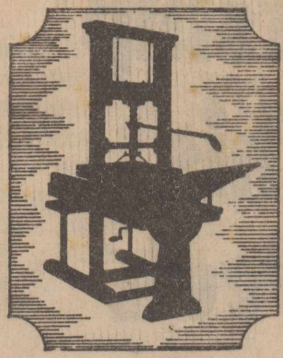


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Fisher County Voting Boxes And Locations

Voting Box	Judge	Location
1	F.L. Mitchell	Coffee Room-Courthouse
1A	Leonard Cleveland	Rotan City Hall
4	Parker Weisel	Dist. Court Room-Roby
4A	J.A. McClain	Library In Rotan-Public
6	Gloria Ferguson	McCaulley School
10	Melvin Clements	Community Center-Rotan
12	Ima Berry	Rotan School Building
13	Louise Martinez	Hobbs School
17	Glen Webb	Community Center-Capitola
18	Mary Ann Henington	Community Center-Longworth
22	Mary Ellen Brown	Community Center-Sylvester

Voters Will Cast Ballots Saturday

Fisher County voters will have the opportunity to express their preference on Saturday, May 5th as they vote in the Democratic Primary election in 11 voting boxes across Fisher County.

Polls open from 7:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. with Precinct Conventions scheduled to start at 7:15 p.m. in each of the 11 voting locations. Fisher County Democratic Chairman Bill Smith

asked voters having the blue Voter Registration Certificates available for judges and clerks to inspect when they go to cast ballots on Saturday. "We want judges and clerks to begin inspecting blue voter registration cards, and we ask the cooperation of voters in having the certificate available when they sign-up to cast ballots," said Bill Smith, Fisher County Democratic Chair-

man. The three contested Fisher County races that are attracting all the attention include the race for Commissioner of Precinct #1 (7 candidates seeking approval); Commissioner Precinct #3 (3 candidates seeking election) and the vacancy in the office of Fisher County Tax Assessor Collector with five candidates seeking voter approval for the office.

Current Fisher County Commissioner W.A. Cross, Commissioner of Precinct #1, elected not to seek re-election to the post due to health reasons. A total of 7 candidates will have their name on the ballot on Saturday in an effort to secure the post being vacated by Cross. Those candidates include Link A. Adair, Troy F. Gruben, J. Neal McGinnis, Tommie Jack Stuart,

Dave Munden, C.D. (Monk) Herron and Turner Harvey. The other race for commissioner includes the Commissioner of Precinct #3 Jay Hendon, seeking re-election and his challenge by two other candidates for the office. In that race, Louie Hayes and W.J. Coffman are seeking to unseat Hendon and gain voter approval. The names, in the order they

will appear on the ballot in Commission Precinct #3, are: Jay Hendon, Louie Hayes and W.J. (Turner) Coffman. Norman Arnett, Rotan Attorney, is seeking a full term as District Attorney, after having been appointed by Governor Mark White. Arnett and Colorado City Attorney Dan Barber both announced for the post but Barber has since withdrawn from the race,

although his name will appear on the ballot. In other races, Ray Farabee is unopposed for re-election as State Senator, District 30; Steve Carriker is unopposed as State Representative of District #78; Raleigh Brown is unopposed as Associate Justice Court of Appeals, 11th Judicial District and Weldon Kirk is unopposed as District Judge, 32nd Judicial District.

ROBERT BUCK
 VOTER REGISTRAR
 (REGISTRADOR DE VOTANTES)

JOHN W. FAINTER, JR.
 SECRETARY OF STATE
 (SECRETARIO DEL ESTADO)

VOTER REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE
 (CERTIFICADO DE REGISTRO ELECTORAL)
 FISHER COUNTY (CONDADO DE FISHER)

CERTIFICATE NUMBER (Numero de Certificado)	VALID FROM 3/1/84 (Valido Desde)	PRECINCT (Precinto)	SEX (Sexo)
2098	Oct 10	3	m

NAME AND PERMANENT RESIDENCE ADDRESS:
 (NOMBRE Y DIRECCION RESIDENCIAL PERMANENTE)

John A. Kirk

X VOTER MUST PERSONALLY SIGN HIS NAME IMMEDIATELY UPON RECEIPT.
 (El Votante debe firmar esta tarjeta personalmente al punto de recibirla.)
 VOTING BY USE OF THIS CERTIFICATE BY ANY PERSON OTHER THAN THE PERSON IN WHOSE NAME THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED IS A FELONY.
 (El uso de esta certificado para votar por cualquier persona en vez de la persona cuyo nombre aparece en dicho certificado es una felonía.)

PARTY PRIMARY (Votacion primaria del partido nombrado arriba)

Roby Lions Fish Fry

The Roby Lions Club will be holding an election night Fish Fry on Saturday, May 5th between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. at the Pink Building in Roby. The tickets for the Fish

Fry are \$5.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children. All proceeds will be split between the Lions Camp for Crippled Children and the Lubbock's Lion's Eye Bank.

Rotan Election Board

The Rotan Election results board will again this year be posted in front of the Newspaper Office beginning at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, May 5th for local residents interested in se-

curing results of county and state races. All interested are invited to bring lawn chairs, refreshments and enjoy the fellowship until the last results are posted.

No Presidential Names To Appear On Ballot

The names of Jesse Jackson, Gary Hart and Walter Mondale will not be appearing on the ballot on May 5th. In order for Fisher County residents to express their preference

for a presidential candidate, voters must return to their polling places and attend the precinct convention beginning at 7:15 p.m.

Precinct Conventions Begin 7:15 P.M. Sat.

Fisher County residents will have the opportunity to express their preference for the political candidate of their choice on Saturday, May 5th by attending their precinct conventions, according to Fisher County Democratic Chairman Bill Smith.

Precinct Convention attendees will caucus by candidate choice and uncommitted preference to elect their proportionate number of delegates to County and in some urban areas Senate District conventions to be held on May 19, 1984. At the County and Senate District conventions delegates will caucus to elect delegates to the State Convention to be held this year in Houston on June 15 and 16. Delegates at the State Convention will elect Texas delegates to the National Convention. One page summaries of the delegate selection process are available free of charge from the State Party Office in both English and Spanish.

Democratic Precinct conventions will begin at 7:15 on Saturday, May 5th. The location of precinct conventions is at the polling place where Democrats voted earlier in the day. In order to attend the precinct convention a voter must have voted in the Democratic Primary, May 5-either in person or absentee. At the time of voting the individual's blue voter registration card is marked "voted democratic primary". This stamped voter registration card or other evidence of having voted is the "ticket" for admission to the Democratic Party precinct

The assistance of the Texas press is requested in publicizing the process through the public service announcements to increase voter participation.

No.

DEMOCRATIC PARTY PRIMARY ELECTION
 (ELECCION PRIMARIA DEL PARTIDO DEMOCRATICO)

MAY 5, 1984
 (5 DE MAYO DE 1984)

OFFICIAL BALLOT

BOLETA DE OFICIAL

INSTRUCTION NOTE:
 (NOTA DE INSTRUCCION)

Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. (Vote por el candidato de su preferencia en cada candidatura marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato.)

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary. (Yo soy Demócrata y comprometo mi apoyo a los candidatos nombrados de esta primaria.)

United States Senator
 (Senador de los Estados Unidos)

David Young
 Robert (Bob) Krueger
 Kent Hance
 Harley Schlanger
 Lloyd Doggett
 Robert S. Sullivan

United States Representative, District 17
 (Representante de los Estados Unidos, Distrito Num. 17)

Charles W. Stenholm
 Noel S. Cowling

Railroad Commissioner
 (Comisionado de Ferrocarriles)

Mack Wallace

Chief Justice, Supreme Court
 (Juez Presidente, Corte Suprema)

John L. Hill
 Sears McGee

Justice Of The Supreme Court, Place 1
 (Juez, Corte Suprema, Lugar Num. 1)

Franklin S. Spears

Justice Of The Supreme Court, Place 2
 (Juez, Corte Suprema, Lugar Num. 2)

C.L. Ray
 Shelby Sharpe
 Texas S. Ward

Judge-Court Of Criminal Appeals, Place 1
 (Juez, Corte de Apelaciones Criminales, Lugar Num. 1)

Sam Houston Clinton
 Oliver Stanley Kitzman

Judge-Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 2
 (Juez, Corte de Apelaciones Criminales, Lugar Num. 2)

Roy E. Greenwood
 W.C. (Bill) Davis
 Buddy Stevens
 George Martinez

Judge-Court Of Criminal Appeals, Place 3
 (Juez, Corte de Apelaciones Criminales, Lugar Num. 3)

Harry Heard
 Kerry P. FitzGerald
 Bill White
 George Ellis
 Thomas B. "Tom" Thorpe
 Walter Boyd
 William B. Phillips

State Senator District 30
 (Senador Estatal, Distrito Num. 30)

Ray Farabee

State Representative District 78
 (Representante Estatal, Distrito Num. 78)

Steven A. Carriker

Associate Justice Court Of Appeals, 11th Judicial District
 (Juez Asociado, Corte de Apelaciones, Distrito Num. 11)

Raleigh Brown

District Judge, 32nd Judicial District
 (Juez del Distrito, Distrito Judicial Num. 32)

Weldon Kirk

District Attorney, 32nd Judicial District
 (Procurador del Distrito, Distrito Judicial Num. 32)

Dan L. Barber
 Norman Arnett

County Attorney
 (Procurador del Condado)

Rudy V. Hamric

Sheriff
 (Sherife)

Mickey A. Counts

County Tax Assessor-Collector
 (Asesor-Collector de Impuestos del Condado)

Dwight L. Lovett
 Kathy Smith
 Margie Bigham Hale
 Teddy Kral
 Lynn Randolph

County Commissioner, Precinct 1
 (Comisionado del Condado, Precinto Num. 1)

Link M. Adair
 Troy F. Gruben
 J. Neal McGinnis
 Tommie Jack Stuart
 Dave Munden
 C.D. (Monk) Herron
 Turner Harvey

County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
 (Comisionado del Condado, Precincto, Num. 3)

Jay Hendon
 Louie Hayes
 W.J. (Turner) Coffman

County Chairman
 (Presidente del Condado)

Billy J. Smith

Tax Planning by Gerald Rodgers, CPA



COST OF YOUR RESIDENCE

It is necessary to keep track of the cost of your personal residence. This cost includes the original purchase price plus the money spent on improvements.

Even though the gain on the sale of your residence may be "deferred" because you buy a new home, a future sale of the replacement residence could be taxable. The cost of the property sold may be determined, in part, by the cost of a prior residence on which gain was deferred.

Many of the expenses on your home will be regular repairs and maintenance and cannot be added to the cost of the home. Expenditures for additions to the property such as patios, garages, sidewalks or landscaping do qualify as additional costs of the property and should be recorded. A log book used specifically for expenditures on your home is advisable. You are not entitled to include the value of your own labor, but you can include the cost of all material and labor for which you have a cash outlay.

Here is an example of the gain one may have on a sale. You purchase a home for \$50,000 and over a period of years spend \$20,000 for a garage, sidewalks, and a family room. You also put in 300 hours of your time. You sell the property for \$100,000. Your cost in the property for income tax purposes is \$70,000. Your gain on the sale is \$30,000 minus selling expenses for realtor fee, etc.

If you are buying a fixer-upper or if you are planning a major renovation of your residence, consider opening a separate checking account which is used strictly for property improvements. Since all expenditures, even those which are normally repairs and maintenance, are includable if the work is done within 90 days of the date the property is sold, keep track of all expenditures and let your accountant determine which expenditures qualify as additional house costs.

