

The Weather

From records of Fred Byerly
Rotan Weather Observer.

Apr. 1970	Prec.	Hi	Lo
Wed. 29	.26	82	64
Thur. 30		73	58
May			
Fri. 1		65	38
Sat. 2		67	38
Sun. 3		77	41
Mon. 4		82	49
Tues. 5		85	55

Total precipitation to date:
1969..... 7.06
1970..... 5.19
Apr. Total..... 1.20

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THURSDAY MAY 7, 1970

NO. 13

Feedlot Meeting Indicates Much Interest In Project

Rotan Pre-School Is Friday May 15

Hospital News

Patients admitted to Callan Hospital April 28 through May 4th.

Local patients: Oliver Loving, Annie Tillotson, Mrs. Steve Velez, Clifton Blount, Danie Gruben, R. O. Allen, Mrs. A. S. Warren, Mrs. Gains Smith, Mrs. J. W. Porter and David Springer.

Out of town patients: Mrs. Windell Pinkerton, Snyder, D. J. Johnson, McCaulley; Joe Flores, Sweetwater; David Jackson, Hamlin and J. N. McGinnis, Roby.

Pre-School Day for Rotan School will be Friday, May 15th.

All children who will enroll for the first time should be at Primary building at 9:30 a.m. but no provision is made for taking them earlier. They should bring 25¢ for lunch in the lunchroom and they will be dismissed at 11:15 after lunch.

First Graders will also attend regular schedule that day, starting at 9:30 and will be dismissed at 2:30.

Further information will be in next issue.

Area meeting held last Thursday night at Community Center was attended by near 100 interested persons.

All current developments of the projected feed lot were explained and the crowd considered the plan feasible.

The plan discussed was the first that has seemed to be within reach of this area and the entire plan apparently is sound and practical.

A number of interested citizens were unable to attend for various reasons and these may contact either Dr. Barry Allen or Wayne Harris.

Action must be taken in the near future for this project to become a reality and everyone is invited to become a part of this important new industry.

Doris Medrano Miss Congeniality



Miss Doris Medrano, a 5'6" Freshman business major won the title of Miss Congeniality and second runner up at the fourth annual Beauty pageant recently in Howard County Junior College at Big Spring.

Miss Medrano is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Medrano of the Hobbs Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Signor of Lubbock visited Mrs. H. C. Shelton in Rotan Friday morning.

4-H'ers Win Nine Firsts at District



Lois Ann Cauble and Karri Waddell, First Place Electric Team Demonstration, Jr. Division, District III Contests.



Terry Lou Posey, First Place winner in District III 4-H Food Show.

Fisher County 4-H members brought home nine first place banners from District III Contests in Wichita Falls Saturday. Not far behind this was seven second place banners won by teams or individuals at the contest.

Thirty-nine 4-H and about twenty adults attended the District III Contest Eliminations in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Junior teams winning first place banners were as follows: Beef Cattle Demonstration, Russell Martin and Mike Martin; Horse Demonstration, Melody Walker and Tammy Gober; Vegetable-Preparation, and Use, Penny Moore and Cindy Clawson; Electric Team Demonstration, Karri Waddell and Lois Ann Cauble; Food Show, Bread Group, Billy Stevens.

Senior teams winning first place honors were: Farm Management Demonstration, Becky Sheffield and Mike Heron; Electric Team Demonstration, Sharon Justiss and Judy Carlton; Cooperative Demonstration, Aletha Morgan and Regina Eaton; Food

Show, Bread group, Terry Posey.

Juniors placing second were: Civil Defense Demonstration, James Kemp and Max Kemp; Cooperative Team Demonstration, Richard Gaona and Ricky Morton; Field crops Demonstration, David Gaona and Timmy Morton; Food and Nutrition Educational Activity, Arvinelle Smith; Dairy Cattle Judging, Gary Park, Scott Guelker, Mike Terry and Brad Stuart.

Winning third place were: Safety Team Demonstration, Dan Burk and Glenn Wilfong; Clothing Educational Activity, Ellen Jones.

Winning blue ribbons in Food Show were Meat group, Revis Cauble; Vegetable-Fruit group, Cindy Posey.

Seniors winning second were Food Show, Meat group, Deborah Sue Smith; Dairy Cattle Judging, Mark Guelker, Ricky Carlton, Jerry Carlton, and James Park.

Other seniors were Money Management, Educational Activity, Annette Cleveland, fourth place, and Public Speaking, Peggy Coffman, tenth place.

Adult leaders assisting with Judging were Mrs. A. A. Smith, Mrs. Ted Posey, Morris Guelker, Don Waddell, and W. D. Cleveland.

Others attending contests were Mrs. Don Waddell, Mrs. Jack Morton, Mrs. Bobby Wright, Mrs. Jimmy Walker, Mrs. Herbert Moore, Mrs. Kiefer Cauble, Mrs. Eva Nell Dennis, Mrs. Fred Kemp, Mrs. Frank Kemp, Mrs. B. A. Farris, Don Ballenger, Mrs. Joe D. Burk, and Mrs. Ed Wilfong and County Extension Agents, Mrs. Alice Ballenger and Richard Spencer.

Roby Band-Choir Concert Sunday Afternoon 3 P.M.

One Wounded In Sunday Shooting

Felony "aggravated assault with intent to murder" charges were filed Monday against Johnny Martinez of Mineral Wells in connection with a Rotan shooting Sunday.

Joe Flores of Rotan was injured in the shooting which occurred at 8th and McKinley Streets in Rotan at 6:25 p. m. Sunday.

Flores was listed in fair condition in Callan Hospital.

Misdemeanor "aggravated assault" charges were filed against Martinez's brother, Edward, of Rotan in the same incident.

Charges were filed in Fisher County Judge's Court.

Edward Martinez was fined \$200 plus costs.

Johnny Martinez was released from jail on \$1,000 bond.

The Music Department of Roby Public Schools presents its annual Spring Band and Choir Concert.

Featured this year will be the Beginning Band of 30 members. The High School Choir with 30 members and the High School Band with 50 members.

A varied program will be presented.

Concert will be in the High School Auditorium at 3:00 p.m. Sunday afternoon, May 10th. Admission, 50¢ each.

Proceeds will be used to buy new fall music for the Band and Choir.

Please come and support the music program in the schools.

Roby Garden Club To Sweetwater Pilgrimage

The Garden Club, Roby, will meet Thursday, May 14, at 9:00 a. m. at the Midwest Electric Cooperative, Inc. and leave from there for Sweetwater where they will go on their pilgrimage of yards. They will have lunch in Sweetwater.

Installation of new officers will be made. The nomination committee consisted of the following members: Mmes. Jess Goforth, W. W. Morton and Thurman Terry.

Mrs. Max Carriker was nominated President; Mrs. Edd Carter 1st Vice President; Mrs. Cullen Terry, 2nd Vice President; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Jess Goforth; Publicity, Mrs. Roscoe Smith; Parliamentarian, Mrs. W. W. Morton. All of these ladies were approved and will serve for the next Garden Club year, when the Club revives in September 1970 thru 1971.

Mons, Diana Terry, Jimmie Laurie, Charity Stuart. Diane Carriker won the Junior Achievement Award.

Mrs. Edd Carter was chairman of the show and Mrs. L. L. Stuart Co-chairman. The Judges for the show were Mrs. Charles Nunn and L. W. Patterson of Sweetwater and Mrs. Gray of Roscoe.

Mrs. Bernice Stockton visited Judge and Mrs. Howard Davison in Lubbock last week. They were privileged to attend services at the First Baptist Church where the well-known Scotchman, Rev. Peter McLeod held a revival. On Thursday Mrs. Stockton and Mrs. Davison attended a luncheon at the Lubbock Club honoring Miss Zelta Hull, bride-elect of Jack Strong Jr. who is a nephew of Mrs. Stockton.



Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Signor of Lubbock visited Mrs. H. C. Shelton in Rotan Friday morning.

Good Voter Turn- Out Saturday

Nineteen hundred and twenty four votes were polled in Fisher County First Democratic Primary last Saturday. The turnout was better than many expected as some 2600 are potential voters.

Ed Perkins present County Judge was re-elected over J. D. Burk by 1188-736.

Thurman Terry incumbent Commissioner of Precinct 4 remained in office over J. P. Davis by receiving 344 votes to Davis' 132.

The hotly contested race for Commissioner Precinct 2 developed in a runoff for June 6. All four were newcomers, as present Commissioner, Ted

Abbott did not make the race. E. J. (Junior) Kiker led this ticket with 179. Frank Allen is in runoff with him and received 114 votes. M. A. Hughes received 98 votes and Dick Gruben 94.

