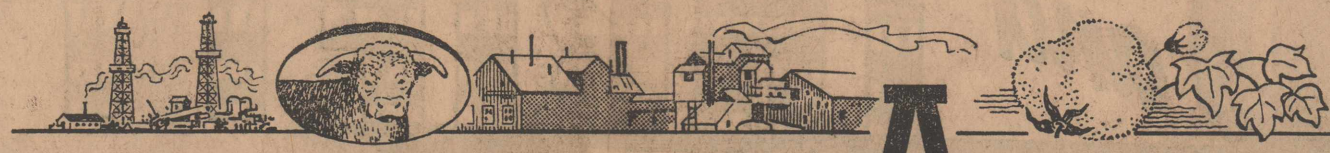


The Weather

From records of Fred Byerly, Weather Observer.

Wed. 4th	59 22
Thurs. 5th	67 27
Fri. 6th	67 40
Sat. 7th	40 16
Sun. 8th	43 10
Mon. 9th	49 14
Tues. 10th	56 21

Total precipitation to date 1966 45
Total precipitation to date 1967 00



THE ROTAN ADVANCE

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Ginning Season Nearing End

The ginning season is drawing to a close for the present crop with local gins having a total of 15,239 Wednesday afternoon. Some of the cotton men think our estimate of 16M bales is to high but we still estimate this total to be reached.

Hobbs gin had a total of 8,860 at the same time with considerable more cotton to come in.

Service Held For Mrs. W. A. Shope

Mrs. W. A. Shope, 79, resident of Rotan since 1938, died at 5:30 p.m. Friday in Callan Hospital. She had been ill for several weeks.

Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the First Methodist Church with the pastor Rev. Marvin Fisher, officiating. A second service was held at 3 p.m. Sunday in Bixby, Okla. Burial was at Bixby with Weathersbee Funeral Home in charge of all arrangements.

The former Nettie Pickett, she was born Sept. 18, 1887 in Fredericksburg, Tex, and married Mr. Shope in Oklahoma in 1921. They moved to the Rotan area from Sand Springs, Okla., in 1938. He died here Jan. 2, 1954.

She was a member of the Methodist Church and of the Rebekah Lodge.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Inez Stevens, of Rotan; four grandsons, Loie and Harvey, both of Rotan, Phillip of Abilene and Roy of Vega, Tex.; five great-grandchildren; one sister, Laurie Dudgeon of Sand Springs, Okla.; and one brother, Walter Pickett of Modesto, Calif.; and several nieces and nephews, including a nephew, Walter Paul Starnes of Farmington, N.M., who was reared in Mrs. Shop's home.

JOE BURK BUYS REG. ANGUS CATTLE

According to American Angus Association of St. Joseph Mo., Joe Burk of Rotan recently purchased three registered Angus cows and an Aberdeen-Angus bull from Bobby Tankersley, Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs. George Darden of Girard and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Eivens of Ft. Worth visited with Mrs. Sue Miers and the N. D. Miers last week.

Hospital News

Local patients admitted to Callan Hospital from January 14 through January 10 were: Mrs. Robert Eaton, Mrs. G. N. Hinson, Willie Mae Pinkard, Mike Rodriguez, Rickey Starnes, Mrs. Virgil Weems, Keith Allen, A. A. McBeth, Clint Overby, Mrs. W. D. Rushing, J. P. Sexton, Morris Womach, Mrs. Bill Chapman, Luther Donham, Mattie Key, Mrs. Lee Williams, Mrs. R. T. Williams, Mrs. C. J. Thornton, Stephen Baker, Mrs. Glenn Strickland, Mrs. Miller Coppedge, Jim Kelley, Enrique Limon, Mrs. Opal Burch, Roxie Cleveland, Bud Puryear, Al D. Summerlin, Opal Burch.

Out of town patients were: Mrs. E. D. Daniels, Theo. Johnson, Mrs. Jessie Price, W. L. Burk, Fred Gentry, Mrs. J. R. Henry, Mrs. B. D. Hicks, Mrs. A. E. Rollans

Births:
A 6 lb. 12 oz. boy, Johnny Lynn, born to Mr. and Mrs. George David Clements on Jan. 6, at 5:06 a.m.

Registration Necessary To Vote This Year - Several Elections On

Brother of Mrs. Jenkins Dies

Dr. C. E. Kitchens, prominent Texarkana physician died Saturday afternoon, Dec. 31 in a Texarkana hospital. He had been well and death was a shock to the entire city, where he had practiced medicine as a pediatrician for 45 years. He attended patients in his office Saturday morning and was at home watching the SMU-Georgia game on TV when stricken. He lived only a short time.