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Golden Haven Nursing Home

We have had nice weather that the residents have enjoyed getting outside. Out of town visitors this



It's A Boy!
David Garcia announces the arrival of his new brother, Mark Allen, born April 18th at the Fisher County Hospital. He weighed 7 lbs 3 oz. and measured 19 1/2 in. long. Parents are Alex and Stella Garcia.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Carrillo and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garcia of Jayton.

Great Grandmothers are Andrea Carrillo of Rotan, Cruz Molina, of Ft. Worth, and Mrs. Dominga Garcia of Jayton.

Great Great Grandmother, Concepcion Berlangas of San Antonio.

week were Linda Holland of Lubbock, Armond and Nell Hale of Lamesa and Joe and Vera Jennings of Throckmorton visited Elizabeth Hale. Blackie and Roberta Ford of Sylvester visited Myrtle Woodson. Sill and Bertha Carlile of Sweetwater visited Eva Chapman. Mrs. Don Rollings of Carlsbad, New Mexico visited Beulah Herron and Ezell Whitten. Charles and Norma Meek and boys of Sylvester visited Letha Meek. Bill and Reta Fee of Sylvester visited residents. Raymond Perkins of Lubbock visited Ezell Whitten.

Our bingo winners this week were Octaveous Harrell, Johnnie Mulanax and Ed Roberts. Our monthly winner for April is Johnnie Mulanax.

We want to thank Nettie Etheredge and James and Cynthia Putnam for their Sunday Morning Worship. You put a bit of joy in our residents hearts.

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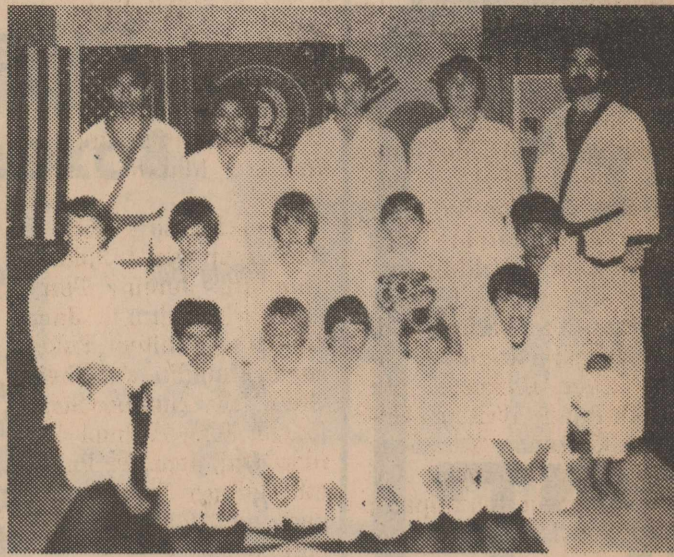
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ATTEND TOURNAMENT: The above will attend the third annual tournament of Black Belt Competition and Demonstrations at the Snyder High School Gym. The tournament will take place May 5, 1984 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Absentee Voting High For Democratic Primary

On the morning of the deadline for absentee voting in Fisher County, Fisher County Clerk and Absentee Election Judge Bettie Rivers, indicated that a total of 96 residents had cast ballots over-the-coun-

ter and an additional 93 ballots had been mailed to potential absentee voters.

Of the 93 ballots mailed to absentee voters, 38 had been returned as of last Tuesday, absentee deadline.

Legal Notice

Notice To Bidders

The City of Rotan offers to the highest bidder Lots 9 & 10, Block 276, Inside Addition to the City of Rotan. Bids will be opened at the regular council meeting Tuesday, May 15, 1984 at 7:00 p.m. Minimum bid \$1,000.00. Terms Cash. The City reserves the right to reject all or any bids.

By Order of Lester A. Sencil
Mayor
12:2tc

Notice To Bidders

The City of Rotan offers to the highest bidder 1-1978 Model Ford L.T.D. four door Sedan. Bids will be opened at the regular council meeting Tuesday, May 15, 1984 at 7:00 p.m. Minimum bid \$600.00. Terms Cash. The City reserves the right to reject all or any bids.

By Order of Lester A. Sencil
Mayor
12:2tc

Notice To Bidders

The City of Rotan offers to the highest bidder Lots 3 & 4, Block 17, Richardson Subdivision to the City of Rotan. Bids will be opened at the regular council meeting Tuesday May 15, 1984 at 7:00 p.m. Minimum bid \$400.00. Terms Cash. The City reserves the right to reject all or any bids.

By order of
Lester A. Sencil
Mayor
12:2tc

Rotan One Act Play Final Presentation May 8th

The Rotan One-Act Play Cast will present "Snow White and The Seven Dwarfs of the Black Forest" May 8, 1984, (Tues.) at 7:30 p.m. in the Rotan High Auditorium. Admission will be \$2.00 adults; \$1.00 students.

Please come see all the new changes made since the 1st production for competition.

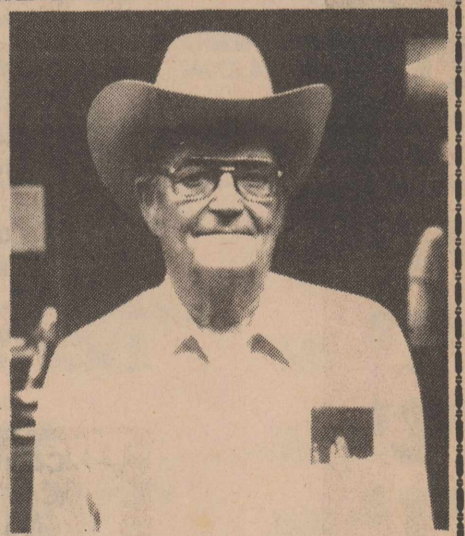
All awards presented to students at all the levels of competition will be recognized.

Play Cast: Snow White-

Teresa Cantu; Queen Bella-Meg Field; Dim Witty-David Stevens; King-Allen Conventry; Prince-Maury Gruben; Time-Desiree Gray; Bonnie-Annette Overby; Primrose & Voice of Mirror-Lyle Hale; Curly-Debbie Soliz; Hickory-Jenna Thornton; Dickory-Julie McQueen; Dock-Evette Gruben; Weepy-Kristi Holt; Echo Echo-Jackie Martinez; Little Banjo-Cindy Gaspar.

Crew: Greg Gruben and Jackie Ragan.

Directed by Floyd Garcia, Jr.



Fisher County Commissioner Precinct 1

I Appreciate The Support The Residents Of Precinct 1 Have Given Me In This Race To Date. I Have Tried To Visit All Voters, If I Have Missed Personally Asking For Your Vote, It Is Just That We Have Missed Each Other, I Need Your Support-Please Vote On Saturday, May 5th.

Pd. Pol. Adv. By C.D. "Monk" Herron, Box 90, Sylvester, Tx. 79560

Read Galatians 5:1-14

The whole law is fulfilled in one word, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."
—Galatians 5:14 (rsv)

EVERY summer our church holds a Bible Week. For the last few years, we have held it outside in a camp instead of inside the church building. At first there was much opposition, but soon the outdoor atmosphere proved beneficial in many ways.

However, since we had to eat, sleep, and study together out in the open, we had to establish many rules for the safety and welfare of all the campers. Yet several children did not keep these rules. In order to enforce the rules, we had to punish the transgressors. The more children transgressed, the more punishment followed. More punishment made all of us unhappy.

Finally, the teachers decided to scrap all the rules. This meant we had to pay extra-special attention to each child to meet his or her needs. The end results were far better, because the loving care of the teachers brought out a loving response from the children.

Love fulfills all the rules. As Paul said, giving loving care to our neighbor is far better than enforcing rules.

PRAYER: Loving God, as we receive Your love, teach us to share that love with others. In Jesus' name. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Worship This Week At A Fisher County Church

Baptist	
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 735-3471 Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Evening-Church Training 6:00 Rev. Derrell Monday-Pastor	Rotan, Texas Worship 10:55 Worship 7:00 Wed. Night 7:30 P.M.
SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH West of Roby Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Evening-Church Training 5:00 Rev. Paul Cheatham-Pastor	Rotan, Texas Worship 11:00 Worship 6:00 Wed. night 7:00
CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH 735-2178 Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening-Training Union 6:00 Rev. Mike O'Neill- Pastor	Rotan, Texas Worship 11:00 Worship 7:00 P.M. Wed. Night 7:00
LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 9:45 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. James Carrington-Pastor	Worship 11:00
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 AM Wednesday Night 7:00 PM Sunday Evening 6:00 776-2159 Roby, Texas Rev. Jim Ritter-Pastor	Worship 11:00 Worship 7:00 p.m.
CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Bible Study Wed. Night 6:30 Bubba Stahl-Pastor 735-3464	Worship Service 11:00 Worship Prayer Meeting
EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 5:30 Wed. Night 7:30 735-2478 Art Flores-Pastor	Worship 11:00
SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 P.M. 993-4479 Bill Fee Pastor	Worship 11:00
HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 776-2593 L.D. (Dutch) Parks Pastor	Worship 11:00
McCAULEY BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Rick McMinn-Pastor	Worship 11:00

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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-ROTAN
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
Sunday Evening 5:00 UMYF
Wed. Night 7:00
776-2308
Wayland Dowden-Interium Pastor

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-McCAULEY
Sunday School 10:00
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
Sunday Evening 6:00
Wed. Morn. Ladies Bible Class 9:30
Wed. Evening 7:30
Mike Dennis-Minister
735-2344

CHURCH OF CHRIST-ROBY
Sunday School 10:00
Sunday Evening 6:00 P.M.
Wed. Night 7:00 P.M. Nov.-April
8:00 May-Oct
Wardell Halliburton-Minister
776-2496

Nazarene
CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Sunday School 9:45
Worship Service 11:00
Wed. Night Worship 7:30
Pastor-Joe Norton

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

Nondenominational
MARANATHA CHURCH
Sunday 9:45
Sunday Evening 5:00
Worship 6:00
Wed. Night 7:30
Bill Dickson Pastor

Catholic
ST. JOSEPHS CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Father Austin Kittredge

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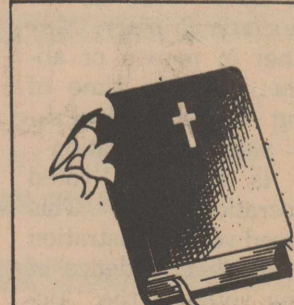


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Roby Elementary & Junior High Win District UIL Meet

Roby has won their District U.I.L. Contest again. For the last 9 consecutive years Roby has won both Elementary and Jr. High Division.

This year's points for the contest were: Elementary Roby-135 points. Divide-50 points. Blackwell-45 points; Lueders-Avoca-10 points; Hobbs-5 points;

McCaulley-0 points. Jr. High Division: Roby-95 points; Blackwell-55 points; Trent-15 points; Divide-0 points; McCaulley-0 points.

The students that participated are: in the Elementary Division-Story Telling-(2nd & 3rd) Anita Floyd-1st place; Curt Crisp-2nd place, Buster

Frierson-4th place, Zachery Clark-alternate. Picture Memory (4th & 5th grades), Group won 2nd place. They are: Jeremy Terry, Audra Lewis, Jen-

Bobby West Training In Ft. Sill, Oklahoma

Army Reserve Pfc. Bobby H. West, son of George L. and Francis J. West of 600 Forrest St., Rotan, Texas, has completed basic training at Fort Sill, Okla.