Judge Austin McCloud was elected as Chief Justice, Court of Civil Appeals 11th District with a vote of 38,052 to Roger Q. Garrett with 16,015 votes.

Fisher County gave Judge McCloud 1330 to Garrett's 412.

Ralph Yarborough was given 1127 votes by Fisher County voters to Bentsen 740, but in state totals Yarborough was defeated.

U.S. Savings Bond Report

In releasing the Department of The Treasury Figures, County Bond Chairman R. L. Springer announced that sales of United States Savings Bonds and Freedom Shares in Fisher county during March totaled \$2,272.

During the first quarter of 1970 sales were \$11,449 for 23 per cent of goal achieved.

Texas purchased \$14,317,666 in Savings Bonds and Notes during March compared to March 1969 sales of \$13,684,597--- a 4.6 per cent increase. January-March sales totaled \$46,858,407 --- 26 per cent of the state's goal of \$179.9 million.

Sales across the nation during the month amounted to \$458 million---20.3 per cent above March 1969 sales. Exchanges of Series E Bonds for Series H amounting to \$62 million were reported for the first quarter--- a 26 per cent increase over the \$50 million exchanged during 1969.

Talent Show At Hobbs Is Good

Hobbs Talent Show Friday night was a huge success in every respect. An overflowing crowd attended and a full slate of contestants made the affair most enjoyable.

In Elementary division Tina and Kathy McCombs, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Joe McCombs took first place. Second place went to a group, Kirk Tibbles, Diane Weathersbee and Tim Gray, Melody Walker and Ellen Jones.

The Roadrunners took first in High School group, with James Duke second and third place going to Joe Langley.

In adult section, Walter Miers was first; second was Randy Murphree and Rudolph Martinez, third.

Bob Cowan, a Hobbs school student was lucky ticket holder for the beef calf drawing.

Hobbs Seniors sponsored the event and expressed their appreciation to everyone who helped make the event so successful.

Joe Long, Roby, was in Abilene Thursday and Friday nights attending Air Conditioner school at Abilene Radiator Works.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Shows, Rotan, arrived home Friday from a visit with his mother and sister in Springfield, La. They also visited the family of their son C. W. Sutton in Dallas.

Roby FFA Team Wins



The Roby FFA Wool Judging Team composed of Rock Perkins, Curtis Wallace and Terry Buck placed 3rd in the Tech Contest at Lubbock.

Oran Shelley In "South Pacific"

Oran Shelley, a former student of Rotan High School, has a role in the Cisco Jr. College production of the Pulitzer Prize winning musical, "South Pacific" by Rodgers and Hammerstein.

Oran Shelley will be portraying the leading role part of Emile de Beque in the acclaimed musical which captures the spirit of the World War II era. The play will be presented May 8 and 9 at 8:00 p. m. in the college auditorium. Tickets will be sold at the door: \$1.50 for adults and \$1.00 for students. Tickets may be purchased in advance at a slightly reduced

rate by phoning or writing: Mr. Tom Kinney, Drama Dept., Cisco Jr. College, Cisco, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Jack Stuart and Sherran of Roby spent last week-end at Lake Texoma fishing. They were joined there by Mr. and Mrs. Landon Stuart and family of Carrollton, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Donham and family of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Rabon Stuart of Wichita Falls. They caught plenty of fish and had a fish fry on Saturday night with 22 people enjoying fish and all the trimmings.

Recent Car Collision



Car in foreground was driven by Jerry Dycus in collision with car in background of Kenneth Gruben. Neither were injured, but Dycus car was total loss and Grubens heavily damaged. Accident was one mile west of Rotan.

Sgt. Jimmie Marks Reenlists in Army

Army Staff Sergeant Jimmie Marks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Marks, Star Route 2, Morton, recently re-enlisted for four years in the Regular Army, at Ft. Sill, Okla.

Sgt. Marks is assigned as gun section chief in the Weapons Branch of the U. S. Army Field Artillery Board.

The sergeant's wife, Laura, lives at 711 E. Fifth St. Rotan.

Low Level Flying Route Announced

The world wide commitment of the 516th Tactical Airlift Wing (TAW), Dyess AFB, require continuous low level flying training. The highest possible degree of proficiency must be maintained and the 516th TAW aircrews must be current in all modes of aerial delivery. As a result, C-130 Hercules and C-7A Caribou aircraft are flown at low level altitudes over the "big country" on a daily basis.

These low level flights may be scheduled between 8 a.m. and midnight, Monday thru Friday, and less frequently on weekends. Daylight missions are flown at an altitude of 500 feet above the terrain while night low level activities are conducted at least 1,000 feet above any obstacle, man made or geographic, within three miles of the prescribed track of the aircraft. Air speeds will vary from 115 to 290 miles per hour.

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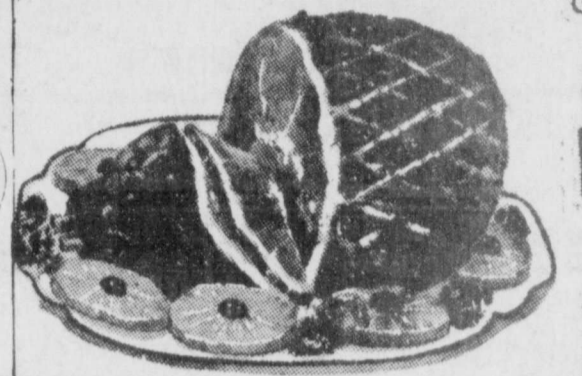


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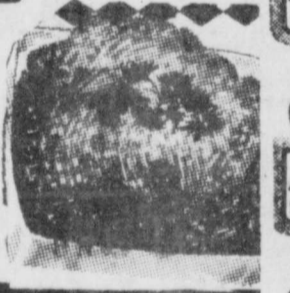


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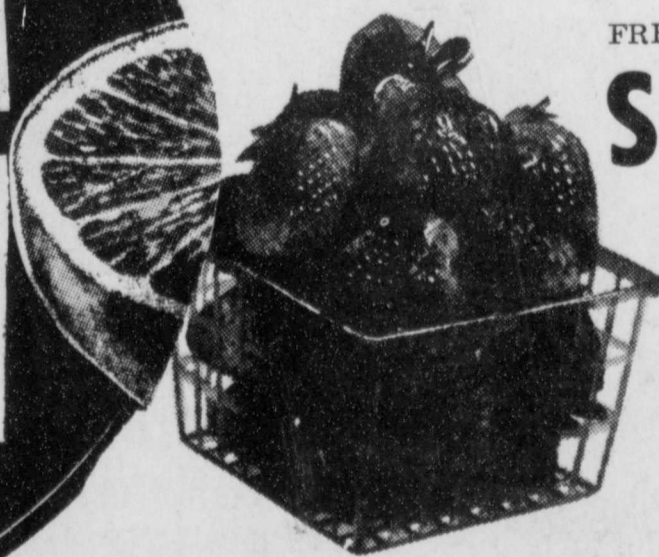


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Lost several years ago in or near Roby, a brown male dog, blocky head, long tail. Reward, D. V. Hoffman, box 37, Claiborn. 13-3tp

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by Richard Spencer

COUNTY AGENT NEWS
 Farm animals, for some unexplained reason, seem to have a liking for small bits of wire, nails, craps of hardware, screws and bolts. Many owners have been made aware of this fact through the loss of a valuable animal.
 The damage usually is caused by irritation or puncture in the digestive system from the swallowing of such objects. In most instances the loss could have been prevented and here are suggestions for preventing future losses.
 Remove wire fences which are weak from rust before small bits of the wire drop into the grass and become a hazard to grazing livestock. After a construction job in the barnyard, it is worth the time and effort to sweep the area thoroughly or drag it with a sweep of permanent magnets.
 It is difficult to detect and remove trash metal from ground feed or silage. But permanent or electromagnets placed in feed chutes between the bins and feed trough will remove a major portion of trash metal. It is important that some type of magnet be installed in home grinding mills and mixers.
 It is the case again when an ounce of prevention is worth more than a pound of cure. In fact, it is possible to remove almost 100 percent of trash metal from feed, pastures and barnyards by just using good "housekeeping" practices as a part of the livestock management program.

With warmer weather insect pests will increase, and this means insecticide use will also become more widespread.
 Since insecticides come in many forms, it is important to know some of the terms used to describe them. There are dusts, wettable powders, soluble powders, emulsifiable concentrates, oil solutions, granulated materials and aerosols and spray bombs.
 Dusts don't mix with water and should never be used as sprays. They come as dry powders ready for use.
 Wettable powders are for spray use. They contain a wetting agent and may contain up to 85 percent of the actual ingredient.
 Soluble powders are chemicals which readily dissolve in water. They can be applied with low-pressure, low-volume sprayers.