He was brother of Mrs. Ewell Jenkins, and he and Mrs. Jenkins had visited the Dr. Jenkins' in Rotan a number of times in past years.

Dr. Kitchens was born and attended schools in Magnolia Arkansas and later attended the University of Arkansas. He received his medical degree from the University of Tennessee Medical Department. Dr. Kitchens served in the U. S. Navy during World War I, aboard the hospital ship USS Comfort.

A charter member of the American Academy of Pediatrics and the Texas State Pediatric Society, he served two terms as president of the Bowie County Medical Society. Dr. Kitchens was a charter member of the American Legion and served as medical officer for the Texarkana Boy Scouts for more than 10 years.

Dr. Kitchens was widely known throughout the Southwest for his medical services and he was also known throughout the nation for his hobby, the growing of beautiful Camellias, working in his greenhouse creating new strains of this flower. His home near the city is a showplace with thousands of Camellias surrounding the area. He was the first president of the Texarkana Men's Camellia Club, he was organizing president of the Texas Camellia Society, which he served three years. He was then elected vice president of the American Camellia Society. He was a nationally known judge of the Camellia flower.

Dr. Kitchens served on the official board of the First Methodist Church, and was a member of the Fuller Bible class.

He is survived by his wife, Edith; two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Gordon of Westport, Conn., and Mrs. Julia Wilke of Salina, Kansas; two brothers, Clyde of Homer, Louisiana, Dr. Bert Kitchens of LaFayette, Georgia; three sisters, Mrs. Donnie Smith of Memphis, Tenn., Mrs. Lula Babb of Dallas and Mrs. Myrtle Jenkins of Austin; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church, Jayton, Sunday afternoon for Mrs. L. E. Goolsby, aunt of Odell McQueen. Those attending the funeral from here were: Mr. and Mrs. Odell McQueen, Donald and Curtis; Miss Connie White and Miss Geneva Gabel; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carter; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carter; Mrs. Carl Singleton and Mr. and Mrs. Geo M. Dorman.

Don Cave has returned to Tripoli, Libya after spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cave and other relatives.

Noles Captures Bank Robber

Jerry Noles a native of Rotan was hero of a bank robbery at Waco last Friday. He is son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Noles and a game warden stationed at Waco.

He was off duty but in uniform and wearing his gun when he entered Citizens Motor Bank in Waco to open a checking account when he heard bank employees shout they had been robbed. He ran out of the bank and caught the suspect in less than a block, holding him until officers arrived. The robber offered little resistance and was unarmed.

\$3720 was recovered in a bag the man was carrying. Noles was later advised he would receive a \$500 reward for the capture.

Noles who graduated from Rotan High School has been with the Parks and Wildlife Commission for several years.

Book Review Club Invites Guests For Tues.

The regular meeting of Rotan Book Review Club will be in the sanctuary of First Baptist Church, Tuesday evening, Jan. 17, at 7:00 o'clock, at which time all members and others interested are requested to be present.

Dr. Rupert Richardson, president emeritus of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, will be guest speaker. Dr. Richardson, educator, author, noted historian of the Southwest, is a charming speaker and an authentic chronicler of the history of the romantic Plains country; his writings are used as text books in many schools of higher education. This is a rare opportunity for the citizens of this area to hear an authoritative historian speak.

Plan to be present at 7:00 p. m. Tuesday evening.

Pfc. Nowlin In Special Training

Camp Pendleton, Calif. (FHTNC) Dec. 30 — Marien Private First Class James D. Nowlin, son of Mrs. Wayne Nowlin of Route 2, Rotan, has completed four weeks of individual combat training at this Marine Corps Base.

During his more than 200 hours of training, he learned about weapons and combat techniques from combat veteran instructors. They taught him how to conduct combat patrols, detect and remove mines and booby traps and use the standard Marine Corps infantry weapons.

He will now receive at least four weeks of specialist training before being assigned to his first permanent unit. Marines going to combat units will get detailed training in the particular combat skill they are designated for. Those who are going into technical fields will receive their advanced training at one of a variety of technical schools throughout the country.

Marines with the battalion specialize in the handling and laying of land mines. In addition to this, they also disarm and destroy enemy land mines and booby traps with infantry units are constantly confronted.

J. C. Odom has moved back to Rotan after spending several months in Odessa.

Art Exhibit At Bank

West Texas Art Association Art Exhibit currently hanging in Community Room of First National Bank is proving very interesting to local visitors.

"A tree looks like a tree" quotes James Springer, and local artists agree with him that most of the paintings do tend strongly to representational art. The lovers of abstract art will be pleased with the Show because it has more variety than the previous shows.