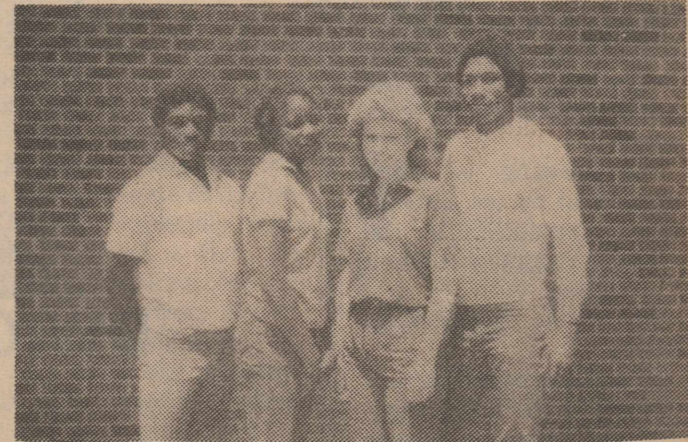
During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies,

weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

He received an associate degree in 1976 from Western Texas Junior College, Snyder.



NEW CHEERLEADERS: Rotan Junior High Cheerleaders for the 1984-85 season are left to right Julie Pease, Cathy Jones, Lorie Martinez, Jerilynn Boone, and Lucy Stinson.



1983-84 FAVORITES: Representing Rotan High School Junior class as favorites are Charles Williams and Cathy Conner. The senior class favorites are Robin Harris and Rodney Pearson.

nifer Kincaid, and Jennifer Elkins. 5th & 6th Spelling: Tina McClure-1st, Jennifer Pullig, 2nd, Gilbert Carreon-3rd and Julie Doty, alternate. 3rd & 4th Ready Writing-Jennifer Elkins-1st, Jennifer Kincaid-5th, Lorissa Edmondson-participated, Alisa Royer, alternate. 5th & 6th Ready Writing-Gilbert Carreon-4th, Jose Chavaria, participant, Angie Brezenski, participant; Oral Reading (4th, 5th &

6th) Martha Goodrum-1st, Amy Valdez-2nd, Bryan Mauldin, participated and Suzanne Maxwell, alternate.

Music Memory (5th & 6th) Group won 1st place. They are: Jeremy Terry, Martha Goodrum, Janie Zapata, Jennifer Pullig, Bryan Mauldin, and Sheila Green, alt. Number Sense (5th & 6th) Michael Carreon, 3rd, Jennifer Pullig-4th; Jeremy Terry-participant and Jose Chavaria, participant.

Jr. High Division: 7th & 8th Spelling- Jill Branson-2nd, Melanie Ray, 3rd, Paulina Rodriguez-5th and Kathy Mize, alternate.

Ready Writing (7th & 8th) Melanie Ray-2nd, Donna Terry-5th; Sally Cabello-participant and Shawn Morrow-alternate.

Oral Reading (7th & 8th) Karie Martin-1st; Cherie

Spencer-1st; Matt Floyd-2nd; Greg Meek-3rd; Jill Branson-alternate.

Number Sense (7th & 8th) Jill Branson, participant; James Gantt, participant; Kenlee Dennis-participant and John Everett-alternate.

THANK YOU
---in advance for the votes you may have already cast absentee and will cast at the voting polls Saturday, May 5th.

As a citizen, your freedom of choice by voting makes our polling places the heart of democracy. Let's exercise our rights and make plans to have our vote count.

I am very sincere in wanting to serve as your Tax Assessor Collector. Thank you for your influence and encouragement of Margie Bigham Hale

Subject To Democratic Party
Pd. Pol. Ad B. Margie B. Hale, Box 11, Rotan, TX 79546

A MESSAGE TO THE PEOPLE OF FISHER COUNTY

We are nearing the end of this years primary campaign. It has been a pleasurable new experience for me. To all the new friends I have met and for all past friendships renewed during my campaign I say Thank You for the encouragement in my bid for Fisher County Tax Assessor-Collector. During the past months I made a concerted effort to reach all of the people in Fisher County. If I missed seeing anyone I assure you it was unintentional and I express my regret if I did miss you.

Through my advertising campaign and in personal contact with individuals, I have sought to project the potential of joint operation of the Tax office and Appraisal office. It is my sincere desire to see these offices work together in providing Fisher County with the highest quality work possible. The goals I wish to see realized are: savings of taxpayer dollars through efficient operation. A full service office and responsiveness to peoples tax problems, and to achieve self reliance in all appraisals and collections. If I am elected I will pursue joint operation and will enlist the aid of the taxing entities and governing bodies of Fisher County to fulfill this goal. I ask you to give me the opportunity to turn the potential of joint operation into reality. I will appreciate your consideration Saturday, May 5th.

Teddy Kral

Pd. Pol. Ad By Teddy Kral, Roby, Tx. 79543

Smith Monuments -Curbing

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4-Hers Sweep Awards At District Meeting

Almost 300 boys and girls from 21 counties gathered in district competition at Wichita Falls, Saturday, April 28th. Fisher County 4-H'ers competed and came back victorious.

The results were as follows:

Seniors: 1st place winners; Share The Fun: Evette Gruben, Sharron Haggard, Deana Williamson, Shelly Hayes, Lyle Hale, Richard Kamer, Michelle Burk, Mary Lee Hicks, and Debbie Everette.

2nd place: Charla Wiley, Health.

Both Senior Teams will be traveling to State in June 5-7 at Texas A&M.

Juniors: 1st place: Kenlee Dennis, Stephen Henington, Sheep/goat; Teresa McClure, Karie Mar-

tin, Family Life Ed. Activities; James Cathey, Companion animals; Michelle Beauchamp, Shana Fea-

gan, Poultry; Matt Floyd, Reggy Spencer, Energy & Electricity & other fuel; Maxine Perales, Patricia

Gonzalez, Community Improvement; Jennifer Pulig, Tina McClure, Horticulture Preparation & Use;

Jan Posey, Millie Gaspar, Landscape Horticulture; Brandon Sheehan, Lynchelle Munday, Entomology; Jessica Moore, Kar-

en Barrera, Audra Lewis, Stephanie Frierson, Buster Frierson, Jenhifer Kincaid, Jenny Jones and Margaret Gonzalez, Share The Fun.

2nd place winners: Jerry Wayne Stuart, David Shipp, Horse; Jerry Carreon, Shawn Morrow, Consumer Life Skills Ed. Activity; Donna Terry, Kim Justiss, Promote 4-H; Eric Smith, Kevin Smith, Agronomy; Kathi Mize, Melanie Ray, Food and Nutrition.

4th place winners: Cecilia Hernandez, Denise Weise-Pork.

Individual: John Everett, Entomology I.D. Contest.

The Extension Staff would like to congratulate these 4-H'ers for doing an outstanding job. We are proud of you. We would also like to thank all the parents and adult leaders that helped, THANK YOU!!!

Grass Judging Teams Place High

The Fisher County Range and Grass I.D. Teams took top honors at District and Tri-district competition.

In the Tri-district competition for senior range evaluation team, Fisher County placed Second and First in District competition. Team members were Greg Gruben, Rocky Roberts and Joe Mike Sparks. Greg Gruben was 3rd high individual in Tri-district and First high at district with Joe Mike Sparks being 3rd High Individual District.

The Junior range team also placed second at Tri-district and First in District. Team members were Gray Fowler, Blake Morrow, and Glen Overby. In Tri-district individual standings, Gray was 2nd High with Blake being 3rd High with both placing 1st High and 2nd High, respectively at District.

In the Senior Grass I.D. team members were John Pease, Jared Cook and Rafe Hargrove. In District competition the team plac-

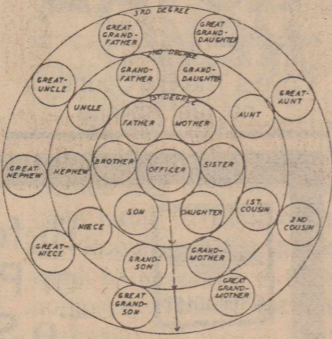
ed First with John Pease being 1st High Individual and Rafe Hargrove 2nd

High, John was also 3rd High Individual in the Tri-district competition.

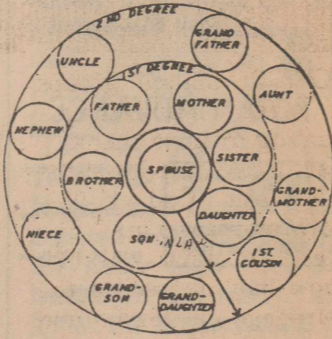
Kinship Charts

Fisher County Democratic chairman Bill Smith has asked election judges and clerks, scheduled to work in Fisher County precinct elections on Saturday May 5th to take some time to study the below charts to assure that the "kinship" laws governing judges and clerks does not become an issue and possibly jeopardize a candidate, box or election on Saturday, May 5th.

In the below kinship charts, affinity is association by marriage while consanguinity is association by blood. All election judges and clerks, in order to test their kinship with candidates, should place the candidate's name in the center of each chart and assure themselves that the kinship does not fall into one of the outer circles of the chart.



CONSANGUINITY KINSHIP CHART



AFFINITY KINSHIP CHART



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Drug Abuse Meeting Set For Roby

A meeting on Drug Abuse will be held Tuesday, May 8 at 8:00 p.m. at the Courthouse Annex in Roby, according to County Extension Agents Richard A. Spencer and Alice Ballenger.

Steven Warren a Detective with the Snyder Police Department will be the guest speaker for the program.

The meeting is being sponsored by the Executive Committee of the County Program Building Committee.

The public is invited to attend.

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Two Historical Markers To Be Dedicated In Fisher County Beginning May 27th

Two official Historical Markers will be dedicated in Fisher County during May.

The Rotan townsite Marker was originally scheduled

for dedication Dec. 19th. The first snowstorm of winter struck that day and very few suitable weather Sundays have occurred. The scheduled date for this dedication is now May

27th. Speaker for the brief ceremony will be Robert J. Mallouf, State Archeologist of Texas Historical Commission, Austin. Program for this occasion will be published prior to the date.

Next Marker Dedication will be "The Old Rock House" marker at the present home of Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Stuart, just south of Sylvester, May 20th. This Marker is supplied by the Turner family and Stuart. This is the former Andy Long Ranch. Speaker for this dedication will be Lavelle Layfield, president of Texas Bank and Trust in Sweetwater. Program for this affair will likewise be

published before May 20th.

