

# Most County Tax Entities Contemplating Increase

The Fisher County Appraisal District has completed final estimates, taking into consideration the reappraisal of property for 1986 and has attempted to establish value and rate estimates.

The Fisher County entity taking the largest loss in value is Fisher County with a 1986 taxable value of \$250,331.027. This estimated

value reflects a \$39,528,534 loss in value and the rate is anticipated to raise from .37 cents in 1985 to .43 cents per \$100 valuation in 1986 to generate the same taxable dollars.

Second in the loss department is the Fisher County Hospital District with a 1986 taxable value of \$248,156,307. This estimated value reflects a \$38,785,

956 loss in value and the rate is anticipated to raise from .17 to .24 cents per \$100 valuation in 1986 in order for the hospital district to generate the same tax dollars as in 1985.

The Roby School District is looking at a projected loss of approximately \$6,648,007 in values this year. The 1986 taxable value has been estimated by the

Fisher County Appraisal District to be \$31,864,934. Teddy Kral, indicated that the Roby School is giving serious thought to leaving the estimated rate at .86 cents per \$100 valuation at .86 cents for this year, in spite of losing over 6½ million in values.

The Hobbs School is being projected to see a \$6,375,694 loss in

values bringing their total value within the district to \$40,204,072. In order for the Hobbs School District to realize the sale spendable dollars in taxes after taking into consideration the \$6 million loss in values the estimated rate would have to increase from .53 cents per \$100 valuation as set in 1985 to .61 cents for 1986.

The Rotan School District will have to increase the tax rate from .86 cents per \$100 valuation as used in 1985 to .93 cents per \$100 valuation in order to generate the same spendable tax dollars based on the loss of \$5,269,777 in values, according to Teddy Kral. Rotan's 1986 estimates tax value is \$67,478,718.

The McCauley Independent School District reflected a \$4,077,626 loss in values to \$31,586,271 as estimated for 1986. In order for the MISD to generate the same spendable tax dollars in 1986 the tax rate would have to increase from .93 cents per \$100 valuation to \$1.05 per \$100 valuation.

The final entry entity to show a loss in values is the Rotan Water Authority.

Their 1986 values have been estimated to be \$34,681,762 which is down some 2.4 million. Kral estimated that the .08 cents per \$100 valuation would stay the same for 1986.

The two entities showing a gain in 1986 tax values are the City of Roby, showing an estimated gain of \$431,995 and the City of Rotan showing a gain (estimated) of \$262,004. Roby's City could reduce the rate from .46 cents to .45 cents and still generate the same spendable tax dollars as last year while Rotan could decrease the rate from .53 cents per \$100 valuation to .52 cents to take in the same tax dollars as last year.

Reappraisal notices were mailed to property

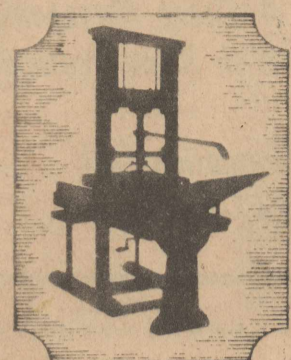
owners who showed an increase in value, according to Chief Appraiser Teddy Kral. Property owners not receiving a notice, by Sept. 1st, indicates the taxable value of their property has remained the same or decreased in value.

Kral said "Taxpayers not receiving a notice and desiring to know the taxable value of their property can notify the Fisher County Appraisal District, before Sept. 5th and the information will be mailed to individual taxpayers."

County residents receiving notice of increase and desiring to protest their value should notify the Fisher County Appraisal District Office immediately.

The Appraisal District hopes to submit a certified roll of values to the taxing entities on or before Sept. 8th.

Inquiries on property values may be addressed to the Fisher County Appraisal District, P.O. Box 516, Roby, Texas, 79543, (915) 776-2733.



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# ROTAN ADVANCE

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## Annual County Fair Rodeo This Weekend

The Annual Fisher County Fair and Rodeo will begin Thursday August 28, 5:00 p.m. with a parade through Roby. Rodeo performances will be held each night at 8:00 p.m. with Charlie Thompson of Lubbock as the rodeo producer. John Kearney, Vo Ag Teacher at Sterling City and a

Fisher County native, will serve as rodeo announcer. A Fisher County Roping will be held Saturday morning. This is a fun event and replaces the open horse show.

The Stock Show will be held Friday beginning at 10:00 a.m. Brad Stuart will be the judge for the show. The sheep will be shown in the morning and the cattle right after lunch.

Advance tickets for the rodeo are on sale now for \$3.25 for adults and \$2.25 for students. At the gate tickets will be 25 cents higher.

Concessions will be handled by the Roby

Lions Club and Extension Homemakers Club.

A Barbeque prepared by West Texas Rehab Center personnel will be held from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. Saturday at the Roby School Cafeteria. Take out orders will be available. The Barbeque is being sponsored by the Roby and Rotan Lions Clubs and the Fisher County Sesquicentennial Committee.

Officers and directors of the Fair & Rodeo Association include Lance McWilliams, President; Bob Moore-Vice President; Richard Spencer-Secretary; Scott Feagan-Treasur-

er; Freddie Williamson, Gene Terry, Donald Coker, Jerry Hoodenpyle, Bobby Smith, Alice Ballenger, Jimmy Grisham, Danny Parr, Charlie Joe Moore, Jerry Upshaw, Gary West, T.C. Jinkens, Derwayne Rasco, and L.H. Hicks.

Various committees are as follows: Livestock-Gene Terry and Donald Coker; Sheep-Olen Dennis;

Cattle-Gene Terry and Michael V. Terry; Gate Chairman-Jimmy Wright and Tommie Jack Stuart; Parade-Scott Feagan, Kyle Moore, and Gary West, and Rodeo-Bobby Smith-Chairman.

The Fair & Rodeo is one of the major Fisher County happenings each year. Come to the Fair and Rodeo and have a big time.

### WT Rehab Will Benefit From Sat. Barbecue

The Roby and Rotan Lions Clubs and the Fisher County Sesquicentennial Committee will sponsor a "Rehab BBQ" Saturday, August 30, in the Roby High School Cafeteria. This special barbecue feed will benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

WTRC provides rehabilitation services for handicapped children and adults on campuses in Abilene and San Angelo. The only requirement for an admission is a physician's referral and services are provided without charge to the patient (except for hearing aids and braces). Approximately 11,000 individuals will be served in 1986, and the Center's budget is \$4.7 million.

Barbecue and all the trimmings will be served from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. at the Rehab BBQ and take out orders will be available. Everyone is urged to come out and take part. Tickets are \$5.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children.

### Midwest Annual Meeting Set For Sept. 4th.

Midwest Electric Cooperative's annual membership meeting has been set for September 4th at the Scurry Co. Coliseum, in Snyder, Texas.

Registration of members will begin at 6:00 p.m. and a Barbeque meal will be served starting at 7:00. Entertainment will be provided by Ira's singer, recording artist Richard Long.

Congressman Charles Stenholm will address the membership.

Reports from cooperative officials, and the election of three director positions, will conclude the evening. Prizes will be given throughout the evening.

### Mac Weathersbee Named Rotan Lions President

Mac Weathersbee was recently installed as the President of the Rotan Lions Club for the 1986-87 year.

Other officers of the organization are: First Vice President-Tye Harrison; Second Vice President-James Carter; Third Vice President-Alton Fields; Secretary/Treasurer-Jerry Marshall; Lion Tamer-John Burtoft; Tail Twister-Don Dawes; Song Leader-Terry Lowe.

Melissa Matthies is serving the organization as the Sweetheart.

Directors of the Rotan Lions Club are: Joe Dickson, David Hargrove, Loys Landes, and Phil Springer.

The full list of members of the Rotan Lions Club: (Alphabetical order) Joe Dale Burk, John Burtoft, C.M. Callan, C.U. Callan, James Carter, Donald Dawes, Bill Day, Joe Dickson, Jerry Dycus, Alton Fields, Dale Gibson, Truman Gilliland, John Gray, David Hargrove, Wayne Harris, Tye Harrison, M.T. Hill, Glen Holt, John Jackson, Joe Kelley, Larry Landes, Terry Lowe, Jerry Marshall, Ivin Martin,

Cleburne Murdoch, Steve Peace, Greg Rains, Hooper Shelton, James Springer, Phil Springer, Bart Strayhorn, Luther Summers, H. Thompson, Kenneth Vann, Wayne Viehweg and Mac Weathersbee.



