

Rotan Graduating Senior Class Scholarship Given

Ward Hayes, David Stevens, Rocky Roberts, Jackie Martinez, and Sherrie King have been honored as U.I.L. Scholar Award honorees. This is the second year this award has been presented to seniors who have graduated with honors while participating in U.I.L. academic, music or athletic contest.

Dr. Bailey Marshall, League Director, said, "The purpose of the award is to honor students whose self-discipline in preparation and integrity in competition are a model to others."

In addition to receiving the U.I.L. Scholar Award, Ward Hayes also received a Valedictorian Scholarship to any state school in Texas-including tuition and fees, a Valedictorian Scholarship to any independent college or university in Texas-\$200-\$4,000, the Midland College Academic scholarship-which includes tuition, fees, and books, the Western Texas College Cunningham valedictorian-\$200, and the West Texas State University Harrington Scholarship-\$200. Ward was the valedictorian of the 1986 Rotan High School graduating class with a grade point average of 4.9326. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hayes.

David Stevens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helms, received the U.I.L. Scholar Award, the University of Texas Summer Theatre Workshop Scholarship covering tuition and fees, the West Texas State University Harrington Scholarship-\$200-\$4,000 (this includes 35 colleges and universities in Texas), and the Midland College Scholarship for tuition, fees, and books. David was the salutatorian of his graduating class with a grade point average of 4.6690.

Rocky Roberts received the Texas A&M Agricultural Scholarship for \$500, the U.I.L. Scholar Award, the Midland College Scholarship including tuition, fees, and books, the Western Texas College Cunningham Scholarship-\$200, the West Texas State University Harrington Scholarship-\$200, and the Rotan Young Farmers Scholarship for \$250. Rocky is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roberts.

Jackie Martinez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert X. Martinez, received the West Texas State University Harrington Scholarship-\$200, the Western Texas College Cunningham Scholarship-\$200, the U.I.L. Scholar Award, and an academic scholarship to North Texas State University for \$300. Jackie was the top ranking girl of the 1986 graduating class with a grade point average of 4.1190.

Sherrie King received the U.I.L. Scholar Award. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill King.

David Yanez, son of Hortencia Yanez, received a TSTI Pell Grant for \$2,100, the Western Texas College Nancy Caton Scholarship for \$150, and the West Texas State University Harrington Scholarship for \$200.

Raymond Baker received the Western Texas College Nancy Caton Scholarship for \$150 and the West Texas State University Harrington Scholarship for \$200. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Baker.

Tina Mendoza,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Martinez, received the Western Texas College Nancy Caton Scholarship for \$150 and the West Texas State University Harrington Scholarship for \$200.

John Pease received the West Texas State University Harrington Scholarship for \$200 and the Western College

Department Of Health Screening Set For July 2nd

The Texas Department of Health will be providing immunizations at the Roby Annex on Wednesday, July 2, from 9:00-12:00 and 1:00-3:30 p.m.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at 235-8368.

Cross Roads Baptist Set For Music Festival June 29

Cross Roads Country Gospel Music Festival has been set for June 29th at the Cross Roads Baptist Church, Rotan. The festival will begin at 6:00 p.m.

Featured guest will be country singer, George Anderson from Aspermont accompanied by his wife, Edna. Also featured will be the Gruben Quartet from Rotan singing gospel

Nancy Caton Scholarship for \$150. John is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kim Pease.

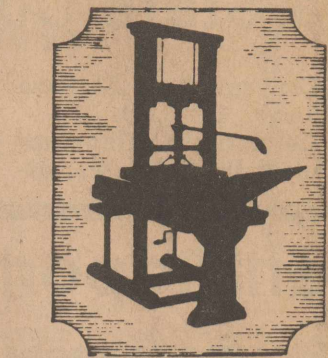
Reggie Stinson received the Western Texas College Nancy Caton Scholarship for \$150 and the West Texas State University Harrington Scholarship for \$200. Reggie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Stinson.

Penny Yanez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Yanez, received the Western Texas College Nancy Caton Scholarship for \$150 and the West Texas State University Harrington Scholarship for \$200.

David Zambrano, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Zambrano, received the Mike Fowler Scholarship from TSTI. This scholarship was given by Mr. and Mrs. Clay Fowler in memory of their son. This scholarship is for \$1,000.

Musicians include: Danny Weaver, bass; Walter Miers, guitar; Pat Porter, piano; Pat Anderson, fiddle; and Glenn Copeland, mandolin. Others will be participating.

The public is cordially invited to attend. Anyone desiring to participate, please call 735-2178.



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Dr. Elmer Hawkins Suspends Medical Practice At Clinic Due To Heart Attack

Dr. Elmer Hawkins, due to personal illness, has made the announcement that his family medical practice has been suspended until his

health dictates that he can resume seeing his patients.

Dr. Hawkins suffered a heart attack on Monday, June 16th and is

resting comfortably at home.

Office personnel announced that he will not

see patients for an indefinite period of time. Office personnel, after June 25th will be at the

office on Monday, Wednesday and Thursdays from 9:00 a.m. until noon.

Roby Baptists Issue Call

The pulpit committee of the First Baptist Church of Roby has issued an invitation to Rev. Alvin Petty of Lamesa to preach both services on Sunday, July 6th in view of a call to become the full-time pastor, according to a member of the committee.

Rev. Alvin Petty is

currently an assistant pastor in Lamesa. He and his wife, Kathy, have two children, Jonathan, age 13 and

Rachel, age 15. Both Kathy and Alvin Petty are graduates of Baylor University. She is a school teacher.

County Historical Group Plans Meeting July 1st

The Fisher County Historical Commission will hold their regular meeting, Tuesday, July 1st at 8 p.m. at the Fisher County Courthouse in Roby. Charles Anderson, Historian, from Snyder, will be the speaker. His topic will be the history of the Fisher and Scurry Counties area.

The meeting is open

to the public.

Senior Citizen's Luncheon Is Set

Fisher County Senior Citizens will be having a chili-stew luncheon on Sunday, June 29th from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Chili will be available to be eaten there, or for take out. Adults \$3.00, children \$1.50.

Lee Yanez Finishes Third At National Competition

Lee Yanez, son of Lee Yanez, Sr. of Lubbock and Hope Granada of Rotan, took third place at the national competition of the USTU National Junior Olympic Taekwondo Champion-

ships at Washington University in St. Louis, Missouri on June 13th.

Yanez participated in the 9 through 11 year old division and made the trip to the National competition with his first place win in the Texas State Competition.

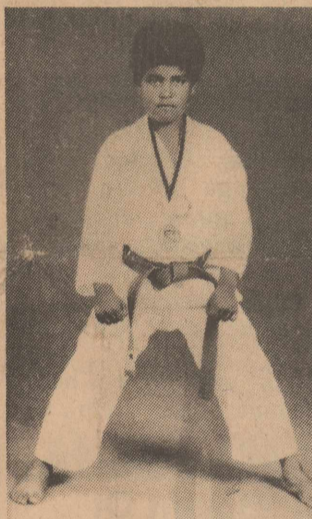
Texas Oldtimers Fiddlers Contest Saturday, July 5

The Texas Cowboy Oldtimers Reunion Association will be holding a Fiddlers Contest on Saturday, July 5th at 9:30 a.m. in the Round-Up Hall in Stamford, Texas.

Prizes of \$50 for first place; \$35 for second place; and \$25 for third place will be awarded.

All fiddlers 45 years or older are eligible and invited to attend. Registration will begin at 9:00 a.m.

Call 915-773-2446 for more information.



Lee Yanez

Roby Junior High Cheerleaders Attend Hardin-Simmons Camp

The cheerleaders from Roby Jr. High in Roby were among approximately 300 participants in the 1986 Big Country Cheerleader Camp held on the campus of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene June 16-20.

The five-day camp was conducted by Southwest Camps of Cisco, with Mr. Eris Rit-

chie as camp director. Instructional staff and program were supplied by the National Cheerleaders Association.

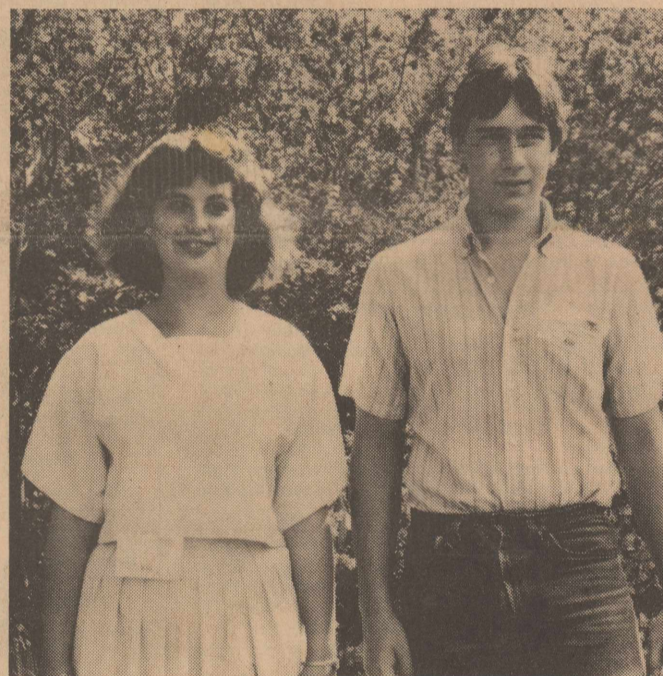
The cheerleaders were taught new cheers, chants, stunts and spirit ideas from a seven-member NCA staff headed up by Davonne Frisks, a professional cheerleading instructor

from the NCA's national headquarters in Dallas.

The Roby squad brought back 1 outstanding, 2 excellent, and 2 superior ribbons as a team and each girl on the squad received a superior ribbon for spirit and performance. Sandy Pullig is Jr. High cheerleader sponsor.



ATTEND CAMP: The cheerleaders for the Roby Lion Cubs 1986-87 football season attended cheerleading camp at Hardin-Simmons recently. Left to right: Lorrissa Edmondson, Suzanne Maxwell and Michelle Beauchamp. Top: Stephanie Frlerson.



Julie McQueen & Steve Dickson

Two From Rotan Attend Farm Bureau ASU Seminar

More than 400 high school juniors and seniors participated in the 24th Annual Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar, June 16-20, on the campus of Angelo State University at San Angelo.

Attending the seminar from Fisher County were Julie McQueen and Steve Dickson.

Purpose of the seminar is to give students a better understanding of the various forms of government, the free enterprise system and their responsibilities as citizens, according to James Gipe, TFB Citizenship Seminar coordinator. Students are sponsored through county Farm Bureaus.

Dr. L.D. Vincent, President of Angelo State, delivered welcoming comments to the students and Elvin Caraway, former State FFA President and National Vice-President, provided the opening address.

TFB President S.M. True and TFB Executive Director Warren Newberry were included in the program discussing the future of agriculture and Farm Bureau.

The students also heard inspiring talks on patriotism and free enterprise from seven individuals. The speakers and their topics were: Steve Pratt, National Center for Constitutional Studies, "The Making of America"; Dr. Sam Zakhem, Vice President Corporate Relations, Rocky Mountain Orthodontics, Denver, Colorado, "Understanding the Middle East"; Basilio Bachor, a Polish immigrant, "Understanding Communism"; Dr. Calvin Kent, Director, Center for Free Enterprise, Baylor University, Waco, Texas, "Free Enterprise and You"; Fred McClure, Special Assistant to the President-Legislative Affairs, Washington, D.C., "The Challenge for Young Leadership"; Dr. Wayne Matthews, Family Life Specialist, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma, "Citizenship and Self Esteem" and "Citizenship and the Family"; and Jack Jackson, Chairman of the Board, LDI Corporation, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, "The Price of Free Enterprise."

