rodriquez 4th, (200m Int. hurdles) Shalon Thompson 1st, Greg Meek 3rd, Jerry Carreon 4th, (200m dash) Shalon Thompson 2nd, Heath Dickson 4th, Jason Terry 5th. (1200m dash) Jay Linn Helm 2nd, Matt Cave 4th, (1600m relay) Greg Meek, Ronnie Rodriquez, James Gantt, Santiago Guerreo 2nd.

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Funeral Services Held For W.T. Edwards Of Rotan

W.T. Edwards, 69, lifelong Rotan area resident, died 9 PM, Wednesday April 4th, at Scott and White Hospital in Temple. Funeral services were 2 PM, Saturday, at First Baptist Church in Rotan with Rev. Derrell Monday, the pastor, and Rev. Fred Brown, pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Rotan, officiating. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery under the direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home.

The son of J.S. and Mattie Dora Edwards, he was born January 17, 1915 near Rotan. He graduated from Texas A & M and served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He married Jewell Walker in 1941 at Abilene. Following military service, he returned to Fisher County where he farmed and worked for the Texas Employment Commission. He was a member of First

Baptist Church. He is survived by: his wife, Jewell of Rotan; a daughter. Judy and her husband, Lt. Col Jim Lan-

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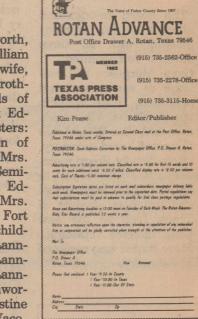
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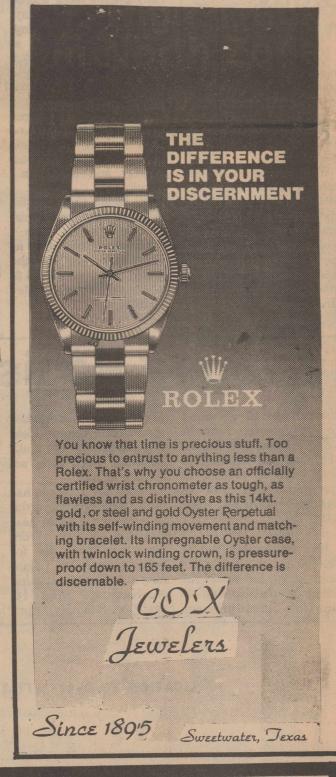
It has been a beautiful week. We have been going for walks and wheelchair rides. It is warm and

Out of town visitors this week were Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ogden of Kosse visited Maebell Ogden. Lavern Young of Ft. Worth and Margaret Raddin of Abilene visited Ollie Shipp. Mary Neal Henry of Happy visited Narcie Clegg. Mr. and Mrs. F.W. Rogers visited Naurcie Clegg and John Cox. Frances Braell of Dallas and Mrs. Alva Tiffillell of Roby visited Ura Arrington. Vida Boyer visited Alva Teague. Everyone is invited to

come and visit us. **Beverly McKinney**

ning of Fort Levenworth, Kansas; a son, William Stephen, and his wife, Genelle, of Waco; 2 brothers; Clinton Edwards of Fort Worth and Dick Edwards of Rotan; 4 sisters: Mrs. Clydist Gladden of Eunice, New Mexico, Mrs. Margie Overbeck, Seminole, Miss Tommie Edwards, Fort Worth, Mrs. Billie Guinnup of Fort Worth; and 4 grandchildren: James David Lanning, Jennifer Lynn Lanning and Jullie Anna Lanning, all of Fort Levenworth, Kansas and Christine Dianne Edwards of Waco.







Read 3 John 1:1-8; Hebrews 13:1-2

You are so faithful in the work you do for your fellow Christians, even when they are strangers.

-3 John 1:5 (TEV)

WHEN my nine-year-old son and I sought a neighborhood church to call our own, the choice was easy. Of all the churches we visited, there was only one church where the individuals sought us out and made us feel at ease. In fact, on our very first visit we were asked to join them for a potluck dinner in the basement immediately after services. The aroma of the various foods enticed us. Jeremy said to me, "Can't we stay, Ma?" Stay we did.

The people who made us feel welcome and who invited us into their congregation are as close to being angels as humans can be. It is a gift to entertain a stranger and to make that person feel comfortable. It is something we all

PRAYER: Dear God, in every stranger there is a potential friend. Do not let me fail to invite the friend in. Make me as accepting as Jesus, who taught us to pray, "Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your Name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen."*

Worship This Week At A **Fisher** County Church

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

735-3471 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:55 Sunday Evening-Church Training 6:00 Worship 7:00 Wed. Night 7:30 P.M.

Rev. Derrell Monday-Pastor

SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH West of Roby Rotan, Texas Sunday School-9:45 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening-Church Training 5:00 Worship 6:00 Wed. night 7:00

> Rev. Paul Cheatham-Pastor CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH

735-2178 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening-Training Union 6:00 Worship 7:00 P.M. Wed. Night-7:00 Rev. Mike O'Neill-Pastor

LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. James Carrington-Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Worship 11:00 Sunday School 10:00 AM Wednesday Night 7:00 PM Worship 7:00 p.m. Sunday Evening 6:00 776-2159 Roby, Texas

Rev. Jim Ritter-Pastor

SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 P.M. 993-4479

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Bubba Stahl-Pastor

735-3464

Sunday Evening 5:30

Wed. Night 7:30

735-2478

Art Flores-Pastor

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH

Worship Service 11:00

Worship

Prayer Meeting

Worship 11:00

Sunday School 10:00

Sunday Evening 6:00 Bible Study

Wed. Night 6:30

Sunday School 10:00

Bill Fee Pastor HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 776-2593

L.D. (Dutch) Parks Pastor McCAULLEY BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Rick McMinn-Pastor