LIONS SWEETHEART: The Sweetheart for the Rotan Lions Club for the 1986-87 year will be Melissa Matthies, daughter of Mr and Mrs Norman Matthies of Rotan.

### WT Rehab Will Benefit From Sat. Barbecue

The two Fisher County Lions Clubs in connection with the Fisher County Sesquicentennial Committee will be sponsoring a special barbecue supper to benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

The supper will be served from 5:30 until 8:00 p.m., Saturday, August 30th and take out orders are available. The meal will be served at the Roby High School Cafeteria. Tickets for adults are \$5.00.

All proceeds go to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.



Fisher County Fair Displays: Fisher County residents will have the opportunity to view exhibits at the annual County Fair this weekend. Fair and Rodeo activities open on Thursday, August 28th at 5:00 p.m., with the parade.

### Allsup's Store Phone Center For MD Pledges

The Rotan Allsup's Convenience Store will once again take part in the annual Labor Day Jerry Lewis Telethon to raise funds for children with muscular dystrophy, according to Allsup's Store Manager

Christine Gruben. The local store will be taking pledges over the telephone between the hours of 4:00 p.m. Sunday, August 31st and 4:00 p.m. Monday, September 1st.

### Rotan Yellowhammer Football Tickets

Season tickets are still available for the 1986 Yellowhammer home football games. The home games are against Robert Lee, Spur, Anson, Roscoe and Roby. The first home game will be Sept. 5, 1986 against Robert Lee.

The tickets may be purchased at the high school office. Previous ticket holders are asked

to pick up their tickets as soon as possible.

### Roby School To Begin Regular Schedule Tues.

Roby ISD will begin regular scheduled classes on Tuesday, September 2. Buses will run on regular basis.

School starts at 8:10 a.m. and dismissal at 3:26 p.m.

### Rotan Teachers Receive Service Awards Monday

During Teacher orientation Monday, Supt. Alton Fields presented service pins to teachers and aides as follows: Melba McCall, 35 years; Patsy Hamric, 20 years; Nancy Tandy, 20 years; Verna Mae Pittman, 20 years; Dorothy Louise Goodwin, 20 years; Aurora Nowlin, 15

years; Ted Posey, 10 years; Fran LeBleu, 5 years; Kay Kennedy, 5 years; Guy Nelson, 5 years; David Hargrove, 5 years; Connie Hargrove, 5 years; Mary Ann Marshall, 5 years.

For their educational contribution to the Rotan Schools, each

year the Rotan School Board honors teachers by presenting gold service pins with stones in them. A 35 year pin has a diamond stone, 20 years has an emerald stone, 15 years has a sapphire stone, and a 10 year pin has a ruby stone.



PROMOTION RECEIVED: City Savings Homestate Division in Rotan announced the promotion of Jean Hayes, left, to the position of branch manager. Assisting Jean will be Roxanne Wylie, right, a native of the Rotan community.

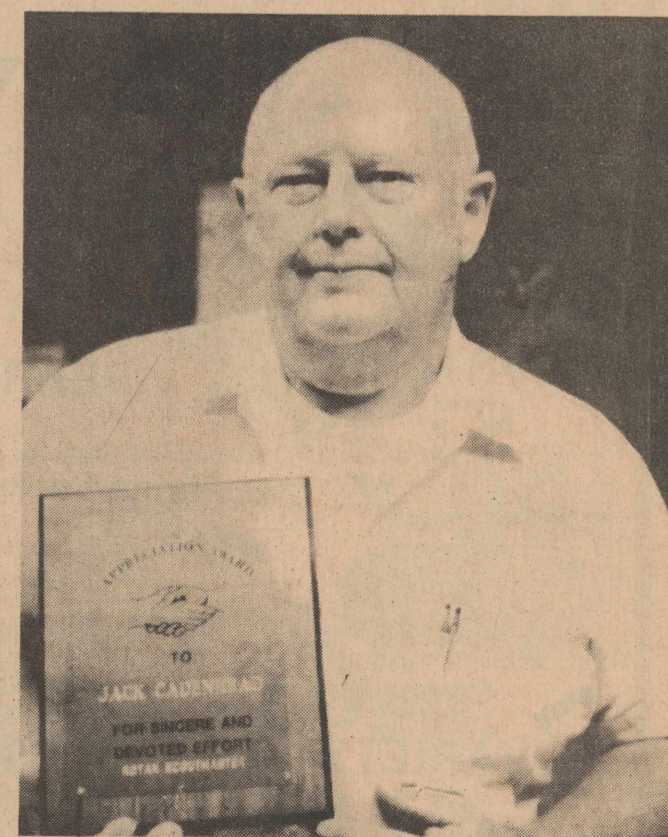
### Rotan School Board Meeting Thursday Night

The members of the Rotan School Board will meet on Thursday night, August 28th at 7:30 p.m. in the Rotan High School Library, according to Pete Fowler, School Board President.

This is a special meeting called for the purpose of amending the 1985-86 budget and for adopting the 1986-87 budget.



ROTAN TEACHERS GIVEN SERVICE PINS: A total of thirteen Rotan teachers were presented with service award pins last Monday during teacher in-service training by Superintendent Alton Fields. Those recognized (l to r) seated: Nancy Tandy - 20 years; Fran LeBleu - 5 years; Kay Kennedy - 5 years; Aurora Nowlin 15 years and D.L. Goodwin, 20 years. Back row (l to r) Connie Hargrove - 5 years; Guy Nelson - 5 years; Patsy Hamric - 20 years; Verna Mae Pittman - 20 years; David Hargrove - 5 years; Melba McCall - 35 years; Mary Ann Marshall - 5 years and Ted Posey - 10 years.



RECEIVES AWARD: Jack Cadenhead, Rotan Scoutmaster for the past 18 years, was presented a plaque of appreciation by the Rotan Lion's Club last Tuesday morning.

### Funeral Services Held For J. P. Moore

J.P. Moore, 64, lifelong Roby resident, died at 5 p.m. Saturday, August 23rd, at Rolling Plains Hospital in Sweetwater. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, August 25th at First Baptist Church in Roby. Officiating was Wardell Halliburton, minister of Roby Church of Christ and Rev. Alvin Petty, pastor of the First Baptist Church. Burial was in the Roby Cemetery under the direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home. Masonic graveside rites were conducted.

Mr. Moore was born October 17, 1921 at Roby. He was the son of the late Charley and Emma Moore. He was a veteran of World War II with the U.S. Army and a member of the VFW and American Legion. He was also a member of First Baptist Church and the Masonic Lodge. He married Jessie Horton, November 2, 1946 at Roby. They made their home southwest of Roby, where Mr. Moore was engaged in farming. He is preceded in death by a daughter, Marilyn, in 1955.

He is survived by his wife; two sons: Andy

and Tubby, both of Roby; one daughter: Linda Dowell of Sweetwater; three sisters: Ruth Weaver of Henderson, Nevada; Vela Smith of Roby; Jo Field of Afton, Oklahoma; six brothers: Kenneth of Estelline; Wayne of Abilene; Ramon of Oklahoma City, Neil of

Sweetwater; Hue and Kyle, both of Roby; six grandchildren.

His six brothers served as casket bearers.

As favorite charities, the family list the Hodges Cancer Center of Methodist Hospital, Lubbock or the West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene.

### Rotan Lunch Menu

Monday: Holiday.  
Tuesday: Tuna fish sandwiches; french fries W/catsup; vegetables sticks & lettuce leaf; cheese wedge; back-to-school cookies; milk.  
Wednesday: Tacos W/meat & cheese;

seasoned pigto beans; taco sauce; onion slices; cornbread; butter; jello; milk.

Thursday: Turkey roast W/gravy; whipped potatoes; seasoned green beans; cranberry sauce; hot rolls; butter; honey; rosey applesauce; milk.

Friday: Sloppy Joes; baked beans; french fries W/catsup; cheese wedge; chocolate cake; milk.

### Satin & Jeans Square Dance Club News

The Satin and Jean Square Dance Club of Fisher County are continuing advance lessons every Monday night at the Senior Citizens Center. Classes begin at 8:00 p.m.

beginning on September 15, the club will have beginners classes.

There is a \$2.00 per person charge.