These are winning paintings of local shows from Abilene, Sweetwater, Roscoe, Colorado City, Snyder, San Angelo, Brownwood, Cisco, Gail, and others.

The display will remain on display through January 21. Visitors are welcome.

Fair-Rodeo Meeting Tuesday

The Fisher County Fair and Rodeo Association will hold an open meeting closing out the association's 1966 year, Tuesday night January 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the Agriculture Building on the Fair grounds in Roby, according to Carl Murff, Association president.

Business will include the election of two new directors. The two directors whose terms are expiring are: Glenn Upshaw and Glenn Copeland. Other business will be the election of a president, secretary and treasurer. The end of the year financial report will be given by Glenn Upshaw, Association treasurer.

This is an open meeting to the public and anyone interested in the Fair and Rodeo are urged to attend, said Murff.

Debby Day Is Honored by DAR

At a recent meeting of Nancy Harper Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution Misses Debby Day of Rotan and Judy Dunn of Sweetwater were honored guests. Both are recipients of the DAR Good Citizen Award.

The young ladies were introduced by Mrs. Kirby Kinney, Chapter Awards Chairman, who gave an explanation of the method of selection and the qualifications. Awards are made on the basis of Dependability, Loyalty, Patriotism, and Leadership. High scholastic rating is not a requirement, but girls who have acquired the named qualities invariably rank high scholastically also.

Mrs. Kinsey presented the girls and gave each a pin from the Chapter. Miss Dunn was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Raymond D. Dunn; Miss Day was accompanied by her grandmother, Mrs. James B. Day.

DAR is a patriotic organization dedicated to the preservation of our Constitutional form of government. Promotion of education has been a prime objective of the National Society since its inception in 1890.

Mrs. H. C. Shelton returned home Saturday after spending Christmas in Miami with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Locke and family. She also visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Signor in Lubbock.

Arline Coppedge of Guthrie visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Coppedge and relatives in Sylvester.

Local 4-H & FFA Members Do Well County Livestock Show Saturday

A 10-year old girl from Sylvester showed the "old pros" how to win a grand championship at the Fisher County 4-H and FFA Livestock Show Saturday at Roby.

Jana Jeffery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jeffery, and her heavy weight Angus steer Buck, bred by James Cave of Roby walked away with the championship competing against such formidable local showmen as Karla Kredel and Jant and Mark Guelker, all Fisher County 4-H'ers.

Reserve champion steer was exhibited by Janet Juelker of Busby, who also served as show secretary. The Hereford steer won his heavy weight class contest.

Top Heifer
The grand champion heifer of the show was shown by Jerry Mash of Roby, FFA entry. The Angus heifer won first in the class for heifers calved Sept. 1 through Dec. 31, 1965.

Reserve champion heifer was shown by Mike Herron of Rotan 4-H.

Judging the day's events was Bill Scott, VA teacher from Abilene. First event to be judged was the dairy cattle division. Named grand champion was a young heifer in the under 12 months class, shown by Don Kelly of the Rotan FFA. Reserve went to Mickv County also from Rotan FFA. All Jersey entries were bred by N. D. Miers of the Hobbs Community.

Superintendent of the dairy division was Tommy Jack Stuart, with Olin Dennis assisting.

In the sheep show, young Jill Laurie, daughter of VA teacher and Mrs. Jimmie Laurie of Roby, won the grand championship with her lightweight Crossbred lamb, Jill and her sister, Jimmie Lee, made quite a name for themselves at the show as they racked up five first places in the six classes of the show.

Jimmy Lee's light weight finewool entry won the championship in its class and her other entry was champion Crossbred. Still another entry won the championship in the Southdown classes. Jill's entry in that division was named reserve champion.

The grand champion barrow of the show was a combined entry of Randy and Doug Upshaw of the Roby FFA. The barrow had won the championship in the class for other breeds and classes. Superintendent of the swine show was Glenn Upshaw, assisted by Richard Posey, Mike Terry, Dub Rushing and Ed Perkins.

Sheep show superintendent was Mike Galloway. Assistants were Bunny and Gene Terry.

James Cave headed the beef calf show, with assistants Karla Kreidel, Jerry Jeffrey and Wendell Kent.

General superintendent was Foy Mitchell, with Freddie Stuart and Jerry Hoodenpyle serving as assistants. Jeffrey is president of the sponsoring livestock association.

Show officials, guests and directors were guests of the Citizens State Bank of Roby at a luncheon at the Silver Spur Cafe.

Complete results of the show follows:
DAIRY CATTLE—

Yearling heifers — 1. Mickey Counts, Rotan FFA. 2. Sam McClure, Rotan FFA. Heifers under 12 months — 1. Don Kelly, Rotan FFA. 2. David Hammit, Rotan FFA.

