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All Gin Managers Set For Lower Bale Count

After surveying the Fisher County cotton gin managers earlier this week, it appears that most are anticipating a much lighter crop this season.

Of the seven Fisher County gins, five were contacted last Tuesday.

Dave Williams, manager of the Farmers Gin at Rotan for the past three years, is anticipating ginning approximately 2,500 bales this season which is down from the 6,390 bales last season.

Kirmet Terry, manager of Terry's Gin at Roby hopes to be ginning by the 15th or 20th of November and anticipated a final bale count for the season of 3,500 which is down from 9,000 last season.

In the off season, Terry Gin has installed a new UD press.

Danny Helms, manager of the Hobbs Gin for the past 5 years, hopes to be open and operating within a month or six weeks.

Last season the Hobbs Gin had a total bale count of 6,300 and this year Helms hopes to finish the season with 3,000 bales.

Jim Gruben, manager of the Rotan Gin, anticipates being ready to

gin in "a couple of weeks". He would not speculate on the anticipated number of bales for this season, but indicated that it will be down considerably from the 16,888 bales last year.

The Rotan Gin has done some work on the burr house in the off season.

E.M. Guelker, manager of the Farmers

Union Coop Gin at Roby, has been gin manager since April of 1986. He anticipates ginning 1,000 bales which is down from the 6,031 ginned last year.

The Newspaper Office was unable to reach representatives of the Longworth Gin or the Sylvester Gin last Tuesday morning.

Thief Takes Steaks Set Aside For Ex's

Some \$265.00 in frozen meat, scheduled to be used for the Rotan Homecoming Banquet last Saturday night, was stolen the night before after a door was left open at the cafeteria, according to Sheriff Mickey Counts.

Counts indicated that his office received a call on Saturday morning from Buck Denton, officer for the Rotan Homecoming Association,

indicating that 4 boxes of beef patties (160 total pieces valued at \$220.00) and two turkey breasts had been taken from the freezer at the Rotan School Cafeteria.

Sheriff Deputy H.W. Grady investigated the incident and determined that the door to the cafeteria had not been secured following the homecoming fellowship on Friday night.

Two Oklahoma Residents Arrested For Marijuana

Two Oklahoma residents were arrested last Sunday by Fisher County Sheriff's Department Officers

and charged with possession of marijuana.

Fisher County Sheriff Mickey Counts indicated that officers Gene Pack and Dwain McKay arrested Michael David Cadenhead, age 24 of Chickasha, Oklahoma and Linda Gail Null of Chickasha, Oklahoma and charged them with "felony possession of marijuana" (in excess of 4 ounces.)

The individuals were transported to Roby, posted \$5,000 bonds and released. The case is pending before the Fisher County Grand Jury.

In addition to the marijuana charge, Cadenhead was also arrested for "hindering a secured creditor."

McCaulley Set For Halloween Carnival Sat.

The McCaulley Halloween Carnival is set for Saturday, November 1, at 6:00 p.m.

The coronation of Harvest King and Queen starts at 9:00 p.m. in the school gym.

The Pizza Barn To Open This Friday

Rotan's newest business, The Pizza Barn, opened for business last Friday and Saturday for the homecoming crowd. Owners Lanny and Carolyn Foster plan on opening with regular operating hours beginning at 11:00 a.m. Friday, Oct. 31st.

Regular hours will be 11 a.m. until 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 11 a.m. to midnight on Friday and Saturday and closed on Sunday.

The Pizza Barn, located at 117 West Snyder in the old Western Auto Building will be serving a menu of fresh baked home-made pizza, submarine sandwiches, spaghetti and 5 kinds of hamburgers (hickory, bacon, chili, etc.) plus a plate lunch daily.

The Pizza Barn plate lunch will feature a

meat, vegetable, mashed potatoes, homemade rolls, salad bar, drink for \$4.25.

In the very near future, "we will be offering our customers nachos, burritos, tacos and market salad," said Carolyn Foster.

The workers at Pizza Barn are: Marie VanLoon, Mickey Martinez, Elsa Yanez, Cindy Reeves, Rhonda Underwood, Renee Weathersbee and Karen Bankston.

"We deliver pizza and have a game room area for teenagers as well as an extensive selection of ice cream from Sandy's Ice Cream Parlor. The ice cream parlor is owned and operated by Sandy and Gary Nettleton. They have an extensive selection of ice cream and home-made waffle style cones.

VFW Ladies Aux. Offers Rides To Polls Tues.

The Ladies Auxiliary of Post No. 5072 would like to remind people to be sure and vote. If you need a ride to the polls, please call 735-2511 and someone will pick you up.

Roby Methodists Holiday Bazaar On November 7th

The Roby First United Methodist Church will have its annual Holiday Bazaar November 7, 1986 in the Fisher County Courthouse Annex from 8:00 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.

The Bazaar features homecrafted items, baked goods, needle work,



COMING HOME QUEEN: Norma Dry Cave representing the Class of 1946 was named the 1986 Coming Home Queen last Friday during the Rotan-Roscoe half time ceremony. Above, she is escorted by Mac Weathersbee.

Michelle Burk 1986 4-H Gold Star Girl

Michelle Burk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Burk of Roby is a Gold Star Winner for 1986.

The Gold Star award is the highest County award given to 4-H members. To be eligible, the 4-H member must be at least 14 years of age before January 1 of the current year and must have completed at least three years in 4-H including the current year.

The award is presented to the most deserving young people. The 4-H program record book in the year he or she is to be considered for the award.

The 4-H member must have completed projects in three different project areas including submission of appropriate record forms and have participated in one or more activities in at least three activity areas.

Michelle is a senior at Roby High School and has been active in 4-H club for ten years. Her projects have been in Food and Nutrition, Clothing, Poultry, Leadership, Food Preservation, Home Management, Bread and Recreation.

Community service includes visiting the nursing home residents, manicuring finger nails

for these people, assisting with the Valentine Banquet for Senior Citizens, member of Teen Center Board, helping to distribute commodities.

She was on the 4-H Share The Fun Team that won first place at State 4-H Round Up in 1984. She won first place in State Record Book judging in Recreation and will attend State 4-H Congress in Chicago in December. This past summer she

attended National 4-H Citizenship-Washington Focus in Washington, D.C.

She has served as a Teen Leader for Younger 4-H members in Clothing, Food and Nutrition and Recreation.

Michelle is active in the Youth Choir and Youth Department of First Baptist Church in Roby. She is also a member of the High School Band and National Honor Society.



Michelle Burk

Juan Trejo Pleads Guilty To Voluntary Manslaughter

Juan Trejo, Jr., age 25 of Rotan, indicted last March for the murder of Jimmy Armendariz, age 45 of Rotan, pled guilty last Friday to voluntary manslaughter in Judge Weldon Kirk's 32nd District Court.

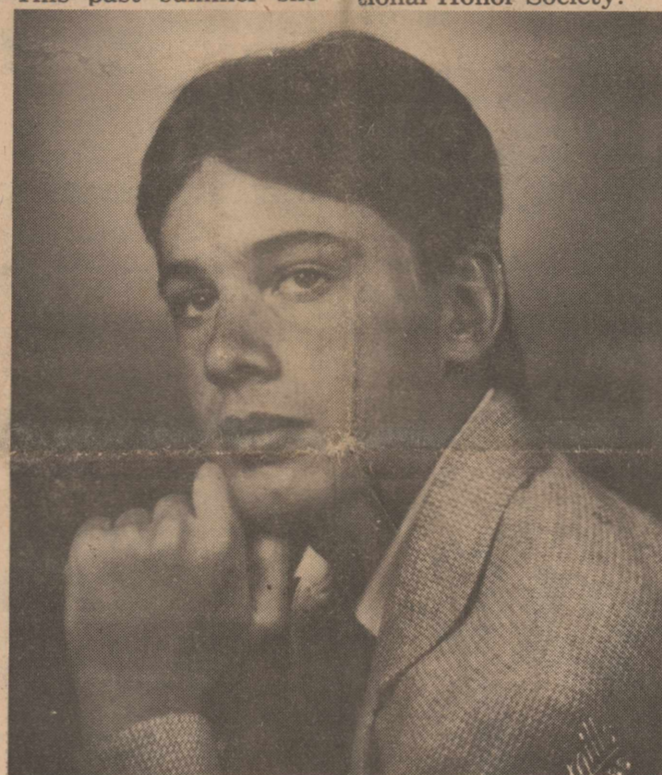
Trejo was indicted for allegedly emptying three rounds of ammunition from a .25 caliber pistol into the chest of Armendariz.

The incident took place at approximately

9:20 p.m. Tuesday, March 18th at the Trejo home in the 600 block of East Burnside Street in Rotan.

Trejo pled guilty to voluntary manslaughter on October 24th and received 10 years in the Texas Department of Corrections (probated), was fined \$2,500 plus court costs and other probation fees.

District Attorney Norman Arnett served as the prosecuting attorney.



Reggy Spencer

Reggy Spencer 1986 4-H Gold Star Boy

Reggy Spencer has been named one of two Fisher County Gold Star Award Winners for 1986.

Reggy has been a 4-H Member for 8 years with projects in sheep, beef, leadership, energy, bicycle, safety and garden.

He has won many awards at County and State Shows with Sheep and Cattle. He showed the Grand Champion Steer and Champion and Reserve Angus Heifer at last year's County Show along with being named the Beef Showmanship Winner.