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H.L. Davis & Co. Bill & Elaine Day

Weathersbee

Rotan

Funeral Home Rotan

-Methodist -FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-ROTAN

Baptist-

Sunday School 9:15 Worship Service 10:30 Sunday Evening-6:00 W.H. (Fred) Brown-Pastor 735-2334

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-ROBY Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:50 Sunday Evening 5:00 UMYF 6:00 Worship Wed. Night 7:00 **Choir Practice**

776-2308 Wayland Dowden-Interium Pastor

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-McCAULLEY Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Wed. (second wed. in each month family night 7:00 695-1350-Abilene

Barbara K. Gammeter-Pastor FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-SYLVESTER Sunday School 10:30 Every Third Tues. Evening Community Dinner 6:30 P.M. Barbara Gammeter-Pastor

Church Of Christ-

CHURCH OF CHRIST-Rotan Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Morn. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 Wed. Evening 7:30 Bible Study Mike Dennis-Minister 735-2344

CHURCH OF CHRIST-ROBY Sunday School 10:00 Worship 10:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 P.M. Wed. Night 7:00 P.M. Nev.-April 8:00 May-Oct Wardell Halliburton-Minister

> Nazarene -CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

776-2496

Sunday School 9:45 Worship Service 11:00 Wed. Night Worship 7:30 Pastor-Joe Norton

-Foursquare -

FOURSQUARE CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 735-2553

Nondenominational

MARANATHA CHURCH Sunday Sunday 9:45 Roby, Texas Sunday Evening 5:00 Worship 11:00 Bible Study Worship 6:00

Wed. Night 7:30 **Bill Dickson Pastor**

Catholic -ST. JOSEPHS CATHOLIC CHURCH Sunday Morning 9:00 A.M. Mass Saturday Evening 7:30 Mass 735-3285 Father Austin Kittredge

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> Landes **Furniture** Loys Landes Larry Landes Rotan

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Rotan



Roby Insurance Agency 776-2361 Roby

Roby Midwest Electric 776-2244 Roby

Rotan Insurance Agency

Joe Burk-Agent Rotan

Bart Strayhorn

735-2231 Rotan



Fisher County Grass Identification **Teams Take Honors At Clairmont**

The Fisher County Grass and Range I.D. Teams were busy last week and came away victorous.

The teams traveled to Clairmont on Tuesday and the placing were as follows: Senior Grass team-1st place; Junior Grass Team-3rd place; Senior Range Team--1st place; Junior Range Team-2nd

In the Grass I.D. the high individuals were John Peagrove 3rd high, Jared Cook 5th high.

In the Range Evaluation the individual standings were Greg Gruben-1st high, Blake Morrow-2nd high, Gray Fowler-3rd high, Rocky Roberts-4th high, Glen Overby-5th high.

The team traveled to Roby Friday to the Annual Range and Grass Contest sponsored by the Upper 1st high, Mark Hargrove-

For Texas Taste, DQ's the place for a Golden Chicken Fried, 100% Pure Beef Sandwich

Served on a toasted bun with crisp lettuce and red, ripe tomatoes.

So come on by...

Dairy Monday thru Sunday,

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se 2nd high, Rafe Har- Clear Fork of the Brazos 2nd high. Soil and Water Conservation District.

> The teams placings were as follows: Senior Grass team-2nd place; Junior Grass team-1st place; Senior Range team-1st place. The individual standings were: John Pease--1st high, Rafe Hargrove--5th high, (Senior Division); Junior Division--Donnie Carl Gruben-

Senior Range Individual Standings; Greg Gruben-1st high, Joe Mike Sparks-2nd high, Rocky Roberts-3rd high. Junior Division--Gray Fowler-1st high, Blake Morrow-2nd high,

effort won them two Sweepstakes trophies. The two giant trophies are in display at the Fisher County Courthouse. The teams are coached by James Park of Roby. Glenn Overby-3rd high.

Lee Reed, Of Abilene **Speaks To Rural Wrens**

The Rural Wren Extension Club met Monday in the courthouse annex at 7

Lee Reed, from the Abilene Probation office gave a very enlightening talk on "Missing and Run-away Children". Because it can and does happen in small communities.

He stated that the abductors would probably come to a small town for his victim because small town people are friendlier. He would probably be invited into a home for a meal or be given a place to stay. He picks his victim at random.

Some things to tell your children is to Never Talk to Strangers, to be suspicious. Walking to school or to play in groups. If they are abducted, tell them to scream, holler and/or kick if possible.

Things parents are to do-be suspicious. Remember what your child is wearing when he leaves

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home. Know your child's friends full name, and where this friend liveseither an address or the location of their house. What time the child is to be home.

The four teams combined

In a large envelop put these things in case they are missing-copy of current dental records, fingerprints, current height and weight and pull from the root several strains of your child's hair. Do Not Cut. Put the hair in a baggie. Then put this large envelope in a safe deposit box or some safe place at home. LISTEN to your child. Let the child know to never be afraid to come home no matter

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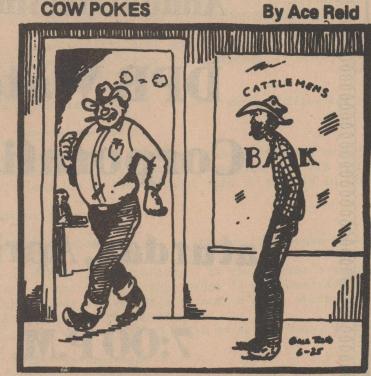
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1. If at all possible you should meet the filing deadline on April 16th. The penalty for filing your return late is presently 5% of any additional tax due per month up to a maximum of 25%.

2. If you file your return near to or on April 16th, send your return certified mail, return receipt requested. This will clearly substantiate a timely filing of your return, thus avoiding late filing penalties.