### Senior Citizens To Host Centennial Celebration

The Senior Citizens will be hosting a Sesquicentennial celebration for residents of the county on Friday, August 29th beginning at 10:00 a.m. with a historical session on early settlers of the area by Dr. Harry Krennick from Western Texas College in Snyder. Following Dr. Krennick's speech, there will be a program of old time music by local musicians, and a display of antiques. An old fashioned lunch will be

served at 11:30 with charges of 30 cents per person. This being the approximate cost of a meal purchased in a boarding house 150 years ago. After lunch, games of bingo, with old time prizes will be played. Please come and bring your children to see the old time display and clothing which will be worn by the Senior Citizens. Please call 735-2359 if you plan on coming.

### Rotan ISD Insurance Coverage Changes

The Rotan Independent School District will no longer buy insurance for all students who enroll in the Rotan schools. The Rotan Independent School District will buy football insurance for high school students only. This action was taken as a result of a huge increase in premiums.

If you want your child

### Hobbs School District To Begin School Year On September 2nd

The Hobbs School will begin their school year on Tuesday, Sept. 2 at 8:15 a.m. Buses will run regular morning routes. Students,

grades K-6, will register in their classes as part of their first day activities. There will be a general assembly of all students in the school

auditorium with Dale Gibson, Supt., in charge.

School will be dismissed at 3:45 p.m.

In Service teachers began Monday, Aug. 25th.

Teachers and classes they will teach are: Kindergarten, Christy Hudnall; 1-2 Cecilia Greenlee; 3-4 Dorothy Harris; 5-6 Annetta Gibson. Aides are Vickie Etheredge, Marty Williamson, and Olga Onofre.

All students entering Hobbs School District for the first time must bring the following items. Original birth certificate, immunization and test records, 3 past school records (report cards, etc.).

All students in Hobbs School District, grades 7-12 will attend the Roby School unless

transferred to another district.

School supply list will

be given to the students by their teachers on the first day of class.

### Funeral Services Held For Alfred Medrano, Jr.

Alfred Medrano, Jr. 58, lifelong resident of Fisher County died at 10:15 a.m. Monday, August 25th at Fisher County Hospital. Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. of Holy Family Catholic Church in Sweetwater officiating. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery under the direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home. A rosary was said Tuesday at 8 p.m. by Deacon Sara DeLeon.

Mr. Medrano was born in the Hobbs Community of Fisher County, December 16, 1927. He was the son of Alfred and Carlota Medrano. He married Aida Olguin April 9, 1951 at Weslaco. They lived in Rotan where he was employed by National Gypsum Company until retiring a few years ago. He was a member of the Catholic Church and a member of the Curillistas, a church organization.

He is preceded in

death by his parents and a son, Rickey R. He is also preceded by a brother, Frank Medrano, and a sister, Guadalupe Medrano.

He is survived by his wife; five sons: Arturo of Midland; Staff Sgt. Adolfo Medrano stationed with the U.S. Marine Corp at Cherry Point, North Carolina; Armando of Lubbock; Joe Alfred, Snyder; Richie R. stationed at San Diego Naval Base; one daughter: Anadelia Medrano of Lubbock; two brothers: Antonio of Houston and Alfonso of Ft. Worth; nine sisters: Trene Macias of Ft. Worth; Louise Martinez, Hobbs; Susie Barera of Rotan; Adela Flores and Jane Barera, both of Houston; Maria Rodriguez, San Benito; Margie Aguilar and Barbara Soto, both of Houston; Carolyn Lopez of Lubbock; one granddaughter and seven grandsons.



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### Worship This Week At A Fisher County Church

Read Psalm 19:1-6  
Jesus answered them, "My Father is working still, and I am working."  
—John 5:17 (NIV)

WE had experienced a long drought in 1983, especially in Mindanao where it lasted for eight months. During these times, grasses directly hit by the sun withered and died. Wells and rivers dried up. Even deep-rooted coconut trees died like candles without a flame. Animals and fowl could hardly find water to drink. People in the area were apprehensive about living if this continued longer.

A young student asked his Sunday school teacher one Sunday morning, "Is God still at work during this long drought?" The teacher emphatically said, "Certainly. God is still working even if grasses wither, wells and rivers run dry, and the lives of animals, fowl, and people are threatened. God is working in the hearts of people that sinners might repent of their sins, the lukewarm be revived, and the faithful continue to pray for rain."

I was heartened and inspired by the teacher's answer. Truly, God's working power is not confined only to things seen, but to the unseen as well.

<b>MISSION BAPTISTA CALVARIO</b> Roby, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Evening 5:30 Wed. Night 7:30 Worship 11:00 Worship 8:00 Eli Sepeda-Pastor
<b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> 735-2334 Sunday School 9:15 Sunday Eve. 8:00 Rotan, Texas Worship 10:30 Terry Lowe-Pastor
<b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> 776-2308 Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Eve. 5:00 UMYF Worship 10:50 Worship 6:00 WED. Night Choir Practice 7:00 Jim Hawthorne-Pastor
<b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> McCauley, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Wed. (2nd Wed. in each month family nite 7:00) Alvin G. Smith-Pastor Worship 9:30
<b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH</b> Sylvester, Texas Sunday School 10:30 Every 3rd Tues. Evening Community Dinner 6:30 Alvin G. Smith-Pastor Worship 9:30
<b>CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> 735-2344 Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Morn. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 Wed. Eve. Bible Study 7:30 Donald Dawes-Minister Rotan, Texas Worship 10:45
<b>CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> 776-2496 Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00-Nov. April 8:00 May-Oct. Wardell Halliburton-Minister Roby, Texas Worship 10:45
<b>CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE</b> Rotan, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Wed. Night Worship Lyle Whitmeyer-Pastor Worship 11:00
<b>FOURSQUARE CHURCH</b> 735-2553 Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Rotan, Texas Worship 11:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Ira Burns-Pastor
<b>ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> 735-3285 Sunday Morning 9:00 a.m. Mass Saturday Evening 7:30 p.m. Mass Father Austin Klitredge Rotan, Texas
<b>MARANATHA CHURCH</b> Roby, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Worship 11:00 Wed. Evening 7:00

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## DPS Urges Travelers To Take Safety Precautions During "Labor Day" Period

Officials of the Texas Department of Public Safety estimate that 43 persons could be killed in traffic accidents across the state during

the Labor Day period. The 78-hour holiday period begins at 6 p.m. Friday, August 29 and ends at midnight on Monday, September 1.

"During this period, the Department will have additional troopers on duty," Adams said. "We know that some drivers will be determin-

ed to violate the traffic laws. DPS officers will be taking enforcement action against as many violators as they can to increase the safety factor for law abiding motorists."

Adams said the final fatality count for the 1985 Labor Day period was 52.

"Twenty-one of the 52 deaths resulted in traffic accidents in which speed or DWI was a contributing factor," Adams pointed out. "That's why our officers will be concentrating on these violations during the upcoming

Labor Day weekend." "We'd like to mark the first anniversary of the seat belt law by having far fewer fatalities occur than our statisticians have estimated for the holiday period," Adams said.

During the July 4th holiday period earlier this summer, 8 of 9 persons killed in motorcycle accidents had not been wearing helmets.

"Though only those motorcyclists 18 and younger are required to wear protective headgear, statistics show overwhelmingly that helmets save lives," Adams said. As part of the increased driving awareness program, the DPS will furnish revised fatality counts to the news media during the Labor Day period.

## Roby Athletic Club Elects Officers

The Roby Athletic Club held their second meeting of the new school year on August 22nd after the first scrimmage ball game.

The club discussed various money making projects and announced

they would be selling Roby Lion Bandanas, and will also have a membership drive. The cost for each family will be \$10.00.

New officers were elected for the 1986-87

school year. They are as follows: Buelene Shipp, President; Melvin Thomson, Vice-President; Debbie Jernigan, Treasurer; and Rosemary Donham, Secretary/Reporter.

## Ice Cream Crank Off Contest To Be Held On August 30th At 10:00 A.M.

Pre-registration may be made by contacting Tommie Jack or Carole Stuart at 776-2684 after 5:30 p.m. Entries must be received by 9:45 a.m. on the morning of August 30, 1986. Each contestant should be ready to crank-off at 10:00 a.m.