Reggy is also President of the Junior Leaders 4-H Club while serving on the District 4-H Council as Public Relations Chairman.

He is also active in Community Activities

serving on the Teen Center Advisory Council.

Spencer is an honor student at Roby High School while lettering in all sports.

He is a member of First Baptist Church of Roby where he assists in teaching a Sunday School Class and works with the R.A.'s. He is also a member of the

youth choir.

Reggy is the son of Richard and Kathy Spencer of Roby.

Both Michelle and Reggy have been outstanding 4-H members throughout their career and are very deserving of the highest award at the County level. We wish them even better things to come.

Health Department Holding Immunization Clinic Nov. 5

The Texas Department of Health will be having their Comprehensive Immunization Clinic on Wednesday, November 5th at the Roby Annex from 9:15 a.m. to 12:00 noon and

from 1:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Parents and legal guardians must accompany infants and children. Also, a small fee will be charged for this assistance.

County Veterans Eligible For New Veteran Land Programs

The Texas Veterans Land Board made permanent a dramatic increase in benefits for Texas Veterans.

"By adopting these recommendations, the number of state benefits for Texas Veterans has

been permanently tripled," Mauro said. "Because the programs are financed through the sale of federal tax exempt general obligation bonds, it doesn't cost Texas taxpayers a single penny."

In unanimous action Tuesday, the Texas Veterans Land Board agreed to make permanent a four-month trial

program that broadens guidelines to allow qualified Texas Veterans to use all three—rather than only one—of the Texas Veterans benefit programs.

"This will allow Texas Veterans to participate in all three Texas Veterans programs, greatly increasing the state benefits now available to Texas

Veterans," Mauro said. "What this means is Texas Veterans can now get a \$20,000 loan to buy a house AND get a \$20,000 loan to buy land AND get a \$15,000 home improvement loan to make repairs to their residence," Mauro said. "Let me urge all Texas Veterans who've always wanted to use more than one of our fine programs

to act now to take advantage of our low interest rates."

In the past, Texas Veterans were limited to only one loan with the Texas Veterans Land Board. "Now, after overwhelming acceptance of the public and our Texas Veterans over the four-month trial period," Mauro said, "the board gave unanimous approval to

the expansion of benefits."

A Texas Veteran who has already received one loan will now be eligible to apply for a loan from one or both of the remaining programs as well. For example, a Veteran who had already received a Texas Veterans land loan could now apply for a Texas Veterans housing or

home improvement loan.

"The Texas Veterans Land Program offers eligible Texas Veterans a \$20,000 loan at 8.75 percent to purchase a minimum of five acres."

"The Texas Veterans Housing Assistance Program offers eligible Texas Veterans a \$20,000 loan at 9 percent to apply to the purchase of a home.

"The Texas Veterans Home Improvement Program, the newest benefit program, makes available up to \$15,000 at 11.5 percent to make substantial repairs to a Veteran's residence.

To find out how to participate in these programs, Veterans can call toll-free to 1-800-252-VETS for assistance.

Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well, we have really been having some good drying weather these past few days, although we did get some rain again Thursday. Not very much out this way, and we need more of this sunshine and warm weather as some of the fields still have water standing in them. It was really cool this morning (Monday) and Snyder reported 38 degrees, but they are always a little lower than anyone else. Don't think it was near that low here at the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez went to Amarillo Wednesday and Thursday, and attended their last meeting of the AMPI. Since they don't have their dairy anymore, they won't be going to the meetings. Sunday, they went to Snyder and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Warren and family. They have heard from their son in Missouri, and the Army is keeping him busy.

Dale Cave came home from the Fisher County Hospital on Wednesday, and seems to be feeling real good. We hope that he will continue to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. D.H. Hornsberger from Sweetwater visited on Wednesday with the J.D. Kincaids. Mrs. Eunice Arp from Roby also visited with them all Wednesday. Lucy still isn't feeling very good, and we hope that she will soon begin to feel a little better.

Mrs. Opal Phillips went to Post last Sunday and stayed until Thursday. She visited with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips, and Larry Phillips. Before she left

on Sunday all of the Phillips, Porters and Hyers met at the home of Marie and C.J. Thornton's to help celebrate several birthdays. Vicky and Jeremy Hyer and Walter Cave from Midland all had birthdays. Belated birthday greetings to all of them.

Mrs. Bea Hardin left Friday evening and stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hardin and Chris at Cherry Creek, just out of Tye. She stayed until Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hardin came after her.

We were pleased to have Bro. and Mrs. Edgar Rivera from Abilene at Hobbs Church on Sunday morning. Sunday night, Bro. and Mrs. Jimmy Watson and two little girls from Abilene were at church, and Bro. Jimmy held Baptismal services for Frances Bavousett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bavousett.

Last Friday Cecil and Helen Minshew from Mineral Wells and James Black from Houston all visited with Buddy Burnett. He took them on an archaeological and historical tour, showed them some natural formations and they found a few artifacts. They toured the western area of Fisher and eastern area of Scurry counties. They really enjoyed their visit. Sunday afternoon Garland and Beverly Brantley from Beverly visited with them. They toured the western area of Fisher and eastern area of Scurry counties. They really enjoyed their visit.

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Bro. and Mrs. Edgar Rivera from Abilene visited with Buddy and they ate dinner in Snyder. They went to the Diamond M Museum and viewed the Eskimo exhibit. And then went on a little tour around Buddy's farm. Edgar helped Buddy bag a live rattlesnake which was on the porch of his home.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge kept Chase Etheredge on Friday night and Saturday. Chase is the Todd Etheredge's little son.

We were pleased to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Robertson (Betty Patterson) of Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, are the proud parents of a baby girl born Tuesday, October 21st. They named her Blake Margaret. Betty is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson of Snyder, who used to live at Camp Springs and the older kids went to school at Hobbs for several years. Mrs. Patterson is the former Faye Nell Walker, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dee Walker.

Friday, Jim and I attended the Rotan Homecoming football game, and were pleased to see our granddaughter, Evette Gruben, crowned Homecoming Queen. We were also delighted to hear that Evette showed her Angus steer at the Dallas Stock Show to Champion Angus. We went to Abilene on Saturday, and the weather was almost perfect. Heard from Melody and Mark and they had just got back from Huntsville and the Prison Rodeo, where Melody rode in the jackpot barrel race

there. They said it was sure a good rodeo and they really enjoyed it.

Well, don't forget to come to the Hobbs Homecoming next Saturday; lots of folks are expecting company for the occasion. See you next week.

Basic Nutrition Course Offered At WTC

"Basic Nutrition for Livestock Owners" will be offered by the Continuing Education Department of Western Texas College on Monday nights from Nov. 3-Dec. 1. Classes will meet from 6:30-9:30 p.m.

Instructor for the course will be Kent Mills, Sales Representative for Ezell-Key Grain Co.

"I think this course will be especially useful for those who want to learn more about feeding an animal and understanding how different rations will influence an animal's growth and condition," said Mills. "I hope that a feed tag will make more sense to them when we finish this course."

Mills feels the course will be beneficial to those who are feeding 4-H and FFA animals, though it would benefit farmers and ranchers as well.

Fee for the course is \$25. For more information, call the Continuing Education Department at WTC, 915-573-8511, or Mills at home, 915-573-1308.

Halloween Safety Tips

Now that October is here, children may be thinking about whom they would like to be on Halloween this year. The Scott and White Department of Emergency Medicine would like to share these ideas to help insure a safe evening on October 31.

For a safe costume: *Make each costume short enough so the child won't trip when going up and down steps. *Use bring colors or big patches of white to give good visibility.

*Use fire retardant fabric or treat material with a chemical fire-retardant. *When making masks or hoods, allow large enough holes to assure easy breathing and good vision. Better yet, use makeup or face paints instead of a mask. *If face paints are used, make sure they are designed for this purpose, are nonpoisonous, and wash off easily. Other suggestions for a safe Halloween include:

*Prevent fires by using small flashlights—not candles—to light jack-o-lanterns. *Do your trick-or-treating before dark, especially if you have young children, and go with them. Set a curfew for older children and enforce it. *Instruct children to stay in their own neighborhoods and to call only on people they know and trust. *Remind children to use sidewalks rather than cutting through yards and vacant lots to prevent tripping over objects. *Give each child a flashlight and remind them not to shine them into anyone's eyes, especially a driver's. *If your child gets sick, try to find out exactly what he or she ate and where it came from. Call your doctor immediately or contact the Poison Control Center at Scott and White, (817) 774-2005.

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Rotan Man Arrested For Theft Of \$15.00 Quilt

A 21 year old Rotan man was arrested after allegedly stealing a \$15.00 quilt from the clothes line of a local home and selling that quilt to a Rotan business.

Troy Lee Daniel, age 21, allegedly stole a quilt from the clothes line in the backyard of the Norvelle Kennedy home on Lee Street together with a female juvenile. The two were arrested by Sheriff's department officers. Daniel was taken before the Justice of the Peace in Roby, fined

\$50.00 and court costs. He is serving out the fine in the Fisher County Jail.

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Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. You may cast a straight party vote (that is, cast a vote for all the nominees of one party) by placing an "X" in the square beside the name of the party of your choice. (Vote por el candidato de su preferencia para cada candidatura marcando con una "X" en el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato. Usted puede votar por todos los candidatos de un solo partido marcando con una "X" en el cuadro al lado del partido de su preferencia.)