Emulsified concentrates are liquids carrying the insecticide in a suitable solvent and emulsifier. They can be applied with low-pressure, low-volume sprayers.
 Oil solutions are ready for use and may contain form a half to 10 percent active ingredients.
 Granulated materials are ready to use insecticides in or on particles of a carrier. They are useful for controlling soil insects.
 Aerosols and spray bombs contain one or more insecticides, and oil solvent and a propellant gas. The bombs produce a fine mist or a coarse spray. Fine mists, aerosols, are used to control flying insects and the coarse spray bombs for leaving a residue of the insecticide.
 In addition, baits, insecticide-fertilizer mixtures, insecticide-herbicide mixtures and moth proofing agents are some of the special formulations available.

Regardless of the form of the insecticide used, we emphasize the need for following label directions to the letter and using them only for the purpose stated on the label. All should be stored out of reach of children.
 New plant growth in the spring is attractive to many kinds of very small soft-bodied insects known as aphids or plant lice. These insects suck juices from the leaves, buds, flowers and twigs of most garden plants.
 Their feeding causes many different kinds of damage, depending upon the plant under attack and the kind of aphid involved. Green peach aphids, for example, cause the leaves to curl around them. Spruce gall aphids cause the terminal growth they feed onto to swell into a cone-shaped gall in which they live.
 Other aphids not only cause injury to plants but create a nuisance by dropping their honeydew on sidewalks, driveways and automobiles. This substance also attracts flies, wasps, ants, bees and other insects. The major honeydew producers are pecan aphids, willow aphids and arborvitae aphids.
 The gardener has several tools available for combatting aphids. One of the newest is the soil-applied systemic insecticide. Several brand name products are available which contain the systemic disulfoton (Dissyston) mixed in fertilizer or formulated along in a low concentrate granular form.
 There are also many foliar sprays that do a good job of controlling aphids or plant lice.

Legal Notice

THE STATE OF TEXAS
 To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas—Greeting:
 Your are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Fisher County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS
 TO: John B. Rector, if living, and if he be deceased, then the unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives of John B. Rector, and if any of them are dead, then their unknown heirs, devisees and legal representatives, Defendants, Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Fisher County at the Courthouse thereof, in Roby, Texas by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 1st day of June A.D. 1970, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 13th day of April A.D. 1970, in this cause, numbered 3816 on the docket of said court and styled Charles C. Parlin, Executor of the Estate of Evelyn Hague, Deceased, Plaintiff, vs. John B. Rector, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Divorce, child custody and child support, and division of community property as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.
 If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
 The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.
 Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Roby, Fisher County, Texas, this 13th day of April A.D. 1970.

Attest:Eula Mae Hull Clerk, District Court Fisher County, Texas.
 10-4TC

Thanks to Voters of J P Precinct 4:

I deeply appreciate your confidence in me shown by the splendid vote given me last Saturday.
 I will continue to serve you as Commissioner of Precinct 4 at all times.
 Again thanking you, I am,
 Sincerely,
 Thurman Terry

H. T. Fillingim, Rotan, returned home Sunday from Dallas where he had visited the family of his daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Gilbert during the week end,

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 As is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.
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 Attest:Eula Mae Hull Clerk, District Court Fisher County, Texas.
 By Billie Lou Holcomb, Deputy.
 11-4TC

Letter To Editor

Dear Editor:
 We love our brother Luther. He is a good man. We believe he loves and fears his God. In fact he has preached the gospel of the Lord. But something has gone wrong. He actually thinks that there is discrimination against children of Mexican descent in the Rotan Schools.
 Maybe there was in the past, but we believe there is none now. We do know and can testify that our children have not been discriminated against. We believe that our brother has been misled by out-of-town people, who do not know these wonderful people around here.
 Signed by,
 Salome Yanez
 Thomas Yanez
 Antonio Yanez

Christian Science Lesson

Differences between spiritual and material interpretations of creation in the Bible are brought out in the Lesson—Sermon on "Adam and Fallen Man" to be read in all Christian Science churches this Sunday.
 An explanation of conflicting accounts in the first and second chapters of Genesis will be read from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy. One citation states:
 "Spiritually followed, the book of Genesis is the history of the untrue image of God, named a sinful mortal. This deflection of being, rightly viewed, serves to suggest the proper reflection of God and the spiritual actuality of man, as given in the first chapter of Genesis."

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following are candidates for office subject to action of Second Democratic Primary of June 6, 1970:
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Service Held For Clifton Blount

Funeral for Clifton Blount was at 2 p. m. Saturday at First Baptist Church here with Rev. Billy Hudnall, pastor officiating. Burial was in Rotan Cemetery under the direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home. Mr. Blount, 77, retired grocer, died at 8 a. m. Thursday in Callan Hospital here after a long illness.

He was born March 19, 1893, in Wood County, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Blount. He came with his family to Rotan in 1907, the year the town was established.

He married Lulline Whitfield May 13, 1923, in Rotan. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Rotan.

Survivors include his wife; two foster children, Mrs. Lulline Stephens of Arlington and John H. Thomas of Richmond, Va.; two nephews and one niece.

Virginia Funeral For Mrs. Davis

Funeral for Mrs. Ruby Jewel Davis, 44, a Texas native was held April 28 in Fort Myer Chapel, Va. Burial was in Arlington National Cemetery.

Mrs. Davis died April 24 in Bethesda Naval Hospital.

Survivors include her mother, Mrs. Bertha Stevenson of Roby; a brother, Curtis L. Stevenson of Anson; and a sister, Mrs. Alfred P. Douglass of Sylvester.

To Voters of Precinct 2:

I thank everyone for their consideration of my race for Commissioner, Precinct 2, Fisher County.

Although I was not elected, I hold no ill feelings and do appreciate all help given me. D. D. (Dick) Gruben

Herman Hughes Died Sunday After Brief Illness

Herman D. (Bud) Hughes, 51, of Rotan, died at 10 a. m. Sunday in Callan Hospital in Rotan after a brief illness.

Services were held Monday at 4 p. m. at the First Baptist Church with Rev. Billy Hudnall, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Rotan Cemetery. Pallbearers were J. P. Cyphers, James Shelley, Melton Field, Wendell McWhirter, Wendell Morrow and Gary Strickland.

Mr. Hughes was born April 6, 1919, in Lipan and moved to Rotan from there as a child. He married Anna Mae Calhoun in Hamlin Dec. 30, 1942.

He was a member of the Baptist church and had been in the furniture business. He had been an employee of West Texas Utilities for the last few years.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Randy of Denton; his father, W. F. Hughes of Rotan; one sister, Mrs. J. C. Baker of Wisner, La.; one brother, E. R. Hughes of Rotan.

Mrs. Joe Taggart returned home last week-end from a visit in Fort Worth and Dallas with relatives. Her grandson and family of Dallas had visited her and returned home with them. They also visited Joe Taggart in a Sweetwater Nursing Home.

Mrs. W. H. McCright of Lubbock visited her sister Mrs. Bert Rushing of Rotan over the week end and they visited in Breckenridge with Mrs. Geo. Stephens their sister-in-law and her son Danny Stephens and family. They reported a very enjoyable visit.

Widest street in the world is the 273 yd. wide Monumental Axis in Brasilia, Brazil.

Relative Dies At Jayton Sunday

William A. (Bud) Kidd, 65, of Jayton, died Sunday at 11 a. m. at his home of an apparent heart attack.

Services were held at 4 p. m. Monday at Peacock Baptist Church with Rev. Bob Doss, pastor, officiating. Rev. Joe Gilmore of Jayton First Baptist assisted.

Burial was in Oriana Cemetery.

Born June 10, 1904, in Stone-wall County, he was a lifelong resident of the area. A farmer, he married Beulah Rogers June 29, 1923. Mr. Kidd was a member of the Peacock Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; one son, J. A. of Jayton; and a nephew, Cecil Hallum of Lubbock raised in the Kidd home; one daughter, Mrs. William Dee Hall Jr. of Jayton; two brothers John of Peacock and Joe of Jayton; five sisters, Mrs. Eldora Smith of Peacock, Mrs. Alton Smith of Jayton, Mrs. Van Dickerson of Peacock, Mrs. Tina Hahn of Aspermont and Mrs. V. H. Oden of Dennison; four grandsons.

Pallbearers were Buddy Gallagher, Travis Morgan, Olin Godfrey, John McNutt, Eugene Spicer, Gordon Hamilton, Rex Hall and Bill Graham.

Mr. Kidd was an uncle to Mrs. Bill Graham of Rotan and Mrs. Rex Hall of Roby. The children of Mr. and Mrs. Kidd were double cousins of Mrs. Graham and Mrs. Hall. Mr. Kidd was the oldest brother of their mother and Mrs. Kidd is the oldest sister of their father, Mr. L. L. Rogers, who passed away Nov. 30, 1969.

