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Fisher County Hospital Board Members Accept Budget For 1987

Three members of the Fisher County Hospital Board, Marion Reed, Dave Williams, and Frank Mitchell, met last Monday night and accepted a \$1,895,761.00 budget for 1987 presented by Administrator Gary McGee.

The budget will require a hike in the ad valorem tax rate from last year's 17.5 cent per \$100 value to 24.6 cents per \$100 value.

McGee broke the budget areas into four categories. (1) Patient services expenses (including items-nursing salaries, ambulance

Theft Takes Place At

miles

Immunizations To Be Given

At Roby Annex On Oct. 1st

The Texas Depart- Children must be accom-

1:00-3:30

ment of Health will hold panied by parents). If

their comprehensive you have any questions,

1986 at the Roby An- or 776-2178.

salaries, laboratory salaries and expenses, respiratory and physical therapy, etc.) increases from \$770,734 in 1986 to \$784,736 for 1987. This reflects an increase of \$14,002. The second category is general services (2) General Services (including itemsmedical records expense, dietary salaries, housekeeping expenses linen and laundry, etc.)

an increase of \$8,512. (3) Administrative (including items-administrative salaries, accounting expense, advertising, insurance, tele-

increases from \$295,108

to \$303,620 or reflects

phone, etc.) reflects a decrease for 1987. The administrative section decreases from \$314,848 to \$304,653 showing a projected \$10.195 decline.

The final section is clinic. This area went from 1986 estimated expenses of \$137,582 to \$236,422 or a projected \$98,840 increase. The largest change in this section came in physician recruitment that went from zero dollars in 1986 to \$90,000 in

The prime three sec-

Jeff McClure of the

tions of patient services. general services and administrative showed an increase of \$12,319 for 1987. This is less than

10% increase. The clinic went from \$137,582 in 1986 to \$236,422.

The total hospital operating costs (funding requirements) amount to \$1,393,009; clinic operating costs are \$236,422; debt service is \$241,330 with \$25,000 set aside for the acquisition or replacement of equipment making the total required funds

needed for 1987 \$1,895,-

In order to generate that \$1,895,761, the Fisher County Hospital District is planning on securing \$589,121 from ad valorem taxes; \$264,000 from the clinic and \$1,100,000 from hospital occupancy. There is an uncollectible allowance of \$114,960.

Board members were presented a Fisher Hospital District Clinic Profit

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Jeff McClure Elected Area II Vice Pres.

Eugene Hudnall Farm 1,000 pounds each and Sheriff's Department the calves 200 to 300 officers are investigating what Sheriff Mickey Counts has said The animals were last was "the definite theft" seen and counted on of 8 cows and 2 calves August 22nd and were from the Eugene Hudreported missing on September 3rd. nall farm in the Sardis Community, approx-

imately southwest of Rotan. The animals were estimated to be worth \$3,000. The cows were in the weight area of

clinic and immuniza-

tions on Wed., Oct. 1,

nex. (Soon to begin

for immunizations.

INJURES ARM:

probably be out for the season.

charging a minimal fee are

The incident is under investigation and Counts has secured assistance from cattle raising organizations law enforcement arm.

please don't hestitate to

contact us at 235-8368

Kenneth Warren, Rotan

Yellowhammer football player, injured his arm Fri-

day night against Abilene Christian High School.

He is assisted by Coach Danny Diggs. Donnie

Carl Gruben was also injured in the game and will

Hours for the clinic

Fisher County Young Farmers was elected as Area II Young Farmers State Vice President. He will serve a two year term, traveling through the state with other state officers in promoting Agriculture, the Young Farmers and the FFA. During Jeff's second term, he will be

eligible to run as the State President. Jeff has served the Young Farmers in both the local and area levels and now will represent Area II on the state level. The Area II Young

Farmers Convention was held at El Paso by the YsLeta Young Farmers. After the business meeting, the

Roby Baptist Youth Council Plan Activities For Year

Sunday, Sept. 14th, the youth council of First Baptist Church of Roby met and planned youth activities for the next few months. Youth directors, Mark Weible and Scott Garvin met with adult council members Erwin and Maxine Burk, Alvin and Kathy Pety and Kathy Spencer. Velma Thomson was absent.

9:15-12:00; The Youth group will be responsible for con-ducting the Sunday night worship services Oct. 5. A hayride was scheduled for Oct. 18

with other church youth groups in Fisher County to be invited.

A campfire with a special guest speaker was set for Nov. 15. Caroling and a vesper's service were decided upon for Dec. 20.

The council decided to

try to have some church and community service activities for the youth to perform on a monthly basis. These activities will probably alternate, doing something for the church one month and then some community service the next month.

Big Country Council Of Men Fishfry Sept. 27th

The Big Country Council of Men for Missions announces the 8th annual fishfry. It will be held Sept. 27th at the Community Center in

Men For Missions is a laymen's organization whose purpose is to spread the gospel around the world. The main speaker will

be Dawnette Magner from Austin, Texas. She is a 1986 Baylor graduate going to Tiawan to teach English. Dawnette is a very dedicated young lady and is excited about using her skills in English as an evangelism tool.

At 5:15 p.m., "Witness" (singing group from Snyder) will share a special time of playing and singing traditional, gospel and contemporary music. The catfish meal will

begin at 6:30 and is compliments of Big Country Council. This should be a very rewarding evening. Come and share

Hobbs Exes Planning Homecoming On Nov. 1st

Plans are now being made for the Hobbs School Exes Homecoming that is scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 1, 1986. Officers for this year

are J. Windle Kincaid, President; Peggy Trice, Vernon, Vice President; and Pat Porter, Secretary-Treasurer.

Please contact Pat

Porter at 735-3337 or 735-2850 for any address changes or additions to the mailing list. Her mailing address is Rt. 2, Rotan, Texas.

Any persons desiring to assist with homecoming preparations should contact any of the officers listed above.

Young Farmer Delegation toured the Texas A&M Research Center. At the noon banquet and awards ceremonies, Congressman Coleman, from El Paso, was the key note speaker. Other speakers included Dr. Barber, Superintendent of Schools, Aaron Aljeandro, former State FFA

President, now represen-

ting the Texas Depart-

ment of Agriculture, and Cliff Neal, the 1986 State Young Farmer President. Attending from the Fisher County Young Farmer Chapter were Jeff and Karan McClure and Advisor Gary and

Rotan Young **Farmers Elects** Officers

Kathie Daniel.

The Rotan Young Farmers Association met recently and elected officers for the new year. They are: President-Mark Nowlin; Vice President-Russell Yates; Secretary-Koen McKinney; Treasurer-Randy Sparks; Reporter-Wes Counts; and Advisor-Olen Fryar.