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(ENMIENDAS PROPUUESTAS A LA CONSTITUCION)**

INSTRUCTION NOTE: (NOTA DE INSTRUCCION)
Place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote. (Marque con una "X" en el cuadro al lado de la frase que indica la manera en que quiere votar.)

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Tax Planning

By Gerald Rodgers
CPA



YOU DO FINANCIAL PLANNING

Everyone does financial planning. Some people do their own planning quite well; others need assistance.

Financial planning is more than just paying your bills on time and keeping an accurate checkbook. At least annually you should prepare two schedules. Both are easy to do and, if done once a year, will provide you with very valuable information on where your money is coming from, where it's going, and how you're doing on saving for retirement.

It's difficult to discuss financial affairs without some financial terminology, but don't be intimidated by any of the terms. The first thing you need is a balance sheet, a listing of all of your assets and debts. The difference between the two is your net worth. When valuing your assets, be realistic. Put down the amount you would expect to receive if you sold the asset in a reasonably short period of time, not what you paid for the property and not what you would like to sell it for.

The next schedule you need is a cash flow statement. This is a listing of all the sources of cash to be received during the year as well as a list of all of the disbursements you expect to make. This may be more meaningful if it's done on a month-by-month basis for the next twelve-month period. The difference between your total cash receipts and your anticipated disbursements represents your cash flow. It can be either positive or negative. If you have negative cash flow on a consistent basis, you should review your overall investing and spending program.

These two simple schedules give you your starting point (your net worth) and an indication of your ability to accumulate additional assets through investing surplus cash.

An accountant assisting you with your financial planning would start with these same schedules. Since you are quite qualified to begin the process on your own, why not give these schedules a try?

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Rotan Jr. High Remains Undefeated In Season

The Rotan Jr. High remained undefeated as they beat Roscoe 14-8. The final score came with just under 2 minutes to play when Efrain Pizarro plunged in from 3 yards out for

his second touchdown of the day. Rotan now faces Roby for the county showdown. Roby has just one loss so it should make for a good game in Roby.

Evette Gruben Shows Steer At State Fair In Dallas

Fisher County 4-H showed 6 steers and 4 lambs at the State Fair at Dallas last week.

Evette Gruben showed the Champion Angus Steer. The 1220 pound animal was bred by Robert Nemier of Sweetwater and sold through the Premium Sale for \$3,200.

She is the Gold Star Girl and has interests in the 4-H food and fashion projects. Recently, she traveled to Chicago to meet with 4-H Congress.

This seventeen year old daughter of Wilbur and Carol Gruben attends Rotan High School. She is just as active in school events.

She represents Rotan High School in Student Council, National Honor Society, band, basketball, and as a Varsity cheerleader.

Evette raises four other steers besides her champion, Nemir. She attributes her interest in livestock to her older brother and plans to continue showing through high school.

After high school, Evette plans to attend Tarleton State University.

Reggy Spencer showed the 7th place heavyweight Angus and Matt Floyd placed 15th in the same class. Lane Landes placed 11th in the lightweight Angus class and Anita Floyd placed 17th in the same class.

Blake Morrow placed 11th in the middle heavyweight class of Exotic Crossbred steers. In the lamb show, Misty and Heather Kidd showed 2 Finewool Cross and 2 Suffolks. The sisters had 2 10th

place lambs, 1 11th place and a 25th place. Fisher County 4-H Steer exhibitors also

won the Herdsman Award at the Show for keeping their exhibit clean and attractive.

Funeral Services Held For Patricia Paddock

Patricia Neves Paddock, 56, of Arlington, formerly of Roby, died Saturday at a Dallas hospital.

Services were conducted Monday after-

Roby Athletic Club To Host Chili Supper

The Roby Athletic Club will sponsor a chili supper Nov. 7th from 5:30 to 6:45 p.m. at the school cafeteria.

Tickets are available from any Athletic Club member at \$3.00 per ticket.

The price includes all the chili you can eat plus drink and dessert.

All proceeds go to benefit all school athletics.

F.C. Senior Citizens To Hold Supper

The Fisher County Senior Citizens will have a covered dish-bingo party, Saturday night, Nov. 1, at the Fisher County Senior Citizens Building. There will be no charge.

On Sunday, Nov. 16th, there will be a chili dinner. The price is \$3.50 for adults. Serving will begin at 11 and end at 1.

All Fisher County residents are welcome.



HIGH SELLING ANGUS: E.M. Construction Company of Dallas purchased the \$3,200 Champion Angus Steer shown by Evette Gruben of Rotan. Evette took part in the State Fair of Texas Steer Show and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Gruben.

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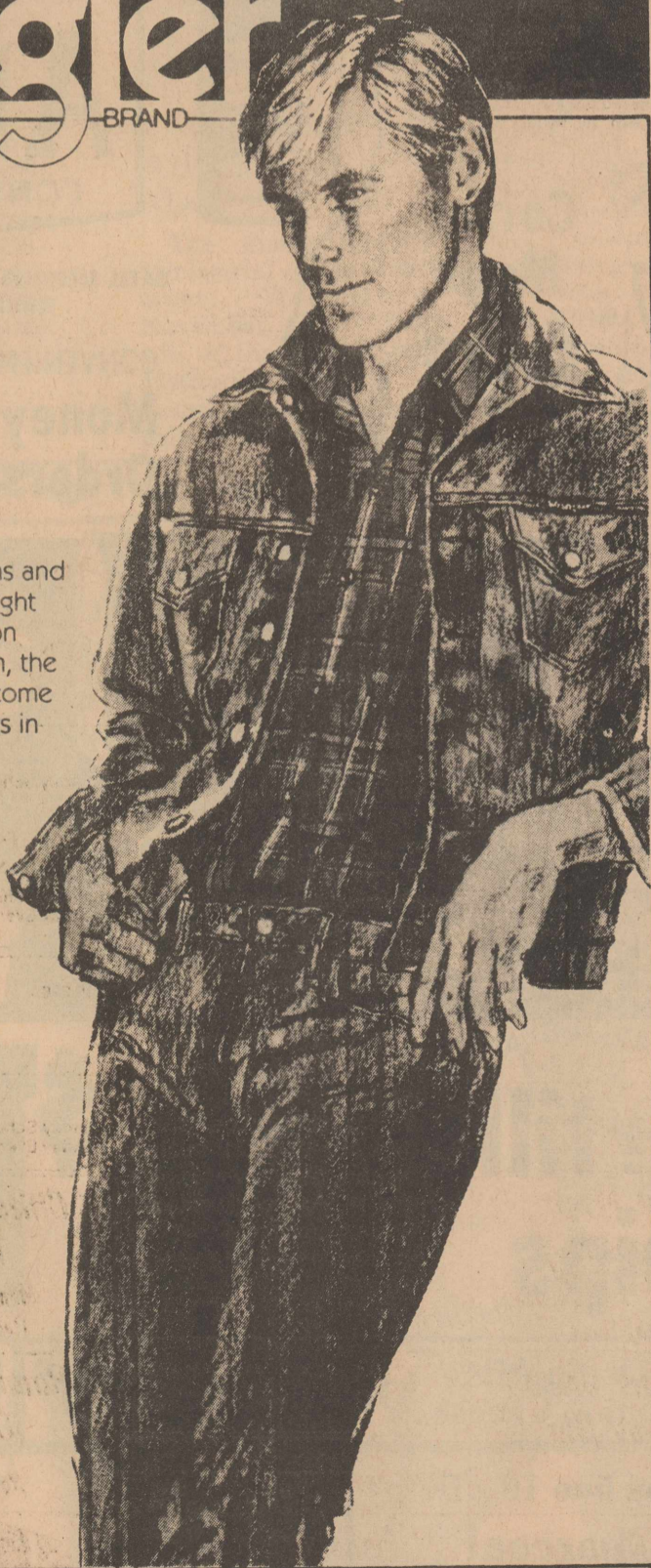
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COMING HOME QUEEN CANDIDATES: The above four ladies and their escorts took part in the annual Coming Home Queen crowning last Friday night. Left to right: Norma Dry Cave, escorted by Mac Weathersbee; D.L. Noles Goodwin, escorted by James Goodwin; Janie Kevelighn Cutliff, escorted by Mike Thornton; and Tammie Strickland Nowlin, escorted by Burt Weathersbee.

Rotan 4-H Clover Club Holds Meeting October 23rd

The 3rd and 4th grade 4-H Clover Club met Oct. 23, in the Rotan School Cafeteria.

President Michael Hull presided. The topics they discussed were their record books and the 4-H Favorite Food Show.

The next coming events on Nov. 8th is the District Food Show in Wichita Falls. On Nov. 15th is the Livestock Judging at Guthrie, also the Awards Banquet at 7:00

p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building.

Next meeting will be held on Nov. 20th. They will bring can goods for their Thanksgiving project for the needy.

There were fifteen

4-H members present at the meeting. They are: Michael Hull, Kasey Green, Cassidy Early, Melissa Burk, Amy Blackwelder, Stephanie Hunsaker, Shane Jaggers, Brandy Long,

Mandy McKinney, Brandon Weaver, Dawn Tandy, Jodie Price, Buffy Shipp, Rebekah Dawes, Corinna Wright. Refreshments were served by Jodie Price and Kasey Green.