Besides being double cousins, Mrs. Rex Hall and Mr. Kidd's daughter, Mrs. William Hall married brothers becoming sister-in-law. Another cousin married the other Hall son, Wylie. Result 3 cousins marry 3 brothers becoming sisters-in-law.

Relative Fatally Injured In Sweetwater Blast

Funeral for Billy Robert Gartman, 34, of Sweetwater, who was killed in an oil tank explosion Thursday, was at 2 p. m. Friday at Lamar St. Baptist Church in Sweetwater.

Rev. Oral Brantley, pastor, officiated. Burial was in McCaulley Cemetery, directed by Cate-spencer Funeral Home.

He was husband of the former Rovana Keisler of Rotan and brother of Mrs. Howard Faught of Roby.

Born March 23, 1936, in Sweetwater, he was active in the city's youth baseball program.

Surviving are his wife, Rovana; two sons, Dusty and Robert of the home; his mother, Mrs. Mattie Gartman of Sweetwater; a sister, Mrs. Howard Faught of Roby; a niece and a nephew.

Mr. Gartman was pronounced dead at the scene by Justice of the Peace Ralph Schaffer of Sweetwater after a crude oil tank he was working on exploded. He was a welder for Big State Welding Co. of Sweetwater.

Gartman was blown about 50 yards by the blast.

The accompanying flames were extinguished in about 45 minutes by Sweetwater firemen.

T. T. Brady, a Big State employee at the scene, said Gartman was the only worker at the tank when it blew up.

Brady said the tank was a crude oil container that had been recently used and that employees of the company, owned by Bill Tucker, had spent the morning steaming the tank out to make it safe for workers.

"We steamed it out for about four hours, and it takes about eight to make it safe to get near it with a torch," he said.

Brady said Gartman had been on the job about 10 minutes when the explosion occurred.

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Service Held For Pioneer Teacher

Funeral for Mrs. Loleet Helms was held Sunday, May 3 at 12:30 P. M. at Davis-Morris Funeral Home in Brownwood; Ollie Cantwell, Church of Christ minister officiating. Burial was in Vargie Chapel Cemetery.

Mrs. Helms, who had lived in the Hobbs Community most of her life, was a long time school teacher. Prior to moving to Fisher County, she had taught one year at Ira, 6 years at Lloyd Mountain and 7 years at Cottonwood Flat. She began teaching at Hobbs School in 1940 and taught first and second grades there since 1940 until March of this year when she took a leave of absence because of illness.

Mrs. Helms was to have retired at the end of the school year.

Mrs. Helms was born Loleet Roper, October 2, 1910 at Rochelle, Texas. She married Homer Helms in Snyder Texas in 1931. He preceded her in death in 1946.

Survivors are two sisters, Mrs. Atch Christmas of Brownwood, and Mrs. Anno Bland of Fort Worth; one brother Owen Roper of Brady; several nieces and nephews.

Mrs. L. W. Goad, Sr. and son Lester Jr., of Lubbock visited her mother Mrs. T. C. Campbell and his sister Mrs. E. H. Turnbow and family in Rotan Sunday.

TSTI Announces Course Offerings

Seven vocational certificate programs have been released by officials at the Texas State Technical Institute for the planned September opening of facilities at the recently deactivated Air Force radar site at Sweetwater, according to Dr. J. N. Baker, director of facilities.

In addition to the 1 year, full-time day programs, TSTI is also announcing eight courses in their evening program, also to be opened in September at the Sweetwater facilities of TSTI.

Included in the day courses will be air conditioning and refrigeration mechanic; auto body repairman; building construction craftsman; dental assistant; radio and television servicing; technical communications; and welding.

Each of the full-time day programs will meet from five to six hours daily, with the full complement of laboratory work scheduled.

Each of the evening programs will meet one night weekly, Baker stated. These students will be designed to fit the individual needs of those seeking either initial training, or additional instruction, he continued.

Night studies planned for the upcoming fall opening of the Sweetwater facilities of TSTI include air conditioning and refrigeration mechanic, auto body repairman; building construction craftsman; farm equipment mechanic; radio and television servicing; technical communications; and welding.

Dr. Baker is already in the field, working on the final steps of acquisition of the property and in initiating these courses to be offered. Working with Dr. Baker in the opening of the school is instruction manager, Bill Pevey-house.

Beginning next week, information cards will be distributed to area schools and to any service club or group needing such information.

Course offerings will be listed on the self-addressed cards, along with a check list of additional information concerning cost, aid, housing, entry requirements, and related information.

Any school or group wishing further information may write Texas State Technical Institute, Sweetwater Facility, Sweetwater, Texas, 79556.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Miller, Roby, Sunday was Mrs. Miller's daughters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Black and Dean of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lee of Roby.

Earliest adhesive postage stamps were the "Penny Blacks" placed on sale in the United Kingdom on May 1, 1840.

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Flora-Dora.....	2.00	Oven.....	1.75
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Toy	1.00	Rayon House.....	1.00
House	1.90	Warehouse.....	1.50
Warehouse	2.30	Head, 24 oz. cotton.....	1.50
BRUSHES		Dust, House.....	2.50
Bowl.....	1.00	Dust, Commercial.....	
Lint.....	1.15	18" \$5.10 24" \$6.50 36" \$9.00	
Floor.....	18" \$4.75 24" \$6.25	Commercial Heads.....	
Garage.....		18" \$2.50 24" \$3.50 36" \$4.75	
14" \$4.00 18" \$5.00 24" \$6.25		Poly-Sweep.....	1.50
Sturdy Scrub Brush.....	.50	Pat Holders.....	.35
CLOTHS		Rate Lawn.....	2.25
Dust.....	.25	REFILLS	
Ush (4 to the pkg.).....	1.00	House Dust Mop.....	1.75
COVERS		Wax Applicator.....	.50
Ironing Board.....	1.60	Poly Sweep.....	1.00
Ironing Board Cover & Pad Set.....	2.25	Scrubber 2/Pkg.....	1.00
HANDLELS		Sponge, Utility.....	1.00
Push Broom.....	1.00	Towels, Dish.....	1.00
Commercial Mop.....	1.75	Wax Applicator.....	1.00
		Wool Dusters.....	2.00

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Dumping of trash in barrow ditches along public roads has become a serious problem over the county.

Persons doing this are subject to heavy fine.

We ask cooperation in stopping this practice.

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Baseball fans are beginning to read the morning newspapers again.

Most people are limited by their inability to appreciate others.

As It Looks From Here

Omar Burleson, M. C.
17th District, Texas

The Administration's postal reform recommendations have taken on a complexion of a different hue under a "compromise." When submitted several months ago, the President's plan called for a reorganization of the Department along corporate lines. It provided for a non-profit corporation somewhat comparable to the TVA and the Communication Satellite operation to run our mail services with certain limited authority reserved to the Federal Government.

Since our mail service is not what it should be, coupled with the fact that deficits in the operation of the postal service continue to climb, there has been great appeal for this idea. This approach to make the Post Office Department mostly independent from direct Federal control was opposed by the Postal Unions of which there are seven. At the time of the strike of postal employees in New York City and in a few other large offices, Postmaster General Blount and Mr. George Meany, head of the AFL-CIO, worked out a compromise. The first part of the agreement was for the Congress to vote a postal pay increase, which it immediately passed and the President signed.

The remaining part of the agreement will be before the Congress in the near future. As introduced, it is H. R. 17070. The idea of the Postal Corporation has been abandoned. In its place the Department would become the U. S. Postal Service with "independent status" somewhat like the Federal Reserve and NASA but still a part of the Federal Government.

The proposal authorizes the unions and the Postal Service to negotiate compulsory "union shop" contracts for all employees. Postal workers would come under the National Labor Relations Board as do unions in the private sector. It would take away an employee's choice of belonging or not belonging to the union. The unions would not be under the so-called Landrum-Griffin Act, which requires reporting and accounting of funds by union officials.

Following the agreed recommendations between the Post-

master General and Mr. Meany, the AFL-CIO head indicated his pleasure with such an arrangement by saying that he expected the provisions of H. R. 17070 to give the same kind of power to postal employee unions that is now allowed in the private sector. He said the provisions would soon be extended to all Federal employee unions as well as the State, County and City level.

Should compulsory unionism become the law, no employee could exercise his right to freedom of choice nor would he have any say as to what was done with his union dues. Obviously, a Federal edict of this kind would override a State's Right-to-Work Law and would cancel binding arbitration of disputes.

There is no question but that changes are needed in our postal operation. From the beginning, the postal service was never intended to be a profit making enterprise or for that matter a break-even proposition. Neither was it ever envisioned to be an agent of those using its services for profit. It was supposed to serve the people as a public necessity and convenience. Postal rates are set at a level to partially pay for services rendered but not intended to subsidize commercial users.