1. Freezers must be hand crank. No electric freezers allowed.

2. All entrants must furnish freezers and containers for salt water.

3. An entry will consist of 2 people.

4. Ice cream mixture must be homemade, but may be made at home and brought to the site in a container ready to freeze.

5. A recipe must be provided at the time of registration and become the property of the Fisher County Fair.

6. There will be a 30 minute time limit for cranking. At the end of cranking time all entrants will stop and open containers for judges to taste.

7. All ice cream become the property of the Fisher County Fair Assoc., and will be sold

for 50 cents per cup after judging.

8. The decision of the judges will be final. All salt and ice will be furnished for the contestants.

### Prize Money

1st place-\$25.00  
2nd place-\$15.00  
3rd place-\$10.00  
4th place-\$ 5.00

Open to all Fisher County residents. Dust the cobwebs off your hand crank freezer and come join the fun.

## Fisher County Hospital Report

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital from August 19 thru August 25 were: Odell McQueen; Jennifer Yanez; Rollie May; Jean McKinney; Mildred Rains; Sybil Howard; Alfred Medrano; Elsie Carter; Willard Denton; Mary Hamlin, all of Rotan; Ada Jo Brashears, Roby; Mary Flores, Sweetwater; Sheila Gregory and Logan Gregory, both of Post; Richard Spurlock, Snyder.

## Card Of Thanks

We would like to express our THANKS to the wonderful friends and neighbors of Estelle Acker, for your prayer support, visits, beautiful cards, and flowers during her illness and death. The tender care and love of Dr. LeBleu and the nurses at the Nursing Home for their gentleness and kindness to our Mother. A special thanks to the group of nurses who shared working years with Estelle, she was so proud of her nursing profession. Thank you for the abundance of food and the beautiful memorial service, but most of all, Thank you for the shower of Love and Concern.

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# County Agent News

By Richard Spencer

Fair and Rodeo time is almost here. Much work will be done by the Fisher County Fair and Rodeo Association the next two weeks in advertising and preparing the grounds for the 41st Annual Show. The County Roping for the trailer was held Sunday, August 23. The trailer is ready and will be given to the Champion Roper at the final rodeo performance August 30th.

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The Chairman of Texas Tech University Animal Science Dept., Dr. Bob Long says there is unwarranted concern over the amount of fat in red meat. The fat content of most beef carcasses is about 35% but people don't eat the carcasses. The cuts of meat they do eat contain only 8-12% fat, which is little different from chicken or seafood.

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The USDA's Economics Research

Service is forecasting that domestic mill use of cotton in 1987 will be 6.8 million bales or higher. That's 600,000 more bales than 1986. Some industry analysts estimate that domestic mill use will total 8 million bales by 1990, equaling the mill's off take of cotton during the 1960's and 70's before domestic use plummeted. Whether this is the case or not farmers need something on the bright side now and then to take some of the gloom.

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Peachtree borers are the most damaging pest of peach trees in Fisher County. Their damage often goes undetected until the tree begins to die.

The presence of peachtree borers is indicated by large masses of gum mixed with brown sawdust at the base of the tree trunk. The peach tree borer lar-

vae feed and develop in the trunk near the soil line. Uncontrolled larvae may eventually girdle the tree, killing it.

The adult peachtree borer moths are active from July through September. The eggs are deposited at the base of trees during that same period, with peak egg deposition occurring in late August.

There are two methods of control, spraying or the use of PDB (paradichlorobenzene) crystals. Dursban, Lindane, or Thiodan may be used as a spray. Mix the chemical according to the directions on the label. With a coarse spray, thoroughly wet the tree trunk from the base to the first scaffold limbs. Do not apply to foliage or fruit and apply treatment in late August or early September.

If PDB crystals are to be used, apply from October 20 to November 15. Apply when the soil is dry. Place crystals in a narrow band encircling the tree, about two inches from the trunk. Care should be taken to keep any crystals from

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Use the amount of crystals indicated on the label, based on the size of the tree. For two and three year old trees, use one-half ounce; for four to five year old trees, use three-fourths ounce; and for mature trees, use one ounce. This information given herein is for educational purposes only. References to commercial products or trade names is made

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## Funeral Services Held For Melville Jarnagin

Melville Jarnagin, 77, resident of Roby since 1933, died at 7:20 p.m., Friday, August 22, at Humana Hospital in Abilene. Funeral services were held at 4 p.m. Monday, August 25th at Weathersbee Chapel in Rotan. Officiating was Wardell Halliburton, minister of the Roby Church of Christ, and Rev. Alvin Petty, pastor of First Baptist Church of Roby. Burial was in the Roby Cemetery.

"Dutch" as he was known to family and friends, was born November 15, 1908 in Hamlin, the son of G.S. and Lona Jarnagin. He had lived all of his life in Jones and Fisher Counties, where he was a cot-

ton farmer. He married Winona Scarborough, July 12, 1930 at Aspermont.

He is preceded in death by a son, Gerald Wayne in 1950.

He is survived by his wife; a son, Jimmy of Fountain Valley, California; two daughters, Mary Lou Sparks of San Antonio and Jane Nowlin of Ft. Worth; one brother: Oran Jarnagin of Snyder; three sisters: Grace Kemp, Eva Dell Gillis, and Irene Kiker, all of Roby; and six grandchildren.

Casket bearers were Tommie Jack Stuart, Vernon Terry, Jeronimo Gaona, Cullen Terry, Sam Hodges, and Johnny Stewart.

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The changes are applicable to all areas and all customers served by the Utility. The classes and numbers of Utility customers affected are as follows:

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- Outdoor Lighting 1146
- Municipal Street Lighting 2

The Utility intends to change its service rules and regulations including rules relating to obtaining service, line extension, and line extension charges, the pro-

vision of electric service, service fees, and discontinuance of service.

Implementation of the proposed changes is subject to approval by the appropriate regulatory authority. A statement of intent including the proposed revisions of tariff and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change is available at the general office of the Utility located at Highway 180 West, Roby, Texas.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400 N, Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

Campbell McGinnis  
Attorney For The Utility  
27:4tc

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# Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Are we getting some good rain here this morning (Monday) and its falling so slowly, just keeps building clouds, and then we get another shower. We have measured 2 inches here at the house already, and its still raining. Looks like it might rain all day, and we are sure proud of all this moisture.

Kim Anderson from Kansas is here spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson. The Andersons kept David and Steven Anderson, sons of Wayne and Becky Anderson of Clovis, N.M. all last week and they left Friday.

Congratulations to Wayne and Tonya Jones who are the proud parents of a little girl, born Sunday morning in Abilene. She weighed 7 lbs. 10 ozs., and they named her Jessica Lynn. She was born on her great, great grandmother's, Mrs. J.W. Porter, birthday. Little Josh, their 2 year old, can hardly wait for his new sister to come home.

Mrs. Opal Phillips has been in Post visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips. Glenn came after her last Saturday and she stayed until the following Friday. All the Phillips, Porters and Hyers helped Josh Jones celebrate his 2nd birthday on the 16th of August at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jones. Happy birthday to Josh.

Mrs. Darrell (Rosemary) Gay and Jef-

frey Martinez from Ft. Worth spent the weekend visiting with the Rudolph Martinezs. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Warren and family from Snyder spent all day Sunday visiting with the Martinezs. Alfred Medrano, Louise's brother, passed away Monday morning in Fisher County Hospital. All of Louise's brothers and sisters are here from Houston and Ft. Worth. Our sympathy goes out to all the family.

Ben Martinez of Muenster has been in the Baylor Hospital at Dallas; he had a 4 by pass open heart surgery, and at last report he seems to be really doing well considering how serious his surgery was. We hope that he will continue to improve. All of Lupe and Ben's children were there for the surgery.

A.V. Shipp and son from Hereford visited Thursday and Friday night with the James Ratliffs.

Mrs. Randy Etheredge has been in the hospital at Lubbock. She went in Wednesday and came back home on Saturday. She is feeling real lgood, and we hope that she will continue to feel that way.

Jim and I went to Sterling City and Dr. McDonald's on Tuesday; visited with Dr. Pete Fincher while there, and we took Mark and Melody's little colt back to have the pins removed from his legs, and he is doing just fine. Thursday night we attended the scrimmage between Rotan and O'Donnell and it

showered almost all the time the game was being played. Friday night I went to Snyder with Mrs. Donnie Gruben and Carye and we attended a baby shower for Mrs. Bettsey (Dayton) Robertson, who was here from Missouri. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson of Snyder.