Fisher County Nursing Home News

Mrs. Kinsey celebrated her 87th birthday Sunday with many of her relatives present for the occasion. She had a big birthday cake and many presents,

and really enjoyed it all. Those present for her birthday were Aubrey and Tana Knight from Dallas, Ella Mae Hull from Rotan, Ruth Hamilton, Rotan; Gladys Farrar, Roby;

Sheila and Ronny Knight, Dallas; Jeff Kinsey, Midland; Matilda Schlueter, Sweetwater; Leah Knight, Dallas; and Leonard Kinsey from Onlaska, Texas.

Everyone pitched in and helped me get everything done and I am very pleased with all who helped.

Our bingo winners last week were all the ladies with 2 games each. Louise Ashley, LaNita Moore, and Nellie McGuire all got 2 games while the men got one game each. Our ring toss winner was Fred Houghton. He is really good at ring toss!!

Mr. Tillitson's daughter, Ann Hunter, from Houston came to see him over the weekend. Kelley Starnes from Snyder came to see Bill Starnes. Carolyn Houghton and Sherman Houghton from Hamlin came to see Fred. Lanvil Gilbert from Austin came to see Tillitson. Mrs. Al Herrera from Sweetwater came to see Susie Soliz.

Mrs. Moss from Roby came to see Mrs. Conley. Lucy Ashley had quite a few visitors. Norm Cutliff, Dana and Red, Janie Cutliff, from Dallas and Jesse Ashley from Roby.

Jewel Branch's visitors were James Branch, Doris and Ryan Branch, Mrs. Tom Nash, Mrs. Scott Daniel, Relna Sue Long, Dono Darden and Betty Jones.

Walter Miers came to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nash Miers. Reyna Garcia

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- A Honor Roll
- 1st Grade
- Emily Bavousett
- 2nd Grade
- Robert Onofre
- 3rd Grade
- JoEllen St. Clair
- 4th Grade
- Frances Bavousett
- Kurt Gibson
- 5th Grade
- None
- 6th Grade
- Jenny Gibson

- 3rd Grade
- None
- 4th Grade
- Misty Bowen
- Jeremy Hyer
- Patricia Porter
- 5th Grade
- None
- 6th Grade
- Jeriami St. Clair

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Roby Lions Fight Tough Battle, But Lose To Aspermont Hornets 7-0

The Roby Lions played host to the Aspermont Hornets Friday night and the Lions played another whale of a game, but again lost by a touchdown. The Lions gave the Hornets an early lead when Roby had received the opening kick off and the second play of the game fumbled. This gave the Hornets the ball at the Lions 38, Aspermont took quick advantage of the turnover and scored on the first play, the PAT was good and with eleven minutes still showing on the clock, the score was 7-0.

Roby took the ensuing kickoff and again on

the first play of this

possession fumbled again to the Hornets, this time Aspermont had the ball on the Lions 35, but this time the Lions defense came together, in 6 plays moved from the 35 to the 9—here with first and goal the Hornets tried to break thru the lines defense but could not and on the fourth and sixth, at the six the Aspermont Hornets run was stopped for no gain. Roby took over and ran off eight plays and moved out to the 29, before punting on fourth down. Another good punt for the Lions and Aspermont began their third possession of the game on their own 26. Aspermont's run of six plays

and moved to the Lions 30, there on fourth and seventeen tried a field goal. The Lions took over then on the eight yard line after a penalty and again Roby was able to drive for a few plays. Roby ran six plays and were out to the 42 before having to punt on fourth and four. On the Hornets next possession, they were unable to make a first and had to punt on a fourth and twelve at their nineteen. The Lions followed with the same. The Hornets last possession of the first half went from their 26 to the Lions 21 in nine plays. Here the Hornets tried another field goal on a fourth and four but

the attempt was short. The Lions ran off two plays for 20 yards before the half ended.

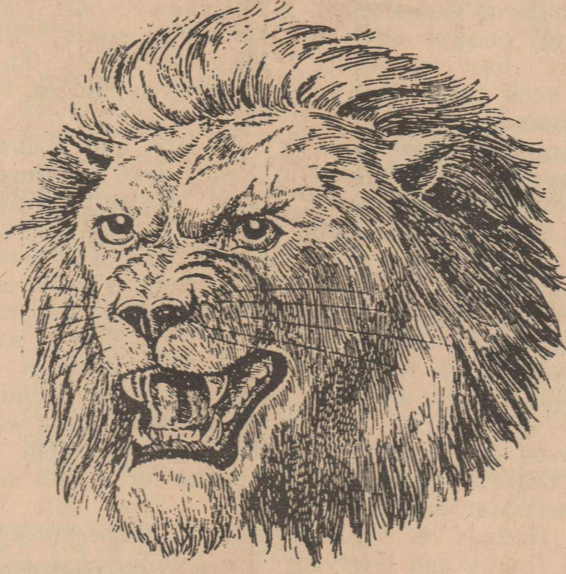
In the second half, the Lions offense could never sustain a drive,

they had only four possessions and could never make a first down. Aspermont had the ball five times in the last half, but twice were unable to cross the 50,

on their three possessions, they had moved the Lions 30, here on a fourth and eight, they missed their third field goal attempt of the night. The game ended

with the only score being the one that was made 47 minutes earlier. It was a good game, each team should be commended for their play.

This week the Lions will be at Rotan for a 7:30 game, should be another good game, so come out and support the Lions to another win.



ROBY LIONS

Roby Lions Vs Rotan Yellowhammers

Oct. 31-7:30-There

Date	Opponent	Time	H/T	Us	Them
Sept. 5	A.C.H.S.	8:00	H	0	22
Sept. 12	Miles	8:00	T	7	0
Sept. 19	Open				
Sept. 26	O'Donnell	7:30	H	0	8
Oct. 3	Meadow	7:30	T	6	14
Oct. 10	*Roscoe	7:30	H	6	0
Oct. 16	Sweetwater J.V.	7:30	T	8	16
Oct. 24	*Aspermont	7:30	H	0	7
Oct. 31	*Rotan	7:30	T		
Nov. 7	*Munday	7:30	H		

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ROBY-ASPERMONT PILE UP: The Aspermont Hornets defeated Roby by the score of 7-0 last Friday. Roby will be the favorite going into the Rotan contest this Friday.

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The new continuing disability review process ensures fair and compassionate treatment of disabled persons. Cases are more carefully and completely documented, and decisions are more accurate and uniform nationwide.

Major improvements have been made in the quality, design, and readability of notices to the public.

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Roscoe Plowboys Take Victory Over Rotan

The Rotan Yellowhammers lost Friday night in another tough defensive effort to Roscoe. The only points scored went on the board at about the halfway point in the fourth quarter. Roscoe scored her first touch-

down just after a Rotan fumble deep in the Yellowhammer side of the field. With a first and ten on the fifteen yard line and five plays later the Plowboys walked in for six points and were good for the extra point which made the game 7

to 0 Roscoe. Only minutes later and on another Rotan fumble, Roscoe scored again and made the two point conversion. The final score was Roscoe 16 Rotan 0. Rotan's defense was highlighted with six players receiving helmet awards for good solid defensive play. Jerry Carter, George Reyes, Brian Sheehan, Mitch Whitefield, Junior Almanza, and David Carreon each received their awards for outstanding defen-

sive play. Another outstanding player was Kenneth Warren who had 10 unassisted tackles and 13 assists.

George Reyes had 11 and 11; Todd Gruben 5 and 13 and Steve Dickson 5 and 7. Hitting was fierce all night.

Jim Mann, George Paterson, and Kenneth Warren made a super hit in the third quarter and Brian Sheehan batted

down an attempted pass seconds later. This Friday night will end this year's season for the Yellowhammers

as they face the Roby Lions. Let's all show our support of our favorite team this Friday night.



ROTAN-ROSCOE ACTION: Rotan end Kenny Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Warren, snags a pass during Rotan-Roscoe action last Friday.

Card Of Thanks

The Emmanuel Baptist Church and Pastor Andres Rodriguez and the family of Maria Ortega would like to thank each of you for your thoughtfulness, for the food brought and help serve at the church. To Mary Singley and Teresa Gonzales for the music and songs. May God bless each of you. Thank you again.

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Oct. 10	*Munday	7:30	T	13	40
Oct. 17	*Aspermont	7:30	T	0	10
Oct. 24	*** *Roscoe (Homecoming)	7:30	H	0	16
Oct. 31	*Roby	7:30	H		
Nov. 7	Open				

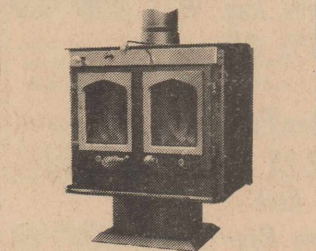
Funeral Services Held For Maria A. Ortega

Maria A. Ortega, 70, former Rotan resident, died at 9:15 a.m. Monday, Oct. 20th, at Rolling Plains Hospital in Sweetwater. Funeral services were conducted at 3 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 23rd, at Weathersbee Chapel in Rotan. Officiating was Rev. Andres Rodriguez, pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist Church. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery of Rotan under the direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Mrs. Ortega was born October 3, 1916, at Sonora. She married Frank Ortega March 14, 1936 at Snyder. They made their home in Rotan and California before moving to Sweetwater two years ago. She was a member of the Baptist Church. She is survived by her

husband, Frank of Sweetwater; four daughters: Juanita Ortega of Big Spring; Mary Vasquez of Salt Lake City, Utah; Molly Vasquez of Columbia Falls, Montana; and Josephine Charria of Palm Desert, California. Seven sons: Frank and Steve of Palm Desert, California; Joe and Tony of Indio, California; Johnny of Cathedral City, California; and Ray and Matt of Palm Springs, California; five sisters: Sophia Yanez of Rotan; Vera Nava of Weatherford; Patsy Miramontez of Mineral Wells; Antonia Gonzales of Monterrey, Mexico; and Cora Rodriguez of San Antonio; thirty two grandchildren and thirty nine grandchildren.