Under the proposal, considerable latitude would be given to the new organization but it appears that the "independence" referred to is hardly achieved. It gives certain veto rights to the Congress but there is no doubt that mailing rates will be increased and that employees will have their freedom of choice impaired. Under present law it is illegal to strike against the Federal Government. Assuming that the non-strike provision can be enforced (it was not in the recent strike) present law may be better than to remove the provision entirely.

Amendments to the proposed bill could make reorganization of the Post Office Department highly desirable.

Card of Thanks

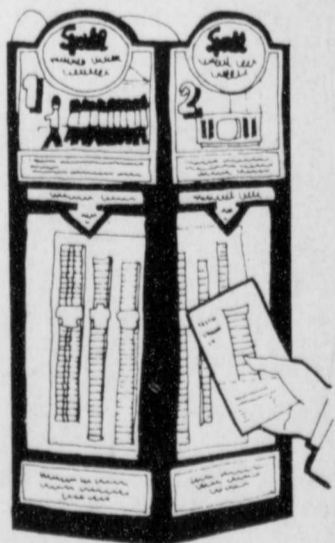
We would like to express our appreciation for every kindness shown during the illness and death of our dear husband and uncle.

Words can't say thank you enough for all the lovely flowers, food, prayers and other things that was done for us.

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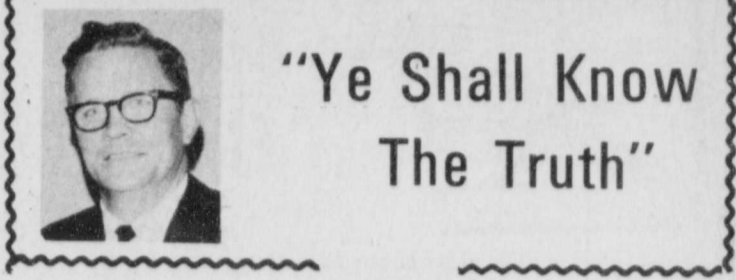
Money should not be the end sought in life.

To Fisher County Voters

I want to thank the Voters of Justice Precinct 4 for the big vote, also thank the people in other parts of Fisher County for encouragement to make the race.

I will serve you to the best of my ability in every way.

Thanks,
Joe Wetzel



"Ye Shall Know The Truth"

The Authority Of Christ

In all areas of human experience, authority is an essential factor. Without it no home can prosper. Without it no business could long exist and no society could hope to succeed. The need for authority and submission to it is especially seen in the realm of religion.

Jesus declared, "All authority has been given unto me in heaven and on earth" (Matt. 28:18). It was by the authority of Jesus and under guidance of the Holy Spirit that the apostles and other inspired penmen wrote the New Testament (Jn. 14:26; 16:13-14). Because of this, men in every age since have access to the authority of Christ expressed in His will. To be guided and governed by the New Testament, which is the full and final expression of the authority that belongs exclusively to Jesus Christ (Jude 3; II Tim. 3:16-17; 2 Pet. 1:3).

The vital need of recognizing the only authority of Christ in all matters which are of a religious nature is witnessed by:

1. The widespread division in the religious world contrary to the prayer and will of Jesus (Jn. 17:20-21), and sapping the strength and resources of its proponents.
2. The homes where husbands, wives and children stand divided against one another and void of that spiritual bond so desperately needed.
3. The lives in which there is a spiritual death because men have sought their own ways and have not submitted to the authority of Christ and put into practice its precepts.

Our plea today is for men to place themselves under the authority of Christ and strive with all their hearts to do His will in all things. There is not one religious problem that cannot be solved by this means. If men will submit to Christ's will then they have the promise of Heaven's blessing; if not, there is bankruptcy of the soul.

-- by Wardell Halliburton

CHURCHES OF CHRIST

Roby 10:00 10:45	Bible Classes Worship	Rotan 9:45 10:30
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Thank You

Mrs. Edrie Reich of Sweetwater, joined Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn in Rotan Sunday and they drove to the River Lake Home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Warren near Spur and visited Sunday afternoon.

I thank each and every one of you for your votes and support on May 2nd. Thanks again,
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RHS Twirp Week Begins May 4

Twirp week begins Monday, May 4, and continues until the following Monday, May 11. Twirp week is held every year at R. H. S. Twirp week gives the girls a chance to ask the boys for dates. They pay for all the entertainment.

Student Council Sponsors Film

The Student Council sponsored the movie "Spencer's Mountain". The High School students saw the film Tuesday at the beginning of fourth period. It lasted through part of the sixth period. It was a human nature type story about a family who lived in the mountains. The plot of the story involved a boy trying to get a higher education.

Rotan Top Spanish Student

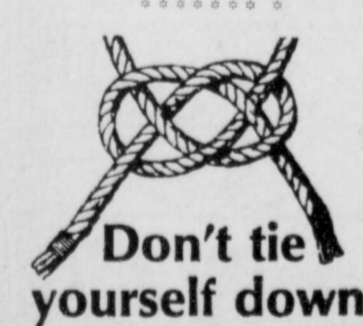
Lee Yanez entered the Nation Spanish Test. He ranked third in the third year group. The tests are sponsored by the Teachers Association of Spanish and Portuguese. Rotan was the only small school who ranked high among the others.

RHS Gets New Band Director

Mrs. Leon Donham has been hired as the substitute band director for the Rotan schools. Mr. W. E. Hendricks, the present band director, is on sick leave for the rest of the school term. Mrs. Donham is a music graduate from Abilene Christian College and is a former member of the Rotan faculty with teaching duties at Primary.

Know Your Senior

Birthday... April 18, 1951
Color of Eyes... Blue
Color of Hair... Blond
Height... 5'11"
Favorite Sport... Horse Races
Favorite Color... Purple Dome
Favorite Artists... 3-Dog Night, Led Zepplin
Political Party... Democrat
Favorite Food... Shrimp, lobster
Church... Seventh Day Adventist
How Long in Rotan... 8 years
Favorite TV Program... Johnny Cash
College Choice... Texas Tech
Favorite Alibi... Due to lack of interest tomorrow is canceled.
Name... Dale Herron
Cathy Allen



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70-71 Schedule Is Completed

The schedule for the 1970-71 school year is complete. Students were scheduled for next year's classes, the week of May 4. No teachers have been assigned to subject matter. Students that have conflicts in their schedule have until the middle of August to work it out.

Rotan Students Face State UIL Contest

Saturday, April 25, several students from Rotan went to Regional Interscholastic League at Lubbock. Students representing Rotan were: Gary Landes and Norvelle Kennedy, Debate; Kaye McKimney, Persuasive Speaking; Matt Dorman, Poetry; Laura Crow, Slide Rule; Cindy Eaton, Shorthand.

Top Ten Seniors Named At RHS

The top ten seniors were announced Wednesday, April 29.

Cathy Allen is valedictorian with an average of 95.49 and Kaye McKimney is salutatorian with an average of 95.44. The other top ten in order are: Laura Crow, Peggy Coffman, Lura Wallace, Maxine Phillips, Jeanie Tidwell, Vickie Rushing, Linda Head and Cindy Eaton and Debby Rains tied for tenth place.

The top ranking boy is Phil Springer. It is the custom in RHS to use the ten honor students, excluding valedictorian and salutatorian, in the graduation exercises.

The averages are based on 5 solid subjects for 4 years.

Know Your Senior

Birthday... August 8, 1952
Color of Eyes... Hazel
Color of Hair... Dark Brown
Height... 5'7"
Favorite Sport... Football
Favorite Color... Blue
Favorite Artists... Glen Campbell
Political Party... Democrat
Favorite Food... Fried Chicken
Church... Southern Baptist
How Long in Rotan... 6 years
Favorite TV Program... Lancer
College Choice... HSU
Favorite Alibi... My watch stopped running and I've lost track of time.
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RJH Tracksters Place Second

The District Junior High Track meet was held April 30 in Robert Lee with the Rotan team placing second with 49 points. The students from Rotan who placed were: 100 Dash- 1st Willie Brown, 10.4 and 5th Virgil Franklin. 50 Dash- 1st Virgil Franklin, 6.2; 2nd Joe Murphree and 5th Kenneth Alcorn. 440 Relay- 1st Virgil Franklin, Mike Cade, Joe Murphree and Willie Brown, 48.7. 440 Dash- 4th Jerry Gentry, 59.0, 5th Earl Leach, 880 Dash- Frankie Gaspar 2nd, 2:24.0. 1320 Relay- 3rd Kenneth Alcorn, Joe Murphree, Earl Leach, Willie Brown. Shot Put- 4th Virgil Franklin, 5th Mike Cade, and 6th Michael Wynn. Discus- 5th Bruce Jones and 6th Joe Murphree. Chinning- 2nd Willie Brown, 60 High Hurdles- 1st Mike Cade, 9.1; 3rd Eramos Garcia and 4th Clay Helms. 100 Low Hurdles- 1st Mike Cade, 13.4 and 4th Eramos Garcia.