Saturday we went to

Abilene and Sunday we attended the funeral of Mrs. Biddie Holladay of Ira. She is Nell Walker's sister, and Jim has known all the family for years. We got to see Jim's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Sig Lloyd from San Angelo, and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Farmer, Jim's nephew, from Post.

For sports fans we have sure been having

lots of ball games on television this past week. Baseball on Monday night, and again Wednesday night. Football on Friday night and again on Saturday night. Jim has been glued to the set and has really been enjoying himself. Thank goodness we have two television sets.

Mrs. Sue Medrano is feeling a little better and

is still making three trips a week to Abilene for Dialysis. We hope that she will continue to improve.

Mrs. Sarah Shipp from Rotan visited with Mrs. Bea Hardin on Saturday.

Well, it's still raining here, and is sure dark, and we are really enjoying this weather.

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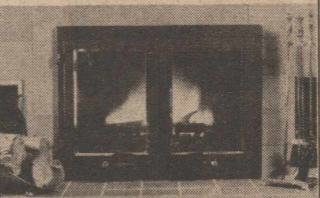
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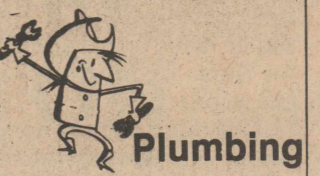
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# Head Football Coach Richard Gorman Pleased With Yellowhammers Performance

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The visiting team's quarterback completed 6 of 6 passes for 78 yards but we're not at all alarmed with our pass defense this early in the year.

One of the bright spots of the offense was the performance of the fullbacks last Thursday night. Brad Long was credited with 5 carries for 37 yards for a 7.4 average while George Patterson was 8 yards for 89 yards or 11.1 yards per carry, said Gorman. "Both Long and Patterson hit the holes quickly and each did an excellent job of

blocking when not carrying the ball", said

Gorman. Two areas that will be

getting the attention of the coaches next week in

preparation for the Albany Scrimmage are guards pulling and the

tailbacks position. "Overall, I felt we had an excellent scrimmage." "Rotan travels to

Albany on Friday, August 29th beginning at 6:00 p.m. for the final season scrimmage before opening with

Robert Lee at home on Sept. 5th. Albany runs a split 6 defense and a wing T on offense.

## R&R Acrostars Gymnastics Team To Sell Ice Cream

The R&R Acrostars Gymnastics team will be selling homemade ice cream in an assortment of flavors during the Fisher County Rodeo Parade in Roby, Thursday afternoon. Ice cream booth will be set up on the sidewalk in front of the United Farm Agency, next door to the Roby Drug Store. Tickets on 1/2 beef, (2 winners-1/4 each) to be given away Saturday, Aug. 30th during the final performance of the rodeo will be available for those wishing to purchase one.

Although mats have been purchased, more equipment is needed to benefit all students and abilities. We appreciate all input by supporters.

All members are requested to contact Tam-

mi Kelley about riding on the float and contact

Belynda Rains about t-shirts.

## McCaulley Home Demonstration Club

The McCaulley Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, August 19th at 2 p.m. for a brief business meeting at the McCaulley Baptist

Church. Plans were made for helping with exhibits at the Fisher County Fair.

Baptist Church at 2 p.m. when County Agent Alice Ballenger will present a program on the "Battle of the Bulge".

## "Children's Roundup" To Be Held

Saturday, August 30, at 10:00 a.m. will be the time of another "Children's Roundup", at Maranatha Life Center, Roby.

"Gospel Bill Show", a video tape production, as well as puppets, games, refreshments. All children from 4 up

including parents, are invited. For transportation call 735-2349, 735-2146, or 735-3122.



ROTAN SCRIMMAGE: Donnie Carl Gruben, being tackled, far left, against O'Donnell last Thursday. Rotan travels to Albany this Friday to scrimmage the Lions beginning at 6:00 p.m.

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## Roby Head Football Coach Ken Jernigan Comments On Roby Scrimmage Against Water Valley

Roby High School Athletic Director and Head Football Coach Ken Jernigan expressed overall pleasure with the performance of the Roby Lions last Friday night in their first scrimmage of the season.

Jernigan said "overall we were pleased with what we saw. There were a few bright spots and some light shed on areas needing improvement, but that's why we have scrimmages."

Jernigan said one of the bright spots was that the Lions were solid on defense against the run. The coaches were impressed with the initial contact made by players off the line and Jernigan said execution was good and he was pleased with the amount of enthusiasm still being displayed by all players.

"We still need some work in a few areas," said Jernigan. "Fumbles and turnovers, stopped all of our drives", that is an area we'll be looking at in the future weeks.

Another area we intend to concentrate on is the defensive secondary, said Jernigan.

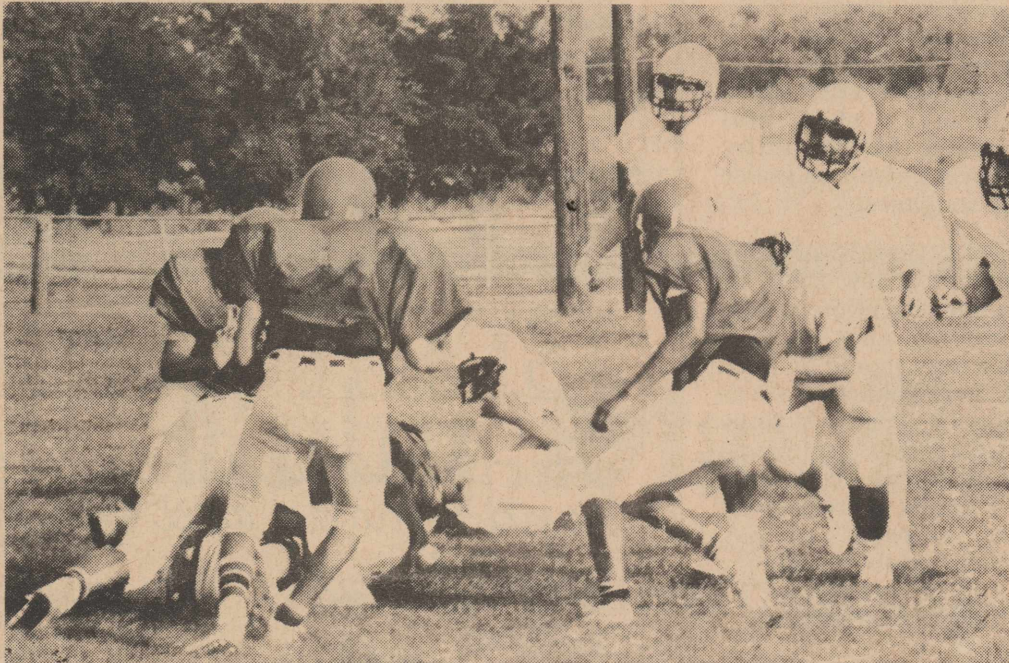
Roby visitors attending the scrimmage on Thursday night in Robert Lee will see some positions filled with new faces for Roby. Coach Jernigan intends on moving Rodney Green from linebacker to cornerback and plans on moving Ronnie Rodriguez from defensive end to nose guard. These moves are taking place in an effort to get the right people in the right positions, said Jernigan.

Robert Lee will be running a 6-2 defense and they'll throw the ball a lot. "They will be comparable to us in size", said Jernigan. Off-

fensively they'll run a one back offense, using a lot of traps and up-the-middle plays.

The scrimmage is scheduled to begin with

the junior varsity running 15-15 plays at 6:00 p.m.; followed by the varsity running 20-20 and ending with a 10-10 goal line stand.



ROBY-WATER VALLEY ACTION: Three unidentified Roby Lions (in black) converge on a Water Valley runner. Roby travels to Robert Lee this Friday for a scrimmage set to begin at 6:00 p.m.

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The senior citizen's organization will conduct a Sesquicentennial Celebration that will begin at 10:00 a.m. There will be old-time gospel singing and music, a display of antiques, ladies dressed in old-time clothing and bingo after the noon meal.

Dr. Harry Krenek will be addressing the group on the history of the area.