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Safety Tips On Halloween From The Texas Department Of Public Safety

Halloween is a time of fun and great excitement for youngsters of all ages. Unfortunately, each year, it results in injury and, occasionally, death for some. Captain G.J. Matthews, Commander of the Texas Highway Patrol for the Abilene District of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said, "if parents will do some planning and closely supervise their children's activities on Halloween night, many of these injuries could be avoided."

He said, "first trick or treaters should be dressed in white or light-

colored clothing. Don't put a child out on the streets in a black or dark-colored costume unless it has reflective tape on it. The children should be instructed not to sample any of the candy until they return home. The treats should be carefully inspected to insure, as best you can, that it is safe to eat. If you have any doubts about any of it, it should be discarded. Wash all fruit and slice it into small sections to insure nothing has been embedded into it."

Captain Matthews strongly urged parents

to remind their children of all the pedestrian safety rules they should observe while trick or treating and to furnish them a flashlight to use. He also suggested to use facial makeup instead of having them wear a mask since a mask severely reduces their ability to see.

He suggested to go only to homes where the porch light is on and where you, as parents, know they are welcome. "If we confine a child's trick or treating activity to our own neighbor-

hood, where we know the residents, we would know the treats are safe."

"Drivers have a special problem on Halloween night, also," Captain Matthews said. "They have to be alert for trick or treaters and remember, in a child's excitement, they are likely to forget to look before crossing streets. If drivers would drive as if their child was out trick or treating, we could avoid the vehicle-pedestrian accidents on Halloween."

McCaulley Extension Homemakers Club Meets

The McCaulley Extension Club met Tuesday in the fellowship hall of the Baptist Church. Elaine Coleman presented a very interesting program on "Fabrics". Members answered roll call with their favorite color.

Bonnie Estes, president, presided for a brief business session. The club made plans to assist McCaulley 4-H Club with their booth at the Halloween Carnival to be held in the school gymnasium November 1.

Mrs. James Brigham and Mrs. Jesse Dean Tabb served refreshments. Others in attendance than those mentioned above were: Mrs. Julius Decker, Mrs. Addie Maberry, Mrs. Bessie Decker, Mrs. Fred Kemp and Mrs. Dean Maberry.

The next meeting will be held November 18 in the home of Mrs. Kemp.

A demonstration on "Fajitas" will be given.

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YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1986

REVENUES:

Local, Intermediate, and out-of-state	\$406,557
State program revenues	723,505
Federal program revenues (Note 4)	103,285
Total revenues	1,233,347

EXPENDITURES:

Instruction	590,700
Instructional computing	-
Instructional administration	-
Instructional resources and media services	2,671
School administration	36,647
Guidance and counseling services	829
Health services	2,484
Pupil transportation-regular	41,370
Co-curricular activities	46,406
Food services	44,091
General administration	93,033
Debt Services	53,457
Paint maintenance and operations	72,137
Facilities acquisition and construction	6,697
Total expenditures	990,468

Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures 242,879

Fund Balances-August 31, 1986

General Fund	573,321
Debt Service Fund	15,177
Capitol Projects Fund	117,171
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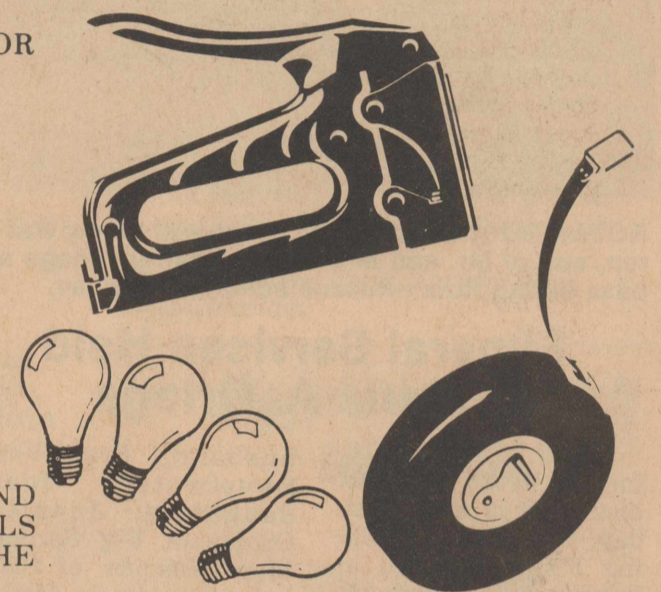
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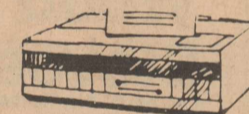
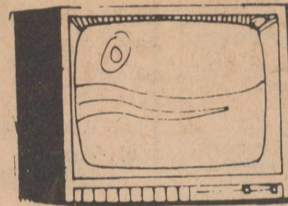
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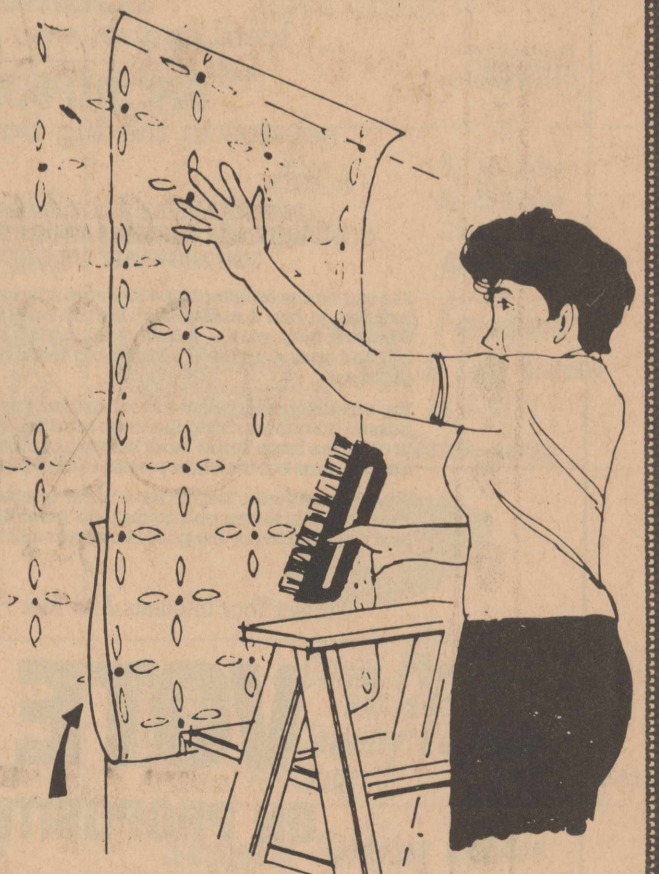


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County Agent Report

By Richard Spencer

Fall fertilization of lawns promotes early spring green-up. A dense, vigorous turf produced by proper fertilization also keeps winter weeds down. A complete fertilizer with a 3-1-2 or 4-1-2 ratio of nitrogen, phosphorus and potash is recommended at the rate of 1 to 2 pounds of nitrogen per 1000 square feet. Herbicides may be used for winter weeds but I do not recommend them

if the lawn has any trees or shrubs. I have seen too many killed from herbicides. If lawns are continued to be mowed now, a 2-3 inch high turf should be left to prevent winterkill. ****

The association of the popular tulip to Holland has led many to believe that it is a native to that part of the world; however, early history records the tulip being brought from Constan-

tinople during the mid to late 1500's. The name tulip reflects also its area of origin, since it is derived from the Persian word "turban" which the inverted flower resembles. The tulip is a member of the lily family and is represented by approximately one hundred species, although few are found out side of botanical gardens.

At one time the tulip was considered completely unadaptable to Deep South gardens; however, research has proven that with proper treatment and variety selection, tulips may be just as spectacular in Texas as they are in more northern states.

Gardeners of the South must substitute a bit of artificial cold, or chilling for the bulbs, prior to planting to compensate for our rather mild winters. To achieve long, graceful stems and successful blooms, the colorful tulip demands a prior chilling of the bulbs in the vegetable bin of your refrigerator for 45 to 60 days prior to planting.

Plant the bulbs immediately upon removal from cold storage in late November or December. The gardener must obtain desired bulbs early to allow time for proper cold treatment. The tulip bulbs must remain dry in storage and protected from freezing.

There are numerous tulip types and varieties providing the gardener with a wide variation of times of bloom, types of bloom, sizes, and colors. ****

Thanks to Beverly Landes for making a new 4-H banner for the Cattle Exhibit. Also thanks to Gary Floyd and Joe Morrow for helping with the cattle all week in Dallas. Ricky Spencer and Greg Gruben also put in a long Show Day Grooming Cattle last Thursday.

F. C. Ministerial Alliance To Meet Nov. 5th

The Fisher County Ministerial Alliance will meet Wednesday, November 5 at 10:00 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Rotan, in the fellowship hall, 209 N. McKinley.

Every election year has its one campaign promise which stands out from the others, in some cases remaining long enough in voter memory to come back and haunt the promiser.