Birthdays For April 30- May 7

Dwight Winn and Eliseo Carrasco are the only two students having birthdays in RHS this week. They are both Freshmen. Linda Kingsfield

Buzz Bugs Enjoy Games Wednesday

Buzz Bugs met Wednesday, April 29, Games of 42 and dominoes were enjoyed by all. Also a birthday party was celebrated for one member, Mrs. Roy Nash. Those attending were, H. G. Rogers, Monroe Pell, S. R. Congleton, G. D. Welch, Claudie Powers, Bobbie Pell, Emily Garrett, Floy Smith, Mary Posey, Aida Medrano, Edna Welch, Louada Posey, Mrs. Roy Nash and one visitor Mrs. Mirra Midlock of Altus, Oklahoma.

Flash-Bits from Fisher County Nursing Home

Hi! Here's our news for another week. At this writing it is such a beautiful day that we just have to stop and thank the Good Lord that we senior citizens are still able to be up and enjoy the beautiful outdoors.

Sorry to lose her but happy to say that Romie Kersh was able to leave our Home. She is now living in Snyder and doing fine. Our little Mrs. Annie Tillotson has been a patient for several days in the hospital. She is doing fine and we hope will be home soon.

We all enjoyed sharing Mrs. Shelton's birthday cake last Friday, Roy, was it good.

Our sympathy to Mrs. Whitfield in the loss of her son-in-law, Clifton Blount.

Among our residents going to the polls Saturday to cast their vote for their favorite candidates were Lee Williams, Bert Deel, B. A. Ivy, Stella Shelton, Beulah Moffett, Mable Kimzey, Mable Reese and Ida Polk.

On our visitors list this week were George Reese and Jack Waldrop of Abilene to see Mable Reese, L. C. Ivy of Brownfield to see his parents the B. A. Ivy's, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Whitfield of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitfield of Baytown visited Mrs. Lillie Whitfield, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Signor of Lubbock to see Mrs. Stella Shelton, Mrs. Howard Noles to visit Mable Kimzey, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Floyd was in to visit C. J. Cross, Mrs. Mittie Watson was able to go to Roby Saturday to visit her daughter Mrs. Irvin Parker and family.

Visiting Sam Donham were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, Pamela and Tamle Davis, also Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davis, Vicki and Carla Davis all of Grapevine, Bill Mahaffey and Sharon Mahaffey of Sweetwater. Becky Turnbow and her kindergarten class presented a musical program after dinner at the home Monday. The children sang several songs and three of the little fellows played their guitars. Their songs were beautiful and showed they were having good training.

See you all next week

Here For Blount Funeral Saturday

Out of town relatives and friends attending funeral for Clifton Blount were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Lawrence and son of Odessa; Mrs. Bill Todd and Lesa of Abilene; Dickie Derral and Danny Blount, Abilene; Mrs. Ruby Carpenter, Abilene; Mrs. Leo Petey, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Blount, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blount, Odessa; Misses Fay and Tola Blount, Roby; Mrs. J. W. Scifres, Hamlin; Ed Perkins, Roby; Mrs. Granville Price, Roby; Mrs. J. T. Feagan, Roby; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Young and Debbie; Mr. and Mrs. Don Whitfield, Baytown; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Whitfield, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Preston Campbell, Roby; Mrs. Charles Signor, Lubbock; Miss Annabelle Brown, Seymour; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McKinney, Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Kolb, Sweetwater.

Roby WMU Studies Missions

Roby First Baptist Church WMU met April 28 at 2:30 for one chapter of "Missions... The Northeast." The first song was "Stand Up for Jesus" and the second one "Where He Leads Me I Will Follow." Mrs. Hughey read the calendar of prayer and Mrs. Miller led the prayer. The one that had prepared to teach the book was absent so the ladies read one chapter. Those present were Mrs. Jo Carter, Mrs. Clara Smallwood, Mrs. Ruth Hughey, Mrs. Sheila Miller, and Mrs. Ida Campbell. Here is a little prayer we would like to share with you. "God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, the courage to change the things I can and the wisdom to know the difference."

GOLDEN HAVEN Nursing Home NEWS



Mrs. H. D. Mitchell

It's been a very busy week for all of us. I guess you could call it Spring Clean-Up, and making room for two new residents. Mr. Roy Willis and Mrs. Mary Maddux, we want to welcome them and hope they will be happy with us.

Among our many visitors was Mr. Walter Neves and Thurman Terry visited all. Mr. Martin's sisters, Mrs. Unnewehr and Mrs. McHoney were here, also his wife everyday.

Edd New's daughter Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stanley of Lubbock, daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ralph New of Dallas were here.

Walter Burk's son, J. D. and wife, daughter, Mrs. Charles Atwell of Rotan, son-in-law, West Thomas of Lubbock were here.

Alice Dunlap's daughter, Alba Tefteller visits regular, also her son Jack Dunlap of Lubbock. Mr. Holders visitors were his daughter Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Young, granddaughters, Mrs. Glen Upshaw and Mrs. Bobby Smith also Gary Hyer.

Mr. Simpson's daughter, Irene is regular visitor. Grannie Polk's son-in-law Clifford Carr and daughters of Hamlin were here. Mrs. Cathey's husband, Mr. and Mrs. Barrington and Mr. and Mrs. Sanders were here.

Mary Cooper's cousin, Dolph Favor, Snyder was here. Mary Maddux's sister, Mr. and Mrs.

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Guy Kemp were here.

Mrs. Millwee's son, Luther Millwee of Big Lake was here.

Hollis and John Henry came up for a visit with the men, enjoyed having them.

We want to thank Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Park for the beautiful flowers and letting us share with them their 50th anniversary, hope they have 50 more.

Would like to remind the people who don't know, that the governor always designates the month of May as Nursing Home Month. If you don't have a loved one in a nursing home, select a friend's loved one and pay them a special visit, at least on Mother's Day, it will help them, and also help you, give it a try.

The management, personnel, and all the residents join in sending our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Anna Mae Hughes, in the loss of her husband.

V. L. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byerly, Rotan, recently arrived home from Vienna, Austria where they had visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hull, Janee and Suzy. While there they toured London, Venice, Rome, Pompei, Salzburg, Austria, Holland, Brussels, Belgium. Mr. Hill is with an engineering project in Austria.

Roby St. John Baptist News

Sunday May 3, 1970 was our Pastoral day, Sunday School was at 9:45 A. M. and the Morning worship service was at 11:00 A. M. The pastor, Rev. J. L. Mitchell brought the morning message. We also had fellowship day at Stamford at 3 P. M. on Sunday afternoon of the 3rd at Rev. Banks Church.

On Monday 4th, the Womens Circle No. 1 met with good attendance, with Margaret Price, President, presiding.

Our Pastor, Rev. Mitchell has been called to the Loraine church for two Sundays each month.

We had a box supper last Saturday night, sponsored by Mrs. Gentry, president of general missions. This was well attended and enjoyed by all. The willing workers and pastors aide is Jennie Hodges and Clara May Daniel.

Our zone Board convened at Seymour and closed down Friday night, our Pastor attended this meeting, he is chairman of the Board.

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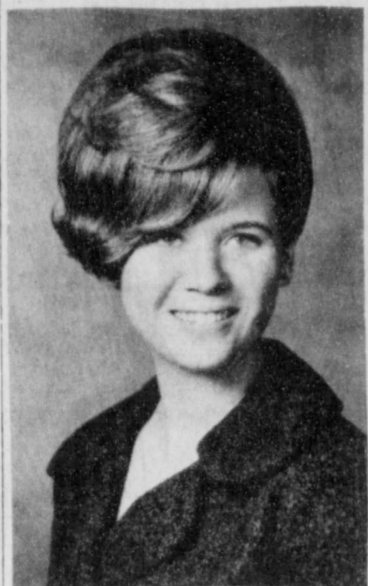
Kathy Frazier Honored With Gift Tea

Kathy Frazier of Abilene, bride-elect of Don Smith of Sylvester, was honored with a gift tea Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ross Douglass.

Hostesses were Mmes. Don Wright, Buford Brown, A. J. Hill, Robert Scott, Thurman Douglass, Guy Mauldin, Roy Kisor, J. P. Maberry, Albert Maberry, Vernon Early, Truman Mauldin, Orville Cox, J. P. Self and Douglass.

The couple will be married May 1 in the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. John Frazier, 1839 Jeannette, in Abilene.

