

Michelle Burk Attends Meeting In Washington D.C.

Michelle Burk returned to Roby last Tuesday following a week long stay in Washington, D.C. to attend Citizenship-Washington Focus—a citizenship and leadership training pro-

gram at the National 4-H Center. Michelle was among 45 4-H members from Texas and 44 other states who participated in the summer program.

ASCS Release On Making Better Use Of Grassland

A forage inventory can be used by some livestock producers to help them plan to make better use of their grassland resources.

Charles Black, District Conservationist for the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Soil Conservation Service at Rotan, said SCS conservationists help producers make the inventories.

"In making an inventory, we study four things," Black said. "First, we analyze the kinds of forage available pasture by pasture or field by field. Then we estimate the amount of forage each pasture, field, and species will produce."

"Next, we analyze the quality of those forages and the season of availability of each. Some plants are more palatable and more nutritious at different times of the year and we consider that in the inventory."

Often, minor adjustments can be made in grazing management that will improve the quality and quantity of forage for livestock.

Black said forage inventories can also reveal the need for some kind of grazing plan that will permit some pastures to be deferred from grazing during part of the growing season.

"one gate for a few weeks to give one pasture a short rest, or it can be very elaborate," Black said. "But the point is, most grassland can be improved by a good planned grazing system."

Research has indicated that 60 to 70 percent of the total available forage is wasted in a continuous grazing system where livestock are allowed to pick and choose what they want to eat daily. Under this system, many plants are never grazed while a few are grazed repeatedly.

A simple rotational grazing system reduces the amount of wasted forage to 40 to 50 percent.

"But the intensive systems are not for everybody," Black stressed. "They require daily supervision and everyone has the time to watch the forage and livestock every day."

"Rotating one herd of livestock through two, three or four pastures-over time-can greatly improve grassland and improves the efficiency of forage use."

Wildlife should always be considered in making forage inventories and in designing grazing system, Black said. Sometimes, simple adjustments can be made that will greatly benefit wildlife resources.

ment procedures. On Tuesday, June 24 they spent the day on Capitol Hill to get a close-up view of the political process and to meet with members of Congress. The group met with Congressman Charles Stenholm and sat in on a session of the House of Representatives.

In workshop sessions at the National 4-H Center, the young people learned and practiced leadership skills, discussed and debated legislative issues and policies, proposed possible solutions to domestic and international concerns, and held simulated congressional hearings and

county council meetings. They also developed a plan to incorporate what they learned into ongoing 4-H programs in their home communities. They learned the way immigrants become citizens of the U.S. They also learned how a bill is passed through Congress.

Citizenship-Washington Focus is arranged by National 4-H Council in support of the 4-H program of the Co-operative-Extension system of the state land-grant universities and the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Program support and fellowship for 17 college age 4-H alumni to join the Citizenship-Washington Focus staff were provided by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Group/Orrville Redenbacher's Gourmet Popping corn, Bethesda/Cherry Chase Rotary Club, Check Direct Inc., CIGNA, Dorothy Emerson Commemorative

Fund, Farmland Industries, Inc., Illinois 4-H Foundation, Norman C. Mindrum 4-H Education Fund, Sterling Drug, Inc., National Associates and Valupon Inc.

Michelle was selected to attend after evaluation of her Citizenship-Washington Focus application form.

Michelle urges 4-Hers who are interested in attending the Citizenship-Washington Focus program next summer, or want additional information about 4-H, to write or call the County Extension Office at 776-2171, Roby.

Booster Club Formed For Gymnastics By Parents

Last Thursday night, a booster club was formed for gymnastics by several parents who met with that purpose in mind. Gwen Helms was elected as President, Sheila Murphee, Vice-President; Belynda Rains, Secretary/Treasurer; and Connie Early, Reporter. The purpose of forming a Booster Club is to enable the Rotan area to continue offering gymnastics to children and young people. The summer gymnastics program that is now underway, will continue through the school year. The first goal of the Booster Club is to purchase mats. Several fund raisers will be planned for this purpose.