The big '86 election campaign promise may have occurred last week when former Gov. Bill Clements vowed to seek a rollback on the tax increases passed by his opponent, incumbent Gov. Mark White.

That's going to be a tough order to fill, as he knows, but he promised to try anyway. He'll need a lot of help from the Legislature and Comptroller Bob Bullock.

"Whether we can in fact roll back taxes from where they are, or the fees that have been established under Mark White, I don't know and we'll have to explore," he said.

Clements, leading in polls early on, firmly and intentionally locked himself into a "stop state spending" position. You could almost hear the "click of engaged gears."

ATTACKS TEMPORARY TAX

Clements wants to stonewall taxes and spending as part of his program to rebuild business confidence in Texas government.

White continued to criticize Clements for intending to cut education, highways and human services, and the Democrats added Clements' new position to the campaign blast-furnace.

For the most part, Clements won't say what and where he will cut, but last week he said the Legislature should not renew the 11/8 cent temporary sales tax it just passed in special session.

Comptroller Bob Bullock will certainly have something, negative or positive, to say about that when he issues his budget estimates next year.

And legislators, who just endured the bloodletting of two painful special sessions to pass the tax, regard the issue as more than campaigning fodder.

Changing circumstances could make

State Capital Highlights

a rollback easy, but that's not in the forecast. Clements' rollback vow could be the opening shot in a political battle which could dominate what remains of the '80s.

EXOTIC TEXAS CROPS?

In contrast, the Texas Agriculture Department wants to meet the future by spending more state money to develop and market new crops for Texas.

Last week, Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower's staff prepared to launch their push to facelift a sagging farm sector with new crops, including exotics.

Their report lists vineyards, catfish farming, crambe (a lubricant) and kenaf (a fibrous plant used in making paper) among the crops of the future.

The report aims to persuade the Legislature to establish a \$425 million loan fund to market the products.

Kenaf, a native African plant, is like cotton and is going from the experimental to the production stage in South Texas, where a kenaf paper mill is scheduled for construction next year with state loan assistance.

OTHER HIGHLIGHTS

A federal grand jury subpoenaed the financial records of the Ft. Worth security firm which found a bugging device in the office of a top Clements' campaign staffer.

The FBI is also expected to re-interview some members of both Clements and White campaign, probably

after the election.

The chairman of the national Democratic Party reversed his statement that the party's convention might not be held in Houston if Mark White was not re-elected.

In an update, chairman Paul Kirk said Houston is the top contender for the 1988 national convention, whatever the results.

Railroad Commission candidate State Sen. John Sharp has major trucking companies and related support in his corner, according to campaign contribution reports.

Texas college and university enrollment rose 2.3 percent this fall and almost made up for the 1985 decline. The increase was aided by a big jump at junior colleges, over six percent.

At both public and private four-year schools, enrollment increased less than one percent.

Factors cited in keeping enrollment down are the state economy, a tripling of tuition at public schools, and the decline in the number of persons in the 18-24 age bracket.

Two predominately black schools, Bishop College in Dallas and Texas Southern University in Houston, reported the largest drops.

Highest gains came from Corpus Christi State University, Laredo State University and Sul Ross University at Alpine.

Ironically, the Sul Ross school was targeted for closing by the Governor's blue-ribbon panel on higher education until area citizens converged on the Capitol to protest.

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All A Seniors:
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Kristy Martin
Jody Mauldin
Vahid Morris
Charla Wiley
Deena Williamson

A-B
Laticia Allen
Jeff Branson
Michelle Burk
Russell Elkins
Mary Lee Hicks
Paul Hyer
Kris Neves
Jonnye Parks
Gerry Streety
Marlon Terry
Darry Thomson
Kerrie Upshaw

All A Juniors
Jill Branson
John Everett
Greg Meek
Reggy Spencer

A-B
Kenlee Dennis
Heath Dickson
Cherie Feagan
James Gantt
Donna Gordon
Stephen Henington
Kathy Hunt
Becky Kiser
Terri Morgeson
Shad Rasco
Jason Terry
Sharon Thompson
Missy Turpin
David Vorn Kahl

A-B Sophomores
Lorena Cave
Carter Edmondson
Patricia Gonzalez
Amber Hegler
Jay Linn Helm
Katie Martin
Craig Maxwell
Teresa McClure
Rick Onofre
Rachel Petty
Melanie Ray
David Shipp
Joey Teague
Larry VanLiew

A-B Freshmen
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Tina McClure
Jennifer Pullig
Scarlet Vorn Kahl

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Jeremy Stidham
Amanda Moore
Kelly McWilliams
Justin Whitaker
Chrystal Royer
Kye Lamm

4th Grade
Bryce Moore
Taris Hawkins
Brian Dickson
Kendra Kiser
Amy Singletary
Coby Moore

5th Grade
Tonya McClure
Carolyn Atkinson
Martha Billingsley
Teddy Current
Anita Floyd
Jason Kiser
Monica Pullig

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Alisa Royer
Randy Evans

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State Democratic Party Chairman Bob Slagle Pays Visit To Roby

State Democratic Party Chairman Bob Slagle visited Roby recently, calling on Democrats and independents to support Mark White for Governor.

"Governor White has shown the courage to make the tough choices needed to keep our state strong and solvent now and in the future," Slagle said. "In doing so, the Governor had the guts to take political risks to do the right thing."

On the other hand, Slagle said Bill Clements has offered us only "secret plans" and a campaign in which he has tried to take both sides on almost every issue. "Out of one side of his mouth, Clements tries to tell us the Governor cut the budget too much while from the other side he says he spends too much. The

voters should tell Clements he can't have it both ways and send him back to his North Dallas mansion," Slagle added.

Clements is probably the only person in Texas who says in his campaign "the price of oil isn't the problem, state spending is." Slagle pointed out that since Clements left office the number of rigs operating in the U.S. has dropped from 4,500 to 800. "Clements' own company stands to lose \$400 million this year. The Western Co., owned by another Republican, Eddie Chiles, has posted losses for 15 consecutive quarters," Slagle noted. "Comptroller Bob Bullock said it best when he pointed out the deficit in state government was not caused by excessive spending. There was no way...to

know the Arabs would pull the plug."

Slagle cited statistics which show state spending actually increased faster under Clements than it did under White. "In Clements administration, spending increased 57% and he did nothing with the windfall, revenues from the oil boom--no investments in education, water, or highways," said Slagle. "If he couldn't get anything done about spending or solving our problems when state coffers were fat, I doubt that he would even know where to begin in tough times."

"Under Mark White's leadership, we passed a statewide water plan after 50 years of trying and kept our commitment to fund education,

highways, and prison construction. At the same time, state spending has slowed to its lowest growth rate in twenty years--under 10%, which is less than the rate of inflation and population growth."

Slagle made it clear that the oil price decline, the farm crisis, record trade deficits in agriculture and other industries, and cutbacks from Gramm-Rudman have caused the state budget crisis. "Mark White is not an Arab and does not make federal trade policy," Slagle noted. "He's a Texas Baptist who has done a good job in a very tough situation. It's shameful for the Republican administration to send all these guys down there to blame our woes on Mark White. They are the ones who are supposed to be working in Washington to solve federal and international problems like energy policy, farm policy, and trade policy. In fact, 30 other states are going through the same kind of fiscal problems--this is a national problem!"

The State Democratic Chairman pointed out Clements' flip-flops on taxes, on the "secret plan", and on issues like prisons. "It is downright pathetic to hear Clements blame White for a prison overcrowding. Clements is the man who vetoes

funds for a new prison in 1979--when it only cost \$30 million. The same prison now costs \$60 million," Slagle said. "Such penny-wise, pound-foolish Clements policy is not the kind of prudent fiscal leadership we need in Texas today."

"Bill Clements says one thing, but his record says another. His T.V. ads say he wants to help small business, but as Governor he refused to participate in the Small Business Revitalization Program. Under White, this program has assisted 22 projects,

creating \$125 million in investment expansion and 2,275 jobs," Slagle observed.

"The bottom line is this: Mark White had the guts to do things essential for Texas' future; Bill Clements, as he said in the debate, is 'really talking about

Mark White's future'. One man is working for Texans, the other for his personal agenda of revenge. Clements will say anything to get elected. Mark White has put his record on the line to provide leadership for Texas," Slagle concluded.

Impact Of Federal Immigration Reform Law May Take Years To Measure

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Monday said the economic impact on Texas of the federal immigration reform law may take years to measure.

"There's going to be little effect on the state's finances or the Texas economy in the short run and there's simply no concrete evidence to predict an impact for the long-term picture," Bullock said.

Bullock said his office has calculated that as many as 600,000 of the one million estimated illegal aliens in Texas might be eligible to apply for American citizenship under the new law.

But, he said that strict enforcement sanc-

tions against employers of illegal aliens called for the immigration bill might dry up a source of cheap labor for many Texas businesses and industries.

"For the most part, illegal aliens in Texas are paying virtually all the same taxes--sales taxes, gasoline taxes and excise taxes--as you and me," he said, "and if they become permanent citizens we aren't going to see a big jump in state revenue."

Bullock said that the federal government will make \$220 million in federal impact payments over the next five years to help the state adjust for aliens use of

public services if they become citizens.

"I'm not sure that amount of money is really going to take up the slack, but still there is no evidence to say that the impact is as severe as some officials suggest."

Rural Wrens Hold Regular Monthly Meeting

The Rural Wrens met on Monday, Oct. 27. Nathalie Kelley of Rotan gave a demonstration on stenciling. Becca Frierson was hostess.