Sardis Cemetery Association To Hold Work Day

Sardis Cemetery Association will have a cemetery working and business meeting Saturday, Sept. 20. Bring your lawn mower or send a donation to Box 116, Roby, Texas,

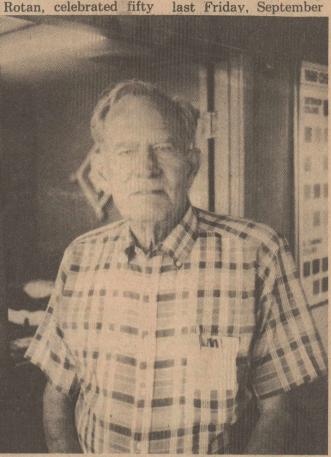
Commodities To Be Distributed On Sept. 20th

The Rural Wrens with help from the Young Farmers will be distributing com-modities Saturday, Sept. 20 from 8:30-10:30 at the Roby Pink Building. The Rural Wrens would like to thank the County Commissioners for their time and effort in picking up the commodities for their distribution. Without these Commissioners, this service would not be possible.

Yoke Fleming Celebrates 50 Years At F&M Chevrolet-Buick

owner of F Chevrolet-Buick in

Yoke Fleming, co- years as a full time wner of F & M employee of the local Chevrolet dealership last Friday, September



Yoke Fleming

New Book On F.C. History To Be Released In Dec.

"Families of Fisher County", the new book is expected to be ready for delivery early in December.

'once-in-a-This lifetime' book will contain a brief history of Fisher County and over 900 Family Histories of present and past citizens of the county along with hundreds of family pictures.

A Pictorial Section will follow the Family Histories. Many pictures have been submitted for the section.but more can be used. If you have general interest pictures (no family or

school groups) please contact Mrs. Joe Clark, Book Chairman or a member of the County Commission before the October 1st deadline on this section.

The Historical Commission urges everyone who will want a copy of the book to place an order soon. This is the only way to be sure of receiving a book. Very few books will be published over order

Price increase date and other information listed in ad in this issue of The Newspaper.

Theft At Rotan Gin Under **Investigation By Officials**

County Sheriff's Department officials are continuing an investigation into a break-in at the Rotan Gin involving the theft of approximately \$384.00, according to

Sheriff Mickey Counts. Burglars entered the Rotan Gin warehouse by cutting a hole in the side of the building and

removed cases of oil, anti-freeze and laundry detergent.

The theft was reported by officials by Jim Gruben, manager of the Rotan Gin. The incident took place on September 9th. Counts indicated that he did have some suspects in

Bonnie Workman To Be At Senior Citizens Center

The Fisher County Senior Citizen's will have the opportunity to take part in a dance this Friday night at 7:30 p.m., announced Annie Weems, Fisher County

Senior Citizen's Coordinator.

The dance will feature Bonnie Workman, lady fiddler from Rule, Texas and will carry a \$2.00 per person admission.

He began full time work on the 12th of September, 1936 with Hogsett-Dowell
Chevrolet Company.
Prior to that he had
worked for C.E. Leon, National Gypsum and began working for Jim

Loving-pumping gas. Yoke Fleming purchased an interest in the local dealership in 1960. In 1967 Yoke Fleming and Merle McKinney purchased Hogsett Chevrolet and named the dealership F&M Chevrolet-Buick.

Pvt. John M. **Shipp Completes Training Course**

Pvt. John M. Shipp, son of Buelene and Eugene Shipp of Rural Route 2, Roby, Texas, has graduated as a reconnaissance scout at the U.S. Army Armor School, Fort Knox, Ky.

The training was conducted under the one station until training (OSUT) program, which combines basic combat training and advanced individual training into one 13-week period.

Known as the "eyes and ears" of the unit, the scout's job is to make a complete evaluation of a tactical situation and report what he has observed or learned to his commander.

His wife, Lana, is the daughter of Jack and Linda Geron of 1405 McCaulley, Sweetwater.

Balfour Representative To Be At Roby

The Balfour representative will be at Roby High School on Wednesday, Sept. 24th to take orders on senior rings. Parents of Junior students are invited and encouraged to meet with the representative at 9:00 a.m. in the high school building.

Roby FFA **Participates** In Gilt Show

The Roby FFA participated in the scramble gilt show held at the West Texas Fair. Showing scramble gilts from Roby were Jeff Branson, Jay Linn Helms, and Joey Teague. These young men started their quest for this one year ago, when the caught a scramble calf at the rodeo. They received a certificate toward the purchase of a registered gilt. The animals were fed, cared for, and then exhibited at this year's fair. Jeff Branson placed fourth, Jay Linn Helms fifth, and Joe Teague sixth in each of their divisions.



INJURED PLAYER: Roby Lions football player, Rodney Green was injured in the Roby-Miles football game Friday night. He is assisted by Coach Kent Jackson. The Lions will not be playing football this Friday night as it is

ing.
The residents enjoyed James Carter, Erma Lee Schick, and Mildred Mc-Queen coming Sunday morning. The residents said they enjoyed the singing because they were good old songs that everybody knew. They also enjoyed the message that James

brought. Laura Crow visited her grandmother Minnie Zimmerman and Herman and Gene Eaton visited Edna Eaton last

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and Loss Statement for the first six months of operation.

The statement showed vear to date income of \$156,216.00 and expenses of \$77,917 for a net gain of \$78,299.00.

Dr. Wayne Viehweg, during the first 6 months of operation of the clinic, saw 1,566 patients through office visits, did 15 surgeries, delivered 9 babies, made 87 emergency room visits and admitted 65 people to the hospital.

In other action last Monday night the board discussed with Gary McGee a requirement by Medicare that medical staff by-laws reflect minimum medical malpractice coverages.

The board went into closed session concerning an employee for approximately 10 minutes, took no action, and adjourned the meeting.

Gerrald Finche's family gave him a birthday dinner last weekend to celebrate his birthday. The dinner was held at his granddaughter, Carolyn Greenway's

house. They had the party early because most of the family could be in for the weekend. Gerrald's birthday is the 26th.

meeting will be to

evaluate the Chapter I

program and discuss

state guidelines for ad-

mittance into the pro-

participation is invited

Card Of Thanks

We want to thank

everybody for every gift and visit at our 70th

wedding anniversary.

We appreciate you very

Lon & Virgie Weems

and encouraged.

Your attendance and

Rotan To Hold Chapter I **Parent Advisory Meeting**

Rotan I.S.D. will hold a Chapter I Parent Advisory Committee meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 23, 1986. The meeting will be held in the Rotan Junior High Library beginning at 7:00 p.m.