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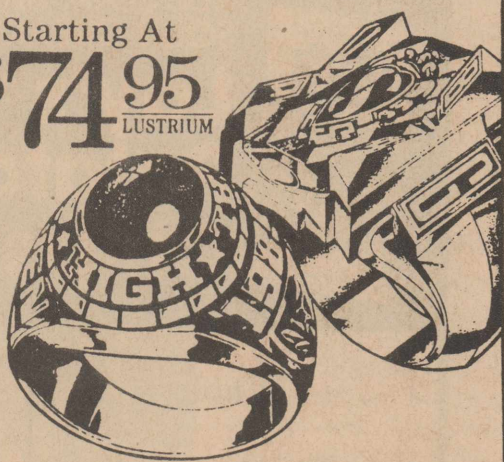
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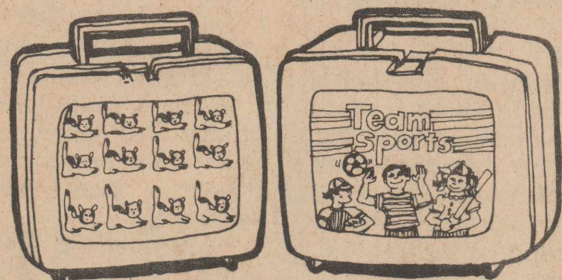
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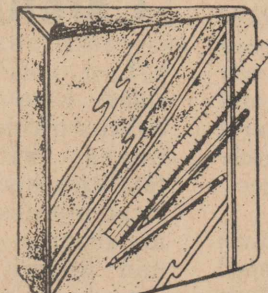
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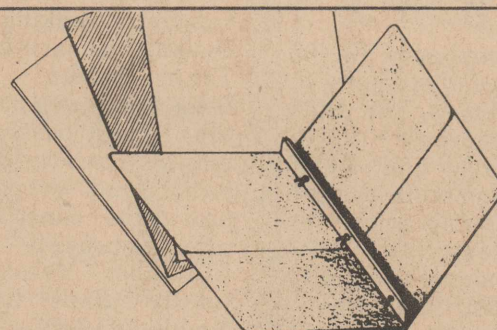
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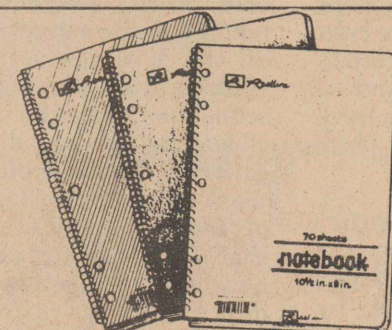
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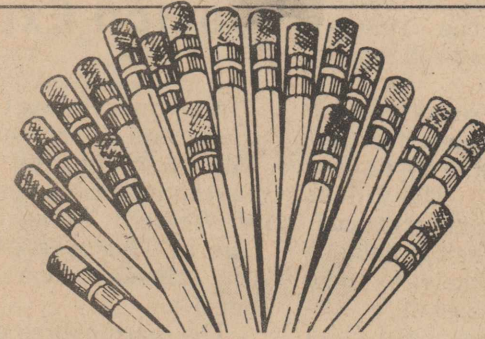
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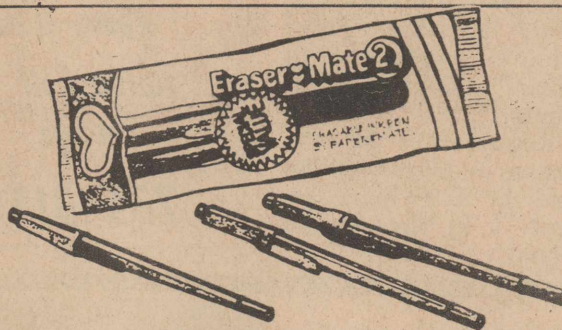


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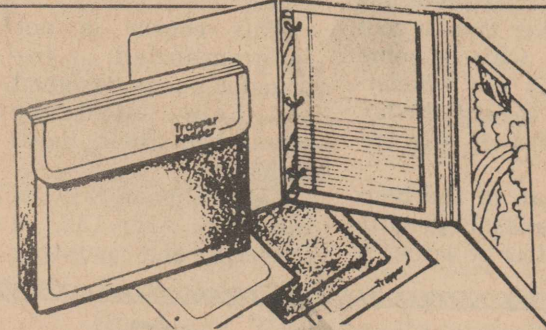


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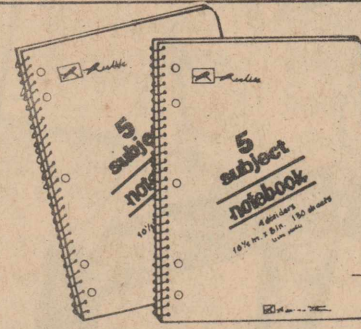
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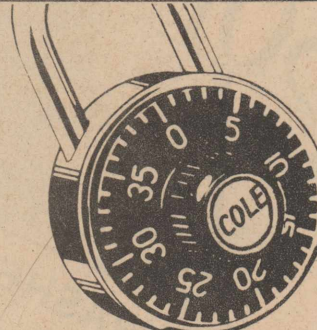
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# State Capitol Highlights

The real "secret plan" in the Legislature these days is the Senate's strategy to force the House to raise the state sales tax.

That's because nobody knows for sure what will finally force House members to vote out a tax bill. The Texas Constitution says all tax bills must originate in the House Ways and Means Committee.

It doesn't outline how the Senate can force a reluctant House to originate such a bill and the memories of several longtime Capitol-watchers can't recall a precedent.

Last week, Gov. Mark White officially opened the agenda to include his 11/8 cent temporary sales tax plan, saying the budget cuts already passed by the House weren't enough.

So far, the Senate refuses to adopt the cuts until the House sends over a tax bill. And so far, House leaders have laughed at that pressure.

### FORCE CERTIFICATION

But a new strategy unveiled last week by Sen. Ray Farabee appears to be a product of the most logical of senate minds. The bill would require the state comptroller to certify whether the 1986-87 state budget will remain balanced.

Of course, it doesn't balance by an estimated tune of between \$3.5 to \$5 billion. The House would be constitutionally bound then to balance it, most likely by producing a tax bill.

Farabee said the Senate would hold approval of the House cuts until the House approved his bill. A few hours later, the House leadership responded—"no deal." Stare on.

### MAN OF HOUR

Thus, lawmakers remained deadlocked, tempers flared, and the governor, Lt. governor and speaker met to cool the coals. Quietly, some lawmakers are wondering if a second 30-day special session is in the making.

The man of the hour in the Texas Legislature, for better or worse, is

Ways and Means Chairman Stan Schlueter, D-Killeen, gatekeeper for all tax bills.

As the stalemate thickens, Schlueter finds himself more and more in the vortex of new power and prominence.

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### Drivers Cautioned To Be Careful As Schools Start

Last year in Texas there were 1,228 accidents involving school buses, with seven fatalities and 323 non-fatal injuries. Schools are about to open again, and drivers are once more being cautioned to be unusually attentive in and around school zones and school buses.

An increasing problem in recent years has been drivers who either ignored or were unaware of the law restricting vehicles from passing a school bus while the bus is loading or unloading children. Children often cross the street in front of the bus, and a car that's trying to pass may not see them coming.

The problem became so bad two years ago

servative Democrat, he is unopposed for re-election. For years he has been a lieutenant in the House power structure, and included in every discussion about future House speakers. Now his prowess is on display for all Texans. He refused last week

that the Texas Legislature considered requiring buses to have mechanical arms at the driver's window that would extend into the traffic lane while the bus is stopped. At present, buses in Texas have flashing lights at the front and back of the vehicle when stopped, as well as signs noting that vehicles are required to stop for the buses.

To emphasize the importance of stopping for these buses, the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation has produced public service announcements with Texas signer-songwriter Jerry Jeff Walker as its spokesman.

to hear the tax bill in committee.

For now, and maybe until next regular session, Schlueter keeps new taxes at bay. If and when he opens the gate, he will give the bill his conservative stamp and perhaps quietly leverage the passage of other issues as well. Some argue he holds the November success of other lawmakers in his hands.

### SENATE HIGHLIGHTS

While it waits for the House to thaw, the Senate works on other issues. Last week, senators:

\*Amended a House school discipline bill to allow immediate expulsion of students involved in assaults, drugs and possession of weapons.

\*Passed two controversial banking bills designed to save failing Texas banks. The Senate vote was 26-2. If the House passes the bills by a two-thirds majority, and voters approve the constitution amendments in November, Texas will finally allow branch banking and out-of-state banks.