Members present were: Cindy Lewis, Danette Pope, Marsha Smith, Tempie West, Kay Moore, Becca Frierson, Jan Clark and Lisa Carey.

Voters To Use Library On Election Day

Rotan Public Library will be used as a polling place on Election Day, November 4, and will not be open to library patrons. Any books due that day will be renewed automatically for one week, so as to cause as little inconvenience as possible for our patrons. Thank you for your patience.

F. C. 4-H Clovers Meet With Fifteen Members

The Fisher County 4-H Clovers met Oct. 21 in the Courthouse Annex. Zachary Clark presided. The fifth and sixth grade 4-H'ers are selling dish rags for \$4.00. They can be bought at Lizzie B's. A craft was planned for the Nov. 4 meeting.

Fifteen members were present. They are: Zachary Clark, Buster

Frierson, Jason Gruben, Ben Singletary, Carolyn Atkinson, Martha Billingsley, Linda Castor, JoAnna Chavira, Mike Elliott, Anita Floyd, Sybil Gonzales, Tanya McClure, Loretta Sierra, and Robert Vahlenkamp.

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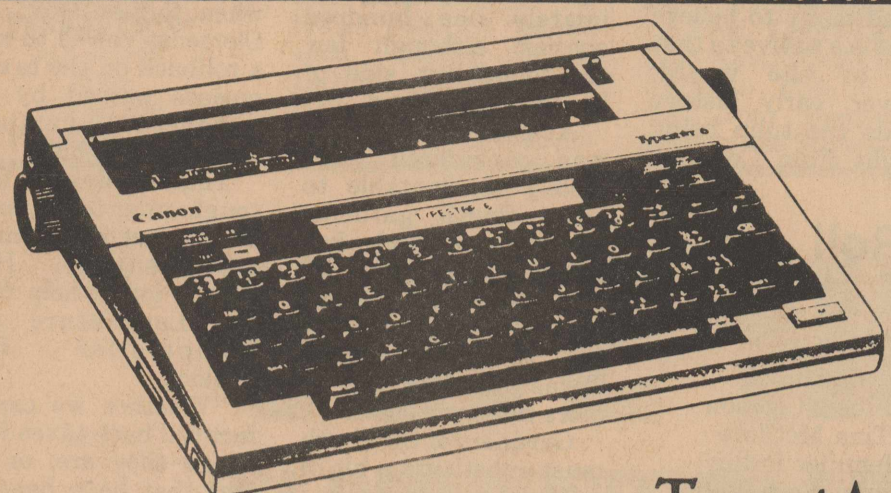


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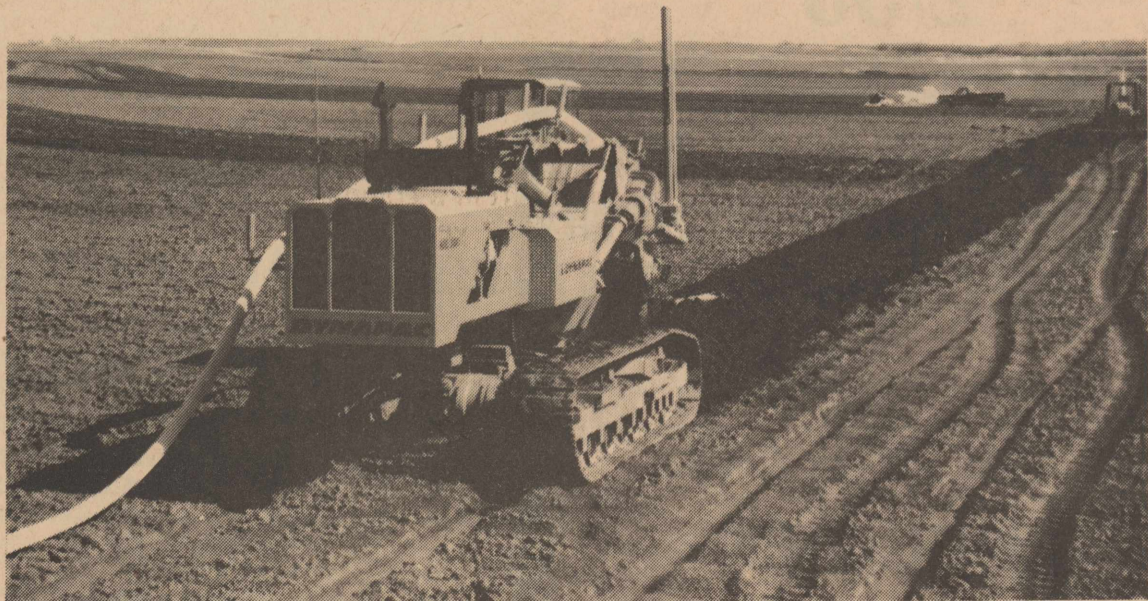
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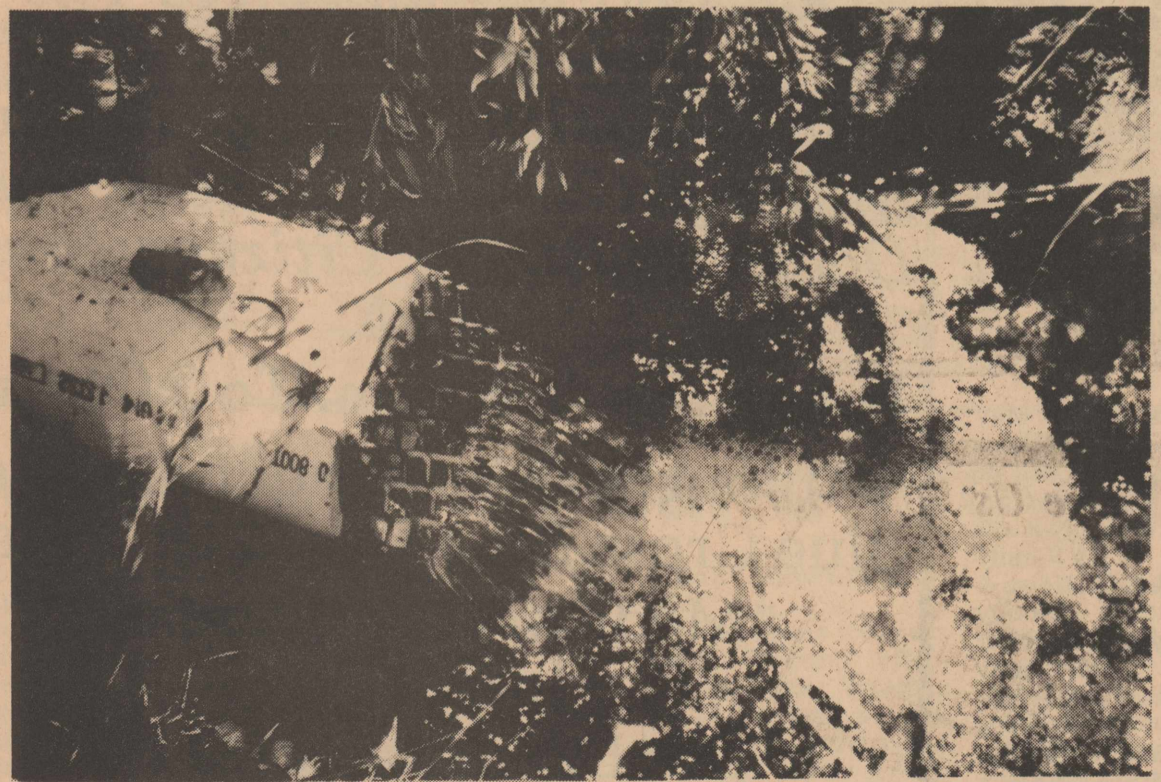
Oct. 1, 1985 Thru Sept. 31, 1986

UPPER CLEAR FORK S&WCD

New Conservation Plans Developed	12 No. 4,
Conservation Plans Revised	4,746 Ac.
First Technical Service-Individual	321 No.
Cooperator Applying Practices	185 No.
Subsurface Drain Systems	25,320 Ft.
Brush Control Applied	7,000 Ac.
Conservation Reserve Program	10 No. 2,076 Ac.
Cropland Protected	23,320 Ac.
Rangeland Protected	28,141 Ac.



Subsurface Drain Installation On Dolly Allen Farm



Subsurface Outlet On Walter Byrd Farm

All Gin Managers Set For Lower Bale Count

After surveying the Fisher County cotton gin managers earlier this week, it appears that most are anticipating a much lighter crop this season. Of the seven Fisher County gins, five were contacted last Tuesday. Dave Williams, manager of the Farmers Gin at Rotan for the past three years, is anticipating ginning approximately 2,500 bales this season which is down from the 6,390 bales last season.

Kirmet Terry, manager of Terry's Gin at Roby hopes to be ginning by the 15th or 20th of November and anticipated a final bale count for the season of 3,500 which is down from 9,000 last season. In the off season, Terry Gin has installed a new UD press.

Danny Helms, manager of the Hobbs Gin for the past 5 years, hopes to be open and operating within a month or six weeks. Last season the Hobbs Gin had a total bale count of 6,300 and this year Helms hopes to finish the season with 3,000 bales.

Jim Gruben, manager of the Rotan Gin, anticipates being ready to

gin in "a couple of weeks". He would not speculate on the anticipated number of bales for this season, but indicated that it will be down considerably from the 16,888 bales last year. The Rotan Gin has done some work on the burr house in the off season.