Kim's Korner
By Kim Pease

White / Clements

Fisher County voters will be reading a lot about the Governor Mark White, former Governor Bill Clements political battle before the November election. Several months ago this newspaper blasted Governor Mark White for making several promises to the Texas voters-and not fulfilling on those promises. We pointed out at the time that White promised (a) Not to raise taxes while he was Governor of Texas. (b) That he would lower utility bills and (c) That he wouldn't increase tuition at Texas colleges. He didn't hold true on those promises.

It seems former Governor Bill Clements had made a promise or two that he hasn't made good on either.

CASE IN POINT: Clements, on February 22, 1978 as reported in the Lubbock Avalanche Journal was quoted as saying "Clements pledged the day after he is inaugurated, he would announce the state commissions and agencies he would eliminate to shave \$600 million in fat from the state budget". Governor White contends that when Clements did reveal his plan, it was based, not on a cut in spending, but on a reduction of the recommendations of the Legislative Budget Board. But instead of taking a look at agencies and all state spending, Clements simply decided to cut hundreds of millions of dollars from education.

There is one distinct area that Governor Mark White and former Governor Bill Clements disagree widely on. Governor White opposes a nuclear waste dump in Texas. Former Governor Bill Clements, from remarks made in Washington and reported on February 28, 1979 in the Austin American Statesman leans toward favoring the establishment of a nuclear waste site in Texas. Here is what Clements said "I'm not sure we in Texas couldn't have some kind of reasonable accommodation (to nuclear waste disposal)," said Clements. "We do have nuclear waste in Texas-the problem already exists."

Democrat Mark White and Republican Bill Clements will be fighting it out in the next several months trying to prove to Texans that they are qualified to lead this state as the highest elected official. Both have track records-it will be the job of the voters to sift through those track records and "pick up one who suits you best."

Texas teachers seem to be violently opposed to Governor Mark White. I'm not so sure that former Governor Clements was any great "friend" to teachers or education in general while he was Governor. It will be interesting to see who is successful in courting the state educators prior to November's election.

Stay calm-this race is going to be a bloody war before election day.



SUMMER HOMEMAKING CLASS: The above 4 Rotan High School students spent part of their summer vacation helping out at the Senior Citizens Center as part of their Summer Homemaking Class. They painted the inside of the pantry, helped serve, clean, played games, etc. Left to right: Cristel Donelson, Lousinda Ramirez, Diana Almanza and Lydia Garcia.

F.C. Nursing Home News

We express our sympathy to Maebell Ogden's family. Maebell passed away last week.

We had a small luncheon on June 19th to celebrate "Juneteenth." We also had a cake brought by Dianna Presley, Monday, in honor of all black people who work with us.

We have 2 new residents, Lottie Rushing and Maude Ester Smith. We hope they are happy here.

Our bingo winner was Fred Houghton.

Bill Starnes went home for a few days with his family.

Some of the residents have been trying to teach me how to play "42". I still haven't learned. Mrs. Ashley, Mrs. McGuire, LaNita

Moore, Ray Morrow, and Fred Houghton can sure play it though!

Our visitors last week visiting Roy Cummings were David, Becki, and Lynn from Rotan, Ira Burns and Mrs. Turnbow from Rotan, Ginger Green, Lacey, Stacey and Jerry Parker from Snyder, Tom and Billy George Freeman and Jackie Hendon from Stamford. Bill Starnes visitors were Ricky and family and Mickey and family all from Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Miers visitors were Neal Coulter from Phoenix City, Al. Jane Henderson from Perry Ga. and Sue Houghton from Roby. Minnie Nolen visited Roy Cummings also.

Reyna Garcia

U.S. Senator Phil Gramm To Be In Abilene At ACU

U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm will be in Abilene Sunday, June 29th, to hold a public agriculture forum on the Abilene Christian University campus.

The forum will be from 8-9 p.m. in the Living Room of ACU's McGlothlin Campus Center. A 15-minute press conference will precede the forum, beginning at 7:40 p.m. in the Main Room of the

Campus Center.

At the forum, Gramm will address current agriculture issues facing West Texas farmers. He also will discuss the effects of national agriculture policy in this area in particular.

His visit to Abilene is one of several stops across the state, in which he will be holding similar forums on issues affecting Texas farmers.

David Stevens Recipient Of Endowment Award

David Stevens is the recipient of the Houston Endowment awarded through the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation, according to Dr. Rhea H. Williams, executive secretary of TILF in his letter to High School Principal David Hargrove and Counselor Patsy Hamric. This \$1,250 award is presented to contestants in journalism, drama, speech, science,

number sense, calculator applications, spelling, or ready writing. Recipients must attend University of Texas at Austin, El Paso, Arlington, or San Antonio. \$750 will be given the first year and \$500 the second year. David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helms and plans to attend University of Texas at Austin.

FUMC, Roby Purchases Bus

The First United Methodist Church at Roby has recently purchased a bus for church use. The bus will run each Sunday morning between 9-9:30 a.m. and will make return trips following the morning services. All those young and old are encouraged to ride the bus. Children wishing to ride the bus should be outside waiting, the bus is still bright school bus yellow but will be painted with church emblem very soon. Adults wishing to ride may call the church at 776-2308 or Marshall Billingsley 776-2336. No longer will transportation be a hindrance to those wanting to fellowship with us. Remember to watch and be waiting for the little yellow bus on Sunday mornings. If you live outside the city limits and wish to attend please call the church, transportation is always available!

ADS PAY

5th Annual Alpha State Convention Held In El Paso

Louise Bollinger, incoming president, Joyce Smith, incoming first vp, Marilyn Threlkeld,

incoming president, and Patsy Hamric, outgoing president, attended the 57th annual Alpha State

Convention in El Paso June 11 thru 14. Leadership Development Workshop was at-

tended by Louise Bollinger as incoming president. Tours of historic New Mexico was en-

joyed by Marilyn Threlkeld and Patsy Hamric on Thursday. Friday Patsy Hamric, outgoing president, was in the executive board meeting. Joyce Smith and Marilyn Threlkeld attended concurrent workshops. After the Birthday Luncheon, all four Gamma Tau members attended committee workshops. On

Saturday, all attended the General Business Session and after lunch attended the area workshop planning and other workshops to learn about various committee responsibilities for the coming biennium. Saturday evening the formal Presidents' and Founders' Banquet in the South Hall of the Civic Center.

County Agent Report

By Richard Spencer

Cotton farmers suffer stiff penalties on barmy or trashy cotton each year, and certain cultural and management practices during the growing season can reduce these.

Giving close attention to the following tactics can mean money in the bank at harvest-time due to better prices for higher quality cotton:

--Scout fields regularly to control insects and thus ensure retention of early fruit.

--Protect terminal growth from insect and herbicide damage. Such damage causes lateral branching and high stick content in seed cotton—a situation likely to cause barmy cotton.

--Manage nitrogen to obtain the right balance between vegetative growth and uniform, productive fruiting.

--Control weeds by spot spraying early to prevent strippers from harvesting weed residue that could end up con-

taminating fiber. --Avoid root pruning. Cultivating too deep cuts roots and causes rapid moisture loss which can result in fruit shed and lower yields.

Results of wheat variety and fertility tests have been completed for the 1986 year. Wheat yields were not all that great this year due to dry weather during the growing season.

Brad Stuart was the cooperater for the standard variety test. 14 varieties were planted October 31, 1985. Harvest date was June 5. The results are as follows: Mustang-24 bu., Pony-23, Wrangler-17, NK 812-16, Pioneer 2157-15, Chisholm and Sturdy-14, TAM 105 and Golden Acres 5221-13, Lancota-12, Vona-11, Thunderbird-10, and Siouxland-8.

Two fertility plots

Secret Pal Clubs Holds Regular Monthly Meeting

Mrs. Lenora Streetman and Mrs. Treasa Dycus were hostesses to the Secret Pal Club Wednesday, June 18th at the home of Mrs. Dycus in Rotan.

Members present were Mrs. Mary Allen, Mrs. Bessie Hale, Mrs. Aurora Martinez, Mrs. Annie Lee Martin, Mrs. Lillie Herron, Mrs. Virgie Weems, Mrs. Willa Dean Reaves, Mrs. Lorena Darden, Mrs. Maggie Briggs, Mrs. Christine Rackley, Mrs. Opal Burch and the hostesses, Mrs. Streetman and Mrs. Dycus.

Guests were Amy Bennett, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Marshal

Bennett and granddaughter of Mrs. Lorena Darden, "Squirt" Starnes of Elk City, Oklahoma who was visiting Mrs. Opal Burch, Mrs. Rita Galan of San Antonio who was visiting Mrs. Aurora Martinez and Mrs. Dycus' husband, H.L. Dycus.

After several games had been played, delicious refreshments were served.

4-H Group To Hold Garage And Bake Sale

Fisher County 4-H Exchange Group will have a garage and bake sale Thursday, July 3 from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. in Rotan in the building next to the Blue Stamp Store. Proceeds will go to help finance their trip to Montana.

Jackie Martinez Recipient Of Morris Award

Jackie Martinez is the recipient of the Keitha Morris Memorial Award awarded through the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation. Dr. Rhea H. Williams, secretary of TILF, notified Mr. David Hargrove, high school principal and Mrs. Rudy V. Hamric, school counselor Monday. This \$1,000 scholarship is awarded to the Outstanding Actress in Region IAA One-Act Play Contest. She will receive \$500 of this scholarship each semester of her freshman year. Jackie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert X. Martinez and plans to attend North Texas State University.

Springer, Graduates Banking School

Phil Springer, Vice President of the First National Bank of Rotan, was among the bankers graduating in the 27th Commencement Ceremony at Southwestern Graduate School of Banking at Southern Methodist University earlier this month. Springer has been attending the graduate school in Dallas for the past three summers.

Legal Notice

The City of Roby will accept bids for seal coating. Specifications are available at the City Hall, Roby, Texas. Bids will be accepted at the Roby City Hall, Box 147, Roby, Texas, 79543 until 4:30 p.m. July 1, 1986, at which time bids will be opened and considered.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Patsy Hamric Receives Award

Patsy Maberry Hamric was awarded the prestigious Delta Kappa Gamma Society International Alpha State, Texas, Members in Print Award at the Birthday Luncheon of the 57th Alpha State Convention in El Paso Convention Center for her publication in Booktalks II by Joni Bodart. Dr. Mary Ann Waldon, chairman of the communications committee, presented this award.

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showed a good response. Richard Gaona put down 100 pounds of 32-0-0 plus zinc which yielded 17.5 bushels. The unfertilized yielded 7 bushels. The variety was TAM 105.

Gary Floyd put down 200 lbs. of 16-20-0 which yielded 28 bushels. The unfertilized made 7 bushels. The variety planted was also TAM 105.

Read: Exodus 34:29-35

"A MINISTER WALKED BY"

So when... the children of Israel saw Moses, behold... they were afraid to come near him. Exodus 34:30
In his book *The Holiness of God*, R. C. Sproul tells of having dinner at a friend's house in Amsterdam. The conversation was animated, and everyone was having a good time. Suddenly a momentary lull came into the conversation, and to break the silence one of the Dutch men said, "Er gaat een Dominee voorbij," which means in English, "A minister walked by!" Sproul was told that in Holland, whenever an awkward lull threatens to stop a good conversation, this phrase is used to explain the sudden silence. "The idea," Sproul summarized, "is that nothing could ruin the conviviality of a party faster than the presence of a clergyman."

Now, the presence of a minister of God should not dampen good, clean fun. But if the language is shady and the stories are off-color, a devout Christian should have a restraining effect on sin. When Moses descended from Mount Sinai, God's people, who had sinned in worshipping the golden calf, were afraid to come near him. He had been with God, and his presence radiated His holiness. So too, the impact of Christ's holiness should be manifested through His people. His righteousness should be evident in those who walk obediently with Him. People who take the Lord's name in vain should feel uncomfortable in the presence of a dedicated believer.

May it be true of us that our presence will hush unholiness and thwart godless deeds—as if "a minister walked by."
—D.C.E.