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BAR-B-QUE CHICKEN SALE: Calvary Baptist Church Youth. Saturday, May 5, at the church. \$5.00 a chicken. Orders taken Thursday and Friday, call 735-3464. 12:1tc

FOR SALE: Roper gas range and ref. for sale. Approximately 5 years old, 735-3311 after 5 p.m. 12:1tc

FOR RENT: Garage Apt. -Call 735-3088. 12:2tc

NEED a baby sitter for the summer? Contact Vickie Etheredge after 3 p.m. 906 E. Lee, 735-2113. 12:2tp

FOR SALE: 72 Ford Galaxy. See at 6th & Roby. Call 735-3129. 12:2tc

TWO FAMILY BACK YARD SALE: Clothes, adult and children, port-a-crib, dishes and much more. Saturday, May 5, 711 E. McArthur. 12:1tp

FLEA MARKET: Fri. & Sat., May 4th & 5th. 222 W. Snyder Ave. Come and set up if you have anything to sell. 12:1tp

TO GIVE AWAY: 2 dogs-1 male cow dog, 1 female german shepard and spayed, 735-2870. 12:2tc

WANTED: The Emmanuel Baptist Youth are accepting any type of yardwork, household cleaning or any other types of jobs needed around house. No charge, but donations are accepted and appreciated. If needed, call 735-2546 or 735-2423. 12:2tp

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom, 1 bath, 603 Burnside, \$175.00, \$100.00 deposit. 735-2337. 12:2tc

GARAGE SALE: May 4th & 5th; Lots of goodies. 1 mile east of town, Hamlin highway. Beginning at 7:30 a.m. Doris Gilliland. 12:1tp

HAY HAULING: Lawn mowing, yard work-tree trimming or cut down-light hauling, roto tilling-shrubs cut, 735-2316. 12:2tc

FOR RENT: Farm home, 3 bedrooms and bath; running water, 8 mi. SW Rotan, phone 735-3135. 12:1tp

5 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: Fri, May 4th, 502 E. Stonewall. No Sales Before 9 a.m. 12:1tc

FOR RENT: Apt. for rent to single or couple, furnished and bills paid. 208 Johnston, call 735-3316. 12:1tp

FOR RENT: 1-3 bedroom apt. in Roby. Terry Scherwitz, 776-2445 or 776-2679. 12:2tc

RESPONSIBLE PERSON: Wanted to own and operate candy vending route. Pleasant business with high profit items. Can start part time. Age or experience not important. Requires car and \$3788 to \$12452 cash investment. Call 1-800-328-0723. Eagle Industries- 25 years of service. 12:1tp

Fisher County Political Calendar

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
TOMMIE JACK STUART

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

WANTED: TV antenna and tower work done. David Senn, 806-237-6222. 9:4tp

NOTICE: New shipment of roses, shade trees, fruit trees, wide selection of shrubs, blackberries and grapes. Martin's Feed & Garden. 7:1tc

Spring flower & garden seed and bedding plants. Martin's Feed and Garden. 7:1tc

FOR SALE: Lots 5 & 6 in block 221 (inside addition) to the town of Rotan. These lots are at the corner of Johnston and Genevieve. Asking \$3,200.00 and terms are available. For more information contact Walter Russell in Mendard, Texas at (915) 396-2532. 9:1tc

Fresh country eggs, \$1.25 doz, also pork chops and sausage. Martin's Feed & Garden. 7:1tc

CUSTOM HARVESTING: Combining-Swathing-Baling-Hauling. Experienced 776-2827, Roby, Texas or 776-2859. 5:1tc

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FOR SALE: Good, clean, used, gas range. Call 735-3272. 9:1tc

FOR SALE: Bedroom suite, queen size bed, triple dresser, chest & nite stand. 776-2831. 11:2tc

MOVING MUST SELL: 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, 2 story home, 4 lots, \$49,500. Make offer. 735-2337. 11:1tc

FOR SALE: Several nice washers and dryers. 60 day warranty. McCaulley 962-5446. 35:1tc

CATFISH FINGERLINGS: now booking orders for spring delivery. Douglas Fish Farm, Sylvester, 915-993-4487. 52:1tc

LAMAR TELEVISION & ELECTRONIC SERVICE: We service all makes. Free pickup in Rotan and Roby. 1103 1/2 Lamar, Sweetwater. 235-2224. 45:1tc

NEW HOME SEWING MACHINES: Electrolux cleaners, repair all makes. H.B Stevens, 1101 James St., Sweetwater, 235-2889. 27:1tc

MOBIL HOME: Take up payments on 1979 trailer, 14X70. 735-2532. 11:2tp

WANTED: Mechanic work, lawn & garden work, mowing, edging & tilling. Ask for Elwood. Will do baking, cakes, pies & cookies, ask for Sherry. 735-2532. 11:2tp

NOTICE: Church groups or other organizations wanting to raise money. Have a car wash day at the E-Z Wash. Call 817-989-2747 after 5 p.m. The Messicks want you to know they appreciate the patronage of Rotan and the surrounding areas. 11:2tc

FOR SALE: Buy bulk and save. Bulk Treflan \$22 per gal. equiv. Bulk Prowl \$20 per gal. McClure's, Inc., 776-2448. Roby, Texas. 10:6tc

SADDLES, SADDLES, SADDLES, 30 saddles, Smith Brothers ropes, Trammel bits, and all tack, now sale priced. New adult saddles from \$165.00 to \$895.00. Also have used saddles. Heads or Tails Western Wear, Haskell, Tx., 817-864-3320. 11:2tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE: 1971 MGB convertible, good condition, runs good. \$2,500 or trade for pickup of equal value. Call 776-2583. 11:4tp

HELP NEEDED: To beautify our cemetery. Donations for landscape project mail to Dorothy Guelker, Roby, Texas or contact Luella Waddell, Marsha Smith, Lenora Waldon or Becca Frierson. 11:2tc

FOR SALE: Approx. 100 acres of cultivated land, some minerals, located 9 miles west of Rotan on F.R. 611, on water line and paved road. If interested contact L.D. McGrew, 915-673-2341. 4:1tc

APARTMENTS FOR RENT: Now accepting applications for 2 and 3 bedroom apartments. We are an Equal Housing Opportunity Agency. Rotan Housing Authority. 915-735-2471. 10:1tc

NOTICE: Will haul cattle to the sale for you. Shorty Acker, 735-2520. 10:1tc

WANTED: Old antique oak furniture-tables, chairs, rocking chairs, dressers, chests, ice boxes, etc. Also old framed pictures. Call Betty Helms, 915-735-2945. 10:1tc

CUSTOM BACKHOEING & DIRT HAULING. Call 776-2827 or 776-2859. 5:1tc

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom home with large front and back yard. 50X50 lot. Established for Day Care Center. Call 776-2158 or 776-2306. Buster Palmer. 34:1tc

FOR SALE: By owner, small 1 bedroom home, \$13,500.00, 611 E. McArthur, 735-2432. 11:4tc

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FOR MARY KAY COSMETICS call Nita Goolsby, 776-2831. 11:8tc

FOR SALE: Dining room suite, hutch, table, and 6 chairs, 776-2831. 11:3tc

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CARS \$200, TRUCKS \$100: Now available in your area. Call 1 (619) 569-0241 24 hrs. 12:3tp

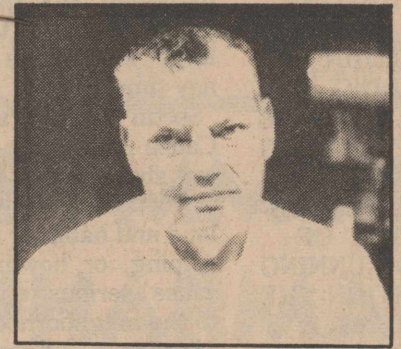
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REGULATING THE KEEPING, POSSESSING AND HARBORING OF DOGS WITHIN THE CITY; PROHIBITING DOGS FROM RUNNING AT LARGE WITHIN THE CITY; PROVIDING FOR AN ANNUAL LICENSE TO BE PAID; PROVIDING FOR IMPOUNDMENT, DESTRUCTION OR OTHER DISPOSITION OF DOGS FOUND RUNNING AT LARGE WITHIN THE CITY; PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF ANY PROVISION OR PART OF SAID ORDINANCE; AND REPEALING PRESENT ORDINANCE CONCERNING DOGS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROTAN, TEXAS:

ARTICLE I

Section 1. Definitions-For the purposes of this ordinance, the following words and phrases shall have the meanings respectively ascribed to them:

(a) At Large: At large, shall, for the purposes of this ordinance, mean any dog when it is off of the property of its owner, and not under the immediate control of a competent person.

(b) Dogs: The male, the female, and the de-sexed dog.

(c) Owner: Any person owning, keeping, harboring, or having control or custody of a dog.

Section 2. Unlawful Possession-It shall be unlawful for any person to own, keep, possess or harbor any dog in the City, except as provided in this ordinance and any failure, neglect or refusal to comply with the provisions of this ordinance or any act or omission contrary to the terms hereof shall be deemed a misdemeanor and shall be punishable by



Mark and Patti Henderson are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Haley Kay, born April 4, at 3:31 p.m. She weighed 7lbs. 15oz. and was 21 1/2 inches long.

She has a sister, Morgan (2 years old)

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Doug Weathersbee and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Henderson of Rotan.

Great Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Dry, Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pritchard of Hamlin and Mrs. Lillian Wood of Hamlin.

11:2c

a fine not to exceed \$100.00.

Section 3. Running At Large Prohibited-No person owning, possessing, or harboring any dog shall permit such dog to run at large within this City at any time.

Section 4. Dogs Which Cause Annoyance-No person shall harbor, possess, or keep any dog which by loud and habitual barking, yelping, or howling shall cause serious annoyance to the neighborhood.

Section 5. Exemptions-Hospitals, clinics and other premises operated by licensed veterinarians for the care and treatment of animals are exempt from the provisions of the ordinance, except where expressly stated. The licensing and vaccination requirements of this ordinance shall not apply to any dog belonging to a non-resident of the City and kept within the City for no longer than 30 days; provided, all such dogs shall, at all times, while in the City, be kept within a building, enclosure or vehicle or be under restraint by the owner.

Section 6. Dangerous, Vicious Dogs At Large Prohibited-No dog of dangerous, vicious or fierce propensities or tendencies shall be at large at any time within the City, and it shall be unlawful for the owner or other person having any such dog in his possession or control, or in any manner keeping or harboring any such dog within the City to cause or permit any such dog to be at large within the City. If any dog bites or attempts to bite any person while such dog is at large, then such dog shall be conclusively presumed to be a dangerous, vicious, or fierce dog and a dog of dangerous, vicious or fierce propensities and tendencies.

Section 7. Destruction Of Dangerous, Vicious Dogs-Any dangerous, vicious or fierce dog or any dog having dangerous, vicious or fierce propensities and tendencies found at large after the owner thereof has previous knowledge or notice that such a dog is dangerous, vicious, or fierce, or has dangerous, vicious or fierce propensities and tendencies may be killed by any police officer

Legal Notice

The Board of Trustees of the Rotan Independent School District will receive bids on the construction of a concession stand building at its Regular Meeting May 14, 1984. Specifications may be obtained at and bids submitted to the office of the Superintendent, 102 N. McKinley St. Rotan, Texas. Rights are reserved to reject any or all bids.

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of the City without such officer having to catch or impound such dog.

Section 8. Vaccination-No person shall own, possess, keep or harbor a dog within the City which has not been vaccinated for rabies.

ARTICLE II

Section 9. License Required-Every person owning, possessing, keeping or harboring a dog within the City shall obtain a license therefor.

Section 10. Application-Any person desiring a license required by this ordinance shall make application therefor to the City Secretary, describing the dog to be licensed and the name and address of the applicant and owner.

Section 11. Vaccination Certificates-No license shall be issued under the provisions of this ordinance unless a current certificate of vaccination for rabies, signed by a licensed veterinarian, certifying that the dog to be licensed has been immunized, has been presented to the City Secretary.

Section 12. Fee-The applicant for a license required by this ordinance shall pay to the City Secretary the sum of \$3.00 as a license fee for each dog.

Section 13. Duration-Every license issued under the provisions of this ordinance shall expire on the 31st day of December following its date of issuance; provided, however, that renewal of such license shall be allowed up to the first day of April following such expiration.

Section 14. Tag-Upon the issuance of a dog license, the City Secretary shall give to the licensee a tag which shall bear the number of the license and calendar year in which it is issued. Such license tag shall, at all times, be attached to the collar to be worn by the dog licensed. It shall be unlawful for anyone, other than the owner, to remove such license tag from the dog for which issued or for anyone to attach such license tag to a dog for which such tag is not issued.

Legal Notice

The Board of Trustees of the Rotan Independent School District will receive bids on replacement of Tile floor in the Rotan Primary School at its regular meeting May 14, 1984. Specifications may be obtained at and bids submitted to the office of the Superintendent, 102 N. McKinley St. Rotan Texas. Rights are reserved to reject any or all bids.