Any parent that has a child interested in taking gymnastics in the fall needs to sign up at the community center on Thursday or Thursday morning or contact Gwen Helms at 735-2573 or Sheila Murphee at 735-2266. Competition will also be offered to those that wish to compete. A sign up sheet for competition is also available at the community center. Only a set number of

students will be taken, please call soon. Also, anyone interested in donating toward the purchase of the mats may contact Gwen or Sheila.

We are all excited that we can offer a program such as gymnastics to our community. The kids love it and we hope it will be a big success.

Roby Methodist Church To Host Supper, July 12

The United Methodist Youth of Roby Methodist Church will serve a hamburger supper on Saturday, July 12th from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. at the Roby Methodist Church. Cost is \$3.50 per person. This is a youth project with money going toward the painting of the church bus. If you would like to help paint our church bus, come and have a hamburger supper on Saturday, July 12th.

Truby Musical To Be Held On July 12th

The Truby country-western musical will be held Saturday, July 12th, at 7 p.m. There will be no admission charge. Everyone is welcome. Musicians are welcome. A snack bar will be open. For more information contact Walter Waggoner, Hamlin, at 576-2558.



Michelle Burk

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TWO events in my life, coming quite close together, reinforced my belief in the overwhelming power of love. These events were the birth of a grandson and the onset of a serious medical problem for me.

We marvel at the outpouring of love that greeted a new life in the world—from parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles, and from a sister (although she's a bit young to understand it). Even God must join in that outpouring of love.

The health problem also brought love to the foreground. When you have more than 30 years of married life behind you, love becomes an accepted, everyday emotion, felt even if not often expressed. My wife showed concern about the problem and put her love into warm actions and words. It was not maudlin nor was it suffocating, but it was—and is—a love that I can count on to sustain me and give me strength.

For a sometime skeptic, as many of us are, the events gave rich meaning to the biblical passage on faith, hope, and love. "But the greatest of these is love."

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When the cash flow is tight, many small business operators choose to pay their suppliers first and the employee withholding tax to the IRS last. Before the manager knows it, another month has passed and another set of payroll taxes has gone unpaid.

The Internal Revenue Service will take steps to minimize this liability as quickly as possible. They take a dim view of your owing several thousand dollars in payroll taxes but even a dimmer view of that liability growing to several more thousand dollars.

For those of you who may already be in the unenviable position of owing back payroll taxes, we have this advice. Pay the IRS. If this is truly impossible to do, contact your local district IRS office before it's necessary for them to contact you. This will be a positive indication to them that you will cooperate to solve the problem.

Most collection officers will try to work with you as long as you're willing to cooperate with them.

Corporate officers, beware. The IRS can hold corporate officers liable for unpaid taxes of the corporation (actually, it is a penalty equal to the corporate liability). In a recent court decision an employee who was not a corporate officer was also held liable for unpaid corporate payroll taxes. The employee was held liable even though he was told by his boss to pay other bills and not the IRS. The court said he had the option of quitting instead of doing as he was told. As unfair as that may sound, it is an indication of how serious a problem unpaid payroll taxes can be.

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by Joy Walker

Some folks sure had a wet 4th of July, as it rained and rained during the 4th and before, and all the fields out this way are still wet. The farmers are anxious to plow their cotton, but its still very wet although with the wind we have been getting, the last two days, it should dry up pretty soon. That is if we don't get any more rainfall, and the weatherman is predicting showers for this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter, Randall and Barry from Brownwood, all visited with the J.C. Caves on Sunday. The Carters were here to attend the Stuart reunion which was held at Roby over the weekend.

Chase Etheredge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Todd Etheredge, is here spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge, so they have sure been busy.

Hawthorne & Ethridge Engaged

Rev. and Mrs. James A. Hawthorne of Roby United Methodist Church announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sandy to Darrel Ethridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ethridge of Hart, Texas. The bride-elect is a 1986 graduate of Tulia High School. The prospective groom is a 1985 graduate of Hart High School. Wedding vows will be exchanged July 26th at First United Methodist Church in Tulia at 8:00 p.m. The couple plan to make their home in Lockwood, Colo. were Darrell will be employed by Keystone Communications.