No reproach is so potent as the silent influence of a good example.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
735-3471 Rotan, Texas
Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:55
Sunday Eve.-Church Training 6:00 Worship 7:00
Wed. Night 7:30 Steve Peace-Pastor

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Sunday Eve.-Training Union 6:00 Worship 7:00
Wed. Night 7:00 Howard Jones-Int. Pastor

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Wed. Night 7:00 James Carrington-Pastor

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Sunday Evening 5:00 Worship 6:00
Wed. Night 7:00 Jim Ritter-Pastor

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Wed. Night 7:00

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Address: Rodriguez-Pastor

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993-4479 Sylvest, Texas
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Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00
P. I. Hatfield-Pastor

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Sunday Evening 6:00

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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH McCaulley, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Wed. (2nd Wed. in each month family nite 7:00) Alvin G. Smith-Pastor	FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Sylvest, Texas Sunday School 10:30 Worship 9:30 Every 3rd Tues. Evening Community Dinner 6:30 Alvin G. Smith-Pastor
CHURCH OF CHRIST 735-2344 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Morn. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 Wed. Eve. Bible Study 7:30 Donald Dawes-Minister	CHURCH OF CHRIST 776-2496 Roby, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 10:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00-Nov.-April-8:00 May-Oct. Wardell Halliburton-Minister
CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Rotan, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Wed. Night Worship Lyndell McDaniel-Pastor	FOURSQUARE CHURCH 735-2553 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Ira Burns-Pastor
ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH 735-3285 Rotan, Texas Sunday Morning 9:00 a.m. Mass Saturday Evening 7:30 p.m. Mass Father Austin Kittredge	MARANATHA CHURCH Roby, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Evening 7:00 Bill Dickson-Pastor

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Rotan Insurance Agency 776-2361 Roby, Texas	Landes Furniture Loys & Larry Landes 735-3171 Rotan, Texas
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Do you get a tax deduction for starting a new business? Do you have "pre-opening" expenses or "post-opening" expenses? Are you investigating a new business or are you transacting business? Are you engaged in a hobby or in a business?

These questions are raised by the Internal Revenue Service to determine whether you have a current deduction on your tax return, an expenditure which is required to be capitalized and written off later, or a non-deductible expenditure.

Losses from an activity "not engaged in for profit" (hobby losses) are generally deductible only to the extent of income from that activity. If you have a profit in two out of five consecutive years, your activity will probably not be considered a hobby.

Taxpayers who incur "start-up" expenses for a business and who actually end up in that trade or business may elect to write off the start-up costs over a period of sixty months. Start-up costs include all those expenses incurred before business actually begins. Once you start transacting business, these same types of expenses become current deductions against your taxable income.

What happens to these expenditures if the business never develops? If you completely abandon a project, your expenses cannot be treated as business expenses. Because many "would be" business ventures never materialize, perhaps one should consider incurring all of these investigate expenditures under a corporate entity with a special provision referred to as Code Section 1244 Stock. Under this provision, an individual may deduct up to \$100,000 in any one year. Furthermore, the deduction is treated as an "ordinary loss." This is the preferred tax treatment since it gives you a dollar for dollar offset against taxable income.

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Betty Strayhorn Honored By Rotan Teachers Assoc.

The Rotan Classroom Teacher's Association held a coffee Thursday, June 19th at Homestate Savings honoring Mrs. Betty Strayhorn.

Mrs. Strayhorn is retiring after 36 years of dedicated service to the Rotan School System.

Rotan Classroom Teacher's Association

took this opportunity to thank Mrs. Strayhorn for the hard work and long hours she had spent to make our organization and our school system one of which we all can be proud.

Invited guests included active and retired members of RCTA.

County Bug Scoop

By Paula Verden

Heavy grasshopper infestations are present in parts of Fisher, Jones, and Kent Counties, according to Paula Verden, County Entomologist.

Grasshoppers may cause heavy damage to crops or forage. The heaviest damage occurs in years when large populations develop in the spring and dry conditions cause grasshoppers to migrate to available forage and crops. As spring weeds and grasses dry up, grasshoppers begin to search for more attractive vegetation.

Control of grasshoppers is most effective while grasshoppers are still in the nymphal stage and have not developed wings. Most of the grasshoppers are now winged, making effective control more difficult. Several insectical applications may be re-

Extension Club Holds Regular Meeting

The Extension Homemakers Club met with Oma Long June 19th.

Eda Bickerstaff presided. Ardell Floyd brought the recreation fun. Gaynell Henry called the roll and read the minutes. A short business session, then Hazel Hudnall gave a history of Fajitas: South Texas Style. She had prepared the fajitas and served them with other refreshments.

Those present were Eda Bickerstaff, Tinnie Bostick, Effie Murphree, Wanda Floyd, Lois Sparks, Oma Long, Ardell Floyd, Callie Shipp, Ardell Floyd, Georgia Ashton, Hazel Hudnall and Hilda Rollins.

quired to achieve effective control and where grasshoppers continue to migrate to the area in large numbers insecticidal control may not prevent excessive forage or crop loss.

On rangeland and improved pastures ten grasshoppers per square yard can cause excessive forage loss. Damage is greatest in a dry year.

In crop margins, eleven or more adult grasshoppers per square yard or three per foot of row in the field can cause excessive plant damage or loss of the stand.

Lubber or jumbo grasshoppers are even more damaging to cotton stands than other grasshoppers. Where there are two lubber grasshoppers per square yard around the fields or one per three foot of row in the field, control measures are suggested. Lubber grasshopper populations are not nearly as heavy as last year but damaging infestations are present in some areas.

There are many insecticides that will effectively control grasshoppers. The following

table presents a partial list of those registered on several crops.

Additional information can be obtained from your County Extension office.

References to commercial products or trade names is made with the understanding that no discrimination is intended and no endorsement by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service is implied. Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of

all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

When using one of these insecticides be sure to read the label to make sure that material can be used on the crop which you plan to protect. The rate of application, harvest and grazing intervals and precautionary statements on the label must be followed.

Additional information on grasshopper control is available from your County Extension Agent.

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Crop Margins		X		X	X		X	X		X
Fruit Trees				X					X	
Gardens			X	X					X	
Rangeland		X		X	X		X			X

Check label for exact crop restrictions, harvest and grazing intervals, rates and precautionary statements.

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Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital from June 17 thru June 23 were: Barbara Hardin; Latisha Ortiz; Maebell Ogden; Inez Macias; Gerald Whitley; Vivian Salas; Victoria Salas Rivera, all of Rotan; W.A. Polk; Apolinar T. Moreno; Jannice Beecroft and Micah Vann, all of Roby; Jennifer Warren, Midland; Monica Montez, and Donna Montez, both of Aspermont.



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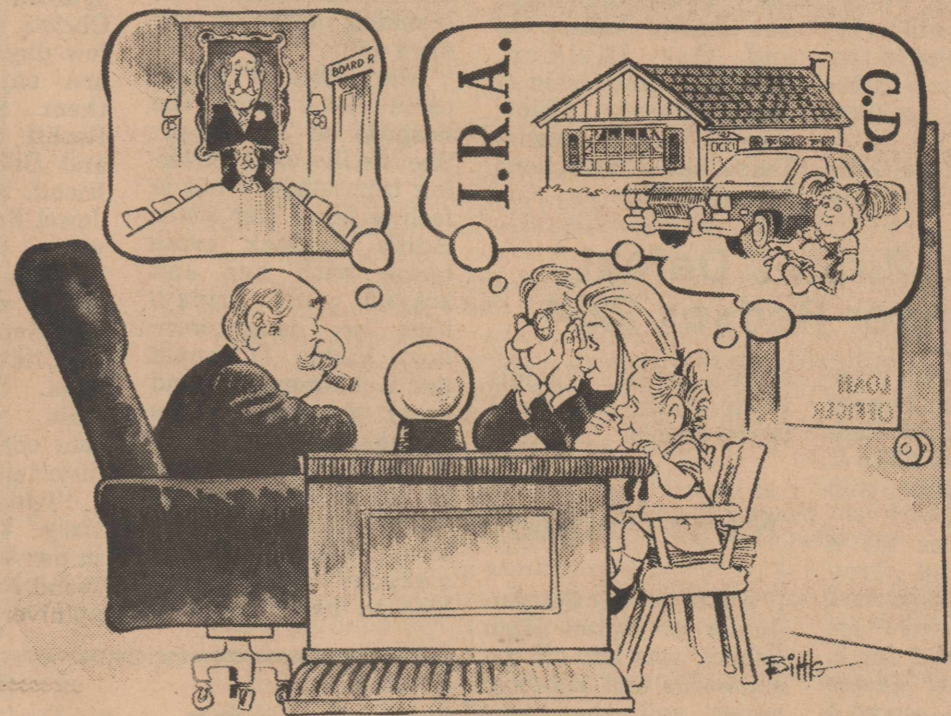
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Sheri Autrey Engaged To Burt Weathersbee

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Autrey of Houston announce the engagement of their daughter, Sheri to Burt Weathersbee of Dallas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Weathersbee.

The prospective bride groom is a graduate of Rotan High School and the University of Texas. He is a Civil Engineer for Espey-Houston of Dallas.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Spring Woods High School and Houston Baptist University.

The couple will marry August 2 at Tallowood Baptist Church, Houston.

Legal Notice

Chalmers Exploration Company, 744 Hickory, Abilene, Texas, 79601 has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.

Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Hope Lime, (Upper), Denn, Well Number 1. The proposed injection well is located 1/4 miles East of Rotan, Texas in the Rotan Hope Lime, Upper Field, in Fisher County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 3939' to 3949 feet.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas, 78711 (Telephone 512-445-1373).

Rotan Pirates Defeat Ballenger Redsox 22-4

On Thursday, June 19th, the Rotan Pirates beat the Ballenger Redsox by a score of 22 to 4.

Winning pitcher was James Carrillo.

J.P. Martinez hit a grand slam and Trey Carrillo hit a home run.

Name Omitted

Other hits were by: Thomas Cortez 2 for 3, scored 3 runs; James Carrillo 3 for 4, scored 4 runs, and 3 rbi's; Brandon Sheehan 2 for 3, scored 4 runs, and 2 rbi's; Trey Carrillo 3 for 4, 1 home run, 5 rbi's and scored 4 times; J.P. Martinez 3 for 3, grand slam, 6 rbi's and scored twice; Travis Deen 1 for 3, scored once; Zachary Clark walked twice,

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News From Down South

By Bertha Warren

Hello from down South.

The name of Elsie Carter was left out of the write up of Hal and Kay Rankin's twin boys. Elsie is the boys great great grandmother and mother of Owen Brazee, the twins great grandfather.

Helen and Lowell Thornburg attended the Hobbs family reunion at Snyder Towle Park barn last weekend. About 45 people registered. The Thornburg's grandson, James Allen Carter, of Hereford, is spending the summer with them.

Lydia Henry spent the weekend with her niece and family, Hank and Kim Scott of Merkel. She got to take her 2 month old great niece, Heather Scott on her first picnic.

Dale and Oleta King have moved into their new home in Kauffman. They had had so much rain it delayed their moving.

Noma Toland and Erna Lee Hartgraves went to Colorado City to see the Boy Scouts from Amarillo perform. They did Indian dancing and sang Indian songs.

They said it was very colorful and they enjoyed it very much. Three of Erna Lee's children have birthdays this month. Dwayne Bryant, LaRue Stephens and Carlos Jones. Hope they all had a very happy birthday.

The Pearce reunion was held Saturday and Sunday at the Claytonville-Capitola Community Center. They had 34 to register and had folks come from New Mexico, Grand Salene, Grandbury, Brownwood, Okla. City, Ft. Worth, Dallas, Midland, Glen Rose, Odessa, Alvin, Llano, Cherokee, Okla., Sweetwater and Roby.

Andrew Pearce visited with several families in the community on Saturday and Sunday. He spent Sunday night with Ed and Ollie Ogden then left for home Monday morning. They reported lots of good food and enjoyed visiting with everyone. Plans were made for their 87 reunion. Ed Ogden is feeling much better after breaking a rib a few days ago.