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Section 15. Replacement Tag- In the event the license tag is lost, a replacement tag may be obtained from the City Secretary upon presentation of a valid license and the payment of the sum of \$1.00.

ARTICLE III

Section 16. Authority- It shall be the duty of the Chief of Police or any authorized representative of the City to seize and impound, destroy or otherwise dispose of any dog found running at large within the City, and to seize and impound all dogs found in violation of the other provisions hereof within the City, whether such dog shall be in the immediate presence of its owner or custodian or otherwise.

Section 17. Right Of Entry- The Chief of Police or any authorized representative of the City is hereby authorized to enter upon any unfenced lot, tract or parcel of land for the purpose of seizing and impounding any dog found thereon in violation of this ordinance.

Section 18. Registry- All dogs that may be found within this City contrary to the provisions of this ordinance may be impounded in the Veterinarian Clinic and, upon receiving any dog, the person in charge shall make a complete registry, entering the breed, color and sex of such dog, and the time of taking into custody, and if licensed, he shall enter the name and address of the owner and the number of the license tag.

Section 19. Disposition Of Unredeemd Dogs-Any dog not redeemed within 72 hours after impounding shall be disposed of by sale or by destruction.

Section 20. Redemption Of Impounded Dogs- The owner of any dog impounded may redeem such dog at any time prior to its sale or destruction by the payment of a \$5.00 impounding fee and \$5.00 per day for each day or portion of a day such dog shall have been impounded. Any owner of any unlicensed dog impounded in addition to the above fees shall have said dog vaccinated and licensed immediately upon redemption.

Section 21. Redemption By Person Other Than Owner-If the owner of any dog impounded under this ordinance shall fail to redeem his dog within the time allowed for redemption, any other person may, upon complying with all provisions of this ordinance, redeem such dog from the pound and be the lawful owner of such dog thereafter.

Section 22. Redemption After Sale- The owner of any impounded dog may, within 30 days after such dog is sold, redeem the same from such purchaser by paying the purchaser the amount of the purchase price paid by him, and in addition thereto, all fees and vaccination charges, if any were incurred, and in addition thereto, the sum of \$1.00 per day from the date of sale to the date of redemption. Upon the expiration of 30 days from the date the dog is sold, the right of the owner to redeem such dog shall expire.

ARTICLE IV

Section 23. Repeal Of Existing Ordinance- The ordinance of the City of Rotan regarding licensing, quarantining, prohibiting dogs from running at large and other provisions heretofore passed by the City Council on August 26, 1966, is hereby specifically repealed.

Section 24. If for any reason, any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word, or provision of this ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by final judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect any other section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word, or provision of this ordinance, for it is the definite intent of this City Council that every section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word, or provision hereof be given full force and effect for its purpose.

Section 25. This ordinance shall be effective February 1, 1977, and shall be PUBLISHED in the ROTAN ADVANCE-ROBY STAR RECORD, the official newspaper of the City of Rotan, on January 20, 1977 and on January 27, 1977.

Passed the 11th day of January, 1977.

James Springer

Attest:
Kenneth Vann
City Secretary

PUBLISHED Jan. 20th and Jan. 27th, 1977.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AN ORDINANCE ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE KEEPING, POSSESSING AND HARBORING OF DOGS WITHIN THE CITY; PROHIBITING DOGS FROM RUNNING AT LARGE WITHIN THE CITY; PROVIDING FOR AN ANNUAL LICENSE TO BE PAID; PROVIDING FOR IMPOUNDMENT, DESTRUCTION

OR OTHER DISPOSITION OF DOGS FOUND RUNNING AT LARGE WITHIN THE CITY; PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF ANY PROVISION OR PART OF SAID ORDINANCE; AND REPEALING PRESENT ORDINANCE CONCERNING DOGS. "WHICH ORDINANCE WAS PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROTAN, TEXAS, ON JANUARY 11, 1977, AND RECORDED IN THE ORDINANCE BOOK OF SAID CITY, BY AMENDING SECTION 20 THEREOF PERTAINING TO THE REDEMPTION OF IMPOUNDED DOGS BY THE PAYMENT OF AN IMPOUNDING FEE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROTAN, TEXAS:

Section 1. The certain ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Regulating The Keeping, Possessing And Harboring Of Dogs Within The City; Prohibiting Dogs From Running At Large Within The City; Providing For An Annual License To Be Paid; Providing For Impoundment, Destruction Or Other Disposition Of Dogs Found Running At Large Within The City; Providing A Penalty For Violation Of Any Provision Or Part Of Said Ordinance; and Repealing Present Ordinance Concerning Dogs," which ordinance was passed by the City Council of the City of Rotan, Texas, on January

11, 1977, and recorded in the Ordinance Book of said City, is hereby amended in Section 20 thereof, so that said Section shall hereafter read as follows:

"Section 20. Redemption of Impounded Dogs-The owner of any dog impounded may redeem such dog at any time prior to its sale or destruction by the payment of an \$8.00 impounding fee and \$8.00 per day for each day or portion of a day such dog shall have been impounded. Any owner of any unlicensed dog impounded in addition

to the above fees shall have said dog vaccinated and licensed upon redemption."

Section 2. This ordinance shall be effective October 1, 1977, and shall be published in the ROTAN ADVANCE-ROBY STAR RECORD, the official newspaper of the City of Rotan, on September 22, 1977, and on September 29, 1977.

Passed the 13 day of September, 1977.

Lester A Sescil
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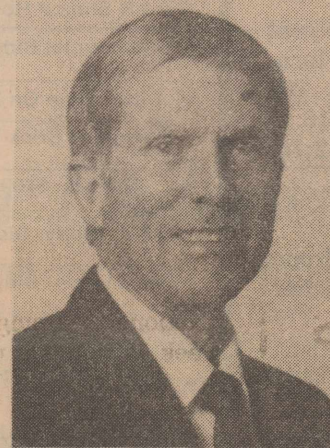
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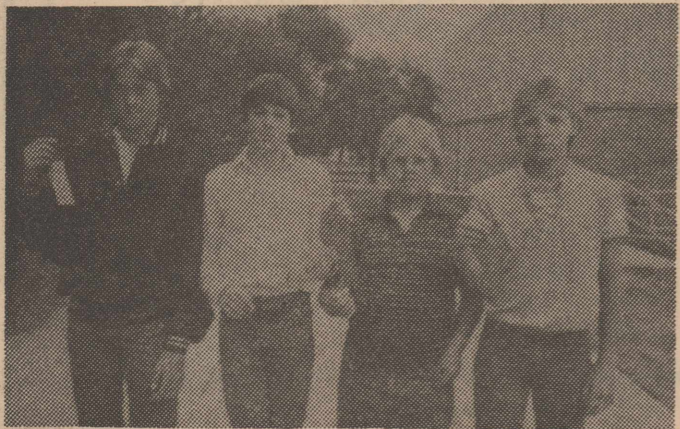
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SECOND PLACE: Winning second place in High Land Judging from Roby were left to right Ricky Spencer, Freddy Perales, and John Etheredge.



STATE TEAM: Roby FFA students that went to state in Ag Mechanics were left to right Chad Terry, Todd Coker, John Etheredge and Rubba Doty.



DISTRICT WINNERS: Roby placed two tennis teams in district. First place winners were Heath Dickson and Jason Terry. Second Place winners were Reggy Spencer and Shawn Donham.

County Historical Book Captures Top Prize In State Contest

Members of Fisher County Historical Commission were informed that their book, "The First 107 Years of Fisher County History" had been judged first place in the County History, Narrative Accounts category in Texas Historical Commission's 1983 Publications contest.

Several members of the local organization plan to attend the 1984 Historic Preservation Conference to receive the award in Lubbock Saturday, May 5. The publication contest drew 49 book entries from over the state in five categories. This is a

noteworthy honor for the efforts of every member of the county organization—everyone had an important part in the publication. Following is official notice of the judging:

Hooper Shelton, Chairman
Fisher County Historical

Commission
Drawer U
Rotan, Tx., 79546

Dear Mr. Shelton:

On behalf of the Texas Historical Commission, I am pleased to inform you that your entry in our 1983 Publications Contest has been selected as the winner in the County History, Narrative Accounts, category. The First 107 Years of Fisher County History was selected from a number of quality entries. It makes an outstanding contribution to the study of Texas history, and we are proud

to honor such a deserving publication. An official awards presentation will be made at the THC's Historic Preservation Conference in Lubbock on Saturday, May 5.

Again, congratulations on your outstanding publication.

Sincerely,
Debbie Cottrell
Director of Publications

Three Rotan Track Team Members In Regional Meet

Three Rotan High School Track team members will be participating in the regional track meet in Lubbock this weekend with preliminaries on Fri-

day and finals on Saturday, according to Rotan Head Track Coach Ted Posey.

Randy Martinez will be participating in the preliminaries of the pole vault on Friday, beginning at 11:00 a.m. and Ben Bryan will be involved in the high jump preliminaries at the same time. Charles Williams runs his two laps in the 800 meter run at 1:50 p.m. in hopes of a spot in the finals on Saturday.

Each of the regional qua-

lifiers participated in the Aspermont Regional Qualifiers meet last Saturday. Williams took first in the 800 run with a time of 2:03 while Ben Bryan was 3rd in the high jump with a leap of 6 feet even.

Randy Martinez had to contend with a high wind factor on Saturday and failed to place in the pole vault competition.

The finals on Saturday, May 5th are scheduled to begin at 1:40 p.m. according to Posey.

Fisher County Nursing Home

It has been a very nice week with the exception of a sandstorm Sunday. I have been taking the residents outside.

Out of town visitors this week were Fredrick White of Hamlin, Dosia McCain of Sylvester, and Addie Maberry of McCaulley all visited Neda Kiser. Doris and Ryan Branch of Aspermont visited Lucille Wright. Visiting Nell McGuire was Carmen Herring and Lucille Connally both of Hamlin and Erma Smith of Decatur. Odell and Mary Hayes of Hamlin visited Bettie Perdue. Visiting Narcie Clegg was Leo and Betty Clegg of Denton and Chuck and Jacquiita Detamore of Sanger.

We would like to welcome Mrs. Francis Hill of Aspermont to our home.

Bingo winner was Thadde Wilson. National Nursing Home week is coming up May 14-18. We would like everyone to come by and visit, or something special. Beverly McKinney



Jennifer Wright, daughter of Jimmy and June Wright of Roby was elected the Double Mountain District FFA Sweetheart on April 24. She will now participate in the Area Sweetheart Contest on May 11-12 in San Angelo.