3. Get an automataic four-month extension (by filing FORM 4868) if you cannot meet the deadline. You must also include a payment for an estimate of the tax you will ultimately owe with the extension. Additionally, if 90% of the total tax you ultimately owe is not paid with the extension, a penalty of 1/2 of 1% per month will be charged. The penalty is in addition to the normal interest charged on the unpaid balance which is currently running at 11% compounded daily.

4. The filing of the automatic extension also extends the deadline for making an IRA contribution for 1983 until August 15th.

5. If you are filing your return or getting an extension and you are also making your first estimated tax payment for 1984, be sure to send two seperate checks with your correct social security number on the face of each check.

If you are unsure about the proper handling of your tax matters as the filing deadline approaches, consult your tax advisor for the options available to you.

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Sue Hitt--Administrator Fisher County Nursing Home, Rotan, Texas, 735-

Legal Notice

Fisher County Commissioners Court will accept bids on 1984 Crawler Loader with 2 yard bucket. Bids will be opened April 26,1984 at 9 a.m. in Commissioners Courtroom. Roby, Texas.

Marshal Bennett County Judge

Rotan Boys Track Team Finishes Fifth At Aspermont Meet

The Rotan boy's track team, under the direction of Head Track Coach Ted Posey, scored a total of 47 points to finish in 5th place last week at Aspermont. The meet was won by Hamlin with 61 points. Second place team was Wellington with 58 points. The team will travel to

for their weekly meet. Charles Williams took a first place finish in the 400 meter dash with a time of 51.08 seconds. Second

Glen Rose this Saturday



Card of Thanks 200000000

William Henry Allen, known as Jack Allen to his friends and customers has retired after 50 years in the gasoline business. Jack Allen, wife, Mary,

and daughter, Irene, moved to Rotan in 1934. At that time, Jack owned and operated a Sinclair station that was located where the John Deere house is now. From there he moved to a Conoco station that was located where the Hataho stands, then he moved to a station where Wetsel's Locker Plant stands now.

In 1944, Jack went independent with Cosden, that later changed to Fina and moved to his present location at 200 N. Cleveland.

Due to declining health, but not spirit, Jack has decided to retire. He will be 77 on April 26th.

Jack Allen's Station and Tire in now owned and operated by Dicky Knight, Jack's grandson.

Jack and Mary would like to thank their customers for (their) friendship and business these past 50

place went to Sammy Turner with a time of 52.32

son with a time of 53.90. Ben Bryan placed 6th in



SPRINT MAN: Ben Bryan will one of the sprint team members making a trip to Glen Rose this Saturday.

Roby Fire Dept. Will Host Supper

The Roby Volunteer Fire Department will have a Pancake Supper, Saturday, April 28. The fund raiser will begin at 5 p.m. and go till late. political candidates are invited to come and meet with the voters. Advance tickets are being sold, price is \$4.00 for all you

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inches; Randy Martinez was 4th in the pole vault with a jump of 10 ft. 6 inches and Charles Williams finished 2nd in the long jump with 20 ft 11 inches.

The sprint relay team of Ben Bryan, Sammy Turner, Randy Martinez and Charles Williams finished 5th with a time of 44.56, their best time of the season.

The mile relay of Ben Bryan (53.72), Randy Martinez (52.51), Sammy Turner (52.27 and Charles Williams (50.43) finished 3rd with a time of 3:28.93.

Others participating but not placing in final events included: Ward Hayes, John Pease, Tony Gruben, Scott Toliver, Brad Long and Renee Silvas.

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2:00 P.M.

ROTAN GIN CO.





Rotan Electronic hearing tests will be given at the Senior Citizens Center on Wed., April 18th from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Elmer Six, licensed hear ing aid specialist will be at the Senior Citizens Center to perform tests.

Anyone who has trouble hearing or understanding speech clearly is welcome have a test using modern electronic equipment to determine if his loss is one which can be helped. Some of the causes of hearing loss will be explained and diagrams of how the ear works will

be shown. Everyone should have a hearing test at least once a year if there is any trouble at all understanding speech clearly. Free service is available for all makes of Hearing Aids. Everyone wearing a hear ing aid should have it serviced regularly

be given, Wed., from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center, II you can't come in call 735-2359 and arrange for an appointment at another time. In home testing is. also available



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Phil Lanz Elected To Office At McMurry

Phil Lanz, a junior from Garland, has been elected to the office of president of the McMurry College Student Government for the upcoming 1984-85 school

He defeated Cindy Fitch, a junior chemistry major from Amarillo, in the balloting held this week on campus. Lanz is an ac counting major.

Lanz has served the student government in the past as sophomore class senator and as treasurer of the organization this past

Pam Evans, a senior biology (re-optometry) major from Abilene was elected to the office of vice-president of the student gov-ernment. She defeated Suzan Collins, a junior psychology/nursing major from Dimmitt, in a runoff election.

In the race for the office of treasurer, Greg Hawthorne, a junior accounting major from Tulia, was the winner over Coleman junior Brent Woodruff and Tim Logan, a junior from 2000000000

Card of Thanks

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the people for the many prayers, flowers and acts of kindness during the illness and death of our loved one. We would like to especially thank Dr. Le-Bleu and Dr. Maurice Callan for the care given and to the nurses in the hospital and the rest home.

the Family of Susie Ahrlett 9:1tp

Albuquerque, N.M. Lanny Ballard, a junior nursing major from Ro-

chester, was elected to the office of attorney general. He defeated Conrad Hamric, a sophomore from Rotan and Sandra White, a junior from Abilene.