The purpose of this

Card Of Thanks

To the Eighth Grade Class of 1985-86, the faculty, administration, and all future eighth grades thank you for buying and placing a microwave oven in the football concession stand. Your generosity will be remembered for

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has accepted 5,091,618 more acres of highly erodible cropland into the Conservation Reserve Pro-Lora Cleveland gram, Deputy Secretary of Agriculture Peter Myers announced to-

day.
"We now have almost 9 million acres total from three signups," he said. "Our 5-year goal is to remove 40-45 million acres of highly erodible

Rotan Menu

Monday: Meat loaf; country fried potatoes; seasoned spinach; hot rolls; butter; honey; brownie; milk.

Tuesday: Oven fried chicken; potato salad; baked beans; hot rolls; butter; honey; jello;

Wednesday: Fish croquettes W/catsup; whipped potatoes; buttered mixed vegetables; hot rolls; butter; oatmeal cookies; milk.

Thursday: Lasagna; buttered corn; green salad; garlic toast; red velvet cake.

cropland from production for 10 years and with this level of participation we feel we are well on our way to meeting that objective. It's obvious that more farmers have been seriously weighing the benefits of participating in the Conservation

Reserve.' In this latest sign-up, farmers on 45,081 farms had submitted bids for a total of 6,420,964 acres. The accepted bids ranged up to \$90 per acre with an average of \$46.94 per acre.

Participants will also receive conservation payments of up to 50 percent of eligible costs of establishing trees and grass on the acreage placed in the reserve. conservation payments will partially

Legal Notice

All interested persons are hereby notified that a copy of the Fisher County 1987 Approved Budget including Revenue Sharing Funds is available for public inspection.

The Budget summary and documentation to support the summary are available at Fisher County Clerk's Office, Courthouse, Roby, Texas from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday thru Fri-They are also day. available in County Judge's Office and Auditor's Office.

CARELESS JUDGMENTS

Do not judge according to appearance, but judge with righteous judgment.

SMALL girl came to her mother with an urgent request, "I wish you would let me take a bath in the morning before I go to school instead of at night before I

go to bed." When her mother asked why, she replied, "Every day at school Miss Taylor tells everybody who had

a bath today to stand up. I've been in class 3 months, and I haven't been able to stand up one time." This girl feared that the other students and Miss Taylor might jump to the

conclusion that she never takes a bath.

Careless judgment is a problem common to us all. Even King David, a man we consider wise, fell victim to it. After serving many years as an effective ruler, he made a wrong judgment about Mephibosheth. As David fled Jerusalem

to escape death at the hands of his son Absalom, he thought that Mephibosheth—son of his dear friend lonathan - had become disloyal. He believed the false

this rascal. A few days later, David met Mephibosheth and

A wrong conclusion about someone may seem a small matter, but it can cause deep hurt. Think of what a school-girl might go through if her fellow students think she never

bathes. And we can be sure that David's failure to get the true facts caused Mephibosheth much mental anguish.

Such misjudgments can destroy self-esteem or ruin a good reputation. Let's make sure we base our judgments on the

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

truth and always temper them with love.

discovered his error.

735-2178

USDA Accepts 5,091,618 Acres Of Cropland

reimburse farmers for the one-time costs of establishing required conservation practices on the cropland. Myers said land

entered into the Conservation Reserve, as directed by the Food Security Act of 1985, will be ineligible for farming for 10 years and must be planted with

permanent vegetation cover. "This program will bring many benefits, including the enhancement of wildlife habitat," he said.

Farmland signed up to date totals 8,930,-655 acres. During the first sign-up period, March 3-14, USDA accepted bids to enter 838-356 acres on 10,307

farms into the program. Bids on that signup ranged up to \$90 per acre with an average of \$41.82.

During the second period, 3,000,681 acres on 22,863 farms were accepted. Accepted bids in this period also ranged up to \$90 per acre with an average of

"FAMILIES OF FISHER COUNTY"

This new book is expected to be ready for delivery early in December.

If you have not ordered your copy remember DEADLINE FOR PRE-PUBLICATION PRICE IS OCTOBER 15th.

Until Oct. 15 orders may be placed for \$35 plus tax \$36.85.

After Oct. 15 regular price of \$40 plus tax \$42.05 effective. Add \$2.50 if to be mailed.

VERY FEW BOOKS WILL BE PUBLISHED OVER ORDER. If you will want a copy please ORDER SOON.

Orders may be placed with: Roy & Helen Noles, Roby Summers Pharmacy, Rotan or any member of the County Commission.

Some general interest pictures are needed for Pictorial Section of the book, no family or school groups. Deadline for these is Oct. 1st.

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TOMATOES

Worship This Week At A Fisher County Church

Sunday School 9:45 Worship 6:00 Ell Sepeda-Pastor

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

735-2334 Sunday School 9:15 Worship 10:30 Sunday Eve. 6:00 Terry Lowe-Pastor FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 776-2308 Roby, Texas Worship 10:50 Worship 6:00

Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Eve. 5:00 UMYF Wed. Night Choir Practive 7:00 Jim Hawthorne-Pastor

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH McCaulley, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 9:30 Wed. (2nd Wed. in each month family nite 7:00)
Alvin G. Smith-Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Eve.-Church Training 6:00 Wed. Night 7:30 CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Sylvester, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Worship 9:30 Sunday Eve. Training Union 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Worship 7:00 James P. (Pat) Anderson-Pastor Every 3rd Tues. Evening Community Dinner 6:30
Alvin G. Smith-Pastor LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH **CHURCH OF CHRIST**

735-2344

Sunday School 9:45

Sunday School 10:00

Sunday School

Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 6:00

735-2553

735-3285

Wed. Eve. Bible Study 7:30

Worship 10:55 Worship 7:00

Steve Peace-Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Rotan, Texas Wed. Night 7:00 James Carrington-Pastor **FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH** Roby, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Worship Service 11:00 Worship 7:00

Wed. Night 7:00 Alvin Petty-Pastor CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Eve.-Bible Study 6:00 Worship 11:00 Worship 7:00

Wed. Night 7:00 **Dutch Parks-Pastor EMMANNUEL BAPTIST CHURCH**

Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Wed. Night 7:30 Andress Rodriguez-Pastor

SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH Sylvester, Texas Worship 11:00 Wed. Night 7:00 993-4479 Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 6:00

HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH Hobbs Community Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00

McCAULLEY BAPTIST CHURCH Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00

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776-2244

776-2371

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Roby, Texas

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Rotan, Texas

Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Evening 6:00

Sunday Morning 9:00 a.m. Mass Saturday Evening 7:30 p.m. Mass Father Austin Kittredge MARANATHA CHURCH

Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Morn. Ladies Bible Class 9:30

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00-Nov.-April 8:00 May-Oct. Wardell Halliburton-Mnister

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rotan, Texas 9:45 Wed. Night Worship Lyle Whitmeyer-Pastor

FOURSQUARE CHURCH

Ira Burns-Pastor

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Worship 11:00 Wed. Evening 7:00 Higginbotham-Citizens State Bartlett Bank Greg Rains-Mgr

Rotan, Texas Worship 10:45

Worship 11:00

Rotan, Texas

Rotan, Texas

Worship 11:00 Wed. Night 7:00

Donald Dawes-Minister



H.L. Davis & Company Bill & Elaine Day Rotan, Texas

Bart Strayhorn 735-2231 Rotan, Texas

Tax Planning By Gerald Rodgers CPA



TAX REFORM

It appears that we will finally have tax reform legislation. Here's a brief rundown of the major provisions of the bill as agreed to by the Senate-House Conference Committee:

* Two individual tax rates-15 percent and 28 percent. (Higher income taxpayers will actually have a top rate of 33 percent because the 15 percent rate and the personal exemption are phased out at higher income levels.)