Mary Etta O'Donald came home from the hospital on Thursday. She is still weak recovering from surgery but is feeling fine. Her sister Edith Ashlock came home with her and stayed until Friday, then her daughter-in-law, Vickie O'Donald and 2 children came and spent the rest of the weekend. John and Julie Kaczyk took care of things at home for them while they were away. Mary Etta said everyone had been so nice to her. Some of

their other visitors were Bruce and Marie McCain, Orene and Alvin Menton, of Snyder, Ernest and Estell O'Donald, Barney Toland and Frances Jones. The Ogdens, Warrens and other neighbors have dropped by also. Also her sister, Ruby Joyce Hicks from Houston and her mother, Carrie McCain from Rotan.

Noma Toland is expecting a visitor on Wednesday. Dorothy Davis from Austin will be here to spend a few days with her.

The Quilting Club met Thursday. Those attending were Agnes Bunn, Noma Toland, Wanda Justiss, E.L. Hartgraves, Lucy Vines, Helen Thornburg, Eugenia Rogers, Triva Neepser, Sis Holiday, Lydia Henry, and May Rodgers. They also had a visitor, Martha (Rogers) Burson of Quemauo, Texas. Sherie, Mack and Leslie Carter of Austin visited the K.E. Justiss last week.

Carroll and Lena Hodges have just returned from a Holiday Rambler rally at Mineola, Texas. There were over 200 trailers from all over attending. They had a great time but said they had a lot of rain also. But it is always so good to see their trailer friends again.

Melissa Dulin of Maryneal left Saturday for California where she will join a group of other young people who have been selected to tour with the Athletes in Action women's basketball team to the Philippines and Fiji Islands. Each year Athletes in Action send out teams of college Christian All Stars to tour a variety of countries around the world to teach and train other athletes. She will be gone five weeks and has a full schedule which will include 2 days in Hawaii and 2 days in Australia. The rest of their time will be teaching and playing basketball.

We have 2 of our grandsons with us this week. Matt and Dusty Warren from Corpus Christi are spending a few days with us. We are enjoying having them. Max and Melba Ratliff of Rising Star and Bill Ratliff and a friend, Kay, along with Jewel Ratliff, paid us a visit on Sunday. Wayne, Matt, Dusty and I went to Snyder late Sunday evening to visit Steve, Tachie and girls. Had a very nice visit. Ran into some rain coming home, but didn't get any at home. "Red Desert Penitentiary" the movie made in Sweetwater will show in Abilene this weekend on Friday and Saturday.

Notice

Annual Stockholders Meeting Farmers Gin Co. June 28, 1986

2:00 P.M. At The Gin Office

Texans To Get Multi-Million Dollar Tax Break

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Friday said Texans will get a multi-million dollar tax break because of the Senate vote on the federal tax overhaul bill that will permit partial deduction of state sales tax.

Bullock said the sales tax amendment, co-sponsored by Texas Sen. Phil Gramm and supported by Texas Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, would let Texas taxpayers deduct 60 percent of the state and local taxes in

figuring federal income taxes.

"The sales tax provision will save Texans who use this deduction at least \$112 million. Anytime we don't have to send over \$100 million to Washington, it's good news," Bullock said.

Bullock said Gramm's amendment was especially beneficial to Texas because the tax reform bill pending in the U.S. Senate originally allowed deductions for state and local income taxes.

"We were being penalized because we didn't have a state in-

come tax despite the fact that we don't want an income tax," Bullock said.

Bullock said the amendment would save a deduction worth more than \$270 to the average Texas taxpayer who files an itemized return.

He said that Texans claimed an average of

\$449 in sales tax deductions in 1984 and the 60 percent rule would preserve most of that deduction.

According to Bullock, about 27 percent of Texas taxpayers itemize on federal returns so the amendment allowing sales tax deductions will affect more than one-in-four taxpayers.

Rotan Pirates Defeated By Hamlin Team

On Friday June 20 in the semi-finals, the Hamlin Yankees beat the Rotan Pirates by a score of 2 to 1.

Hitting for Rotan were: Brandon Sheehan, 2 for 2 including a double; Trey Carrillo, 3 for 3, (3 doubles), scored our only run; Travis Dean, walked twice. Trey Carrillo struck out 8.

Clyde beat Hamlin on Saturday to win the tournament. The Rotan Pirates finished the season with a 11-1 record and were undefeated in league play.

All Star Tournament starts Monday, July 7. Rotan faces Snyder in the opener at Jayton.

Members of the All-Stars team are: James Carrillo, Brandon Sheehan, J.P. Martinez, Thomas Cortez, Steven Warren, Scott Nowlin, Ben Alaniz, Trey Carrillo, Jason Carrillo, Joe Gonzales, Landon Ails, Phillip Thomas, Eric Smith, and Tyrone Daniels.

Rodney Tankersley, manager of the Pirates resigned and finished his career with the winningest record in recent memory.

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New Publication Available From U.S. Dept. Of Ag.

"Conservation Planning-You and Your Land" is the title of a new publication available from the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service.

Charles Black, District Conservationist for SCS at Rotan, said single copies are free to landowners, operators, or others interested in planning conservation land treatment.

"All land is not the same," Black said. "Take a good look at the land you own, lease or rent. It probably differs from your neighbors'. Soils vary in depth, erodibility, natural productivity, slope, texture, and stoniness.

"Other resources-wildlife, water, and plants, also vary from one property to another and affect how you use your land. Your land is unique; so should be the planning for its uses."

Black said conservation planning assistance is available from SCS through the local Upper Clear Fork Soil and Water Conservation District. Although most SCS assistance is provided to farmers and ranchers on cropland, rangeland, pasture, wildlife, and forest land, you can also get assistance with solving conservation problems on nonagricultural land such as controlling erosion on construction sites or on public land.

The first step in conservation planning is taking an inventory. Since knowledge about soils is basic to planning the use and treatment of land, SCS will provide you with a soils map which includes the description of your soils and how they can best be used. Each soil is described in terms of its texture, characteristics, capabilities, limitations, and erosion potential. SCS will also estimate soil erosion rates under present and planned land uses.

"When you are ready to start, we will discuss your soils, your plans

and goals, your resource problems, and your conservation program," Black said. "Then you tell us what crops you want to grow, the livestock you want to have, the wildlife or recreation uses you want to plan, and any other interests you have that will affect your land. Together, we can explore different ways to overcome problems and to make the best use of the land."

Decisions are needed to both the use of the land and its treatment, but you must decide what you want to do, when, and how.

For a copy of the leaflet or for information about conservation planning, contact the USDA Soil Conservation Service at Rotan, telephone number 735-3411.

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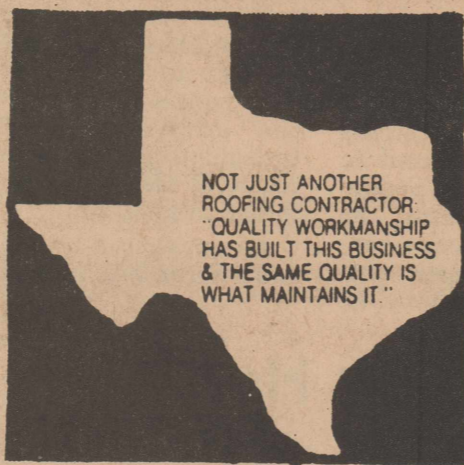
The family of Maebell Ogden would like to take this opportunity to express our deepest gratitude for our friends. Thank you to everyone who provided food, sent cards, and had prayers for us in our time of need.

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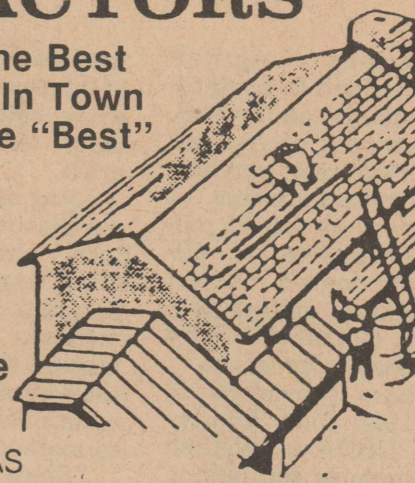
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USDA Announces Record Beef Purchases

Secretary of Agriculture Richard E. Lyng today announced the U.S. Department of Agriculture this week purchased a record amount of red meat—almost 29 million pounds—to help offset the impact of beef brought to market as a result of USDA's dairy termination program.

Under provisions of the 1985 Food Security Act, USDA is required to purchase 400 million pounds of red meat (in addition to its usual purchases for domestic feeding programs) to mitigate the effects on

wholesale meat markets of increased slaughter of dairy cattle under the dairy termination program.

Lyng said this week's purchases brings the total amount of red meat bought under the program to about 120 million pounds, an amount that approaches the estimated amount of additional beef brought to market to date.

"Since the beginning of the 400-million pound red meat purchase program," said Lyng, "USDA has bought 119,888,828 million

pounds at an approximate cost of \$125.1 million, all of which is over and above our normal purchases for the school-lunch and other feeding programs."

Of the total amount of meat bought this week, 23 million pounds was frozen ground beef pur-

chased at prices ranging from \$0.9439 to \$0.9673 per pound, for a total cost of \$22 million; 5.9 million pounds was canned beef purchased at prices ranging from \$1.1896 to \$1.1947 per pound, for a total cost of \$7 million.

Lyng also said that

awards are expected to be made next week for the purchase of the initial phase of the 90,000 metric tons of carcass beef to be exported to Brazil. Based on preliminary indications, he said, next week's anticipated domestic purchases and the Brazilian

purchase should bring the total beef purchased to date to an amount that equals or exceeds the additional beef brought to market as a result of the dairy termination program.

As authorized by the 1985 Farm Bill, half of

the 400 million pounds will be donated to domestic nonprofit charitable institutions for the needy, to nutrition programs for the elderly, to nonprofit summer camps for children and to other child-nutrition programs including the school-lunch

program. The remaining 200 million pounds will be exported.

Information on purchases may be obtained from the Contracting Officer, Livestock and Seed Division, AMS, USDA, Washington, D.C., 20250; telephone: (202) 447-2650.

District 4-H Fashion Show Held

Seven Fisher County 4-H members participated in District 3 4-H Fashion Show in Munday recently. All were winners of County 4-H Fashion Show.

Two of these 4-H'ers won honors. Jennifer Kincaid of Roby, won second place in the Junior Specialty wear. She also won second place in the Junior Cotton division. Zachery Clark, of Roby, won third in Junior, Active Sportswear category. These 4-H'ers were com-

peting against 4-H'ers from the other twenty counties in Rolling Plains Extension District 3.

Other Fisher County 4-H'ers participating in District Fashion Show included Senior Division Evening Wear, Charla Wiley; Senior Division Active Sportswear, Mary Lee Hicks. In Intermediate Division, Audra Lewis in Active Sportswear. Junior Division winners and categories included Popover Skirt, Crystal

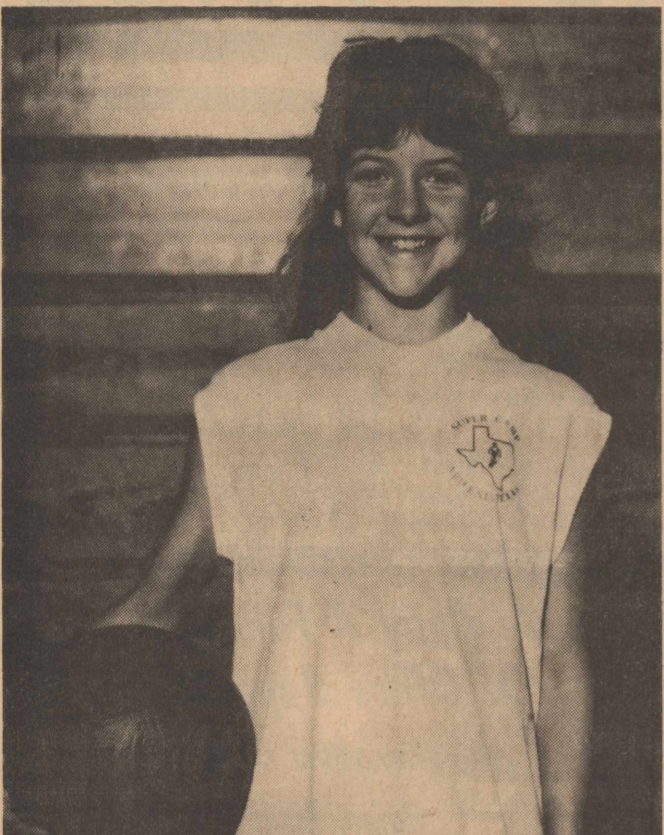
Garcia, and Non-tailored Daywear, Amy Singletary.