Class officers will be elected in balloting scheduled for Tuesday, April 10. A class president and five senators will be elected from each class. All

student government and class officers will be inducted into the organization on April 16.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE APPRECIATED

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FISHER COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT #3

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Fisher County Political Calendar

Rate for listing in the Rotan Advance-Roby Star Record Political Column is \$80.00 for all offices. This fee includes a front-page announcement article and a one-column photograph to be run with the announcement, in addition to the listing in the Political Column from the date the announcement is made until the final

Charges for announcements must be paid in advance, and the same policy applies to all political advertising carried in the columns of this newspaper.

Names of candidates for each office will be listed in the Political Column in the order that they are received at the

The Rotan Advance-Roby Star Record has been authorized to announce the following candidates for public office.

Fisher County Commissioner Precinct #3 LOUIE HAYES JAY HENDON W.J. (Tuner) COFFMAN

> **Fisher County Sheriff** MICKEY A. COUNTS

Fisher County Commissioner Precinct #1 C.D. "MONK" HERRON LINK ADAIR DAVE MUNDEN TROY GRUBEN J. NEAL McGINNIS TURNER HARVEY

Fisher County Tax Assessor-Collector **TEDDY KRAL** KATHY SMITH LYNN RANDOLPH **DWIGHT LOVETT**

TOMMIE JACK STUART

MARGIE BIGHAM HALE **District Attorney** NORMAN ARNETT DAN BARBER WITHDREW.

County Attorney **RUDY HAMRIC**

State Senate RAY FARABEE

Congressman-17th District CHARLES STENHOLM

State Representative-78th District STEVEN A. CARRIKER

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pand existing business Mike Wulf, General Manager 817-422-4547 6:4tc

ATTENTION: Karan Mc Clure is now working at Naomi's Beauty Shop, North Lyon St. in Roby, Thursday only. call 776-2541-home or 776-2165-Sa-

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9:tfc ESTATE SALE: '73 Dodge, 6 cylinder, runs, but needs head gaskets, \$250 cash. Miscellaneous personal items. Fri. & Sat. Blue Haven Motel, Roby. 9:1tp

FOR LEASE: 100 acres rye and oats for graze out. Call Dick Tandy, 735-2574.

YARD SALE: Saturday only, April 14. Girl and boys clothes, bedspreads, bathsets, grill's, misc. 1006 E. 6th.

ROTAN GIN CO. is now taking sealed bids on a 1966 Chevrolet- 2 ton truck, 37½ foot single axle Hobbs flat bed trailer, 36 foot tandem axle Hyde seed trailer. Bids will be opened on April 16th,, Rotan Gin Co. reserves the right to reject all bids.

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GARAGE SALE: Sat. and Sunday. Lots of miscellaneous. 102 E. 8th, across the street E. of Teague's.

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Deborah Sharie Kiesling and Peter Steven Getz exchanged marriage vows Sunday in Dyess Air Force Base Chapel with Capt. Richard W. Smith, chaplain, officiating.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Lee Roy Kiesling of Martin, Tenn. The bridegroom's parents are Mr.

Final Rites For Lavelle Jones

Lavelle Jones, 63, of Aspermont, died at 5:50 p.m. Saturday at Stonewall Memorial Hospital after a long illness. Services were held at 3 p.m. Monday at Central Baptist Church.

The Rev. Clyde Cook, Baptist minister from New Mexico officiated, assisted by the Rev. James Woods. pastor. Burial was at Double Mountain Cemetery in Peacock, directed by McCoy Funeral Home of Aspermont.

Born Dec. 7, 1920, in Stonewall County, she was a lifelong resident. She married M.L. Jones, July 26, 1938 in Johnson's Cha-

Three brothers preceded her in death.

Survivors include a son, Morlan of Aspermont, two daughters, LaVenda Eaton of Rotan and Linda Gardner of Austin: a brother. Sid Lee of Fort Worth; three sisters, Oree Spradley and Anna Lou Shadle of Asperment and Euna Belle Robinson of Arlington; several grandchildren and a great granddaugh

Pallbearers were Mack Peacock, Zearl Galloway, E.W. Cade, Victor Galloway, Troy Swink, and Tin-

ey Jones. Honorary pallbearers were Tim Jones, Earl Roddy, John Kidd, Ralph Riddel, W.R. Allen and Leland Smith.

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The Rotan girl's track team qualified a total of 5 people for the regional meet in Lubbock on April 18th and 19th and broke three Rotan High School records at the District 4-AA meet in Hamlin last

Coach. Shelly Hayes broke her record, set the previous week, with a toss of 127 feet 2 inches in the discus

week, according to Bruce Woods, Head Girl's Track

competition. The relay team of Bar-bara Williams, Mary Williams, Cheryl Reese and Cathy Conner set a new sprint school record with a

time of 50.17 in the finals. The old record was 50.50. The same group of girls, participating in the 800 meter relay event set a

new school record with their final time of 1:47.25. The old record was Cathy Conner won the 100 meter dash and the triple jump at the district

meet. Shelly Hayes finish-

ed forth in the shotput at

the district meet. Other team members include: Helen Reese, Pearl Huitt, Latonya Daniels, Sherrie King, Yolanda Acorn and Lydia Garcia.

Misty Waldon And Robert **Tinnin Engaged**

Five Rotan Girls Qualify

For Regional Meet

Misty Leanne Waldon will become the bride of Robert Brent Tinnin on June 16, 1984.

Misty is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Waldon of Kerrville, the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Waldon of and Mrs. Pete L. Getz of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eaton and the great grand-daughter of Mrs. Lena tin was her sister's maid Feagan of Rotan.

of honor and Sandy Bus-Misty is a Senior at Tivy High School where she is a well of Indianapolis, Ind., member of the Band, Flag Candlelighters were Ken-Corp. Captain, Vocational Office Education, Rodeo Club, and Cowboy Chapter of Fellowship of Christian Athletes. She is employed ther, Russell W. Kiesling at Guadalupe Savings and Loan Association.