* Personal exemption increased to \$2,000, to be indexed for inflation after 1989 and to be phased out for incomes above \$149,250 (joint).

* Standard education increased to \$5,000 for joint try Meet Saturday. filers; \$4,400 for head of household, and \$3,000 for Competing for the boys

singles. * Mortgage interest deductions for principal and Junior a d Mike second residence remain deductible; consumer interest Reeves, a Sophomore. becomes non-deductible; investment interest deductible Mike came in No. 11 in a within limits.

Charitable contributions deductible only if you for the girls were Kristy itemize.

* Sales tax no longer deductible; state and local income Lee Hicks, a Senior; and and property taxes are.

* Capital gains to be taxed as ordinary income.

* IRA deductions limited to those not covered by company pension plans and not earning above certain

* Medical expenses deductible only to the extent they exceed 7.5 percent of adjusted gross income.

* Working couples deduction eliminated.

* Income averaging eliminated.

* Income averaging eliminated.

* Tax shelter loss deductions limited. (A taxpayer could use these losses only to offset income from similar 'passive' investments.)

* Three corporate tax rates-15 percent, 25 percent, and 34 percent.

Investment tax credit repealed; depreciation deductions reduced.

* Business meals and entertainment expense only 80

We'll be providing you with details and planning suggestions in coming articles.

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"Week Of Prayer" Begins At F and Dot McCain, Sue and Dub Dulin, Bill Ratliff and Wayne and I

The week of prayer in First Baptist Church of Roby for the Mary Hill Davis state mission offering got off to an exciting start last Sunday. First Baptist and its

Bautista Calvario, held a joint worship service at Calvario at 7:00 p.m.

Iglesia Bautista led the beautiful worship service with a devotional by Tivo Flores mission, Iglessia and a bi-lingual sermon

Roby Boys & Girls In **Cross Country Meet**

The Roby boys and girls competed in the Brownfield Cross Counwere James Gantt, a time of 20:26. Martin, a Senior; Mary

Donna Terry, Sophomore. Kristy came in 13th in a time of 16:04. Mary Lee came in 94th with a time of 19:44. Donna sprained her ankle while running and was unable to finish.

The Roby boys and girls will run next Saturday in Abilene.





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735-2591

"The Friendly Store"

Rotan, Texas

By Bertha Warren

by mission pastor Eli Sepeda. The Calvario Children's Choir sang of Noah's Ark. They were accompanied by Rachel Sepeda on the guitar. There was other special music by members of the Anaya family and the youth choir of First Baptist Church. Tivo

worked in the Hobbs Cemetery as the rains had caused a lot of damage to some of the members, Frank burk," Carl Matthies, Mutt Knox, and Woodrow Lawlis were presented to the congregation.

Beth Martin, president of the Baptist s

PUBLIC NOTICE

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEME OF PROPOSED

hope she will be feelir better soon.

Lolly Whitworth Sweetwater received th state degree in the special state missions' Future Farmers offering by Texas
America this summer a Southern Baptist Churthe state F.F.A. conver ches, First Baptists' oftion in Amarillo. The fering goal is \$1,000 this award is given to a stryear. Texas Baptists dent who has been i are hoping to build F.F.A. for three or fou 2,000 new churches and years and have obtained missions in the state in a high degree of exthe next few years with cellence in the many acofferings such as this.

tivities sponsored by Lolly had tamendment will allow rance companies and ies to bid for life and policies of political

Public liability will be e payment of premums specified in the contract. The proposed amendment will ap-

pear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment allowing political subdivisions the opportunity to engage in and transact business with authorized mutual insurance companies in the same manner as with other insurance companies."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 4 proposes a constitutional amendment that would repeal the prohibition against branch banking by state banks and would allow state banks and national banks domiciled in this state to establish and operate banking facilities at locations within the county or city where they are domiciled. The amendment would also authorize the Legislature to permit a state bank or a national bank domiciled in this state to engage in business at more than one place if it acquires a failed state bank or national bank domiciled in this state.

The proposed amendment will ap-

pear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to provide that a bank may offer full service banking at more than one location within the city or county where its principal facility is located, subject to limitations and restrictions provided by law."

Estos son los informes explanatorios sobre las enmiendas propuestas a la constitución que aparacerán en la boleta el día 4 de noviembre de 1986. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podró obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12887, Austin, Texas

GENERAL ELECTION **NOVEMBER 4, 1986 PROPOSITION NO. 1** rently, a law is invalidated if a

insufficient title.

state laws."

ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 15 proposes a constitutional amendment that would permit the legislature to provide by general law for the apportionment of the value of railroad rolling stock among the counties in which the property of the railroad is located for purposes of property taxation, and would delete the requirement that the Comptroller participate in making the allocation. To comply with both statutory and constitutional law, the apportionment

Property Tax Board in conjunction with the Comptroller. The proposed amendment will ap-

currently is being made by the State

pear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to provide by general law for the apportionment of the value of railroad rolling stock among counties for purposes of property taxation."

PROPOSITION NO. 2

ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 33 proposes a constitutional amendment that would replace the constitutional requirement that the subject of a bill be expressed in its title with a mandate that each house of the legislature adopt rules of procedure that would require the subject of each bill to be expressed in its title in a manner that gives the legislature and the public reasonable notice of that subject. Determining compliance with the rule would be the responsibility of the legislature. Cur-

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

ing revision of state laws.

"The constitutional amendment requiring each house to include in its rules of procedure a rule that each bill contain a title expressing the bill's subject, and providing

court finds its caption is defective.