Trese Ratliff, son of Jim Ratliff of Abilene, spent a week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ratliff. On the 4th they all went to Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Knipe's in Snyder for a bar-b-que and to watch the fireworks at Towle Park. Jim Ratliff from Abilene spent the 4th with the Ratliff's and accompanied them to the Knipes. Teresa Ratliff and Jay Stroup from Snyder visited with the Ratliff's on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Warren and girls from Snyder visited with the Rudolph Martinezs on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Diamond (Doris Medrano) of Dallas are the proud parents of a baby girl who was born last week; they named her Jessica Marie. Congratulations to Doris and Glen and to the proud grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Medrano.

Sue Medrano is still with her daughter, Mrs. Ginger Couch, in Dallas, and seems to be doing pretty good. The doctors said that if she continues to improve, she may get to come home in about two weeks. Sure do hope so.

Morris Hardin from Lubbock spent all day Sunday visiting with his mother, Mrs. Bea Hardin. Mrs. Sarah Shipp from Rotan spent the 4th of July with Bea.

Mrs. Opal Phillips spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Thornton. On the 4th they all went to the lake at Sweetwater, and really had a good day. All of the Hyers, Phillips and Porters were there.

Jim and I are sure tired as we have been on the run since last Thurs-

day morning. We attended the Stamford rodeo Wednesday night with Mark and Melody who were here spending a few days, and the arena was under water, and everywhere was thick mud. Then Thursday morning we went back to Stamford as Mark had to rope early and the arena was still under water. Friday morning Mark had to rope again and this time it rained nearly 4 inches that morning, while they were trying to rope, so it wasn't very good on the ropers or the spectators. Dr. and Mrs. Pete Fincher from Sterling City came that day and they spent the night here on the 4th. We all attended a bar-b-que that night at the home of Donnie and Sheila Gruben, and sure had a good time, with lots of good food. Mark, Melody, Pete and Karen went to the rodeo again that night, but we

stayed at Sheila's and then came home early. Saturday back to Stamford again, as it was Melody's turn, and the arena was at last beginning to dry out. Although Melody had a good run, she placed 11th, so missed getting in the Top 10 by one

slot, so we were sure disappointed. They left here Saturday evening, going straight to Wimberly and another rodeo, and so were sure tired and ready to put the horses up and get some rest. They did go back to Wimberly on Sunday though, as

Melody needed to place in one rodeo this weekend, as she is trying for "Rookie of the Year" in the Texas Barrel Racers Assoc., anyway we had a good weekend, with lots of running and visiting. That's all for now, see you next week.



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Statement of Resources and Liabilities

		Thousands of dollars
ASSETS	Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	
	Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	2,341
	Interest-bearing balances	2,499
	Securities	12,571
	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs	1,200
	Loans and lease financing receivables:	
	Loans and leases, net of unearned income	12,230
	LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	350
	LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	0
	Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve	11,880
	Assets held in trading accounts	0
Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)	155	
Other real estate owned	324	
Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies	0	
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	0	
Intangible assets	767	
Other assets	767	
Total assets	31,737	
LIABILITIES	Deposits:	
	In domestic offices	29,009
	Noninterest-bearing	2,503
	Interest-bearing	26,506
	In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs	0
	Noninterest-bearing	0
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	Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury	0
	Other borrowed money	0
	Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases	0
Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding	0	
Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits	489	
Other liabilities	29,509	
Total liabilities	29,509	
Limited-life preferred stock	0	
EQUITY CAPITAL	Perpetual preferred stock	0
	Common stock	100
	Surplus	200
	Undivided profits and capital reserves	1,939
	Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments	0
Total equity capital	2,239	
Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital	31,737	

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

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County Agent News

By Richard Spencer

Cotton result demonstrations have been established in the County. It took a while to get the variety tests in but we made it. Mickey Counts, Gene Terry, and Lance McWilliams are the cooperators with the variety tests. Gary Floyd, Brian Justiss, James Park and Mickey Counts all have cotton fertility test plots on their farms.