Rotan Lunch Menu

- Monday
 - Fried Fish W/Tarter Sauce
 - Au Gratin Potatoes
 - Black-eyed Peas
 - Cole Slaw
 - Peanut Butter Cake
 - Hot Rolls Butter
 - Honey Milk
- Tuesday
 - Enchiladas W/Meat & Cheese
 - Chili Beans
 - Lettuce & Tomato Salad
 - Onion Slices
 - Jello
 - Milk
- Wednesday
 - Turkey-Roast Gravy
 - Whipped Potatoes
 - Seasoned Green Beans
 - Chocolate Cake
 - Hot Rolls Butter
 - Honey Milk
- Thursday
 - Sloppy Joes
 - French Fries W/Catsup
 - Buttered Corn
 - Cheese Wedge
 - Sugar Cookies
 - Milk
- Friday
 - Hamburger W/Cheese
 - Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles
 - Onions
 - Baked Beans
 - Potato Chips
 - Banana Pudding
 - Milk

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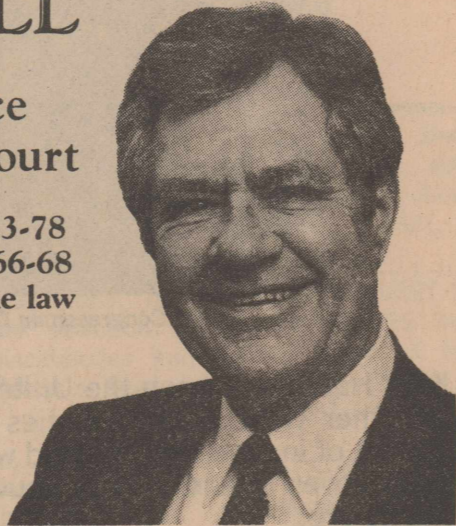
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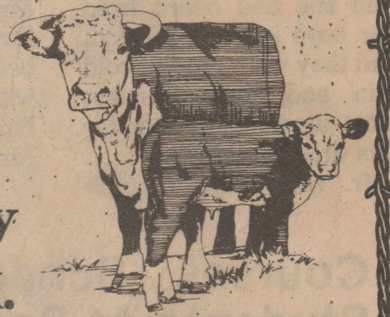
Notice

Ruffles and Spurs Square Dance Club of Roby will have their monthly dance Saturday night May 5th starting at 8:00 p.m. on the Courthouse Square. All dancers are invited. All visitors are welcome. Tracy Dowell will be calling.

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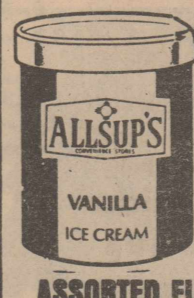
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By Joy Walker

We have really been having some bad sandstorms, haven't we? and Sunday was the worst of all, with winds as high as 60 miles per hour in some places, and the visibility was almost nil out this way. Now on Monday it's a lovely day but so cool for this time of the year, and in Wichita Falls it was a record for cold weather at this time of the year. We are badly in need of some rain, and seems like every time it could build a cloud, we get these high winds, and the rain all goes east of us. I it has been raining again around Fort Worth and they are in good shape, and their wheat is really growing.

Brad Maule is going to be on General Hospital several times the first weeks in May. He will be on the 4th, 10th, 11th, 15th and 17th at the beginning of the month, and that is as far as I can go for now with any dates. Be watching for him; it's on Channel 12 at 2 p.m. each day. Randall Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter of Brownwood visited with his grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Cave Friday through Sunday. Alice said she had heard from her boys in New Mexico, and they were getting cold rain and snow flurries; most unusual weather for this time of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph

Martinez went to Level-land on Sunday and attended "Search" at St. Michaels Church there. Jeffrey Martinez had spent three days there in a learning of Christianity and the Martinezes went for the closing services. Rudy Martinez from Rotan and Cecilia Martinez accompanied them. Nancy Martinez from Lubbock was also there.

Mrs. Bea Hardin attended the Rolling Plains-3 Texas Association of Extension Home Economics meet which was held in the Rotan Community Center in Rotan on Thursday. They really had a big crowd present. Some of the fruit on bea's trees blew off during that high wind, so I am afraid we are going to be short again this year with the fruit.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilburn and girls went to Fort Worth Saturday and Sunday; they attended the Super Stakes Cutting Horse show there. We are sorry to hear that Lealon Wilburn is back in the hospital at Lubbock; he has been there since last Monday, and is still there. Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and Mrs. James Sherrill from Sweetwater have both been in Lubbock staying with Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn during the week. Mrs. David Yearwood

(Debra) from Houston visited with her grandfather last week while he was in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Etheredge, Mike Wilburn and Tracy Gill went to Lubbock on Sunday and visited with the Lealon Wilburns.

Congratulations to the Fisher County Share the Fun Senior Group who won 1st place at Wichita Falls Saturday, and who now will advance to State in June. Good luck to them. Also congratulations to the Junior Share the Fun group who also won 1st place at Wichita Falls. Fisher County was well represented at Wichita Falls on Saturday and several of the girls and boys won 1st place.

Jim and I went to Snyder Tuesday evening and we also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Blake Walker at Ennis Creek that day. We went to the Community Center on Thursday to watch the "Share the Fun" Senior group; they were part of the program at the Extension Homemakers District meeting. Our granddaughter, Evette Gruben, is one of the members of the "Share the Fun" group. We visited in Ennis Creek again on Friday, and Saturday, which was the best day of the whole week, weatherwise, we spent in Abilene. The nurseries were so crowded with everyone buying their trees and flowers as the weather promised a beautiful weekend, but am afraid they had to forego working out in the yard on Sunday.

Well, not too much news, this week, except for the weather, and it has really been bad in some places in Oklahoma, and tornadoes have really been prevalent this past week.

See you next Thursday.

Rotan Council Ask Local Dog Owners For Assistance

The members of the Rotan City Council in an effort to curtail the number of stray dogs running uncontrolled in the

limits of Rotan have asked the cooperation of dog owners in observing the Rotan City Dog Ordinance. The ordinance is being

published in full in this week's paper.

Rotan City Secretary Kenneth Vann, in an interview last Tuesday morning, stated that "this is the time of year that city officials become concerned with dogs running uncontrolled primarily because of the increased outside activity by children and the possible threat of animals with rabies." He asked owners having dogs to take precautions in making sure the animal has been vaccinated and has the proper tags and is controlled.

The Dog Ordinance, as printed in another section of this week's paper, is in effect now and according to Vann, "will be enforced as best as we can with the personnel we have."

Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital from April 24 thru April 30 were: Barbara Hardin, Rotan; Bessie L. Miers, Rotan; Charlene Starnes, Rotan; Dillard Smith, Rotan; Alecia Wilkinson, Rotan; Kris Ivey, Rotan; Teresa Gonzales, Rotan; Santos Almanza, Rotan; Lucus Mario Gonzales, Rotan; Charles Mooney, Rotan; Juanita Neves, Roby; Ophelia Bennett, Roby; Wanda L. Moore, Roby; Dick Melton, Roby; Ada Jo

Brashears, Roby; Cleo Annie Dickson, Roby; Thurman Terry, Roby; Florence Wiley, Roby; Mildred Parker, Roby; Christine Long, Hamlin; Ruth Shafer, Jayton; Ruth Yarbrough, Jayton; Carol McAbee, Sweetwater; Harmon E. Brumfield, Sweetwater; J.D. Rasco, Stamford; Dan Baldwin, Anson; Estelle Williams, San Angelo; Johnny Corley, Buffalo Gap; Marcos Rodriguez, Livingston, California.

Mark Mauldin & Reginald Parks Honored At WTC

Mark Mauldin and Reginald Parks of Roby were among the Western Texas College students honored at the annual Awards Day held April 26.

Awards Day is sponsored by the WTC Faculty Association and awards are presented by faculty members. The students honored and their families were guests at a reception in the Student Center following

the ceremonies held in the Fine Arts Theatre.

Mauldin was recognized as the Outstanding Agriculture Student, while Parks was named Outstanding Electronics Student. Mauldin's award was presented by Bob Doty, assistant professor of agriculture, and Parks' award was presented by David Higgins, assistant professor of engineering technology.

Mrs. Worth Smith Has Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Michael W. Smith, from Lewisville, Texas, grandson of Mrs. Worth Smith, spent last weekend visiting Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Jack Darden.

Courses Scheduled For Students At Rotan

Ten courses have been scheduled for summer students at the Rotan extension center of Western Texas College.

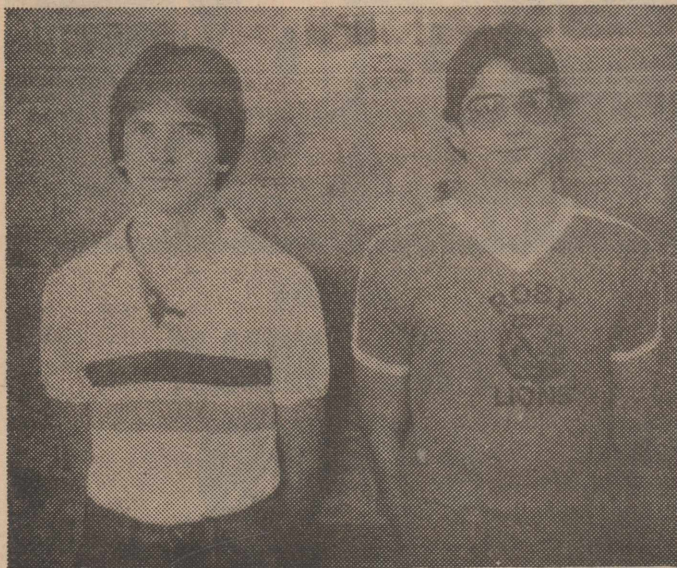
Courses on the schedule are Biology 145, Computer Science 238, English 131 and 231, Government 231 and 232, Physical Education 111 (Aerobics), History 131 and 132 and Psychology 231.

Students are to register between 6:30-8 p.m. on May 24 in the high school

library. They may begin purchasing textbooks at 7:30 p.m. and must pay for books with a separate check.

Classes begin May 30 and end on July 26. All class meet during evening hours.

Persons wishing additional information are invited to contact Mrs. Pat Hamric at 735-3041 or Dr. Harry Krenak at WTC in Snyder, 573-8511.



HISTORY AWARDS: Winning History Awards at Western Texas College at Snyder recently were Dennis Owens with a 2nd place win and Mike Meek with a 3rd place win.



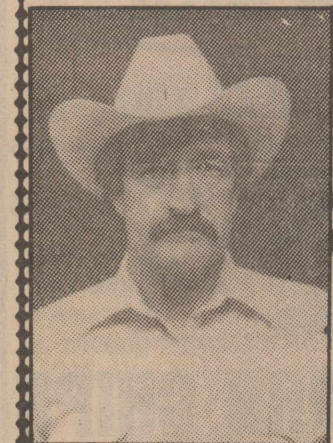
Glen and Kathy Murphree are parents of a baby boy, Tyler Glen, born April 17 at Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater. He weighed 8 lbs. and 3 ozs. and was 20 1/2 inches long.

He was welcomed home by his brothers Chad, 8, and Brent, 6.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Haldean Cave, and Mrs. Madilene Brown all of Rotan.

Great Grandparents are Mrs. Ruby Cave, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Dry and Mrs. Elmer Kiker of Rotan.

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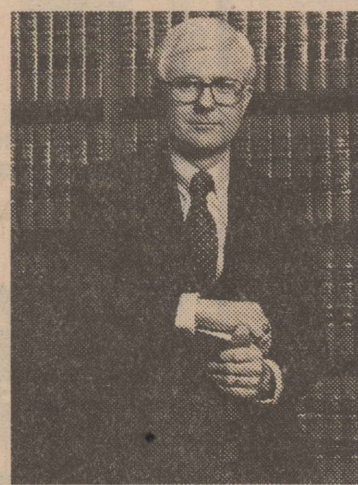
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Kim Hunt And Melodie Way Win At State

Melodie Way and Kim Hunt, both Junior students at Roby High School, returned victorious from the State UIL Literary and Academic Meet held in Austin this past week.

Melodie placed first in Class A Poetry Interpretation receiving both a gold medal and a State Champion Plaque for the school.

Kim placed second in Class A Editorial Writing receiving a silver medal. This was Kim's second year to attend the State Meet in Austin.

Melodie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Templeton of Hobbs and Kim is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hunt of Roby.