The amendment would provide that

past and future enactments may

not be held void on the basis of an

The amendment also would elimi-

nate the suggestion that the state's

laws be revised every ten years, and

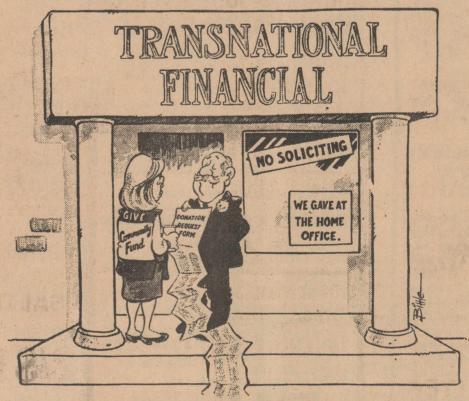
instead would provide for continu-

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

for the continuing revision of

House Joint Resolution 73 proposes a constitutional amendment that would permit the Legislature to authorize any county, city, town, or other political subdivision to use public funds or credit to pay insurance premiums on nonassessable life, health, or accident policies. Due to the prohibition in the constitution against the lending of credit and granting of public money, political subdivisions currently are prohibited from becoming shareholders in associations such as mutual-insurance companies, in which policyholders are shareholders. A nonassessable mutual insurance policy does not allow a company to raise capital by assessing the policyholder an extra amount on a pre-

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Hustling of Price Support Levy Joy Walker

Well, we got some more rain, and Sunday evening we really had a down pour, just for a little while, and we measured just about six tenths here at the house. We also got a good supported at \$4,93 shower on Saturday, so doesn't seem like its ready to dry up, and we

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The ASCS Wool and Mohair programs are designed to encourage

sl M.L. (Buck) Cave from Newcastle visited and Mr. and Mrs. J.C.

Mrs. Lucy Kincaid is still going to her doctor selling out; their cows nd Wildlife Depart- b in Abilene every day ce and she is still feeling a very poorly. We hope m that she will soon feel

Summer Reading Course Ends At Library

Gaspar, Brian Carreon,

Romero,

Marie

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Summmer Reading Club at Rotan Public Library has run its course, with 71 young people from Rotan, Roby and Hobbs signing up. The first two to read ten books were Elizabeth and Joe Gonzalez. The four children reading the most books included Mandy Dycus, 45 books; Teasha Callan, 36 books; Dee Dycus, 34 books; and Justin Moffett, 29 books. Those reading more than 20 books included: Amy and Laura Blackwelder, Michael and Michelle Martinez, Chris Leach, Kathleen and Jason Moffett, Rhonda Henry, Brenda, Jason, Joe and Patricia Sepeda.

All those reading at least ten books were awarded certificates, including the above and the following (which may include some kindergarteners who had their books read to them): Vicky Freeman, Sandy Brown, Ray Yanez, Jessica Moore, Lynde Martinez, Trey Jernigan, Raul Mar-

Rotan-Roby Jr. High Tie 6-6

The Rotan Jr. High battled Roby to a 6-6 tie last Thursday night. Roby opened the scoring with a 60 yard run on the first play from scrimmage. But Rotan came back behind the running of Efrain Pizarro and the throwing of Paul Carrillo which led to Rotan's score, a 25 yard reverse to Joey Thomas.

Leading tacklers for the game were Sammy Daniels, Danny Warren. and Efrain Pizarro.

The Junior High travels to Spur this Thursday for a 5:30 p.m. ballgame.

Rotan JV Defeats Roby JV By A Score Of 42-0

The Rotan JV seemed instoppable as they waltzed past Roby JV 42-0 in a Saturday morning ball game. Willard Roddy opened the scoring with the first of his three touchdowns of the day. The first came on a 65 yard pass play from Kevin Smith to Roddy. After the Rotan defense forced Roby to punt. Roddy returned the punt 60 yards for his second touchdown. Others scoring touchdowns were Kevin

Smith 2 touchdowns on runs of 2 yards and 55 yards. Lester Pittman scored on a 25 yard run and Robert Daniel scored on a 2 yard plunge into the end zone. Offensive stats worth noting are: Kevin Smith, 9 carries for 106 yads, 2 touchdowns; Willard Roddy, 2 receptions for 115 yards, 2 touchdowns.

The defensive standouts were Robert Daniel and Lester Pittman getting 17 tackles and 10 tackles respectively.

The JV travels to Spur Thursday night for a ballgame with the Bulldogs.

per pound, 50 cents per pound more than the

tinez, Jr., Christopher

Alvarado, Chad Arnwine, James Arnwine, Mark Marshall, Brandi Murphree, Czrena West. Others also taking part included: Timothy Moore, Ruthie Pittman, Brandon Sheehan, Josh Kelley, Patrick Zambrano, Brandon Carreon, Isabel Zambrano, Mindy May, Melissa Burk, Terre Sharp, Lane Ladies Auxiliary

Holds First Meeting

The Ladies Auxiliary met for their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, Sept. 10th, at the Fisher County Hospital. There were 8 members present. Mrs. Glen Gruben is our new treasurer taking Mrs. Janie Ritter's place. We discussed our blood drive which is going to be Monday, October 27th. Our next regular meeting will be Wednesday, October 8th, so please make plans to attend. We need all our members to attend

these meetings.

CALCULATION

ADD RATE TO REGAIN 1985 TAXES

TOTAL RATE TO ADJUST FOR ERRORS

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STATE AID/EQUALIZATION AID RATE

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FOR M&O FUND

FOR ILS FUND

TAXES WILL PAY

1986 EFFECTIVE TAX RATE

EFFECTIVE M&O RATE

Hicks, David Nowlin, Lana Slusher, Scott Nowlin, Christy Alaniz, Monica Rose Alvarado, Joyce Daniel, Alisa Royer, Richard Almanza, Chrystal Royer, Chris Silvas, Tara Wester, Phillip Hull, Frederic Carreon, Misty Gruben, Eliot Mize, Wade Mize, Talitha Cadenhead, Brandi Murphree, Yolanda Martinez, Joseph Arrasola, Bobbie Daniel, Raymond Almanza, Carlos Almanza, and Jackie Golden.

Legal Notice

Fisher County Commissioners will accept bids for telephone system to replace rotary dial. For more information, call County Judge's Office. Bids will be opened Monday, Oct. 13, 1986 at 10 a.m. in the Commissioners Courtroom, Courthouse, Roby, Texas.

Fisher County Commissioners reserve the right to accept or reject any and all bids. Marshal Bennett

County Judge

enough to run track.

ROBY

Not too much this week, guess the rains have kept everyone close to home.

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Etheredge from San Angelo spent the weekend visiting the J.W. Etheredges. Chase Etheredge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Todd Etheredge of Snyder also spent the weekend with his grandparents. Also visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Randy Etheredge, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge and Mrs. Lealon Wilburn. Mrs. Lealon Wilburn, Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and Chase all visited with the Jim Wilburns, Shannon and Courtney on Saturday. Mrs. Mike Wilburn and Justin from Abilene were also there visiting. Jim and I went to

Mr. and Mrs. David

Abilene on Friday and spent the day and then we went on to the AC-HS-Rotan football game that night. It was a good game as we won, but our grandson, Donnie Carl, was injured in the last few minutes of the game, so it didn't end up being very good, especially for him. He is going to Midland on Friday to a knee specialist, and we hope that he won't have to undergo surgery, but will just have to wait and see what the doctor says. Anyway we know he won't be able to play football again this year, or even basketball, but hopefully he will be well

Mr. and Mrs. James Ratliff and Teressa Ratliff from Snyder all attended the Abilene High Rollers basketball game on Saturday at the Rotan Gym. Their son, Jim, plays on the team.