Roby High School band will be holding their annual banquet on Tuesday, April 17th at 7:00 p.m. at the new band hall.

Brent is a 1983 graduate of Tivy High School and is an employee at Lower Colorado River Authority.



Misty Waldon & Robert Tinnin

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Friendship Club Katie Walker (Lopez) Is Now Associated The Friendship Club met April 4th at the Southwest With Boots Blackwell Savings and Loan building Boot's Beauty Shop for their monthly meeting with all members making

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kinds of cookies and drinks was furnished by Euna Be Sure To Check With Us Holcomb from a table decorated with the Easter On All Haygrazer And Milo Seed.

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Jenice Weatherman And Jay Greenway Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Weatherman announce the engagement and forth coming marriage of their daughter, Jenice, to Jay Greenway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Greenway.

The couple will exchange vows on June 2, 1984, at 6

p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Rotan.

Jenice will graduate from Rotan High School in May 1984. The prospective groom, a graduate of Rotan High School, is employed with Rolling Plains International.

Roby High Girls Track **Team Finishes 5th**

The Roby High School girls finished 5th overall in the District track meet. The Regional qualifiers are: Valerie Goodrum-discus, Kristi Martin-mile run, 2 mile run, 440 relay; Jennifer Wright, Susan Gaona, Stacy Terry, Deena Williamson- 4th place.

800 m run- Tammy Mauldin- 4th; 100 m hurdles-Valerie Goodrum- 5th; 100 m dash- Stacy Terry- 4th, Susan Gaona- 5th; 800 m relay- Jennifer Wright, Stacy Terry, Deena Williamson, Susan Gaona-4th; 1600 m relay- Debbie Everett, Kristi Martin, Sabrina Herron, Tammy Mauldin- 6th place; 1600 m run- Kristi Martin-1st, Sharron Haggard-6th; 3200 m run- Kristi Martin-1st; Discus-Valerie Goodrum- 2nd; long jump-

jump-Valerie Goodrum-Members of the '84 Roby Girls Track team are Valerie Goodrum, Susan Gaona, Sharron Haggard, Sabrina Herron, Jennifer Wright, Tammy Mauldin, Stacy Terry, Jonnye Parks, Charla Wiley, Michelle Burk, Deena Williamson, Debbie Everett, Sheila Clawson, Mary Lee Hicks, Kerrie Upshaw, and Kristi Martin.

Tammy Mauldin-5th; high

This was one of the largest girls track team that Roby has had in recent years. All of the

girls who participated worked long hours to accomplish their own personal and team goals. They distinguished themselves as major threates to other teams in several track meets this season. They should be recognized for their efforts and I feel fortunate to have had the opportunity to work with

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Sprint relay: (Julie Pease,

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Gruben-2:55.82- 5th; 100

mtr. dash- Jerilyn Boone-

13.98-2nd; 400 mtr. dash-

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Dickson, Lynette Mc-Queen, Carye Gruben,

Shanna Bennett) 2:14.80-

4th; 200 mtr. dash-Julie

Pease-28.74-3rd; 1600

7:01.59-6th;

mtr run-Jenny Dickson-

For 3rd time in 3 weeks-

Mile Relay-(Julie Pease,

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eper, Jerilyn Boone, 4:39.

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8th grade point getters: Sprint relay-(Millie Gaspar, Lucy Stinson, Lori Garcia, Jan Posey)- 55.86-3rd; 100 mtr. low hurdles-Millie Gaspar- 19.17-4th; Lucy Stinson- 19.37- 5th; 100 mtr dash- Ann Marie Williams- 14.19-4th; 800 mtr relay- (Ann Marie Williams, Merry King, Deeann Montez, Vicki Martinez) 2:10.58-4th; 200

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Roby, Texas



"At the close of the season I would like to say it's been a pleasure working with these girls. They have tried their best and represented Rotan well. They have set goals for themselves and either surpassed them or worked very hard trying. I commend them and their parents for giving them the drive and determination... be proud!!!said Mrs. Mer-

Roby Band **Parents Elects** Officers

Roby band parents elected new officers for the 84-85 school year, Monday night, April 9th. Officers are: Buelene Shipp, President; Patsy Terry, Vice-President; Marcie Gonzalez, Secretary; Norma Meek, Treasurer; Jackie Des Rosiers, Reporter.



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Your 1983 yields will not be used in any way in calculating your proven yield.

No premium is due until after harvest.

If you did not have federal crop insurance in 1983, it is necessary to make a written request that the ASCS office calculate your proven yield for insurance purposes. To authorize me to have this done, please complete the form below and return.

Raford Hargrove

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Please furnish me with more information concerning federal crop insurance on 1984 cotton. I request that the ASCS calculate my proven yield for insurance purposes. I understand that this in no way obligates me to purchase federal crop insurance.

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Rotan Nursing Center

We had a nice week this week. The rain we had Saturday wasn't enough. but we will take what we can get.

Visiting in the home this week was Betty Bredemeyer, Melissa and Nicholas of Snyder, Reta Warner, Amber and Heather of Hamlin, all visited Romie Kersh. Dorothy Scifers of Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. Garth Austin of Snyder visited Nancy Bagwell. Tommie Edwards of Ft. Worth also visited in the home.

We would like to say thank you to all the churches that come and have services for us. At times there are very few of us to attend, but the ones that come enjoy it, and look forward to their coming.

Don't forget to make plans to come to our covered dish luncheon on

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Card of Thanks

the gratitude in our hearts for the many things done for our families in the loss of our loved one.