E.M. Guelker, manager of the Farmers

Union Coop Gin at Roby, has been gin manager since April of 1986. He anticipates ginning 1,000 bales which is down from the 6,031 ginned last year.

The Newspaper Office was unable to reach representatives of the Longworth Gin or the Sylvester Gin last Tuesday morning.

Thief Takes Steaks Set Aside For Ex's

Some \$265.00 in frozen meat, scheduled to be used for the Rotan Homecoming Banquet last Saturday night, was stolen the night before after a door was left open at the cafeteria, according to Sheriff Mickey Counts.

Counts indicated that his office received a call on Saturday morning from Buck Denton, officer for the Rotan Homecoming Associa-

tion, indicating that 4 boxes of beef patties (160 total pieces valued at \$220.00) and two turkey breasts had been taken from the freezer at the Rotan School Cafeteria.

Sheriff Deputy H.W. Grady investigated the incident and determined that the door to the cafeteria had not been secured following the homecoming fellowship on Friday night.

Two Oklahoma Residents Arrested For Marijuana

Two Oklahoma residents were arrested last Sunday by Fisher County Sheriff's Department Officers

and charged with possession of marijuana.

Fisher County Sheriff Mickey Counts indicated that officers Gene Pack and Dwain McKay arrested Michael David Cadenhead, age 24 of Chickasha, Oklahoma and Linda Gail Null of Chickasha, Oklahoma and charged them with "felony possession of marijuana" (in excess of 4 ounces.)

The individuals were transported to Roby, posted \$5,000 bonds and released. The case is pending before the Fisher County Grand

The Pizza Barn To Open This Friday

Rotan's newest business, The Pizza Barn, opened for business last Friday and Saturday for the homecoming crowd. Owners Lanny and Carolyn Foster plan on opening with regular operating hours beginning at 11:00 a.m. Friday, Oct. 31st.

Regular hours will be 11 a.m. until 10 p.m.

3. Larry Holland
Box 1997
Brownwood, TX 76804
915-643-5977

5. John Wallace
Route 10, Box 1043
Tyler, TX 75707
214-566-1626

7. Bob Carroll
Route 4, Box 4010
La Grange, TX 78945
409-968-6591

meat, vegetable, mashed potatoes, homemade rolls, salad bar, drink for \$4.25.

In the very near future, "we will be offering our customers nachos, burritos, tacos and market salad," said Carolyn Foster.

The workers at Pizza

Box 416
Clarendon, TX 79226
806-874-3789

4. Max Traweek
309 Sidney Baker South
Kerrville, TX 78028
512-896-2500

6. Gary Spencer
1204 Maple Lane
Jasper, TX 75951
409-384-4335

8. W. J. Williams
134 Braniff
San Antonio, TX 78216
512-349-2174

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Approximately 70,000 Acres Of Cropland Are Eligible For CRP

Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well, we have really been having some good drying weather these past few days, although we did get some rain again Thursday. Not very much out this way, and we need more of this sunshine and warm weather as some of the fields still have water standing in them. It was really cool this morning (Monday) and Snyder reported 38 degrees, but they are always a little lower than anyone else. Don't think it was near that low here at the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez went to Amarillo Wednesday and Thursday, and attended their last meeting of the AMPI. Since they don't have their dairy anymore, they won't be going to the meetings. Sunday, they went to Snyder and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Steve Warren and family. They have heard from their son in Missouri, and the Army is keeping him busy.

Dale Cave came home from the Fisher County Hospital on Wednesday, and seems to be feeling real good. We hope that he will continue to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. D.H. Hornsberger from Sweetwater visited on Wednesday with the J.D. Kincaids. Mrs. Eunice Arp from Roby also visited with them all Wednesday. Lucy still isn't feeling very good, and we hope that she will soon begin to feel a little better.

Mrs. Opal Phillips went to Post last Sunday and stayed until Thursday. She visited with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips, and Larry Phillips. Before she left

on Sunday all of the Phillips, Porters and Hyers met at the home of Marie and C.J. Thornton's to help celebrate several birthdays. Vicky and Jeremy Hyer and Walter Cave from Midland all had birthdays. Belated birthday greetings to all of them.

Mrs. Bea Hardin left Friday evening and stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hardin and Chris at Cherry Creek, just out of Tye. She stayed until Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hardin came after her.

We were pleased to have Bro. and Mrs. Edgar Rivera from Abilene at Hobbs Church on Sunday morning. Sunday night, Bro. and Mrs. Jimmy Watson and two little girls from Abilene were at church, and Bro. Jimmy held baptismal services for Frances Bavousett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bavousett.

Last Friday Cecil and Helen Minshew from Mineral Wells and James Black from Houston all visited with Buddy Burnett. He took them on an archaeological and historical tour, showed them some natural formations and they found a few artifacts. They toured the western area of Fisher and eastern area of Scurry counties. They really enjoyed their visit. Sunday afternoon Garland and Beverly Brantley from Abernathy, members of the South Plains Archaeological Society, and also Mr. and Mrs. Pickens from Girard, made a tour and visited sites around Fisher County and they stayed

Bro. and Mrs. Edgar Rivera from Abilene visited with Buddy and they ate dinner in Snyder. They went to the Diamond M Museum and viewed the Eskimo exhibit. And then went on a little tour around Buddy's farm. Edgar helped Buddy bag a live rattlesnake which was on the porch of his home.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge kept Chase Etheredge on Friday night and Saturday. Chase is the Todd Etheredge's little son.

We were pleased to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Robertson (Betty Patterson) of Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, are the proud parents of a baby girl born Tuesday, October 21st. They named her Blake Margaret. Betty is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson of Snyder, who used to live at Camp Springs and the older kids went to school at Hobbs for several years. Mrs. Patterson is the former Faye Nell Walker, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dee Walker.

Friday, Jim and I attended the Rotan Homecoming football game, and were pleased to see our granddaughter, Evette Gruben, crowned Homecoming Queen.

We were also delighted to hear that Evette showed her Angus steer at the Dallas Stock Show to Champion Angus. We went to Abilene on Saturday, and the weather was almost perfect. Heard from Melody and Mark and they had just got back from Huntsville and the Prison Rodeo, where Melody rode in the jackpot barrel race

there. They said it was sure a good rodeo and they really enjoyed it.

Well, don't forget to come to the Hobbs Homecoming next Saturday; lots of folks are expecting company for the occasion. See you next week.

Basic Nutrition Course Offered At WTC

"Basic Nutrition for Livestock Owners" will be offered by the Continuing Education Department of Western Texas College on Monday nights from Nov. 3-Dec. 1. Classes will meet from 6:30-9:30 p.m.

Instructor for the course will be Kent Mills, Sales Representative for Ezell-Key Grain Co.

"I think this course will be especially useful for those who want to learn more about feeding an animal and understanding how different rations will influence an animal's growth and condition," said Mills. "I hope that a feed tag will make more sense to them when we finish this course."

Mills feels the course will be beneficial to those who are feeding 4-H and FFA animals, though it would benefit farmers and ranchers as well.

Fee for the course is \$25. For more information, call the Continuing Education Department at WTC, 915-573-8511, or Mills at home, 915-573-1308.

Fall Festival

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MRS. SMITH'S 13 OZ. (ASSORTED KINDS) FROZEN PIES \$1.39

GROUND CHUCK MEAT \$1.59 LB.

DUNCAN HINES ASSORTED 11 OZ. COOKIES 99¢

OCEAN SPRAY 12 OZ. CRANBERRIES 89¢

GLADIOLA 6 OZ. (WHITE OR YELLOW) CORNBREAD MIX 2/53¢



DELSEY 4 ROLL BATHROOM TISSUE 98¢

(18, 12, 24 CNT.)

HUGGIES \$3.59

IMPERIAL POWDERED SUGAR 42 OZ. REG. OR UNSCENTED TIDE \$1.79

OWNES COUNTRY SAUSAGE 1 LB. \$1.89

PARADE BONELESS FULLY COOKED HALF HAM \$1.99 LB.

LARGE STEAK SANDWICH 99¢

2 LTR. ASSORTED FLAVORS BPI 89¢

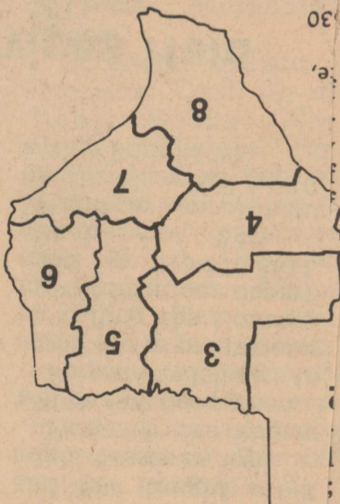


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for all their prayers, kindnesses, help and generosity they expressed during the illness and loss of our dad.

We would like to thank the Fisher County Hospital nurses and employees and Dr. M. Callan for all the T.L.C. they gave dad and our family and Doug and Mac Weathersbee for their patience with our family during this trying time.

Thanks Again & May God Bless Family of Cecil C. Kiser, Sr. Cecil, Jr. & Penny Kiser & Family Joe & Kay Brown & Family Bobby & Velta Kiser & Family Thomas & Jean Kiser & Jason Jimmie & Brenda Rivers & Family Larry & Deborah Dickson & Boys Ronnie & Linda Kiser Ricky & Tammy Kiser & daughters of Peggy Lou Green 38:1tp