See you next week.





Jerrel Tunnell Ed Wright First Tenor

HOSPITAL

DISTRICT

Baritone

Cliff Holden Second Tenor

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Rotan Church of Christ Presents: GOSPELAIRES QUARTET

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Calculated Effective Rates

I, TEDDY KRAL, CHIEF APPRAISER FOR THE ABOVE NAMED DISTRICTS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SEC. 26.04, HAVE CALCULATED THE ABOVE NAMED EFFECTIVE RATES PER \$100 AS THE TAX RATES WHICH MAY NOT BE EXCEEDED BY MORE THAN THREE PERCENT BY THE GOVERNING BODIES OF THE ABOVE NAMED DISTRICTS WITHOUT HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING AS REQUIRED BY THE CODE.

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Hello from down South.

Thelma Smith attended the baby shower at Merkel Saturday for her granddaughter and great granddaughter, Cinda Ranson and Rachel Renee of Midland. She reported everything was so nice and the baby received so many pretty things.

Arthur Blankenship from Okla. visited Charlie, Thelma and Hazel Smith on Friday, also visiting were Mr.and Mrs. Frances Reed of Ohio. The Reeds spent a couple of nights

way to Ft. Worth to see J.M. and Florene Smith.

Henderson of Floydada spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Lorene Henderson. Harvey and Cleo Davis attended the West Texas Fair on Wednesday. They enjoyed all of it, but especially the arts and crafts exhibit.

Visiting Eircle and Mary Etta O'Donald over the weekend were two of Mary Etta's cousins, Paul McCain and Myrtle Dildine both

last week. Mr. Denton's residents. wife, Mina, lives here in Rotan.

We had a quiet week last week. Our bingo Blevins and checkers player, Ray Morrow had a good week winning quite a few games.

I want to thank Henry Williams, Scott Toliver and some other boys I don't know by

Roby 4-H Clovers Hold Regular Meeting

The Roby 4-H Clovers Club met Thursday, Sept. 11 at the Roby Courthouse Annex. Club members enrolled for the 86-87 school year. Plans were discussed for the year as well as community service projects, fund raisers and conduct rules. Food and Nutrition workshops and food show were discussed. The next meeting will be Oct. 7. Officers will be elected at this time.

Members present were: Loretta Sierra, Linda Castor, Jo Anna Chavira, Mike Elliott, Monica Pullig, Tanya McClure, Carolyn McClure, Atkinson, Ben Singletary, Robert Vahlenkamp, Anita Floyd, Zachary Clark and Jason Gruben.

Refreshments were served by Zachary Clark and Mike Elliott.

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Vernon and Joyce

F.C. Nursing Home News

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Owen and Louis McKay from Killeen, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Frances winner was Dove Reed from Ohio came to visit Hazel Smith. Mrs. Reed is Hazel's niece.

Iva Early from Abilene visited Mrs. Whitten. Sue Houghton from Roby and Betty Mauldin visited Mr. and Mrs. Miers.

Fred's niece, Carolyn Houghton and his brother, Sherman from Hamlin visited him.

LaNita Moore's daughter from Houston, Helen Hughes and Glenn Mann from Rotan came to see her.

Other visitors were Winnie Mae Herring, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Whisenant from Dono McGregor, Darden from Rotan and Walter Brooks.

Reyna Garcia

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News From Down South

from Okla. Mr. McCain was on his way to a reunion with his army co. in San Angelo. They along with the O'Donalds visited with Clair Kidd and Willis and Lucille McCain of Sweetwater.

Myrtle Williams, a friend of Mary Etta's from Divide came to see her last week and she said they sure did enjoy her visit. Clair Kidd was in the

hospital in Sweetwater but is out and feeling

better. She was able to take a drive out in the country around Claytonville where she grew up and lived before for so long before moving to town.

Mable Warren traveled to Ft. Worth with Louis and Beatrice Hayes Friday. Doyle Hayes drove his parents to see the doctor and Mable stopped off at her daughter, Ida Lou's home for a visit.

Our visitors for the

weekend were William Brazee of Sonora, Dub and Sue Dulin of Maryneal, Steve Warren and a friend, Mr. Neeley and son from Snyder dropped by for a while. Wayne and I attended the 9th birthday party in Sweetwater for our grandson, Kevin Warren of Big Spring. It was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Oden. About 16 guests were served cake and punch.

Monday afternoon F.A.

By Bertha Warren

and Dot McCain, Sue and Dub Dulin, Bill Ratliff and Wayne and I worked in the Hobbs Cemetery as the rains had caused a lot of damage to some of the graves and the grassburrs had really grown with the wet weather. Junior Soliz came and mowed the grass before we left and it was sure looking nice.

Jewell Ratliff has been under the weather the last few days. We hope she will be feeling

better soon. Lolly Whitworth of Sweetwater received the state degree in the Future Farmers of America this summer at the state F.F.A. convention in Amarillo. The award is given to a student who has been in F.F.A. for three or four years and have obtained a high degree of excellence in the many activities sponsored by F.F.A. Lolly had to

compete against other applicants in the district area and state record checks. She is the daughter of John and Kay Whitworth of Sweetwater. Grandparents are Bud and Delores Bunn of Capitola and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Whitworth of Sweetwater. Congratulations to Lol-

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GARAGE SALE: Sept. 20, Saturday only. 106 N. Richard, 9:00 to 5:00 p.m., no sales before 9:00. Furniture, clothes, dishes, books, and many more extras. Weather permitting.

LOST: Two red Santa Gertrudis cows strayed 7 miles north of Rotan, with Brand 10 on right hip. If seen call Harvey Strickland, 735-3563 or 32:1tp 735-2827.

GARAGE SALE: 914 E. 5th, Friday only. Little girls clothes size 5-7, sewing machine, etc. 32:1tc

FOR SALE: TAM 105 wheat \$5.50 bushel; Bob Oats \$3.75 bushel; grazing oats \$3.50 bushel. Rotan Delinting Co., 32:tfc 735-3341.

WANTED: Fifth wheel trailer chasis. No beds wanted. Rotan Delinting Co., 735-3341. 32:2tc

FOR RENT: Garage Call apartment. 735-3348. 32:2tc

LOST: Large male manx cat. Gray color, no tail, neutered, lost in Roby vicinity. Contact (806) 872-6176. Reward. 30:4tp

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FOR SALE: Mitt Wheat Seed, call Ted Posey, 776-2689.