Thank you Dr. Maurice and the staff at the hospital-the nursing home, friends that brought food, those that served the food, for the cards, flowers and especially for your pray-

Thank you Bro. Rogers for the words of comfort. A very special thank you to Mac and Doug, Caroline, Mildred, Mary and

Ola & Jim Markham David & Dale Markham Irene & Dwight Nowlin & Family Buster & Billie Markham & Family Carl & Jean Markham & Family Lawrence & Addie Markham & Family 9:1tp

the 18th of April. We had several bingo winners this week. Frank Faulkner said it was the first time he had won in 21 years.

Russell Ahrlett and Gaines Smith along with Charlie Gruben and Mrs. Stokes planted our new rose bushes last week. Russell already is taking orders for bouquets. Thanks to Clay Fowler for the post hole diggers, that part of planting was much

We are looking forward to nice weather, without blowing dirt, so we can paint on our new yard furniture.

Big plans and fancy eggs are in the making for an annual egg hunt with the primary school children.

We want to remind the community that National Nursing Home week is coming up next month, so make plans to come out and visit, we like having you visit our home whether you have loved ones or just friends living here, we are proud of Rotan Nursing Center.

Lora Cleveland

Book Review Club To Meet April 17th

The Book Review Club will meet April 17 at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Rotan.

Roby School To Hold Open House Apr. 16th

Roby School will hold open house for the new band hall and gym. The public is invited to attend this function. There will be an interschool boy and girl basketball game at 1:00 p.m.

Hours for open house will be 1:00 p.m. till 6:00 p.m. Date: Monday, April 16,

Holds Annual Meeting In Austin The Federal Land Bank Association of Roby which serves Fisher, Nolan, and Taylor counties is one of 49 associations across the

State sharing \$5.2 million with their borrowers. This action is a result of a 'grass root' movement among the directors of the Federal Land Bank Associations in Texas. Recognizing the adverse times which agricultural producers are experiencing, the official delegates at the Federal Land Bank of Texas' annual stockholders meeting in Austin, Texas last week approved the use of some \$5.2 million that would normally have been paid to the associations by the Bank to forego an interest rate increase on the Bank's variable rate

Since the Federal Land Bank in Austin is the prime lender, the only way it has to increase its earn-

ings is through an increase in the variable interest rate plan. The Federal Land Bank had planned an increase in its rate on March 1, 1984, to offset a projected loss for 1984; however, association directors of the locally owned and managed Federal Land Bank Associations across the state recognizing their excellent financial strength developed through good management practices and sound loan policies over the years, voted unanimously to forego some \$5.2 million in income which would normally be paid to the associations by the Federal Land Bank for making and servicing loans. By voting to forego this income, the Federal Land

Bank will not increase the

variable interest rate to all

of its variable rate borrow-

lene; three brothers, Bus-

ter of Wichita, Kan., Carl

of San Angelo and Lawren-

ers at this time.

This action is an example of the Land Bank System's continued policy to maintain strong and viable

Federal Land Bank Association

operations which enables it to be a reliable and low cost source of credit during both good and adverse

The Federal Land Bank has \$2.420 billion in vari-

able loans outstanding to some 31,000 farmers, ranchers, and rural residence horrowers.

Extension Homemakers Club Meets

The Extension Homemakers Club met with Eda Bickerstaff April 5. We had a nice group-18 pre-

Jessie Atkins presided and Oma Long led in recreation time.

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Hilda Rollins, Hazel Al-

dridge, Mary Posey, Jessie Atkins, Tennie Bostic. Nell Parks, Beatrice Hargrove, Bobbie McKinney. Alice Ballenger, and our hostess Eda Bickerstaff.



Funeral Services Held For Ellis Markham Of Rotan

Ellis Markham, 69, of Rotan, a retired Gold Bond Building Products employee, died at 3 a.m. Wednesday at the Fisher County Nursing Home in Rotan. Services were held at 4 p.m. Thursday at Weathersbee Funeral Home.

The Rev. F.W. Rogers, Church of the Nazarene minister from Post, officiated. Burial was in Belvieu Cemetery in Rotan.

Born Nov. 19, 1914, in Arkansas, he married Ola Leach Oct. 19, 1951 in Rotan. He moved to Rotan in the early 1940s. He was a veteran of World War II and a member of the Church of Nazarene.

He was preceded in death by a son, Tommy Lynn, in

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Public Notice

Persons whose property lies within the Fisher County Appraisal District and who are due an exemption for property taxes and did not sign an application in 1983 (italics) must submit an application for such exemption by May 1 of this year to the Appraisal District Office.

Provisions of the Texas Property Tax Code permit a one-time initial application for residence homestead exemptions rather than requiring annual application as in previous years.

However, taxpayers who have never received a residence homestead exemption on the homes in which they were residing on January 1, and those who became 65 years old or disabled during 1983, must make the one-time application this year in order to receive exemptions for 1984.

In order for a property to qualify as a homestead, it must meet four tests.

It must be owned by the person or persons claiming the exemption ° It must be designed or adapted for human residence

° It must actually be used as a residence

° It must be occupied as the principal residence of an owner who qualifies for the exemption. *******

DISABLED VETERANS who have not received an exemption previously, an application must be filed before May 1 with the Appraisal Office in order to receive the exemption for this tax year. However, persons who were granted the exemption in 1983, do not need to reapply in 1984.

Those listed to qualify for the exemption are: -- a disabled veteran

--a surviving spouse of a deceased disabled veteran, as long as the spouse remains

--a surviving minor child of a deceased disabled veteran, if the veteran's spouse does not survive the veteran and if the child is both under 18 and unmarried -- a surviving spouse of a person who was killed while on active duty, whether the

spouse is remarried or not at the time of the application --a surviving minor child of a person who was killed while on active duty, if the

child is both under 18 and unmarries

All persons who wish to have their property taxes based on open space value and did not sign an application in 1983 (italics) must file proper application this year with the Appraisal District.