Helton-Gibson August Wedding



Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Helton of Andrews announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sandra Kay, to Sgt. Lynn H. Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gibson of Toyah.

Miss Helton is a 1968 graduate of Andrews High School and is presently employed as a legal secretary for G. Bert Smith Law Offices in Andrews.

Her fiancé is a 1965 graduate of Toyah High School and is now stationed at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma. He is the grandson of Mrs. Lizzie Young of Roby.

The couple have set an August 15 wedding date.

Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Young and Lehman Newton Jr. of Midland attended the funeral of Clifton Blount here Saturday.

Secret Pal Club

Mmes. Joe Morris and O. D. Knox were hostesses to the Secret Pal Club Friday afternoon, May 1 at 2:00 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morris.

Coffee was served to each one on arrival.

After playing several games there was the presentation of gifts.

Members present were: Mmes. O. D. Knox, Tracy King, L. W. Knox, W. A. Hughey, Dwalyn Parker, Kidd Waddell, Earl Rhoton and the hostesses Mmes. Joe Morris and O. D. Knox.

Refreshments of Nut Bread, cookies and coffee were served.

Roby Cub Scouts Are In Active Program

Our Cub Scouts are growing now each meeting, some of the things we would like to tell about our meetings are so exciting we want to share them with you.

In March we went to Sweetwater, marched in the parade and attended the evening performance.

April 18 we went to Abilene to the Coliseum and had as our exhibit, our 32 foot Pine wood Derby Track. We won a 1st place beautiful Blue Ribbon. It will be on display at Citizens State Bank, Roby for a week. Our booth was decorated like a race track flag. Blue and yellow squares with our sponsor "First United Methodist Church" made of beans, macaroni, string and rocks. Each boy made a word. There were 8 boys, Dale and Mike Putnam, Steven Neves, Timmy Morton, Allen Eaton, Terry Scherwitz, Cam Campbell, and Jay Hilliard, Parents attending through the day were Mr. and Mrs. James Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Neves, Mrs. Roy Eaton, Mrs. Don Campbell, and Mrs. Franklin Leach.

We wish to thank each person who was kind enough to buy a ticket from the cubs. Timmy Morton received a badge for selling the most tickets, we are real proud of him.

Tuesday night, April 28, at 7:30 we had a pack meeting at the United Methodist Church, attending were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shipp, our cub master; Den mothers, Mrs. Roy Eaton

and Mrs. James Putnam; our den coach and husband Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Leach. Cubs were Allen Eaton, Mike Putnam, Damon Shipp and Timmy Morton, Webtoes, Dale Putnam and Jay Hilliard and had 3 visitors. Rev. Meixner attended the film that was shown. It was a very good film on Dad and Son relations, "Boy from Hickory Street" and was enjoyed by all.

Mike, Timmy and Steve received their Bobcat Pins, Dale received his Bear and 3rd year pin.

We are planning to carry our meeting through the summer. If any boy would like to join, come visit on Thursdays from 3:30 to 5 o'clock. We have something for boys to do each week, refreshments are served by a parent and we have lots of fun.

Mike Putnam, reporter

To The Voters of Precinct 2

I want to thank all the people of Precinct 2, Fisher County for consideration to me in my race for Commissioner. I deeply appreciate each and every vote that was cast for me last Saturday and hold no ill feelings for those who voted for my opponents.

I will make every effort to see you before Saturday, June 6, the run-off primary and do ask for your vote and influence in this primary.

Sincerely,
E. J. (Junior) Kiker

Claytonville 42 Club News

Hi everyone. The 42 Club did meet Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones. Everyone enjoyed ourselves.

Present were Mr. Ed Neves, Sam Lambert, Leo Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ogden, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ratliff and we were very happy to see Herman and Louise Upshaw and their friends from Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Young and son. Of course, Wayne and myself, Bart and Paul Terry, Leroy Rodgers.

We meet next at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ratliff. Sure did miss Bennie and Clair Kidd.

Bertha Warren

Longworth HD Club Hears 4 H Members

The home of Mrs. H. F. Guelker was setting Monday for the Longworth Home Demonstration Club.

Mrs. Baker, president, presided. Roll call was answered with what I have done to help a 4-H member. There were three visitors and nine members present.

3-Way Switch Wiring program was sponsored by Mrs. Cauble and Mrs. Don Waddell. Lois Ann Cauble and Kerry Waddell of the 4-H gave the demonstration. Stating the steps saved by having the house properly wired with the 3-way switches.

"Co-ops and Taxes" were shown by Timmy Morton and Richard Goana.

"Certified Seed" talk was given by Guy Goana and Ricky Morton. These were by 4-H Club boys, sponsored by Mrs. Alice Ballenger local county agent.

The hostess served refreshments to all these mentioned and Mmes. Ruby Ballenger, B. F. McGee, Walter Wittie, Mattie Landers, Lois Scherwitz, Neva Cardwell, W. P. Schubert, Visitors, Terry Scherwitz, Mrs. Gracie Williams, Randall Williams and Era Shed.

Mothers Day program will be the next program given in Mrs. Lois Scherwitz home.

Matron Fidelis Has Luncheon

The Matron Fidelis Sunday School Class had their regular monthly luncheon Tuesday, April 28, in the home of Mrs. C. O. Rollins.

Those attending were our hostess, Mrs. C. O. Rollins, our teacher, Mrs. Richard Floyd, Mrs. Ben Hargrove, Mrs. Jud Thompson, Mrs. Vernon Frazier, Mrs. Ardie Keener, Mrs. Claude Hammond, Mrs. T. W. Rector, Jewell Price and our guests, Mrs. Billy Hudnall, Mrs. H. L. Davis, and Mrs. Chester Schick. Everyone enjoyed the occasion very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelly, Rotan, recently visited their children Dr. and Mrs. Marcel Patterson in Galveston.

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The Blue Notes Entertain DAR



"The Blue Notes", Rotan High School Girl's Sextet, directed by Mrs. Bartlett Strayhorn, presented "To Dream the Impossible Dream", for the April meeting of Nancy Harper Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, in the home of Mrs. H. G. Thompson in Rotan.

Left to right: Roxanne Callan, Lura Wallace, Donna Gruben, Lou McCombs (accompanist), Kathy Murphree, Maxine Phillips, and Stephanie Miller.

Members of Nancy Harper Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution held their April meeting in the home of Mrs. H. G. Thompson in Rotan, with all Rotan members as hostesses.

Following the opening prayer and Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, Miss Delia Baird, Chapter Regent, introduced Mrs. Bart Strayhorn and The Blue Notes, Rotan High School Girls Sextet, who presented the program. In a combined historical and musical program, Mrs. Strayhorn gave an original script highlighting points in the development of America. Background music was used throughout the presentation, and appropriate songs were rendered by the Blue Notes emphasizing various phases of the progress and development of our nation.

Using as theme, "To Dream the Impossible Dream", the script and music paid tribute to the Founders of our nation and their vision which laid the ground work for those who followed to make the dream a reality. The presentation closed with a challenge to continue with the type of dreams and vision which will keep America great and free.

A brief business meeting followed the program. Miss Baird presented members with a written resume of the recent Texas Society DAR Conference in Dallas. It was noted that Nancy Harper Chapter had received

awards from the state for excellence in the areas of history, Constitution Week, and public relations and publicity. A Blue Ribbon was awarded the Year-book.

Mrs. C. M. Arbaugh read the message from the President General, Mrs. Erwin Frees Seimes. Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn, chapter chairman of National Defense, read the Resolutions which were voted at the State Conference.

Following adjournment, an attractive Salad Plate was served to Mmes. Arbaugh, Hubert P. Barton, Jas. H. Beall, Jr., A. A. Callaway, Whit Clark, James B. Day, Kirby Kinsey, J. L. McCright, Strayhorn, Earl Thomason, Thompson, Wm. E. Towson; Misses Josie Baird and Delia Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Crawford and children Barry, Shelia and Sharon and a friend Steve Patterson all of Lubbock visited Mrs. Lois Deel and Bert Deel in Rotan Sunday.

"Our Soldiers"

Oh soldier boys we love you, where ever you may be in the lands of trouble and sorrow,
Trying to bring them peace, Don't believe all the stories that you might read or hear because we are behind you, Don't you ever fear.
Walk softly in the moonlight and I know that you can hear The prayer of the lonely mother, The drop of her silent tear, If it wasn't for our soldiers what would other countries do? We thank you precious soldiers for a free Red, White and Blue.

Bertha Warren

New Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Boaz are the proud parents of a new daughter, Ronda Michele. She arrived on Thursday, April 23, 1970, and weighed 8lb. 11 oz.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Boaz, all of Anson. Mrs. J. E. Boaz, Sr. of Anson is great-grandmother. The Boaz's have a son, Rocky, age 2.