This event is sponsored annually by West Texas Utilities Company. Cotton Awards were made possible by Rolling Plains Cotton Growers Association and Wool Awards donated by Rolling Plains Sheep Producers Association.

The 4-H'ers were accompanied by Alice Ballenger, County Extension Agent-Home Economics, parents, Florence Wiley, Kathlene Hicks, Cindy Lewis, Ann Harrell, Reyna Garcia and Jan Clark. Also 4-H'ers Reggy Spencer, an officer of District 3 4-H

Council and Jessica Moore.

Patti Park of Rotan provided piano music for the show.



Stephanee Frierson

Frierson Named To All Stars At Basketball Camp

Stephanee Frierson, 12 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Frierson was named to the All Stars at McMurry's Super Basketball Camp. The camp was for all ages of girls never playing varsity ball. 150 participated in the weeklong schooling directed by Carlos

Ratliff of Abilene High and Joe Lombard, head basketball coach at Canyon. Joe Lombard took his team at Nazareth to State 7 times before moving to Canyon to coach. Stephanee was runner up in the Hot Shot contest and received one of 15 Most Improved Player Awards.



HIGH FASHION: Judged best of the junior division in the specialty wear category at the Rolling Plains District 4-H Fashion Show at Munday was this trio. From left to right: Jolene Hodges, Wichita County, third; Jennifer Kincaid, Fisher County, second; and Rebecca Walker, Throckmorton County, first.



SPECIAL HONORS: Juniors earning special awards for the best cotton garments at the Rolling Plains District 4-H Fashion Show at Munday are from left to right: Tanya Hoyle, Motley County, third; Jennifer Kincaid, Fisher County, second; and Rebecca Walker, Throckmorton County, first.



CLASSY: Best of the junior division sportswear category in the Rolling Plains District 4-H Fashion Show at Munday were from left to right: Zachary Clark, Fisher County, third; Christy Mathis, Haskell County, second; and Holly Haley, Jones County, first.

Rotan Advance/Roby Star Record Receives Award

On June 14, 1986, the Roby Star/Rotan Advance was presented the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International Alpha State Key Award for giving consistency comprehensive and fair coverage to general education news during the school year 1985-86. Patsy Maberry Hamric, outgoing president of the Gamma Tau Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma accepted the award from Dr. Mary Ann Waldon in ceremonies during the General Assembly on

Saturday at the 57th Annual Convention in El Paso Civic Center.

Mr. Pease was notified earlier this year of this nomination by Gamma Tau but did not know if the state would also recognize this honor until the convention.

Gamma Tau submitted the copies of articles from the paper for the 1985-86 that was applicable to this award. Mr. Pease and his staff are to be commended for this excellent coverage of school events.

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Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well, more rain almost every day last week, and now we are really needing some hot sunshine to dry the fields. I have quit counting how much rain we have measured this past week, but we got enough. Our roads are very bad, and some of the fields west of Hobbs are still under water in some places, and they got another good shower

Sunday evening. Oh well, we can't say we didn't make a crop because it was too dry, too wet maybe, but not too dry.

Frank Boydston was given a surprise birthday dinner at his home on Sunday. Happy birthday to Frank. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Thomson and Mr. and

Mrs. Frank Burk, all from Roby, Dot Head from Abilene, Mrs. Birdie Thomson from Rotan, and Delia Hardin and two grandchildren, Sahala and Keith Freeman and of course Mary Boydston who really surprised Frank.

Mrs. Bea Hardin accompanied by Mrs. Sarah Shipp went to Colorado City on Sunday and they visited with Mrs. Clarence Johnson; she is Bea's sister-in-law. Mrs. Jane Deaver from Snyder visited with Bea for a

short while Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sue Medrano got to come home from Baylor hospital; but is staying with one of her daughters in Dallas. She is having to go on the dialysis machine three times a week, and is still not feeling too good. She is still very weak, and we hope that she will soon begin to feel very much better.

Mrs. James Ratliff and Jim and Trese Ratliff from Abilene went to Dallas on Thursday and came back the same day. Trese had a checkup at Scottish Rites Hospital; got a real good report. The Ratliff's report 1 1/2 inches of rain on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid received almost an inch of rain on Sunday evening. Mrs. Anne Neves from Snyder visited with the J.D. Kincaids on Thursday. J.D. and Lucy went to Roby after church on Sunday and ate dinner with Mrs. Eunice Arp.

Congratulations to Olga Onofre (Mrs. Lupe Onofre) who went to Dallas on June 19th and on Friday, the 20th, Olga became a United States citizen. There were 150 countries represented, with Mexico and Vietnam having the most there, 25 each. Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Onofre and their two boys went to Six Flags while they were in Dallas.

Jim and I went to Abilene on Thursday and the remainder of the week have been working either in the yard or in the field. Boy, but the weeds are sure growing, and will continue to do so if it keeps raining.

See you next Thursday.

Farmer-Owned Grain Reserve Limits Announced

Acting Secretary of Agriculture Daniel G. Amstutz today announced the maximum amounts of grain for the 1986 crops of wheat and feed grains that may be stored under the farmer-owned grain reserve.

He said, the upper limits on the quantity of grain in the farmer-owned reserve is being set at 17 percent of wheat and 7 percent for feed grains of the estimated domestic and

export usage of these grains during the 1986-87 marketing years. The U.S. Department of Agriculture estimates those quantities at about 380 million bushels for wheat and 625 million bushels for feed grains. Amstutz said that entry into the reserve pro-

gram will not be permitted for maturing 1986-crop wheat and feed grain loans if the quantities in the reserve from earlier crop years exceed the established upper limits for the grains at the time the 1986-crop loans mature.

Today's announcement does not affect maturing 1985-crop wheat and feed grains Commodity Credit Corporation loans, Amstutz said. Producers with 1986-crop loans may continue to place such loans into the reserve, even if the above limits are exceeded, he said.

Before each year's harvest, the USDA is required to announce the upper limits of the quantity of wheat and feed grains that may be stored under the reserve, Amstutz said.

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Final Rites Held For Hazel Pettit Of Rotan

Hazel Pettit, 74, longtime Fisher County resident, died at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 19th at Hendricks Medical Center in Abilene. Funeral services were conducted at 10 a.m. Saturday, June 21st at Weathersbee Funeral Home Chapel in Rotan. Officiating was Rev. Terry Lowe, pastor of First United Methodist Church. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery of Rotan.

Mr. Pettit was born December 12, 1911 at Sulphur Bluff, Texas. He was the son of James Robert and Martha Pettit. He moved to Rotan in 1923 with his family and had made his home here since. He married Doris Glaze, January 11, 1936, at Rotan. He

was a veteran of World War II when he served with the U.S. Army and was a prisoner of war in Germany. He was a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Methodist Church. Mr. Pettit was a retired farmer and employee of the Rotan gypsum plant.

He is survived by his wife of Rotan; a daughter, Mrs. Bill (Nancy) Crite of Ft. Worth; a brother: Arthur Pettit of Lubbock; four sisters: Lynn Cadell of Lubbock; Billie Scott of Lawton, Oklahoma; Gladys Greenway, Cleveland, Texas; Ada Belcher, Middleton, Cal.; three grandchildren, Mike Barker of Sweetwater; Sherrie and Vickie Crite of Ft. Worth.

Funeral Services Held For Tom Morales

Tom Morales, 61, of Sweetwater, died at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, June 19 at Hendricks Medical Center in Abilene following a brief illness.

Funeral services were conducted at 4 p.m. Saturday, June 21st at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Rotan with Rev. Mike Good, pastor of the Immaculated Heart of Mary Catholic Church in Sweetwater and Rev. Austin Kirtledge, pastor of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Rotan, officiating. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery of Rotan.

Rosary was at 7:30 p.m. Friday at Weathersbee Funeral Home Chapel.

Mr. Morales was born September 22, 1924 at Roby. The son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. Morales, he moved to Sweetwater in 1953 and had made his home there since. He married Guadalupe Medrano, November 8, 1946. She died January 16, 1971. He was a retired employee of Big State Roustabouts.

He is survived by five daughters: Elizabeth Torres, Eloise Morales, Terry Morales, Yolanda Reyes, all of Sweet-

water; Belinda Gomez of Abilene; one brother: Morris Morales of Sweetwater and one sister: Mrs. Leonore Perales of Ft. Worth and thirteen grandchildren.

Funeral Held For Maebell Ogden

Maebell Ogden, 65, of Rotan, died at 7:50 p.m. Thursday, June 19th at Fisher County Hospital. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, June 21st, at Weathersbee Funeral Home Chapel. Officiating was the Rev. Terry Lowe, pastor of the First United Methodist Church in Rotan. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery in Rotan.

Miss Ogden was born November 11, 1920 in Fisher County and had been a resident of the county all of her life. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Wyatt Ogden. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church, the Rebekah Lodge and the V.F.W. Auxiliary.

She is survived by two brothers: Paul Ogden of Irving and Willis Ogden of Rotan; one sister: Mrs. John (Wilda) Leach of Rotan.

Katrina Rains & Mikya Dickson Receive Awards

Kellye's School of Dance and Gymnastics recently held their spring recital at Snyder. Katrina Rains, daughter of Mac and Belynda Rains and Mikya Dickson, daughter of Gary and Debbie Dickson, both completed the year of gymnastics with high accomplishments.

Katrina was in tumbling and trampolining competition in TAA meets placing 4th in trampolining at Plains, 4th in tumbling, 2nd in trampolining at Brownfield, which was District meet and then she advanced to State at Level-land placing 8th.

Mikya competed in tumbling placing 2nd at Andrews, 2nd at Plains and 4th at District meet at Brownfield. Both girls received medals from Kellye for most improved students for the year and they were enrolled in one of two classes that was awarded a plaque to leave at the studio, as most improved of 10 different classes.

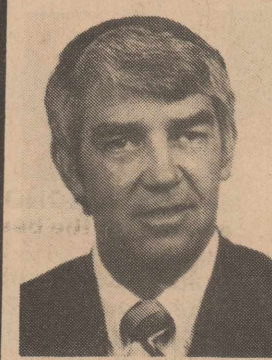


Mikya Dickson & Katrina Rains

Notice

Due To Personal Illness, Dr. E.J. Hawkins Will Not See Patients For An Indefinite Period Of Time.

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Ricky and Emily King of Kermit are proud to announce the birth of their daughter, Whitney Heather. She was born on May 30th at 1:03 p.m., weighing 7 lbs. and 20 inches in length.

Paternal grandparents are Bill and Delphine King, formerly of Roby, now residing in Lubbock.

Maternal grandparents are Mark and Karen Davidson of Roscoe.

Paternal great grandfather is Clyde South of Rotan.

Results Of Rotan Elementary Track Meet

600 Yd. run: 4th grade boys: Henry Daniel, 1st; Mark Marshall, 2nd; Travis Deen, 3rd; Brandon Rains, 4th; Matt Mercer, 5th; Fabian Ramirez, 6th.