A big thanks to Citizens State Bank for sponsoring the need for the Long Range Study Group Meeting held recently.

4-H'ers are involved in a lot of competitive events during this time of year. And these types of events are directed toward making youth better individuals, not just winners.

Everybody "wins" with 4-H.

People are the only creatures on earth who survive by serving each other. It is in serving each other that people can find the satisfaction and reward they require for successful living. This fact is one of the basic principles upon which the 4-H club program is built.

Another way to say it is that "people get what they want in life by helping others get what they want." Individuals cannot succeed or even survive for long without the resources they receive from other people, and vice versa. Today's 4-H program fosters a spirit of cooperation and creativity; a feeling that it is important to help other people develop their potential as human beings.

Opportunities for youth and adults to fulfill this basic need in life are almost without limit in 4-H. It's called leadership development, citizenship and community service.

Everybody helps everybody else in 4-H, and therefore everybody comes out a winner.

In 4-H, 50 percent of the value of a youth's 4-H work is devoted to leadership of others and in citizenship and community service projects. The other 50 percent of a member's work is devoted to his or her own projects.

Not only do people who are 4-H members, parents and volunteer leaders benefit from 4-H, but so does the community in which they live. 4-H families

are devoting more and more of their time and energy to citizenship and community service projects. They want to literally "Make the Best Better" in their own communities.

To find out how to become a part of the 4-H team, contact the county Extension Office. Young people enrolled in the third grade through 19 years of age can join as members. Adults of any age can be a part of 4-H as project leaders, activity leaders, club leaders or help in many other ways.

Hammond Family Holds Reunion

The Hammond family met at the Rotan Community Center on Sunday June 29. A reunion of the cousins with Dollie Hammond being the only living child of

the late Will and Mary Hammond.

Those attending were Sonia Hammond, Rotan; Dick and Opal Miller, Anchorage, Alaska; Ed, Louise, and Greg Hammond, Bakerfield, Ca.; Odel' and Barbara Hammond; Warren Hammond, all of Dallas; Larry, Debbie, Brandon and Loretta Lewis, Richardson; Ardis and Mamie Murphree, Burleson; Dee, Judy, Shane and Missy Gann, Snyder; Raymond, Emma and Maudette Smith, Hereford; Virginia Hammond, Dennis and Irene Hammond, all of Abilene; Normer and Nora Upshaw, Jim and

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CS) by the July 25th final reporting date. "Farmers who meet this deadline will avoid paying a later reporting fee of \$20.00, Billy Don Atkinson, County Executive director said. To

Little League Holding Swim Parties For Participants

The members of the Little League baseball organization will be holding their annual swimming party on July 11th and 12th, according to a league official. The members of the t-ball and farm teams

will be holding their swimming party on July 11th from 7:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. The members of the Little League will be holding their swim party on July 12th from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

F.C. Nursing Home News

We had a nice day Friday, July 4th. Walter Miers, Shorty Crawford and Alvin Seaton came to play and sing for us about 2 p.m. They stayed a couple of hours and had us all clapping and having a good time. We all really enjoyed it and we hope they come back soon. Mr. and Mrs. Miers had a nice reception also. We all enjoyed the cake, ice cream and punch. Betty Mauldin, the Miers daughter, played the piano for us. Dove Blevins was our bingo winner. Our Employee of the Month is Eli Velez. Eliz is our Director of Nursing.

Our visitors were Sue Houghton, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvia, Mr. Jim Mauldin, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Elkins, A.G. Chambers, all of Roby were here to see the Miers at their reception. Gladys Farrar and Stella Goodwin visited Mrs. Kinsey. Bill and Juanice Frank from Newark, La. and Lurleen from Hamlin visited Nellie McGuire. Roy Cummings visitors were Jackie Hendon from Stamford, Ginger, David, Lynn and Beckie from Rotan and Bill Slusher from Roby. LaVeta Allen from Midland visited Mrs. Kinsey.