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Cecil Williams - Minister
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Worship - 10:30 a. m.
Evening Worship - 6:00 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Ladies Bible Class - 9:30 a. m.
Bible Study - 7:30 a. m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
McCaulley
Rev. James Taylor - Pastor
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
9:45 a. m. - Morning Worship
10:45 a. m. - Sunday School
7:00 p. m. - Evening Worship
Family Night
Every 3rd Thursday

MCCAULEY BAPTIST CHURCH
Virgil Smith - Pastor
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
10:00 a. m. - Sunday School
11:00 a. m. - Morning Worship
6:00 p. m. - Training Union
7:00 p. m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p. m. - Prayer Service

CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. J. C. Abbley - Pastor
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Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Training Union - 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship - 7:00 p. m.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday - 7:00 p. m.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Jackie Barnett - Pastor
Corner Genevieve and Stonewall
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Training Union - 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship - 7:00 p. m.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday - 7:00 p. m.

ROBY CHURCH OF CHRIST
Wardell Halliburton - Minister
Sunday:
Bible Classes - 10:00 a. m.
Worship - 10:45 a. m.
Evening Worship - 6:00 p. m.
Wednesday:
Midweek Bible Study - 7:00 p. m.
Thursday:
Ladies Bible Class - 3:00 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Roby
Schedule of Services
10:00 a. m. - Sunday School
11:00 a. m. - Morning Worship
6:00 p. m. - Training Union
7:00 p. m. - Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY
7:00 p. m. - Prayer Meeting
and Study Course
7:30 p. m. - Choir Practice

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Rotan
209 N. McKinley - 735-2334
Robert D. Ford - Pastor
Parsonage 401 N. McKinley
Sunday School - 9:30 a. m.
Worship - 10:30 a. m.
U. M. Y. - 5:00 p. m.
Evening Service - 6:00 p. m.
W. S. C. S. Wednesday 9:30 a. m.
Choir Practice Wed. 7:00 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rotan
201 N. McKinley - 735-3471
Rev. Billy Hudnall - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship - 10:55 a. m.
Training Union - 6:00 p. m.
Sunday Night Service 7:00 p. m.
Wed. Prayer Service - 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF NAZARENE
Rotan
H. D. Williams - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a. m.
Worship - 10:40 a. m.
N. Y. P. S. - 6:15 p. m.
Evening Service - 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday - 7:00 p. m.

HIGHLAND HOME BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Leonard Payne - Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Training Union - 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship - 7:30 p. m.
Wed. Prayer Service - 7:30 p. m.

SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Church Service - 11:00 a. m.
Training Union - 6:00 p. m.
Church Service - 7:00 p. m.
WEDNESDAY
Prayer Service - 8:00 p. m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Sylvester
Rev. R. H. Meixner - Pastor
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
9:45 a. m. - Morning Worship
10:30 a. m. - Sunday School
Monthly Prayer Meeting

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Evening Worship - 7:45 p. m.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday - 7:30 p. m.

LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Rotan
Rev. L. E. Pope - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a. m.
Morning Service - 11:00 a. m.
Mission Monday - 4:00 p. m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting - 7:30 p. m.
No. Side Circle Thurs - 8:00 p. m.

ROTAN FORESQUARE CHURCH
Eighth and Genevieve
John Waldren - Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Wed. Night Service - 7:30 p. m.

EL PASO BAPTIST CHURCH
F. E. Healer - Pastor
10:00 a. m. - Sunday School
11:00 a. m. - Morning Worship

HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH
J. H. Skiles - Pastor
Sunday School - 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Evening Worship - 6:00 p. m.
Wed. Prayer Service - 7:00 p. m.

LONGWORTH METHODIST CHURCH
Newton Daniel - Pastor
Schedule of Services
SUNDAY
10:00 a. m. - Sunday School
11:00 a. m. - Morning Worship

ROTAN LATIN AMERICAN CHURCH OF CHRIST
Lincoln and Sherman Ave.
Jesse Salazar - Minister
Sunday Bible Classes - 10:00 a. m.
Worship - 11:00 a. m.
Evening Service - 5:00 p. m.
Wednesday Service - 5:00 p. m.



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Accent On Health

More than 500,000 children will swallow poison this year in the United States and 90 percent of all cases reported will involve children under the age of five.

The tragedy of the situation, says the Texas State Department of Health, is that most all accidental poisonings are preventable.

Why are young children the greatest victims of accidental poisoning? The pre-school child has an inquisitive nature. Closets and cupboards are great places to hide and investigate. A child will taste, bite and swallow anything he can reach and teething time calls for chewing on furniture, toys and window sills.

At about the age of two, a child takes to "mountain climbing", using chairs, tables or stools to open medicine cabinets and any other reachable places.

Accidental poisonings don't just happen. They take a special mixture of factors which normally have a formula which reads: A contributing thing, plus a contributing surrounding, plus a contributing individual. The result of this formula is poisoning.

Many of us are unaware of the potential dangers of medicines and other household substances. Even salt and pepper may produce an injurious or deadly effect when used in large amounts. A five-year old youngster in Rhode Island died after swallowing about two tablespoons of ordinary pepper. In another tragedy, a 22-month old child died after inhaling a large amount of talcum powder.

How do you determine if your child may have been poisoned? Suspect it when you observe:

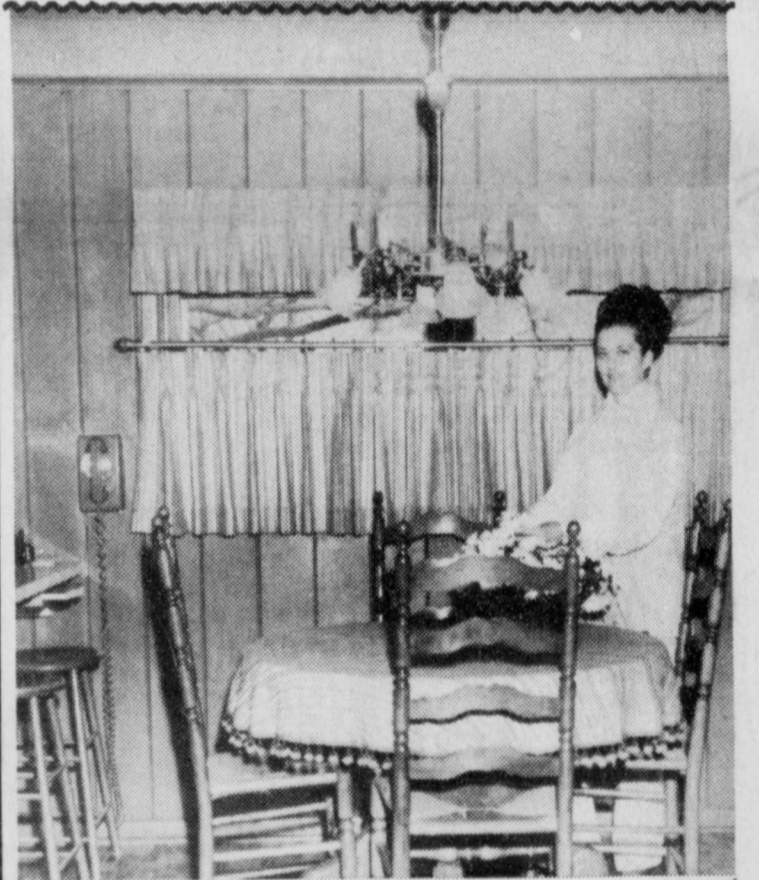
1. Bottles or packages of medicines, household cleaning agents or poisonous substances open near children; 2. Unconsciousness, confusion or sudden illness which is unexplained. 3. Pain or burning sensation in mouth or throat. 4. Discoloration of lips and mouth and strange odors on the breath.

If you suspect an accidental poisoning, take the following steps: 1. Call your doctor at once. 2. If you cannot reach the doctor, take your child to the nearest hospital and be sure to take the container of the suspected poison with you. A sample of the chemical can be most useful also. 3. One important point: A person who has swallowed poison should not be made to vomit since this could aggravate the situation.

The phrase, "Poison Proof Your Home", may seem trite due to over-usage. But it is even more meaningful today than in the past with the advent of more and more home chemicals. In 1968 in Texas a total of 73 fatal home poisonings were recorded. Some 4,000 fatal poisonings occur in the United States each year.

To help poison proof your home, you can: 1. Store all medicines and household products in locked cabinets. 2. Clean out medicine cabinets regularly. 3. Don't put hazardous objects in soft drink bottles but keep them in their containers. 4. Don't leave any medicines, insecticides or fuel oils where children can get to them. Don't use lead-based paints on toys or furniture.

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