Persons who signed for valuation of their property under the open space application in 1983 dc not need to sign up again. Any person who has purchased land from another person in 198? file an application as the new owner for 1983.

> ****** RENDITIONS

All persons whose property lies within the Fisher County Appraisal District whether it be real property or personal property shall render such property for taxation between Jan. 1 and May 1 of this year.

Renditions and applications must be made on forms provided by the Appraisal District of Fisher County office. Rendition forms are available in the Appraisal District office of Fisher County which is located at the Fisher County Courthouse, Rooms 113,114,115, Roby, Texas.

The Appraisal District will mail the necessary forms upon request. FISHER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT, P. O. BOX 516, ROBY, TEXAS 79543



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GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL TENNIS TEAM: Left to Right: Marcy Mauldin, Latricia Allen, Kristie Price, Sabrina Herron, Patricia Parks and Deena Williamson.



ROBY 8th GRADE TRACK TEAM: Back row left to right: Shalon Thompson, Heath Dickson, Jessie Carreon, and Greg Meek. 2nd row: Reggie Spencer, John Everett, Jason Terry, and Jay Linn Helm. Front row: Stephen Henington, James Gantt, Matt Floyd, and



HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS TRACK TEAM: Back Row left to right: Mary Lee Hicks, Charla Wiley, Jonnye Lou Parks. Sheila Clawson, and Debbie Everett. 2nd row: Jennifer Wright, Sharron Haggard, Sabrina Herron, Deena Williamson, and Kristi Martin. Front row: Michelle Burk, Tammy Mauldin, Stacy Terry, Susan Gaona, and Kerrie Upshaw.



DISPLAYS PLAQUES: Kristi Martin of Roby proudly displays the first place plaques she received for the 1 and 2 mile run for District.

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Well, we have sure had a stormy week, with so much high wind and blowing dust. I just know it was going to rain on Saturday as it was cloudy and stormy all day, but when the wind started blowing so hard, all the clouds blew away. Some folks did get a light shower, almost half an inch toward Roby, and some places got hail too, which is something we can do

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Neves from Snyder visited on Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Anderle and three children from Linden, Texas, visited over the week-end with the Gary Hyers. Mrs. Opal Phillips visited with them all on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ratliff baby from Abilene Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brooks and family from Marble Falls, spent the week-end visiting with the James Ratliffs. This was last week-end and I failed to get it in last week's Mr. and Mrs. news. Tracey Knipe and some friends srom Snyder visited on Sunday with the

Jim and I went to Snyder on Monday and Tuesday, we went to Ennis Creek, north of Snyder, and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Blake Walker. I went to Hamlin on Thursday to watch the girls district track meet and there was sure a good crowd there. It was such a nice day, about the only day, that

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the wind didn't blow. Heard from Melody and Mark and they were in Austin and had participated in a big rodeo in Austin Saturday night. They spent the week end visiting with Mark's par-

Well, its short this week. but everyone has been staying close to home and no one has been visiting

See you next week, after a big rain, which is sure what we need.

Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital from April 3 thru April 9 were: Raymond Cornelius, Rotan; Bessie Hale, Rotan: Sonnie Hammond. Rotan; Lewana Graham, Rotan; C.D. Herron, Rotan; Francisca Flores, Rotan; Ann Paske, Rotan; Dianna Carrillo, Rotan; Golda Springer, Rotan; Fred Brown, Rotan; Sue Medrano, Rotan; Emsley Nolen, Rotan; and Ramona M. Almanza, Rotan; Aveonne Frye, Roby; W.P. Toole, Roby; Huelane Cook, Roby; Daphene Moore, Roby; and Thelma P. Smith, Roby; Pauline Baldwin, Anson; Eunice Daniels, Jayton; Karne Ritchey, Snyder; Teresa Diaz, Snyder; Helen J. Fowler, Snyder and Mary McCarter, Snyder; Alice Blankship, Stamford; Oscar Gallaway, Stamford; Willard Burk, McCaulley.

13th Congressional District Hearing Set

Congressman Jack Hightower announced that two days of hearings will be held in the 13th Congressional District to give the public an opportunity to comment on the development of the 1985 Farm Bill now being planned by congressional committees.

Hightower, who will chair the hearings, has scheduled them for Monday, April 23, at 2:00 p.m. in Amarillo, and Tuesday, April 24, at 10:00 a.m. in Vernon. Both meetings will be held at the Texas A&M University Research and Extension Center in those communities. Farmers, ranchers, agribusiness, and all other interested representataives of farm concerns are invited to attend and testify, as is the general public.

"I want to give food producers and others in our part of Texas a chance to tell Washington exactly what they believe should be done to make our farm programs work better," Hightower said. "I will be taking the actual transcripts of everyone's testimony back to the full House Agriculture Committee, and it will become part of the record for the committee members to review as they develop the 1985 Farm Bill."