600 Yd. run, 4th grade girls: Rebecca Daniel, 1st; Melissa Martinez, 2nd.

300 Yd. dash, 1st grade boys: C.W. Robertson, 1st; Simon Rivera, 2nd; Tony Yanez, 3rd; Marcus Rodriguez, 4th; Ines Hernandez, 5th; Patrick Castillo, 6th.

300 Yd. dash, 4th grade boys: Tyrone Daniel, 1st; Joe Henry, 2nd; Mark Marshall, 3rd; Eric Whitley, 4th; Paul Hester, 5th.

300 Yd. dash, 4th grade girls: Rebecca Daniel, 1st; Penny Tankersley, 2nd.

300 Yd. dash, 3rd grade boys: Steven Warren, 1st; David Nowlin, 2nd; Brandon Weaver, 3rd; Brian Carreon, 4th; Carlos Almanza, 5th; Chris Gaspar, 6th.

300 Yd. Dash, 2nd grade boys: Roger Carion, 1st; Trey Brown, 2nd; Jay Ben Alls, 3rd; Rusty Goodwin, 4th; Tony Soliz, 5th; Shon Fudge, 6th.

300 Yd. Dash, 2nd grade girls: Shamika Ford, 1st; Amanda Clawson, 2nd; Melissa Carrillo, 3rd; Carmelita Munoz, 4th; Cassidy Early, 5th.

100 Yd. Dash, 1st grade boys: Santos Almanza, 1st; Russell Price, 2nd; Joey Sepeda, 3rd; B.J. Jones, 4th; Aaron Wylie, 5th; Ray Yanez, 6th.

100 Yd. Dash, 1st grade girls: Mandi May, 1st; Amy Gruben, 2nd; Katie Kennedy, 3rd; Carolyn Yanez, 4th; Shentill Menser, 5th; Erlinda Natividad, 6th.

100 Yd. Dash, 4th grade boys: Lee Yanez, 1st; Michael Montez, 2nd; Mitchell Montez, 3rd; Travis Deen, 4th; Bryce Wylie, 5th; Paul Hester, 6th.

100 Yd. Dash, 4th grade girls: Janet Martin, 1st; Jenni Burns, 2nd; Eleshia White, 3rd; Shana Schooley, 4th.

100 Yd. Dash, 3rd grade boys: Steven Warren, 1st; Brandon Weaver, 2nd; Joe Ramon, 3rd; Domonick Yanez, 4th; Jesus Munoz, 5th.

100 Yd. Dash, 3rd grade girls: Buffy Shipp, 1st; Stephanie Hunsaker, 2nd; Priscilla Daniel, 3rd; Jody Price, 4th; Brandy Long, 5th.

100 Yd. Dash, 3rd grade girls: Anthony Smith, 1st; Temple Daniel, 2nd; Chris Leach, 3rd; Joe Sepeda, 4th; Pete Elrod, 5th.

100 Yd. Dash, 3rd grade girls: Amy Blackwelder, 1st; Michelle Martinez, 2nd; Melissa Burk, 3rd; Mandye McKinney, 4th; Jennifer Wylie, 5th.

100 Yd. Dash, 2nd grade boys: Clinton Williams, 1st; Jason Knight, 2nd; Fedecio Ramon, 3rd; Adrain Aumada, 4th; Gary Brown, 5th; Phillip Hull, 6th.

100 Yd. Dash, 2nd grade girls: Danna Parr,

1st; Jennifer Rains, 2nd; Jenny Underhill, 3rd; Daniella Garcia, 4th; Kathleen Moffett, 5th.

75 Yd. Dash, 1st grade boys: Kris Rogers, 1st; B.J. Jones, 2nd; James Flores, 3rd; Patrick Castillo, 4th; Jason Hargrove, 5th; Ruben Martinez, 6th.

75 Yd. Dash, 1st grade girls: Mindi May, 1st; Amy Gruben, 2nd; Deon Duke, 3rd; Adriana Velez, 4th; Joe Anna Sanchez, 5th; Mandy Dycus, 6th.

75 Yd. Dash, 4th grade boys: Joe Henry Daniel, 1st; Stanley Castillo, 2nd; Michael Montez, 3rd; Bidal Salas, 4th; Travis Deen, 5th.

75 Yd. Dash, 4th grade girls: Karen Dickson, 1st; Jackie Golden, 2nd; Eleshia White, 3rd; Christina Martinez, 4th; Elaine Soliz, 5th.

75 Yd. Dash, 3rd grade boys: Anthony Smith, 1st; Russell Smith, 2nd; Carlos Almanza, 3rd; Domonick Yanez, 4th; Michael Hull, 5th.

75 Yd. Dash, 3rd grade girls: Michelle Martinez, 1st; Jamie Grisham, 2nd; Amber White, 3rd; Trisha Deen, 4th; Amy Bennett, 5th.

75 Yd. Dash, 2nd grade boys: Zack Bruns, 1st; Aaron Peace, 2nd; Randy Wylie, 3rd; Shane Jagers, 4th; Ronnie Martinez, 5th; Emilio Yanez, 6th.

75 Yd. Dash, 2nd grade girls: Lynn Bankston, 1st; Brandi Murphree, 2nd; Kasey Greene, 3rd; Brenda Sepeda, 4th; Rebekah Dawes, 5th.

75 Yd. Dash, Kindergarten boys: Stoney Carrillo, 1st; Kaleb Goodwin, 2nd; Jeremy Alls, 3rd; Allan Martinez, 4th; Patrick Kamer, 5th; Kenneth Messick, 6th.

75 Yd. Dash, Kindergarten girls: Julie Grisham, 1st; Tracy Posey, 2nd; Moriah Johnson, 3rd; Leticia Ramon, 4th; Genessa Neeper, 5th; Maria Gonzales, 6th.

75 Yd. Dash, Early Childhood boys: Cedric Brown, 1st; Le'Dan Edwards, 2nd; Shane Martin, 3rd.

75 Yd. Dash, Early Childhood girls: Tracy Martinez, 1st; Stacia Guerrero, 2nd; Rocky Munoz, 3rd; Corina Yanez, 4th.

50 Yd. Dash, 1st grade boys: Russell Price, 1st; Jason Paul Luera, 2nd; Joe Hernandez, 3rd; Brian Hale, 4th; Mikeal Harrison, 5th; Justin Moffett, 6th.

50 Yd. Dash, 1st grade girls: Tracilla Ballard, 1st; Rosa Linda Tamez, 2nd; Monica Alvarado, 3rd; Laura Blackwelder, 4th; Janice Carrillo, 5th; Adriana Velez, 6th.

50 Yd. Dash, 4th grade boys: Eric Whitley, 1st; Matt Mercer, 2nd; Mitchell Montez, 3rd; Lee Yanez, 4th; Clay Hargrove, 5th; Sergio Martinez, 6th.

50 Yd. Dash, 4th grade girls: Jenni

Burns, 1st; Melissa Martinez, 2nd; Janet Martin, 3rd; Jackie Golden, 4th; Shana Schooley, 5th.

50 Yd. Dash, 3rd grade boys: Temple Daniel, 1st; Joe Ramon, 2nd; Chris Gaspar, 3rd; Dee Dycus, 4th; Richard Montez, 5th; Michael Hull, 6th.

50 Yd. Dash, 3rd grade girls: Christi Alaniz, 1st; Eloria Almanza, 2nd; Sherry Brown, 3rd; Brandi Thomason, 4th.

50 Yd. Dash, 3rd grade girls: Jennifer Wylie, 1st; Corinna Almanza, 2nd; Amber White, 3rd; Amy Bennett, 4th; Selina Garcia, 5th.

50 Yd. Dash, 2nd grade boys: Macario Rivera, 1st; Jason McNeal, 2nd; Jimmy Don Tankersley, 3rd; Johnny Sharp, 4th; Patrick Zambrano, 5th; Joshua Kelly, 6th.

50 Yd. Dash, 2nd grade girls: Janie Reyna, 1st; Ana DeLeon, 2nd; Kimberly Martinez, 3rd; Patricia Sepeda, 4th.

50 Yd. Dash, Kindergarten boys: Jeremy Torres, 1st; Joey Lujan, 2nd; Virgil Franklin, 3rd; Jason Sepeda, 4th; Lane Greene, 5th; Gary Limones, 6th.

50 Yd. Dash, Kindergarten girls: Monica Gaspar, 1st; Crystal Flores, 2nd; Katy Cade, 3rd; Keri McDaniel, 4th; Stephanie Yanez, 5th; Brandy Dyess, 6th.

50 Yd. Dash, Early Childhood boys: Billy Don Vaughan, 1st; Rudy Flores, 2nd; Baldemar Frausto, 3rd.

50 Yd. Dash, Early Childhood girls: Rocky Munoz, 1st; Krystle Ramirez, 2nd; Deidra West, 3rd; Leslie Huera, 4th.

Softball Throw, 1st grade: Mikeal Harrison, 1st; Simon Rivera, 2nd; Inez Hernandez, 3rd; Bubba Zanez, 4th; C.W. Robertson, 5th; Ray Yanez, 6th.

Softball Throw, 1st grades: Katie Kennedy, 1st; Shantill Menser, 2nd; Rosa Linda Tamez, 3rd; Leanne Landes, 4th; Amy Gruben, 5th; Deon Duke, 6th.

Softball Throw, 1st grade boys: Santon Almanza, 1st; James Flores, 2nd; Paul Almanza, 3rd; Marcus Rodriguez, 4th; Tony Yanez, 5th; Jason Hargrove, 6th.

Softball Throw, 4th grade boys: 47-A: Adam Yanez, 1st; Mitchell Montez, 2nd; Sergio Martinez, 3rd; 47-B: Stanley Castillo, 1st; Matt Mercer, 2nd; Paul Hester, 3rd; Fabian Ramirez, 4th.

Softball Throw, 4th grade girls: Rebecca Daniel, 1st; Elaine Tankersley.

Softball Throw, 3rd grade boys: Steve Warren, 1st; Domonick Yanez, 2nd; Joe Ramon, 3rd; Carlos Almanza,

4th; Chris Gaspar, 5th; Richard Montez, 6th.

Softball Throw, 3rd grade girls: Michelle Martinez, 1st; Mandye McKinney, 2nd; Amy Blackwelder, 3rd; Amy Bennett, 4th.

Softball Throw, 3rd grade: Leonor Limones, 1st; Selina Garcia, 2nd; Amanda Alvarado, 3rd; Stephanie Hunsaker, 4th.

Softball Throw, 3rd grade boys: Brandon Weaver, 1st; Joseph Arrasola, 2nd; Russell Smith, 3rd; Dee Dycus, 4th; Jesus Munoz, 5th; Michael Hull, 6th.

Softball, 3rd grade boys: Temple Daniel, 1st; Joe Sepeda, 2nd; Adam Yanez, 3rd; David Nowlin, 4th; Anthony Smith, 5th; Chris Silvas, 6th.

Softball Throw, 2nd grade boys: Roger Carion, 1st; Clinton Williams, 2nd; Gary Brown, 3rd; Zack Burnes, 4th; Jason McNeal, 5th; Johnny Sharp, 6th.

Softball Throw, 2nd grade boys: Macario Rivera, 1st; Ronnie Martinez, 2nd; Emilio Yanez, 3rd; Rusty Goodwin, 4th; Patrick Zambrano, 5th; Jimmy Don Tankersley, 6th.

Softball Throw, 2nd grade girls: Jennifer Rains, 1st; Danna Parr, 2nd; Brenda Sepeda, 3rd; Melissa Carrillo, 4th; Rebekah Dawes, 5th.

Softball Throw, 2nd grade girls: Ana DeLeon, 1st; Janie Reyna, 2nd; Patricia Sepeda, 3rd; Kimberly Martinez, 4th; Kasey Greene, 5th; Jenney Underhill, 6th.