\*Gave committee approval and sent to the floor a bill to legalize betting on horse and dog racing. Senators are betting that Gov. Mark White, who opposes the bills, will be forced to add such revenue-raising measures to the special agenda.

\*Tentatively confirmed White's controversial nomination of Jo Campbell to the Public Utility Commission. The

### Courses To Be Taught At Jayton Ext. Of WTC

A mathematics course and an art course will be taught in the Jayton extension center of Western Texas College in Thursday evening classes starting Sept. 4.

The math course will be Intermediate Algebra (MTH 132) and will be taught by Dr. Frank Williams. Students enrolling in this course must also enroll in an accompanying Developmental Mathematics course (MTH 002). MTH 132 will meet from 6-8:30 p.m., with MTH 002 following from 8:30-10 p.m.

This course is not recommended for transfer but is designed to help students strengthen their math skills.

John Gibson will be teaching Art 132, a drawing and painting

class he has designed for artists in the Jayton area. Classes will meet from 6:30-9:20 p.m. on Thursdays in the Jayton School Cafeteria.

"Due to the broad range of artistic abilities demonstrated in the past class, I will be presenting both basic and advanced techniques in oils and watercolors," Gibson said. "I want to stress that this class is for anyone interested in painting. I will work with students who are beginners, those who are advanced, and those in between. I want everyone to have fun, gain confidence in their abilities, and achieve satisfaction in their accomplishments."

Registration for the classes in Jayton will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Sept. 4 in the Jayton school.

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nominations panel wanted her to explain her side of a pending lawsuit regarding allegations she had illegally discussed and taped rate cases with her staff.

The panel went so far as to summon Atty. Gen. Jim Mattox to a rare secret session to help members determine whether she had violated the law. After the vote, she won praise for toughness.

\*Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby offered a new twist on public education by suggesting that school districts should be fined if their graduates are so poorly trained they must take remedial courses in college. "There is no reason for the taxpayer to pay twice," Hobby said.

### CAMPAIGN SHOTS

The negotiations for a televised debate between White and former Gov. Bill Clements broke off after Texas Democratic Party chairman Bob Slagle tried to link Clements with business ties to Libya. Clements' staff walked out of a meeting in pro-

test, calling low-blow, dirty politics.

Clements reportedly sold \$32 million in shares of Schlumberger, Inc. stock recently, but still owns some 816,000 shares. Slagle accused

Clements of indirectly aiding, Libya, because the drilling company, the world's largest, operates in Libya, as well as 98 other countries.

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As part of the GOP response, former Vice President Gerald Ford announced he would come to campaign in Texas for Clements.

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# News From Down South

By Bertha Warren

Hello from down south.

We had a good shower Monday and it is raining this morning (Tuesday). Ed and Ollie Ogden met Eircle and Mary Etta O'Donald at the Claytonville/Capitola Community Center to visit and play 42. The Ogden's attended the 70th wedding anniversary at the Rotan Senior Citizens Center for Lon and Virgie Weems. They said everything was so lovely and there was such a crowd. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Weems.

Congratulations are in order for Wayne and Tonya Jones on the birth of the new baby girl, Jessica Lynn. She was born Sunday morning at Abilene and weighed 7 lbs. 10 ozs. Grandparents are Bobby and Martha Wright and Mike and Pat Porter of the Hobbs Community and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Jones of Hamlin. Great grandparents are Marie Phillips Thornton and Wilborn and Peggie Porter. Opal Phillips and Minnie Porter are the great great grandmothers. She is welcomed home by her brother, Jason.

Lorene Henderson went to Abilene Monday and had a good report on her eyes. Her grandson, Rev. Terry and Susan Henderson has moved to Houston where Terry will be pastor of the Beryhill Baptist Church. Terry is the son of Vernon and Joyce Henderson.

LaRue Steven's eye surgery last week was a success as reported by her mother, Erna Lee Hartgraves.

Damon Shipp and daughter, Sunni, visited with his grandmother, Jewel Ratliff in Sweetwater Friday.

A.E. (Bus) Rollins, former Fisher County sheriff for many years is in the Hendrix Hospital in Abilene. For those who might want to drop him a card, his room

number is 3111. Our prayers are with Bus and his family and wish him a speedy recovery.

Lena Hodges' sister, Faye and Ralph Joseph of Mineral Wells visited with Carrol and Lena from Saturday thru Monday.

Winnford Kimzey of Big Spring, died Friday at Scenic Mountain Medical Center. Funeral services were Monday at Myers and Smith Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Mt. Olive Memorial

Park. He grew up in the Pryon, Hermleigh area and was a retired farmer. He was the brother of Roy Kimzey, formerly of the Claytonville community and now of Sweetwater. Winnford was 59 years old. Other survivors are his wife, Margaret of Big Spring; two sons: W.D. and Bud of Ft. Worth and one daughter, Helen Kimzey of Odessa. Our sympathy to the Kimzey family.

Roy and Pauline

Kimzey's granddaughter, Roy Jo Sarton of Canyon, rode in the two Jr. rodeos that were held in Hereford recently. She won first in flags, second in barrels and poles. She came home with 3 belt buckles and the All-Around horse blanket. In the second rodeo, she brought home four belt buckles, and the All-Around blanket again. She won first in flags, barrels, poles and steer daubing. For having the most points in the two

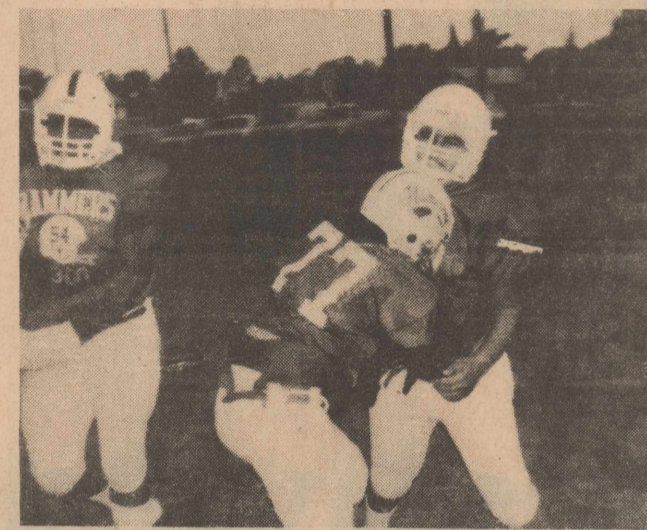
rodeos, she took home the Lynn McKenzie Barrel Racing Saddle. She is 11 years old and attends the Valley View Jr. High School at Canyon, Texas. She is the daughter of Marvin and Carol Ann Sarton.

Wayne and I went to Kaufman over the weekend to visit Dale and Oleta King. They had a fish fry Saturday night and we got to visit with Beatrice (King) Harron and Pat and Marthy King, also Pat and Scott Powers of Canton. Had lots of fish and spent the wee hours of the morning rehashing memories of long ago. We had a wonderful time. It had been so long since Wayne and I had been off the place together and we didn't know what to do in the same vehicle.

See everyone at the rodeo in Roby this weekend. Call and let us know what's going on in your world.



**JUNIOR VARSITY LINEUP:** Kevin Smith, Rotan junior varsity quarterback, lines up his players as they practice prior to meeting O'Donnell last week.



**YELLOWHAMMER:** Last week against O'Donnell. This Friday, Rotan travels to Albany for the final pre-season scrimmage.

## F.C. Ministerial Alliance To Hold Meeting

The Fisher County Ministerial Alliance will meet Wednesday, Sept. 3 at 10:00 a.m. at the Roby United Methodist Church. All Fisher County ministers are invited to attend.

## Area Ranch Team Wins First Place

The ranch team of Damon Shipp, Charles Shipp, Eddie Daniels, and Doug Nolan, won first place at the Jones County Ranch Rodeo Saturday night in Anson.

Events included Double Mugging, Team Penning, Wild Cow Milking, Team Branding, Team Roping. The team won with 43 points. Each team member received prize money and trophy spurs.

## Visitors

Mrs. Evelyn Hamm enjoyed a visit last weekend from her children, Mark and Corinne Browning of San Angelo, Bryce and Sally Browning and their daughter, Jessica of Boyd and Daphene and Chester Campbell and their son, Chet of Saudi Arabia. Chet will be attending Western Texas College in Snyder this fall.