'it's very difficult if not impossible for most people to take time to go to Washington, so I thought we should try another

Correction

Correction: In the edition of March 29 a headline on page 9 concerning, a correct story on, Hector Valez, should have read "Marine Sgt. Serving In California." Sorry for the inconvenience.

approach," Hightower said. "It's essential that we start early this year to establish more effective, long-term solutions to the problems we now face in our farm communities, as well as future problems that we can see down the road. It's also essential that the policy makers in

Washington hear directly

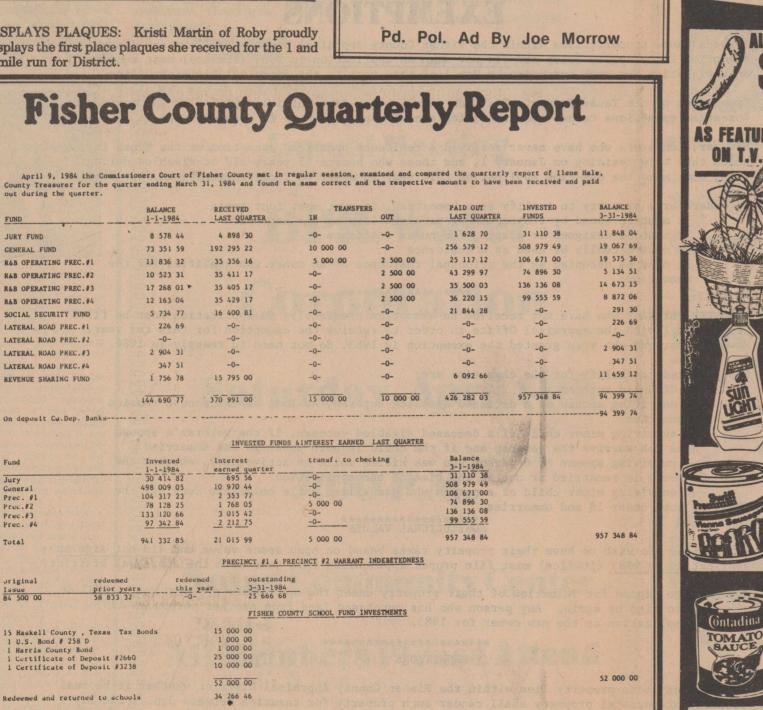
from the people who know the most about the problem," Hightower said. Individuals interested in testifying should provide a written copy of their testimony if possible. An official stenographer will also record all testimony for eventual presentation to the House Agriculture

committee by Hightower.

Those wishing to testify should contact the nearest Hightower district office in Amarillo, Vernon or Wichita Falls. The number of people wishing to speak will be limited by the time available. Comments should be limited to no longer than ten minutes per person as much as



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Fisher County Weekly Activities

Thursday, April 12

Rotan boys district golf in Haskell at 8:00 a.m. 4-H Judging teams will be competing in San Angelo Roby & Rotan F.H.A. girls will be attending the state F.H.A. meeting in San Antonio.

Fisher County Senior Citizens: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building

Rotan One Act Play: Regional Contest at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Roby Literary UIL Regional Contest in Abilene at

Roby First United Methodist Church: Revival Services beginning at 7:00 p.m.

Friday, April 13

Bitter Creek Water Supply meeting of the stockholders to be held in the Commission Room at City Hall in Sweetwater, Texas at 7:00 p.m.

Fisher County Senior Citizens: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building.

Roby & McCaulley Elementary U.I.L. Literary contest will be held at Roby.

Saturday, April 14

Rotan High School Regional Literary competition at Texas Tech in Lubbock

Rotan High School Track: Boys varsity & J.V. team at

Rotan & Roby FFA Judging teams will participate in a judging contest at Texas Tech in Lubbock. Sunday, April 15

Palette & Brush Club: Annual Art Exhibit will be held at the Fisher County Court House from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

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Fisher County Hospital Board: 7:30 p.m. at the Hospital Dining Room

McCaulley Volunteer Fire Department: 8:00 p.m. at the

Roby Ladies Aerobic Dance: 5:30 p.m. at the Pink McCaulley & Roby Boys District Golf at Sweetwater.

Tuesday, April 17 Rotan Boys District Golf, 8:00 a.m. at the Hamlin golf

Roby & Rotan bands will participate in the U.I.L. concert and sightreading contest at Cooper High School in

Roby High School Band Banquet: 7:00 p.m. in the band

V.F.W. and V.F.W. Ladies Auxiliary: 7:30 p.m. at the V.F.W. Building

Fisher County Senior Citizens: 9:00 - 3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building.

Wednesday, April 18 Roby Ladies Aerobic Dance: 5:30 p.m. at the Pink

Roby High School Boys District Track Meet at Robert Lee If you would like your organizations activities in this section, call 735-2877 after 7:00 p.m.

nced that the open se of the new facilities ıld be Monday, April h from 1:00 p.m. until 0 p.m. with inter-school nonstration basketball nes conducted as well tours of the new facili-

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s death and resurrecn. Please come and join celebrating The Risen viour!

ties. Boys and girls will each play one game in the new gymnasium, refreshments will be served and tours given parents and interested parties.

The total costs of erecting the new band hall, dressing room facility and gymnasium amounted to approximately \$701,133.00, according to Laurie. Construction costs actually ran \$577,422 while architect fees amounted to \$44,306; construction management fees were \$68,505 and extra bid items were

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professional watch and jewelry repairmen The members of the Fish-County Hospital Board ill meet next Monday, pril 16th for their regular JEWELERS . . . Since 1895 fonthly meeting and at Lat time will conduct SWEETWATER, TEXAS 79556 Sard election for the reration of the officers

Gary McGee, Fisher County Hospital Administrator. Other items expected to come before the board cen include the energy conser- add vation survey conducted by Burr Engineering of Austin; a discussion of the

Legal Notice

The Housing Authority of the City of Rotan, Texas has made application with the Dallas area office. Department of Housing and Urban Development. The application is for funds under the Comprehensive Improvement Assistance Program to modernize the existing project known as Site C, TEX-182-1, located at 501-511 North Harrison Avenue. Rotan, Texas.

The Department has determined that a portion of the project is located within a designated 100 year floodplain. In compliance with Executive Order 11988, DHUD hereby gives notice to the public and solicits comments from any interested person as to the effects the modernization of the project have upon the floodplain. Comments should be mailed to Mr. Joe Holsomback, Assisted Housing Branch, PO Box 10050, Dallas, Texas, 75207.

Comments must be received by April 25, 1984. 9:1tc

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