FOR SALE: General Grabber LT 10-15 tires. Lee Smith, 735-3178 or Bobby Smith 735-2006. 31:2tp

FOR RENT: bedroom, 2 bath, brick, 11 miles West of Rotan on pavement, water line. Call 735-290 : 32:1tc

HOUSE FOR SALE: 3 bedroom, 1380 sq. ft., FHA built, brick house with utility and double carport on 11/2 acres. Built in dishwasher and cooking range. Cellar, 6 miles South of Roby or 14 miles North of Sweetwater, 300 yards East off. Highway 70. \$38,500. 776-2569 after 6:30 p.m.

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Marshal Bennett County Judge

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31:2tp price!!

Call 735-2091.

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and Title VI. Rotan Independent School District will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to educational and vocational programs.

For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX coordinator, Alton Fields at Rotan School, Rotan, Texas, 915-735-2332 or the Section 504 coordinator, Alton Fields at Rotan School, Rotan, Texas, 915-735-2332.

32:1tc





Wool Price Support Level Set At \$1.78

The federal support price for 1986 shorn wool marketingsmis \$1.78 per pound, 13 cents a pound higher than the 1985 level, according to Billy Don

Atkinson, County Executive Director of the Fisher County Agricultural Stablilization and Conservation Service. Mohair marketings will be supported at \$4,93

per pound, 50 cents per pound more than the 1985 rate.

The ASCS Wool and Mohair programs, are designed to encourage sheep growers to improve the quality and marketing of fibers. Fisher County's sheep growers received payments totalling several hundred dollars for their 1985 sales of shorn wool.

"Shorn wool and mohair payments are based on a percentage of each producers returns from sales. The percentage is the amount required to raise the national average price for 1986 wool up to the \$1.78 per pound support price," Mr. Atkinson price,

He said that pulled

wool will continue to be supported at a level comparable to the price support level for shorn wood through payments on unshorn lambs.

"Projected prices indicate payments may be necessary for 1986 mohair marketings, and these payments will be calculated in a manner similar to wool.

The ASCS official said wool prices for 1986 are expected to average around 70 cents per pound. Mohair prices could average about \$3.50 per pound.

County Agent Report By Richard Spencer

Fisher County cotton this year doesn't have much of a bottom crop. This is due to three factors-insects, the extreme hot weather in July and August and soil compaction. Quite a bit of the cotton didn't grow enough stalk this year and I checked a few fields and found a hard pan at six inches with the tap root making a right angle.

The Crops and Livestock committees met last week. Both will sponsor educational programs next year on marketing. The Crops Committee will sponsor a county tour on October 13.

The Rolling Plains Economic Program Annual Meeting will be held October 1 in Vernon. "Options For The Future', for the Farmers and Family will be the theme for the program which will last from 9:00 a.m. til noon.

A new program to match sportsmen who need places to hunt with farmers and ranchers with available land could mean the difference between profit and loss for some hardpressed Texas landowners, state officials

The lease-matching clearinghouse is a joint effort of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and the Texas Department

Agriculture. Information collected by the two departments will be matched with hunter's

requests to the Parks and Wildlife Department. Neither department will be involved in the financial negotiations. TDA said more than 3.4 million acres have been listed with the clearinghouse

Landowners are providing names, addresses, phone numbers, the number of acres available, proximity to airports, availability of recreational vehicle hookups and other information needed by prospective hunters.

The listing will be

G.W. Finch Celebrates Birthday

The children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and niece and husband helped G.W. Finch celebrate his 92nd. Birthday the 13 and 14th of September. available to hunters beginning October 1 by contacting the Parks and Wildlife Department. Hunters will be asked to specify the species and general area of the state they prefer for hunting. Fisher County Bug Scoop By Paula Verden

during the growing season and may damage

late blooming sorghum.

southern Rolling Plains.

reach an average of 2 per

head in midge-susceptable hybrids

with a potential yield of

3,000 lbs/acre, control

measures are needed to

prevent economic loss.

Most of the sorghum

hybrids planted in the

Once midge numbers

Sorghum that is economic injury level for blooming now or that midge-resistant will be blooming soon sorghum hybrids with should be inspected daithe same yield potential ly for sorghum midge. is about 10 midges per

Midge populations build head. The adult midge is a small fragile orange colored fly about 1/12 of an Damaging infestations inch long. The females deposit 50-250 eggs in are present in the the husk of the developing seeds. The eggs hatch in 2-3 days and the larvae destroy the

developing seeds. Sorghum midges can damage grain sorghum only when it is blooming. A single floret or seed is susceptable only 1 day and a head is susceptable for about 7-9 days. A field that blooms uniformly is susceptable for 14-21 days.

Sorghum fields should be first inspected from 10 a.m. to noon when 10% of the heads are in bloom. A new midge population is present each day so once midges are found, inspect the field daily. Sample 50-100 heads per day by examining heads carefully or slipping a plastic bag over each sorghum head, shaking the head and looking for the midges at the top of the bag.

Once a damaging in-

festation is found, 3-4 chemical applications at 3-4 day intervals may be needed to protect the field from economic loss. In a uniform field about 80% of the sorghum yields is produced from day 5-12 of bloom. It is during this 7 day bloom period that protection from the sorghum midge is most critical.

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Roby Lions Take Victory Over Miles Bulldogs

The Roby Lions evened their season record Friday night with a win over the Miles Bulldogs by a score of 7-0.

The opening of the game was a "Little Shakey" for the Lions, after receiving the open-ing kick off the Lions lost the ball when the Bulldogs picked off the Lions first pass attempt. This was Roby's only turnover of the night, but the Lions, suffering 12 penalties in the game.

After the interception the Bulldogs took over on the Lions 46-Miles ran for 5 yards and then a penalty again and the Lions gave them 5 more, with a second and two from the 38, Roby broke three to throw the Bulldogs for a three yard loss. On the next play, several of the Lion's defenders stopped the Miles runner at the line of scrimmage for no gain. Faced with a 4th and 5, Miles punted.

Roby's offense began to move the ball on this drive starting at their own 15 with a combination of good blocking by the line--center, Sr. Thomson, guards--Jr's. Kenlee Dennis, and Soph. Ronnie Rodriquez tackles, Jr. David Vorn Kahl and Soph. Joe Teague, ends Sr. Jeff Branson and Jr. Greg Meek and good running by the backs-q.b. Jr. Reggy Spencer, tail back Jr. Jason Terry, full back Sr. Rodney Green, wing back Soph. Jay Linn Helms, the Lions ran off 18 plays before being stopped short of a first down on the Bulldogs 38. The Bulldogs ran off only one more play before the first quarter ended, but in the first quarter the Lions gained 61 yards rushing and made 4 first downs. Miles had only 6 plays for 4 vards in the first

with Miles naving possession at their 33 with a 2nd and 9, gaining only 5 yards in 3 plays, the Bulldogs punted. Another penalty against the Lions on when faced with (1st the Lions off deep in their own end of the field. With first down at Roby's 11, in three

The second quarter

was much like the first,

plays the Lions had gained 9 yards and were building confidence and on 4th and 1 at their own 20 the Lions went for it and made the first down to keep the drive going. Roby made two more 1st downs in this drive, and had run off 14 plays, before punting back to Miles. The Bulldogs on the first play of this possession made their longest run of the night, an 11 yard gain and this was their first and only first down of the first half. But again the Lions defense with Sr. Paul Hyer, Sr. Marlon Terry, Soph. David Shipp, Soph.
Mike Reeves, had not allowed the Bulldogs any yardage in 3 rushing attempts, with 4th and 10 still on the 31 the Bulldogs punted back to the Lions.