Softball Throw, Kindergarten, boys: Virgil Franklin, 1st; Jason Soliz, 2nd; Kaleb Goodwin, 3rd; Jeremy Alls, 4th; Gary Limones, 5th; Jason Sepeda, 6th.

Softball Throw, Kindergarten, girls: Monica Gaspar, 1st; Tracy Posey, 2nd; Stephanie Yanez, 3rd; Pam Bankston, 4th; Moriah Johnson, 5th; Lynde Martinez, 6th.

Softball Throw, Early Childhood, boys: Le'Dan Edwards, 1st; Baldemar Frausto, 2nd; Cedric Brown, 3rd.

Softball Throw, Early Childhood, girls: Tracy Martinez, 1st; Deidra West, 2nd; Leslie Luera, 3rd; Rocky Munoz, 4th.

Tire Push, 1st grade: Kris Rogers, 1st; Inez Hernandez, 2nd; Brian Hale, 3rd; B.J. Jones, 4th; Justin Moffett, 5th;

Bubba Yanez, 6th.

Tire Push, 1st grade: Shantill Menser, 1st; Joe Anna Sanchez, 2nd; Mandy Dycus, 3rd; Deon Duke, 4th; Adriana Velez, 5th; Erlinda Natividad, 6th.

Tire Push, 4th grade boys: Tyrone Daniel, 1st; Adam Yanez, 2nd; Bryce Wylie, 3rd; Brandon Rains, 4th; Clay Hargrove, 5th; Lane Hicks, 6th.

Tire Push, 4th grade girls: Janet Martin, 1st; Christina Martinez, 2nd; Jenni Bumer, 3rd; Karen Dickson, 4th.

Tire Push, 3rd grade girls: Vickie Munoz, 1st; Mandye McKinney, 2nd; Amanda Alvarado, 3rd; Jennifer Wylie, 4th; Selina Garcia, 5th.

Tire Push, 3rd grade boys: Russell Smith, 1st; Brian Carreon, 2nd; Dee Dycus, 3rd; Joseph Arrasola, 4th; Richard Montez, 5th.

Tire Push, 3rd grade boys: Buffy Shipp, 1st; Trisha Deen, 2nd; Brandi Thomason, 3rd; Melissa Burk, 4th; Sherry Brown, 5th.

Tire Push, 3rd grade boys: Pete Garcia, 1st; Adam Montez, 2nd; Joe Sepeda, 3rd; Chris Sepeda, 4th; Chris Leach, 5th; Pete Elrod, 6th.

Tire Push, 3rd grade girls: Yolanda Martinez, 1st; Leonor Limones, 2nd; Dawn Tandy, 3rd; Corinna Almanza, 4th; Teasha Callan, 5th.

Tire Push, 2nd grade boys: Jason Knight, 1st; Ronnie Martinez, 2nd; Aaron Peace, 3rd; Zack Burns, 4th; Gary Brown, 5th; Joshua Shelley, 6th.

Tire Push, 2nd grade girls: Carmelita Munoz, 1st; Amanda Clawson, 2nd; Rebekah Dawes, 3rd; Jennifer Underhill, 4th; Patricia Sepeda, 5th; Daniella Garcia, 6th.

Tire Push, Kindergarten, boys: Jeremy Alls, 1st; Patrick Kamer, 2nd; Damon Clawson, 3rd; Adam Lovell, 4th; J.D. Elrod, 5th; Henry Almanza, 6th.

Tire Push, Kindergarten, girls: Monica Gaspar, Elizabeth Cantu, 2nd; Sandy Brown, 3rd; Renee Helms, 4th.

Tire Push, Kindergarten, boys: Stoney Carrillo, 1st; John Rivera, 2nd; Lane Greene, 3rd; Jason Soliz, 4th; Guy Kelley, 5th.

Tire Push, Kindergarten, girls: Leticia Ramon, 1st; Brandy Dyess, 2nd; Priscilla Salazar, 3rd; Angelina Gonzalez, 4th.

Tire Push, Kindergarten girls: Julie Grisham, 1st; Pam Bankston, 2nd; Keri McDaniel, 3rd; Chassity Tankersley, 4th; Maria Gonzales, 5th.

Shuttle Run, 1st grade boys: Joey Sepeda, 1st; Joe Hernandez, 2nd; Kris Rogers, 3rd; Brian Hale, 4th; Ruben Martinez, 5th; Bubba Yanez, 6th.

Shuttle Run, 1st grade girls: Leanne Landes, 1st; Katie Kennedy, 2nd; Laura Blackwelder, 3rd; Tracilla Ballard, 4th; Erlinda Natividad, 5th; Janice Carrillo, 6th.

Shuttle Run, 1st grade boys: Aaron Wylie, 1st; James Flores, 2nd; Jason Paul Luera, 3rd; Santos Almanza, 4th; Paul Almanza, 5th; Marcus Rodriguez, 6th.

Shuttle Run, 4th grade boys: 81-A: Bidal Salas, 1st; Joe Gonzalez, 2nd; Clay Hargrove, 3rd; 81-B: Lee Yanez, 1st; Lane Hicks, 2nd; Stanley Castillo, 3rd; Eric Whitley, 4th.

Shuttle Run, 4th grade girls: Penny Tankersley, 1st; Eleshia White, 2nd; Jackie Golden, 3rd; Christina Martinez, 4th.

Shuttle Run, 3rd grade girls: Melissa Burk, 1st; Corinna Almanza, 2nd; Leonor Limones, 3rd; Amber White, 4th; Yolanda Martinez, 5th.

Shuttle Run, 3rd grade boys: Brian Carreon, 1st; Pete Garcia, 2nd; Joseph Arrasola, 3rd; Pete Elrod, 4th;

Jesus Munoz, 5th.

Shuttle Run, 3rd grade girls: Jamie Grisham, 1st; Jody Price, 2nd; Buffy Shipp, 3rd; Stephanie Hunsaker, 4th; Brandy Long, 5th; Christy Alaniz, 6th.

Shuttle Run, 3rd grade boys: David Nowlin, 1st; Chris Leach, 2nd; Adam Montez, 3rd; Chris Silvas, 4th.

Shuttle Run, 3rd grade girls: Vickie Munoz, 1st; Dawn Tandy, 2nd; Eloria Almanza, 3rd; Teasha Callan, 4th.

Shuttle Run, 2nd grade boys: Roger Carion, 1st; Clinton Williams, 2nd; Rusty Goodwin, 3rd; Fedecio Ramon, 4th; Shon Fudge, 5th; Patrick

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Shuttle Run, 2nd grade boys: Phillip Hull, 1st; Jason McNeal, 2nd; Jason Knight, 3rd; Jimmy Don Tankersley, 4th; Randy Wylie, 5th; Shane Jagers, 6th.

Shuttle Run, 2nd grade girls: Shamika Ford, 1st; Jennifer Rains, 2nd; Janie Reyna, 3rd; Danna Parr, 4th; Kimberly Martinez, 5th.

Shuttle Run, 2nd grade girls: Lynn Bankston, 1st; Brandi Murphree, 2nd; Brenda Sepeda, 3rd; Melissa Carrillo, 4th; Kathleen Moffett, 5th.

Shuttle Run, Kindergarten boys: J.D. Elrod, 1st; Guy Kelley, 2nd; Damon Clawson, 3rd; Adam Lovell, 4th.

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State Capital Highlights

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Texas Comptroller Bob Bullock reported last week that state spending rose for the third straight month, even as state government hurtles towards its destined day of reckoning with a \$1.3 billion deficit.

Bullock's figures show total spending in May was over 80% higher than the monthly average for the fiscal year.

Bullock's office, which months ago began criticizing Gov. Mark White's voluntary austerity plan, made no comment on that issue.

But former Gov. Bill Clements, now seeking to oust White, called White's plan "a bust" that did not reduce the spending habits of state government one penny.

White exchanged fire, accusing Clements of flip-flopping on the Panhandle nuclear dump issue. He remained optimistic that his austerity plan is working.

Cyclical spending causes some monthly reports to be higher than others, his office explained.

MONITORING SPENDING

Neither White nor Clements had any new twists on the subject of a special session to balance the state budget.

One bright spot is that Bullock has joined together the top staff in several of his divisions into a new Economic Analysis Center.

He has directed them to combine data from the research, revenue-estimating, find-accounting and debt-registration arms and compile an up-to-date picture of the Texas economy and its future in an ongoing process.

CLEMENTS GAINS

Clements and U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm, the state's top two Republicans, have apparently reconciled any differences they carried in the past primary election.

Their new alliance means peace, for now, between old line Republicans and new converts, particularly former Democrats.

Clements also won the straw vote preference of delegates to the state employees convention last week by 61 percent to White's 24 percent. White responded that while Clements may have the state employees' leadership

support, he had the rank and file membership.

The Texas Public Employees Association made no official endorsement in that race, but voted to lobby for a nine percent pay increase next session.

TEXAS SUPREME COURT

Meanwhile, a House Committee continued investigating alleged misconduct on the Texas Supreme Court

amid charges from two justices the probe is politically motivated.

Justices C.L. Ray and William Kilgarlin, in a letter to that committee, said they have been politically targeted for removal from the court, apparently for siding too much with plaintiffs.

They charge the committee chairman with aiding their opposition.

The link, the letter pointed out, occurred

visibly at a March meeting to plan the first committee hearing. It was held at the home of George Shipley, a political consultant who jointly works for committee chairman Rep. Frank Tejeda and the pro-defense group Texas Supreme Court Justice Committee.

Ray and Kilgarlin questioned "the legislative purpose being served by your campaign manager (Shipley) directing the committee investigation from his home."

Shipley responded the informal meeting was to introduce a San Antonio reporter to possible sources.

OTHER HIGHLIGHTS

The Texas AFL-CIO last week said labor will lobby next session for state legislation imposing criminal penalties on contractors who do not enforce occupational safety standards.

Recent figures show Texas leads the nation in construction deaths, and violations of federal safety regulations were cited as factors in three of four deaths.

Recent survey results show most Texans are not optimistic about the state economy and their personal fortunes.

Fifty-four percent expect to be worse off next year, an impact of the oil patch crisis.

The Texas Education Agency will study the possibility of public schools switching to a quarter system from the semester system.

In the quarter system, students would be required to attend school three quarters and have one quarter off. Vacations would be alternated by taking off three months at different times.

Rotan Nursing Center News

We would like to thank the ladies of the Alathean Class of the First Baptist Church for our birthday party last week. We had no birthdays in June, but the residents always look forward to a party or to have the ladies coming by to visit. We would also like to thank the Calvary Baptist Church for their service Sunday

afternoon.

The residents are enjoying all the fresh vegetables people have been bringing in.

At bingo last Friday, Octavianus Harrell had a bingo everytime anyone else did. The residents decided she must be practicing a lot. Several of the residents are taking advantage of the sunshine to get out and walk.

Visitors in the home last week were Era Mae Woody visiting Romie Kersh; Domingo and Judy Trejo, Jr. of Sweetwater visited Johnnie Trejo; Rhonda Walker of Cisco, David and Doyle Walker of Cisco all visited Bert Rushing; Ross Austin of Abilene visited Nancy Bagwell and Herman and Gene Eaton visited their mother, Edna Eaton.

Annie Franklin was elected Employee of the Month for June at our staff meeting last week.

Lora Cleveland

Legal Notice

J.A. Wilburn, Rt. No. 1 Box 314, Sweetwater, Texas, 79556 has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of produced salt water or other oil and gas waste by well injection into a porous formation not productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the Flippen, L.L. Stuart et al, Well Number 3. The proposed disposal well is located 5 miles East from Roby in the Rallen (Flippen) in Fisher County.

The waste water will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 3686 to 3710 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas, 78711 (Telephone 512-445-1373.)

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Shuttle Run, Kindergarten girls: Angelina Gonzalez, 1st; Chassity Tankersley, 2nd; Genessa Neeper, 3rd; Elizabeth Cantu, 4th; Jessica Fowler, 5th.