## Funeral Services Held For Jesse R. Evers

Funeral services for Jesse Ree Evers, 82, of Dove Drive, Harleton, were held at 4 p.m. Wednesday in Colonial Chapel of Sullivan Funeral Home with the Rev. Mike Britton and the Rev. David Tomme officiating. Masonic graveside services were held in Eagle Creek Cemetery, Harleton, with Ashland Masonic Lodge No. 1138 in charge.

Mr. Evers died at 7:02 a.m. Monday, Aug. 18, in Memorial Hospital after a long illness.

He was born Sept. 5, 1903, in Upshur County, the son of Francis L. and Ida Belle Fenton Evers. He attended Upshur County public schools and married Thelma Estelle McBride on Oct. 16, 1921, in Harleton. He was a core maker at Smith Steel Casting Co. until he retired after 28 years of service. He was previously a farmer, lumberman, and carpenter. Following his retirement he worked several years for Bear Creek Smoke House.

Mr. Evers was a member of Morton Baptist Church of Harleton.

Survivors include his wife, Thelma McBride Evers of Harleton; five sons: C.L. of Roby; W.F. and Jesse R., both of Lubbock; Billy Ray, Kildare and Jerry D. of Marshall; four

daughters: Mrs. Curtis (Modene) Graves of Harleton, Mrs. Odie (Betty Jo) Seals of Merida, Linda Cole of Hallsville and Mrs. Jackie (Clysta) Britton of Harleton; thirty grandchildren; thirty one great grandchildren; one great great grandchild; one brother: Bagie Evers of Batesville, Ark.; and one sister: Mrs. David (Verian)

Pope of Marshall.

Pallbearers were C.L. Evers, Dale Evers, Stephen Evers, Tommy Evers, Douglas Evers, Jerry Graves, Larry Dean Lusk, Craig Evers, Kevin Evers, Roy Don Seals, David Seals, Jason Evers, Donny Cole, Danny Cole, Jackie Jr., Britton, Jesse R. Britton and Roger Britton.



**ROBY CHEERLEADERS:** The Roby Cheerleaders will be traveling to Robert Lee this Friday. Last week during the Water Valley scrimmage, (left to right) Kristy Martin (back to camera), Deena Williamson, Jill Branson and Missy Turpin.

## Card Of Thanks

A letter of thanks to all our neighbors and friends who were so supportive during our bereavement.

The special care and understanding from Weathersbee Funeral Home, Rev. Terry Lowe, the vocalists, the florists, the memorials, and those who helped at the funeral luncheon were appreciated.

All prayers, cards, phone calls, visits and food brought to the home and church showed how much love and kindness you bestowed upon our family.

God bless all of you.  
The Family of  
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Bessie Irene Bryant  
Christine Martin & Family  
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## Card Of Thanks

The family of W.A. (Bill) Polk would like to express our appreciation and kindness to the nurses for the special care and attention given during his stay in the hospital. We appreciate Dr. Maurice for his dedication to Bill and concern for the family. We thank our relatives and friends for the food, beautiful flowers, and comforting words.

Thank you for the message, beautiful music and to Mac and Doug Weathersbee for the beautiful service.

Mrs. W.A. (Bill) Polk  
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## Rotan Yellowhammers 1986

### Football Schedule And Scorecard

Date	Opponent	Time	H/T	Us	Them
Sept. 5	Robert Lee	8:00	H		
Sept. 12	A.C.H.S.	8:00	T		
Sept. 19	Spur	8:00	H		
Sept. 26	Anson	8:00	H		
Oct. 3	Hawley	8:00	T		
Oct. 10	*Munday	7:30	T		
Oct. 17	*Aspermont	7:30	T		
Oct. 24	*** Roscoe (Homecoming)	7:30	H		
Oct. 31	*Roby	7:30	H		
Nov. 7	Open				



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### Football Schedule And Scorecard

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Sept. 5	A.C.H.S.	8:00	H		
Sept. 12	Miles	8:00	T		
Sept. 19	Open				
Sept. 26	O'Donnell	7:30	H		
Oct. 3	Meadow	7:30	T		
Oct. 10	*Roscoe	7:30	H		
Oct. 16	Sweetwater J.V.	7:30	T		
Oct. 24	*Aspermont	7:30	H		
Oct. 31	*Rotan	7:30	T		
Nov. 7	*Munday	7:30	H		



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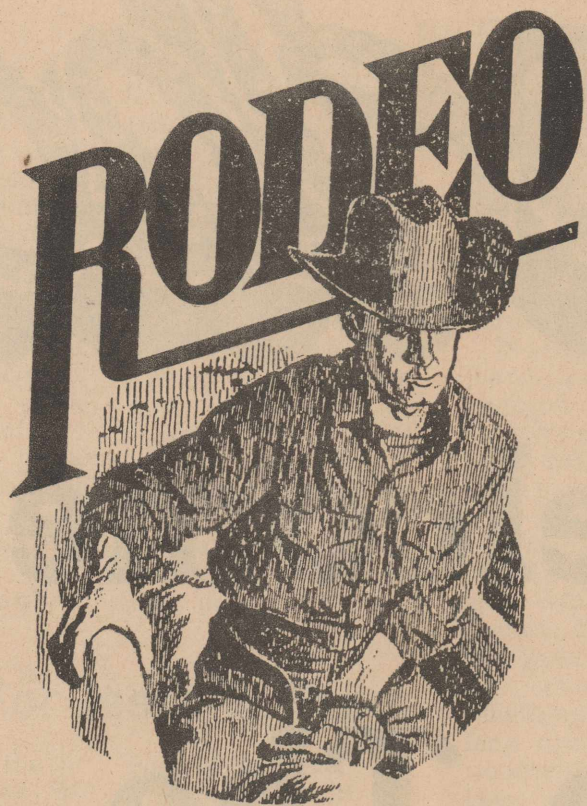
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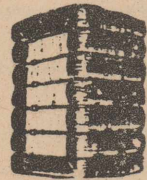
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# 41st Annual

# Rodeo

# Aug. 28, 29, & 30

# 8:00, Thursday, Aug. 28th

# 8:00, Friday, Aug. 29th

# 8:00, Saturday

# 8:00 O'Clock

# 8:00 O'Clock

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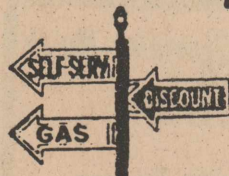
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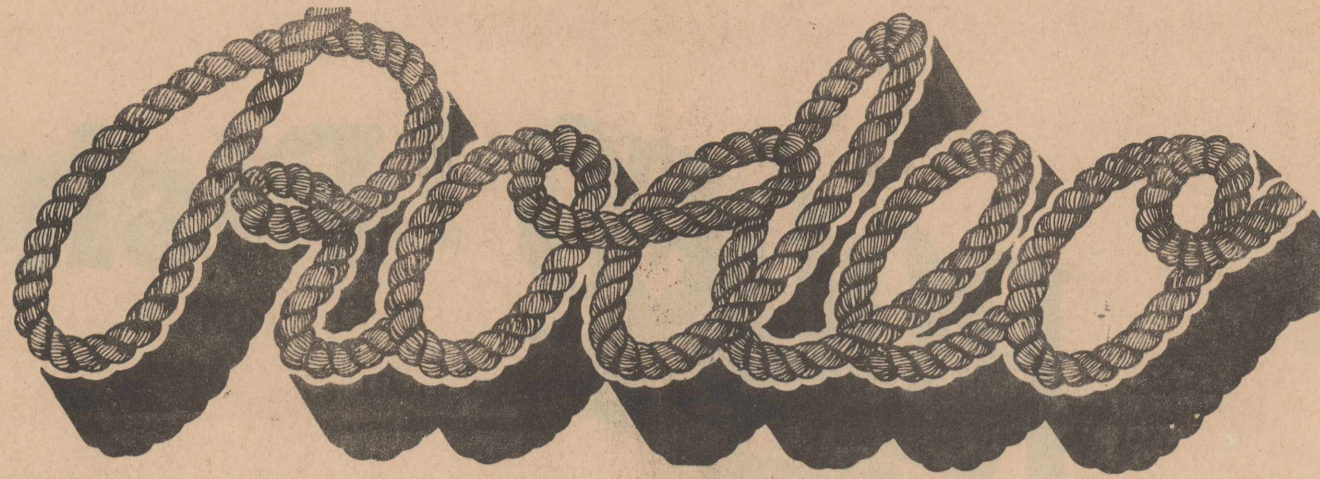
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