In this possession Roby's Jr. tail back Jason Terry was lost for the remainder of the game with bruised ribs. The Lions failed to make a first in this drive and the next, to end the first half, with some good statistics, 7 first downs and 142 yards rushing. The Bulldogs completed a pass on the last play of the half that covered 26 yards, they had 21 yards rushing and one first

The second half started with the Bulldogs with the ball, and ran off 6 plays before having to punt. Another penalty against the Lions had given Miles a first down in

this drive. Roby's first possession of the 2nd half ended with the Lions first score of the year. The Lions had moved 33 yards in 8 plays with Jerry Carreon going in to score from 3 yards

Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital from Sept. 9 thru Sept. 15 were: Walton C. Taggart; Jimmie McCright: Virgie Weems; Madie Bennett; Fedencio Ramon; Sylvester Ramon; Luz Ramon; James Ratliff; and Narcisso Ortega, all of Rotan; Geneva Chandler, Roby; Gladys Downey, Hamlin; Mary Burnham, Stamford; Richard Spurlock,

out, Soph. David Shipp kicked the PAT to give the Lions the 7-0 lead. In this drive the Lions lost Sr. full back Rodney Green with a leg injury for the remainder of the game. The Lions finished the game with 3 Soph. running backs, Jerry Carreon, Helms, and Mike Reeves behind q.b. Spencer. The young backfield added four more first downs and 75 yards, rushing to the team statistics for the game. Lions ended with 11 first downs and 217 yards rushing.

The Lions defense remained strong the entire game allowing the Bulldogs 2 more first downs in the 3rd quarter and both were made when the Lions were assessed penalities. Miles ran 15 plays not counting 3 punts in this after and on 4 of them they were thrown for

In the fourth quarter, the Bulldogs had the ball 3 more times, and the Lion defense continued to taunt the Bulldogs. With the injuries to Green and Terry, Roby's Soph. Steve Reeves went in on

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defense to fill in the vacant spot and the young Lion did a good job. On the Bulldogs first play of this quarter, they challenged the young man and he responded by throwing the Miles runner for a 7 yard loss.

The Bulldog's second possession of the 4th quarter ended with a pass interception by Soph. Jay Linn Helms. The Bulldogs ended the game with 5 first downs, 89 yards rushing and 66 passing. Each team had

11 possessions in the game and each team had an interception. The Lions punted 4 times (Helms punted) and Miles punted 9 times. The Bulldogs punted when faced with (1st quarter) 4th and 5, (2nd

quarter) 4th and 4, 4th and 10, 4th and 24 (3rd quarter), 4th and 8, 4th and 13, 4th and 18, (4th quarter), 4th and 14. The Bulldogs last possession of the game ended with an incomplete pass on 4th

and 11. The Lions are open this Friday, but will be getting ready for a powerful team from O'Donnell next Friday, Sept. 26th in Roby, so come out and support the Lions.

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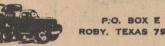
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Rotan Yellowhammers Defeat A.C.H.S. Panthers

The Yellowhammers got off to a sluggish start Friday night allowing ACHS to score twice during the first quarter. With four fumbles during the game, Rotan gave ACHS good field position. But then with good effort from the of-

fensive line quarterback Steve McClain brought the team from behind the win.

Steve McClain scored twice, once after catching the ball thrown by Jerry Carter, and again in the 4th quarter he car-

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Julia Mae Harvey To Celebrate 99th Birthday

Julia Mae Harvey will celebrate her 99th birthday, Tuesday, Sept. 23.

She was born in 1887 in Tarrant County. Moving to Fisher County with her parents Stephen Jasper and Mollie Cora Nolen December 31, 1898.

She met Wiley James Harvey and they were married Feb. 6, 1910 at her parents home in Palava, Texas.

They were ranchers in Fisher County and were well known in the Hereford cattle circles.

There were two sons born to the Harveys, Wiley J. "Dub" Harvey, Jr., who has carried on the ranching business since his father's death. Jasper E. Harvey died Nov. 26, 1980. At the time of his death, Dr. Harvey was with the



Legal Notice

The City of Roby has for sale two (2) 1979 F-100 Ford Pickup Trucks. Sealed bids will be expected until 4:30 P.M. October 7, 1986. At which time bids will be opened. Both pickups can be seen at Roby City Hall, Roby, The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

32:3tc Hobbs Menu Monday: Fish, col-

eslaw, fries, cookies, milk. Tuesday:

potaotes, green beans, hot rolls, cake, milk. En-Wednesday: chiladas, salad, red beans, puffs, milk.

Thursday: B B Q chicken, potatoes, corn, hot rolls, fruit salad,

Friday: Hot dogs, fries, pear salad, cake, milk.

ried the ball for 67 yards to score. Steve rushed for 104 yards an average of 16.8 yards per carry and had 4 completions out of 11 attempts for 39 yards. Brad Long carried the ball 9 times for 53 yards, an average of 5.8 per carry and Billy Speck only carrying the ball twice gained 14 yards which is an impressive average of 7

> 11 yards. Passing the ball, Jerry Carter threw the most impressive pass of the night to quarterback McCain for 80 yards. That play was the turning point of Rotan's come back. Jerry also received the ball 3 times for 30 yards.

yards per carry. Vicente Ortega carried once for

Kenneth Warren scored on the two point

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On defense Vicente Ortega had 9 unassisted tackles and 4 assisted tackles. George Reyes looked good with 6 unassisted and 6 assisted. Kenneth Warren was busy with 4 unassisted and 10 assisted. One of those was for a 5 yard loss. Donnie Gruben had a good night with 7 unassisted and

assisted but was injured during the final minutes of the game. David King with 5 unassisted and two assists looked good as did Steve Dickson with 5 unassisted and

assists. Todd Gruben seems to be all over the field with 3 unasists and 7 assists. Donnie Gruben had 1 interception and blocked two passes, and Steve Mc-Clain had 2 intercep-

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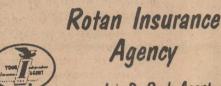
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