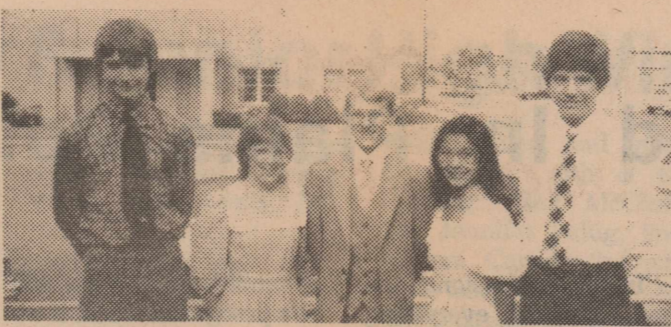
Coaches for the events were Mrs. Connie Early, Poetry Interpretation and Mrs. Dora Reyes, Editorial Writing.

Karen Boone, Marcus Anderson Are Engaged

Karen Boone and Marcus Anderson are making plans for a July 28th wedding at Bear Valley Church of Christ in Denver, Colorado.

Karen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Boone of Denver and Marcus is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson of Snyder, Texas. Miss Boone is a 1984 graduate of Abilene Christian University where she received a B.S. Degree. Marcus received his M.S. degree from Abilene Christian in 1984.

Marcus is the grandson of Mrs. Bright K. Newhouse formerly of Roby.



HONOR AWARDS: Rotan students winning honor awards for the 1983-84 year are left to right Darrin Ragan Reading, Jan Posey-English, Mark Hargrove-Math, Millie Gaspar-History, and Todd Gruben-Science.



Melodie Way
State Winner

Laura Gruben Makes Texas Tech. Honors

More than 2,300 students at Texas Tech University qualified for the president's and dean's honor rolls in the university's six colleges during the 1983 fall semester.

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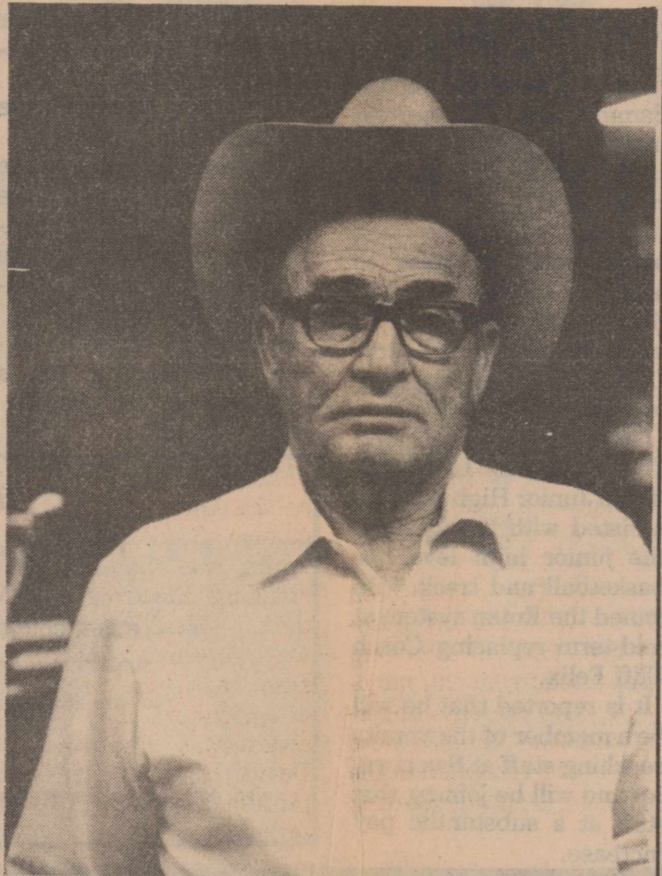
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DPR Water Supply Board Names Coffman President

The members of the DPR Water Supply Corporation met for their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 24th and elected a new slate of officers for the coming year.

W.J.(Tuner) Kaufman, was named by the board as the new President of the DPR Water Supply Corporation. He takes over the reigns from Bill Cade, former president who elected not to seek another

term as director. Vice President of the new board is William Cleveland, Jr. and re-elected board Secretary-Treasurer

was L.W. Sparks. Other board members include: Dub Rushing, Walt Cave, I.T. McArthur and James Branch.



Card of Thanks

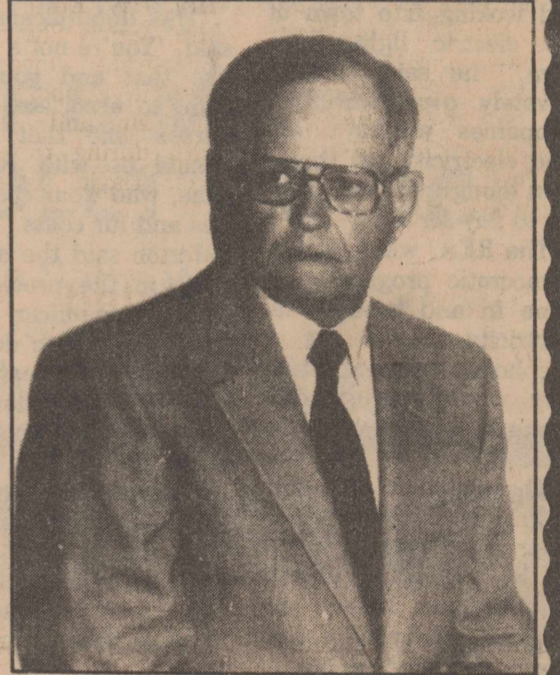
On behalf of 22 Fisher County artists and craftsmen, I wish to express appreciation to the residents of Roby, Rotan and the surrounding area for their wholehearted support of our Arts and Crafts Sale held Saturday, April 28 in the Rotan Community Center. Over 500 visitors attended; 22 received door prizes. With this incentive we can now plan for a "Bigger and Better" show in November.

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And regardless of the outcome of this election, I am proud of the democratic system as demonstrated in Fisher County. I am grateful for my supporters and appreciate those who labored for my opponents. If victorious, I will work with objectivity and fairness.

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Harvey Morton...Involved In Plains Politics

Harvey Morton started getting serious about politics when, as a young farm boy, he sat outside his darkened home, which had no electricity, and watched the lights of town glittering in a somewhat taunting fashion two miles away.

He became a lifelong Democrat and Republican-baiter after the Democratic sponsored Rural Electrification Administration brought electricity to his home and after government programs helped care for his brother, who was a quadriplegic after an accident.

Now, despite having become a well-established attorney with a comfortable family life, the political fire still burns.

Since becoming Lubbock County Democratic chairman two years ago, Morton has become known for a mind and tongue that are equally sharp, periodically excoriating Republicans and Democrats who he thinks act against the best interests of the party.

"I REMEMBER lots of nights, sitting out listening to the radio in the car, and looking into town at the electric lights in town," he said. "The privately owned utility companies wouldn't extend electricity out there, even though we were willing to pay for it."

"The REA, which was a Democratic program, came in and brought us electricity. We got a telephone because then they would string telephone lines on the electric pole."

"That changed my life and my family's life." Morton, 42, was 7 when the REA strung lines out to this farm home two miles from Roby in Central Texas, and later his brother Donald fell off a utility pole while working for a utility company and was totally paralyzed from the neck injury.

"A GREAT DEAL of his care was provided by government programs," Morton said. "We didn't have the money to provide the medical care and constant care that was provided by Democratic government programs."

"You can talk about self-made men, but there aren't any. Anybody who thinks he's a self-made man is fooling himself. All this money that's been paid in in tax dollars has helped us all."

Morton went through all 12 grades of school at Roby, worked his way through McMurry College in Abilene and then, borrowed enough money "from Democratic programs, all of which I paid back, by the way," to get through the University of Texas Law School.

He came to Lubbock in 1967 and worked two years in the city attorney's office before entering private practice with attorney Jim Gerdeman and later helping develop the Brock,

Morton and Pigg law firm here.

He helped form the South Plains Democratic Council in 1973 and was a member of the State Democratic Executive Committee from 1976 through 1980.

His wife Cathy has been an equally enthusiastic participant in Democratic politics.

He came into the county chairmanship after the rise of the Republicans which saw the growth of strong GOP precincts in South-west Lubbock and the election of several Republican candidates to county offices, including the sheriff's office, a county commissioner's seat and two justice of the peace offices.

"I think the rise of the Republican Party in South-west Lubbock has been mainly a social thing and not a political thing," Morton told The Evening Journal.

"When (1972 presidential candidate George) McGovern ran, the Democratic Party got the name of being a bunch of hippies, the type of people South-west Lubbock did not want to associate with."

"The Republicans have said, 'You're not a person like that and you don't want to associate with a person like that. You should be with Republicans, who wear coats and ties and fur coats.'"

Morton said the average voter in the precincts in which Republican candidates have been doing so well in recent years "has never really sat down and thought about politics, never had to face coming to a decision on what their philosophy of government was."

"They just knew they didn't want to be associated with liberals and hippies."

Morton said the most politically astute average citizens in town are the black and Mexican-American residents of Northeast Lubbock.

"These people know the intricacies of politics and are not frustrated by them," he said. "They see them as a way to accomplish purposes."

Although he is more conservative than past county chairman Madison Sowder, Morton says the Democratic Party here "has gotten rid of some very conservative elements that we didn't really want in the party" but still sees itself as a haven for political diversity.

"Liberals have good ideas, conservatives have good ideas, and you don't reject somebody's opinion just because of a label," he said. "Nearly everything we do now as a matter of course was once a radical idea."

He said the Republicans discredited McGovern so effectively that "a lot of party people were stunned by what they thought the party had become when, really, it never had. It was a deception that the Amer-

ican people never stopped to look at."

Morton has become increasingly disgruntled with Lubbock area Democratic officeholders who he feels do not do enough for the party. "I think people are going to have to realize that when they use the Democratic Party to get into office," he said, "they have a responsibility to give something back to it-visible support and being willing to say you're a Democrat and support the principles of the party."

As might be expected, Morton is not particularly charitable when it comes to comparing the two parties.

"The Democratic Party has always been willing to look at what is in the best interest of the nation as a whole and not just particular financial segments of it," he said. "It promotes a better business climate for the big man and the little man. Traditionally, the Republican Party has tried to promote a good business climate for the big man."

"The Democratic Party is more open to new ideas and doesn't just say, 'This is the way we've always done it and the status quo is going to remain.'"

"The crux of the matter is that the Democratic Party views government as a friendly tool and the Republicans regard it as an enemy. That basically arises out of a distrust of other people."

Morton advises all those interested in politics to attend their precinct convention "with the idea that they can go back in two years with some knowledge where they can accomplish some things they want."

"If they have a point of view and can get enough people to that precinct convention with that point of view, they can determine what that political organization is going to be like."

Sowder, although accused by Morton of inattentiveness to conservative Democrats, calls Morton "a fine fellow" who is "very conscientious."

Rotan FHA Schedule Car Wash

The Rotan FHA'ers are having a car wash and a bake sale on May 5. The car wash will be in front of the Rotan High School from 9:00 till 2:00.

The bake sale will take place at Thriftway and in front of Winn's. The YHT are helping make the baked goods. It will begin at 9:00.

Money made from these activities will be used to send Terri Whitefield, Area II officer to National FHA meeting in Chicago and for summer FHA activities.

If your car needs a bath or your tummy needs a delicious baked goodie be sure to come by Saturday!

"In his professional life and this and everything else, he's a very capable person," Sowder said. "He's also very considerate."

"We don't always agree

on candidates, but it would be a pretty dull world if we all agreed on everything."

Mr. and Mrs. Morton have two daughters, Allison, a McMurry College student, and Kimberly, a

Monterey High School Flag Corps member, and a 10 year old son, Craig.

Morton's parents, Allen and Lenora, still live on their 100 acre dryland farm in Fisher County. He has a sister, Brenda Breden of Abilene, and his brother Donald still survives.