Reyna Garcia

Rotan Nursing Center News

Several residents stayed up to watch the fireworks Friday night. We also had several visitors to come by and watch the fireworks with us.

We would like to thank the Fisher County singers for coming the first and Calvary Baptist Church for the services they had Sunday.

Visitors in the home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hicks visiting Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Nancy Bagwell, and Romie Kersh. Addie and Laurence Markham, Brenda Martin, and Polly Matthies visited Addie Seibert. Mandy Campbell and Mrs. Marion Paske of Roby, Carl and Judy

Elam, Kelvin, Kyle and Kirk of Kansas City,

Mo. visited Carlie Butler. Dorothy Scifers of Hamlin visited her mother, Nancy Bagwell. Carrie Allen and Laveta Allen of Midland visited Mrs. Moulton, Mrs. Zimmerman and Ada Mitchell. Mike Rushing of Oklahoma visited his grandmother, Bert Rushing. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Faulkenberry of Tuscon, Az., Mr. and Mrs. Ezell Garrett of Cottonwood, Az., visited Emily Garrett, Alta Norris of Lamesa also visited Emily. Artie Manself of Crane and Laurence Trott of

Abilene also visited in the home.

We would like to extend our sympathy to the family of Lulline Blount.

Severio Palamino and Mary Burrows both had birthdays the first.

Lora Cleveland

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Final Rites Held For Norma Sue Posey

Norma Sue Posey, 44 of Rotan, died Thursday, July 3, at Fisher County Hospital following a lengthy illness. Funeral services were held 2 p.m. Friday, July 4th, at the Rotan Church of Christ. Officiating was Donald Daws and Rev. Terry Lowe. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery of Rotan under the direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bill Posey, she was born May 31, 1942 in Rotan and lived her early years here where she attended Rotan schools. She

graduated from Hawley High School and attended North Texas University and Texas Tech University where she received her degree as a dietician. For several years Miss Posey was an inspector for a national bakery firm

traveling most of the United States and Canada. At the time of her death she was a dietician for the Texas Department of Corrections at Palestine. She had returned to Rotan about a year ago because of failing

health. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

She is survived by a brother, Bill Posey of Stamford; an uncle, Dave Posey of Rotan; and two aunts, Mary and Louada Posey of Rotan.

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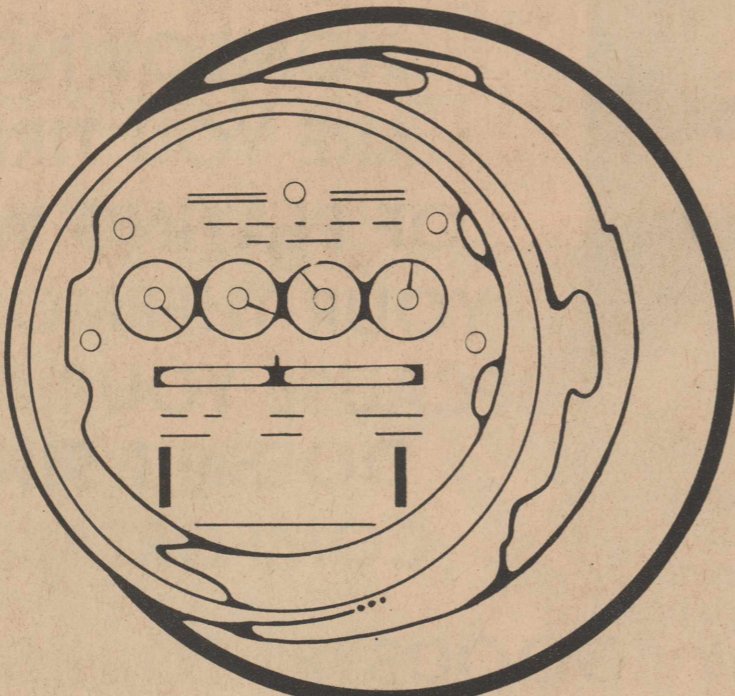
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