Shuttle Run, Kindergarten, girls: Katy Cade, 1st; Priscilla Salazar, 2nd; Crystal Flores, 3rd; Renee Helms, 4th; Trina Deen, 5th; Lynde Martinez, 6th.

Shuttle Run, Early Childhood, boys: Shane Martin, 1st; Rudy Flores, 2nd; Billy Don Vaughan, 3rd.

Shuttle Run, Early Childhood girls: Krystle Ramirez, 1st; Corinna Yanez, 2nd; Stacia Guerrero, 3rd; Leslie Luera, 4th; Diedra West, 5th.

Sack Race, 1st grade boys: C.W. Robertson, 1st; Simon Rivera, 2nd; Jason Hargrove, 3rd; Joe Hernandez, 4th; Mikeal Harrison, 5th.

Sack Race, 1st grade boys: Joey Sepeda, 1st; Tony Yanez, 2nd; Ruben Martinez, 3rd; Justin Moffett, 4th.

Sack Race, 1st grade girls: Mandy May, 1st; Laura Blackwelder, 2nd; Traciella Ballard, 3rd; Carolyn Yanez, 4th.

Sack Race, 1st grade girls: Monica Alvarado, 1st; Janice Carrillo, 2nd; Joe Anna Sanchez, 3rd.

Sack Race, 4th grade boys: Brandon Rains, 1st; Joe Gonzalez, 2nd;

Lane Hicks, 3rd; Adam Yanez, 4th; Sergio Martinez, 5th; Brice Wylie, 6th.

Sack Race, 4th grade girls: Cesilia DeLeon, 1st; Melissa Martinez, 2nd; Elaine Soliz, 3rd.

Sack Race, 3rd grade girls: Amanda Alvarado, 1st; Vickie Munoz, 2nd; Dawn Tandy, 3rd; Yolanda Martinez, 4th; Teasha Callan, 5th.

Sack Race, 3rd grades girls: Eloria Almanza, 1st; Christy Alaniz, 2nd; Trisha Deen, 3rd; Brandi Thomason, 4th; Pricilla Daniel, 5th.

Sack Race, 2nd grade boys: Tony Soliz, 1st; Trey Brown, 2nd; Adraon Aumada, 3rd; Aaron Peace, 4th; Randy Wylie, 5th; Joshua Kelley, 6th.

Sack Race, 2nd grade boys: Emilio Yanez, 1st; Shon Fudge, 2nd; Fedencio Ramon, 3rd; Macario Rivera, 4th; Jay Ben Alls, 5th; Johnny Sharp, 6th.

Sack Race, 2nd grade girls: Brandi Murphree, 1st; Cassidy Early, 2nd; Daniella Garcia, 3rd; Ana DeLeon, 4th; Kathleen Moffett, 5th.

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Sack Race, Early Childhood boys: Cedric Brown, 1st; Le'Dan Edwards, 2nd; Shane Mar-

tin, 3rd; Baldmar Frausto, 4th; Rudy Flores, 5th; Billy Don Vaughan, 6th.

Sack Race, Early Childhood girls: Krystle Ramirez, 1st; Stacia Guerrero, 2nd; Coreina Yanez, 3rd; Tracy Martinez, 4th.

Bear Crab Walk, 1st grade boys: Aaron Wylie, 1st; Paul Almanza, 2nd; Russell Price, 3rd; Ray Yanez, 4th; Jason Paul Luera, 5th.

Bear Crab Walk, 1st grade girls: Leanne Landes, 1st; Monica Alvarado, 2nd; Mandy Dycus, 3rd; Janice Carrillo, 4th; Rosa Linda Yanez, 5th; Carolyn Yanez, 6th.

Bear Crab Walk, 4th grade boys: Fabian Ramirez, 1st; Michael Montez, 2nd; Tyrone Daniel, 3rd; Mark Marshall, 4th; Joe Gonzalez, 5th; Bidal Salas, 6th.

Bear Crab Walk, 4th grade girls: Shana Schooley, 1st; Karen Dickson, 2nd; Cesilia DeLeon, 3rd.

Bear Crab Walk, 3rd grade girls: Jamie Grisham, 1st; Jody Price, 2nd; Brandy Long, 3rd; Amy Blackwelder, 4th; Sherry Brown, 5th; Priscilla Daniel, 6th.

Bear Crab Walk, 2nd grade boys: Tony Soliz, 1st; Jay Ben Alls, 2nd; Trey Brown, 3rd; Shane Jagers, 4th; Phillip Hull, 5th; Adrain Aumada, 6th.

Bear Crab Walk, 2nd grade girls: Amanda Clawson, 1st; Shamika Ford, 2nd; Carmelita Munoz, 3rd; Kasey Greene, 4th; Cassidy Early, 5th; Lynn Bankston, 6th.

Bear Crab Walk, Kindergarten boys: Joey Lujan, 1st; Kenneth Messick, 2nd; J.D. Elrod, 3rd; Lane Greene, 4th.

Bear Crab Walk, Kindergarten, boys: Kaleb Goodwin, 1st; Virgil Franklin, 2nd; Damon Clawson, 3rd; John Rivera, 4th; Allan Martinez, 5th.

Bear Crab Walk, Kindergarten, girls: Crystal Flores, 1st; Leticia Ramon, 2nd; Brandy Dyess, 3rd; Jessica Fowler, 4th; Trina Deen, 5th; Sandy Brown, 6th.

Bear Crab Walk, Kindergarten, girls: Priscilla Salazar, 1st; Stephanie Yanez, 2nd; Moriah Johnson, 3rd; Pam Bankston, 4th; Genessa Neeper, 5th.

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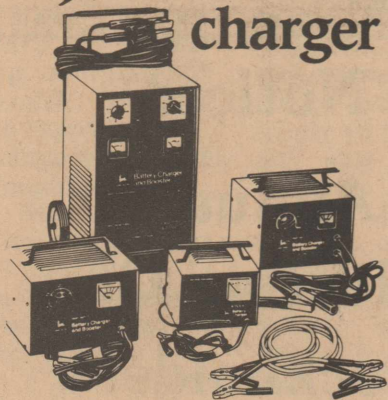
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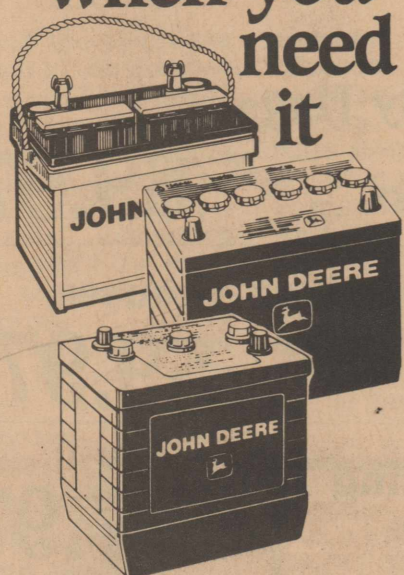
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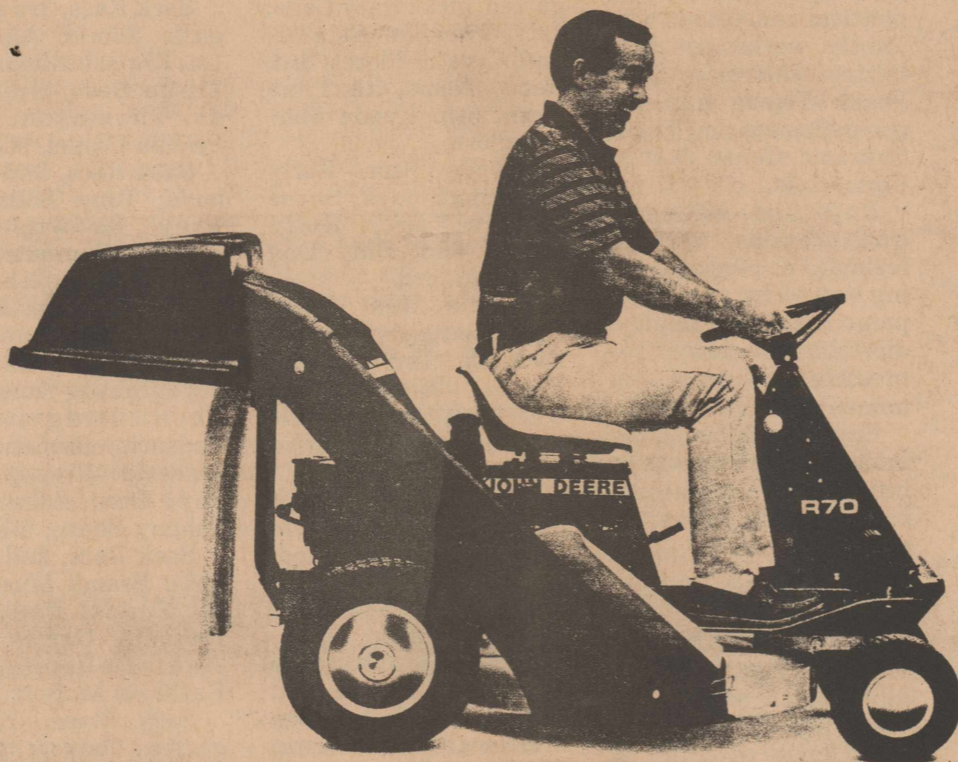
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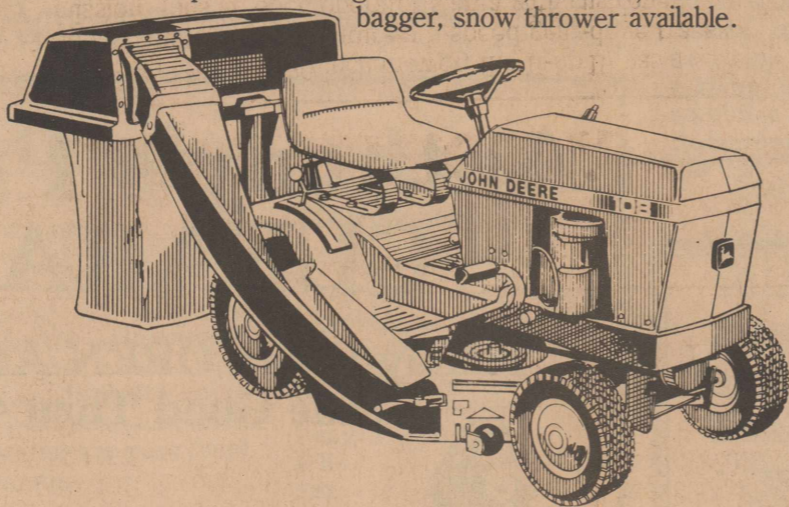
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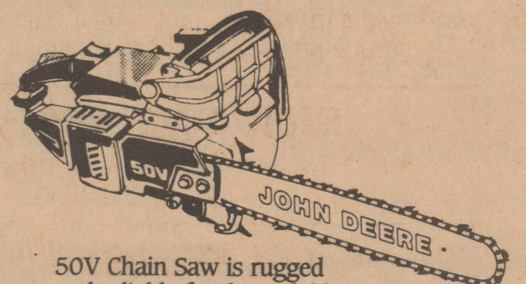
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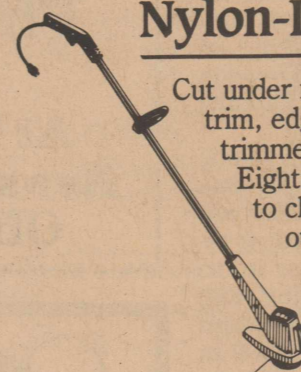
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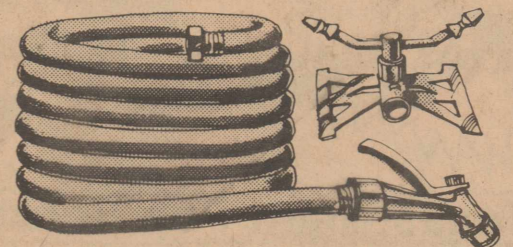
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