Morton learned capentry from his father, who followed the trade to supplement his farm income, and does "a little woodwork-ing" as a hobby. He also gardens and has been a Little League Coach.

Four Vacancies In The Rotan School System

Rotan School Superintendent Jerry Dickson is currently looking for teachers to fill four vacancies within the Rotan School System. He is searching for a

Rotan Coach

Lee Resigns

Rotan junior high coach Sammy Lee, the newest member of the Rotan Coaching Staff, issued his resignation, effective at the end of the current school year, in order to accept a position on the Sweetwater Coaching staff, according to Jerry Dickson, Rotan Superintendent.

Lee has been teaching Texas and U.S. History in Rotan Junior High and has assisted with coaching on the junior high level for basketball and track. He joined the Rotan system at mid-term replacing Coach Cliff Felix.

It is reported that he will be a member of the varsity coaching staff at Sweetwater and will be joining that staff at a substantial pay increase.

special education teacher to replace Mrs. C. Hawkins who is retiring at the end of the school year.

Mrs. Hawkins has been teaching special education in the junior high school. Other junior high school vacancies include a junior high math teacher to replace Mrs. Lee Nowlin. She is taking a year's leave of absence to have a baby. The third vacancy is the recent one created by the resignation of Coach Sammy Lee who is joining the coaching staff at Sweetwater High School.

In the high school, Dickson is searching for a replacement for Coach Dickie Lopard.

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Fisher County Tax Assessor-Collector

I, Kathy Smith, would like to take this opportunity to ask for your consideration and support in the May 5th Democratic Primary. I am seeking the position of Fisher County Tax Assessor-Collector.

I have 10 1/2 years experience working in the Fisher County Tax Assessor-Collector's Office. As required by the Property Taxation Professional Certification Act passed by the 68th Legislature, I have been attending school given by the Board of Tax Professional Examiners. My classification at present is Class III Assessor-Collector, required by law to become a Class IV Registered Assessor-Collector by September 1985. Also I am a member of the Texas Association Of Assessing Officers and a registered member of the Board of Tax Assessor Examiners.

The Tax Assessor-Collector is primarily responsible for the assessing and collecting of the county property tax, for calculating an effective tax rate which must be approved by the Commissioners Court and for applying this rate to the various parcels of property in the county to determine, or calculate the taxes of each property owner and then collect the tax due for the county and Fisher County Hospital District. By law monthly reports must be made accounting for all tax money received and once a year an annual report must be made showing amount of taxes collected, amount of delinquent taxes and amount taken off for errors in assessing. The annual report accounts for every receipt showing it as paid, delinquent or errored off, which adds up to the total tax roll.

Another primary responsibility of the Tax Assessor-Collector's Office is to act as an agent of the State Department of Highways & Public Transportation. The Tax Assessor-Collector is responsible for the registration and licensing of motor vehicles. Also application for certificates of title for new vehicles and transfer of title and registration for sale of second-hand vehicles. The Motor Vehicle Division of the tax office is equally as important as the tax division. The MVD is an important source of revenue for the county. Monthly reports are made to account for all money received.

Both the Tax Division and Motor Vehicle Division are audited by the county auditor, outside auditor and two state auditors.

The County Tax Assessor-Collector is responsible for the collection of special fees imposed by the county and state on collection of delinquent taxes, the sales tax of vehicles, the sale of alcoholic beverages and on coin operated vending machines.

The third main function of the County Tax Assessor-Collector is Voter Registration. The County Tax-Assessor Collector has election responsibilities that include accepting applications for voter registration, issuing voter certificates, maintaining voter registration records, hearing appeals and challenges on denial of registration and submitting required reports to the Secretary of State Office.

The County Tax Assessor-Collector and all personnel in the office must have a broad understanding of the laws pertaining to all the functions of the tax office. I believe my 10 1/2 years experience and the schools taken in all three fields will give me a good foundation for the overall knowledge required to serve the people of Fisher County, if elected.

Along with my 10 1/2 years spent working in the tax office, I spent four years working for Citizen's National Bank and three years working for a Hamlin CPA firm.

Concerning the combining of the Appraisal Office and the Fisher County Tax Office, this may be done two different ways. First, the board of directors of an appraisal district my contract with a taxing unit in the district to perform the duties of the appraisal office for the district, with the approval of the board for that taxing unit and approval by the majority of the other taxing units in the district. The other is for the qualified voters to do so by a petition submitted to call for an election on the combining of the offices. The combining of the offices would be done for the main purpose of saving money and for some added convenience to the people of the district. If elected to serve as County Assessor-Collector and in the event the two offices are combined, I would pledge to carry out the duties in an honest and fair way set forth by the law.

I am a graduate of Abilene Cooper High School in 1965. Attended Hardin-Simmons University and Abilene Christian University taking courses in accounting.

My husband is Don W. Smith, a farmer in Fisher County for 20 years. For the last 14 years we have lived six miles east of Roby. I am the daughter of Mrs. Irma Frazier and the late John H. Frazier.

I would like to take this opportunity to say I have enjoyed visiting with the people of Fisher County and appreciate the hospitality given to me. If given the privilege to serve as Fisher County Tax Assessor-Collector, I pledge to operate the office with the highest of standards and in the best interest of the people of Fisher County.

Once more I would like to ask for your vote on May 5th and to say I will try to repay the people of Fisher County by being dedicated and operating the office in a responsible manner.

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Efforts to obtain cheaper boiler fuel for its power plants are paying off for West Texas Utilities Co. and its customers.

Through an agreement reached earlier this year, WTU is receiving 20 million cubic feet of lower cost natural gas daily for use at its Fort Phantom Hill Pow-

er Station near Abilene. The savings in WTU's fuel bill this year will amount to about \$7.7 million, which will be passed along to the customers. The only hitch is that the customers will have to wait until the Company's fuel cost factor is adjusted by the Public Utility Commis-

sion of Texas. Under new PUC rules, the fuel factor, which is the amount WTU is allowed to charge its customers for fuel, is set for a 12-month period, or until the utility's next rate case. Under the old system, the fuel factor wa-

automatically adjusted each month to reflect the current cost of fuel.

The cheaper gas is being purchased from Central Energy Transportation Co. and pipelined from Erath County by Lone Star Gas Co., which is WTU's principal fuel supplier.

"This is only a small amount of gas, considering the total volume used at our eight power stations, but we try to take advantage of every opportunity to reduce our fuel costs," said Walter Meller of Abilene, WTU's manager of System Produc-

tion. "Deals like this help offset the higher price we must pay under our major contract for a dependable, long-range supply of natural gas," Meller explained.

The Central Energy contract runs to September 1985. Total savings to WTU through the term of the contract will be approximately \$13.7 million.

For the past two years WTU has been buying a quantity of cheaper low BTU gas and blending it with pipeline quality gas for use at its Paint Creek

Power Station. Fuel costs have risen sharply every year since the Arab oil embargo of 1983 started the world energy crisis. In recent years, fuel expenses have

accounted for at least half of WTU's total annual revenue and for a major portion of customer bills.

All of WTU's existing power plants burn natural gas as a boiler fuel. The

Oklaunion Power Station, now under construction near Vernon, will be the Company's first coal-burning plant and also will be the largest plant in the WTU system.

Poster Contest Winners Named By Volunteer Fire Aux.

The Rotan Fire Auxiliary recently sponsored a "Fire Prevention Poster Contest". The local winners were: First & Second Grade Division; First Place Melissa Burk. There was a tie for Second Place between Jamie Grisham and Janet Martin. Third and Fourth Grade Division Winner was Scott Nowlin. These top four posters were taken to the District Fire Convention held April 14th in Merkel and were judged with other posters from the district. Jamie Grisham's

poster place FIRST and will be judged at the State Fire Convention to be held in McAllen, Texas in June. Each child from Rotan that participated in the local contest was awarded a special gift furnished by

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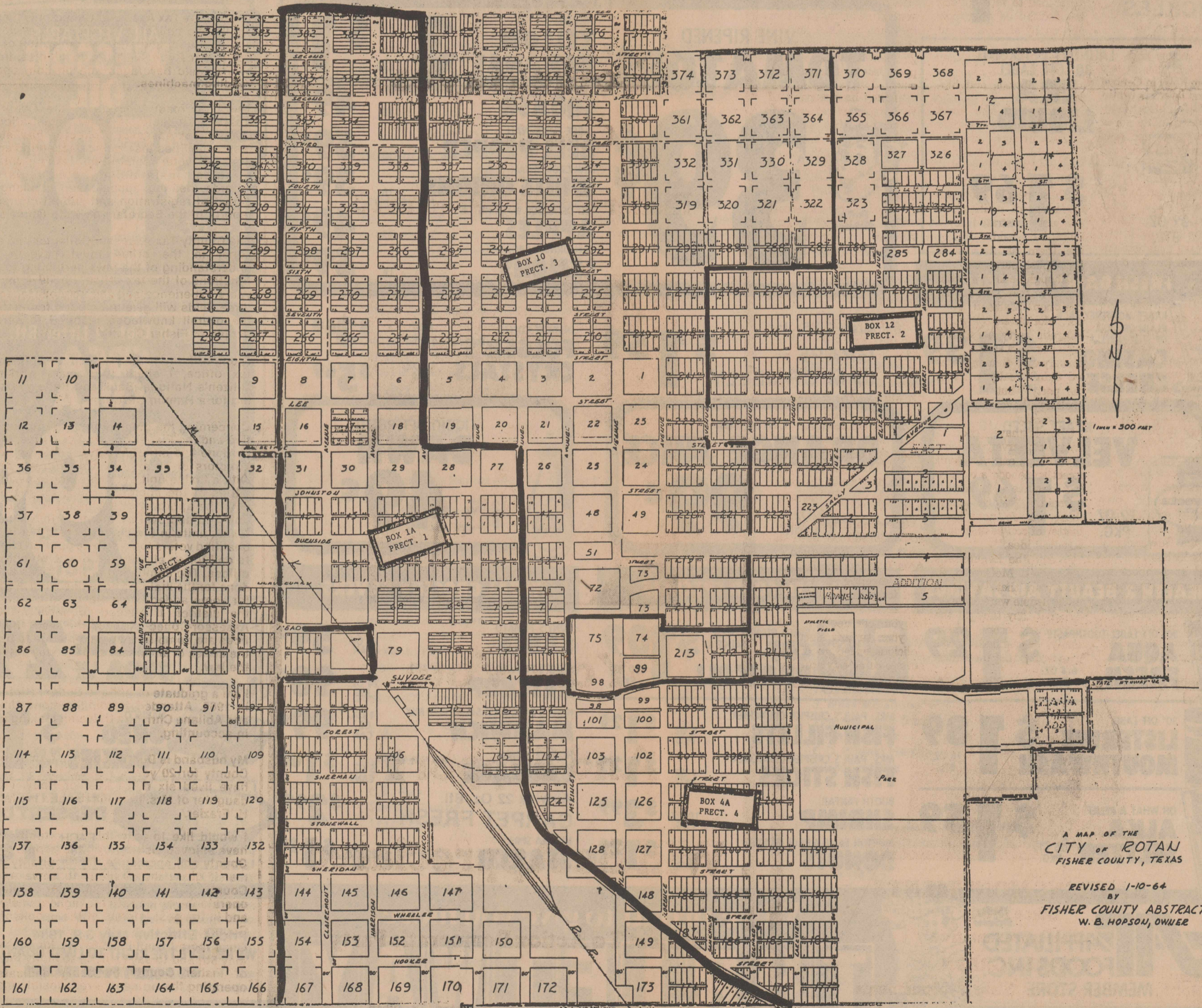
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