SHEEP—
Light weight finewool — 1. Jimmie Lee Laurie, Roby 4-H. 2. Gary Upshaw, Roby FFA. 3. Buddy Waldon, Roby FFA. 4. Marshall Harriman, Rotan FFA. 5. Waldon.

Heavy weight finewool — 1. James Park, Roby FFA. 2. Gary Park, Roby 4-H. 3. Jana McClure, Roby 4-H. 4. Jimmie Lee Laurie. 5. Waldon.

Champion finewool — Jimmie Lee Laurie.

Light weight crossbred — 1. Jill Laurie, Roby 4-H. 2. Terry Floyd, Rotan FFA. 3. Upshaw. 4. Larry Carver, Rotan FFA. 5. Floyd.

Heavy weight Crossbred — 1. Jimmie Lee Laurie. 2. Eugene Terry, Roby 4-H. 3. and 4. Terry.

Champion Crossbred — Jimmie Lee Laurie.

Southdown — 1. Jimmie Lee Laurie. 2. and 3. Jill Laurie.

Champion Southdown — Jimmie Lee Laurie.

Other medium wool breeds — 1. Jill Laurie. 2 and 3. Jimmie Lee Laurie.

Champion medium wool — Jill Laurie.

Grand champion lamb — Jill Laurie.

SWINE—
Feeder pigs — 1. Randy and Upshaw. 2. Bob Moore, Roby FFA. 3. Upshaw Brothers. 4. Bob Moore. 5. Connie Moore, Roby 4-H.

Light weight Durocs — 1. and 2. Upshaw Brothers. 3 and 4. Bob Moore. 5. Tubby Moore, Roby 4-H.

Heavy weight Durocs — 1. James Soliz, Rotan FFA. 2. Larry Daniel, Roby FFA. 3. Mike Terry, Roby FFA. 4. Gary Stuart, Roby FFA. 5. Daniel.

Other breeds and cross light weights — 1. Upshaw Brothers. 2. Charlie Hill, Roby FFA. 3. and 4. S. Brent Palmer. 5. Upshaw Brothers.

Medium weight — 1. Hill 2. and 3. Upshaw Brothers. 4. Calvin Jones, Roby FFA. 5. Jones.

Heavy weight — 1. Upshaw Brothers. 2. Randall Jones, Roby FFA. 3. Terry. 4. Ken Wilburn, Roby FFA.

Grand Champion barrow won by Randy and Doug Upshaw.

Reserve champion barrow — Charlie Hill.

ANGUS SHOW —
Heifers calved May 1 - Aug. 31, 1965 — 1. Kenneth Gruben, Rotan FFA.

Heifers calved Sept. 1 - Dec. 31, 1965 — 1. Jerry Mash, Roby FFA.

Heifers calved after Jan. 1, 1966 — 1. Mike Merron, Roby 4-H. 2. Gruben. 3. Eddie Gibson, McCaulley 4-H.

Light weight steers — 1. Karla Kreidel. 2. Mike Herron. 3. and 4. Jana Jeffrey.

Heavy weight steers — 1. and 2. Jana Jeffrey. 3. Herron.

Hereford Show
Light weight steers — 1. Mark Guelker. 2. Jimmy Markham, Rotan FFA. 3. Rndy Rogers, Rotan FFA.

Heavy weight steers — 1. Janet Guelker. 2. Karla Kreidel. (this steer placed 18th in a class of 57 at Sand Hills Show in Odessa). 3. Jerry Mash.

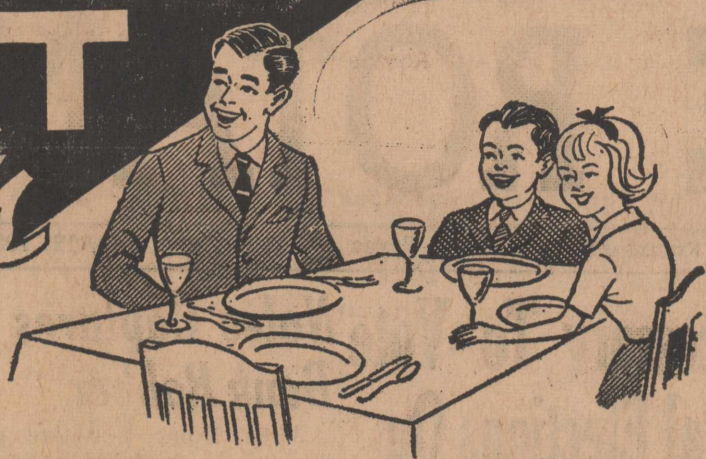
Grand Champion steer — Jana Jeffery.

Reserve champion steer —

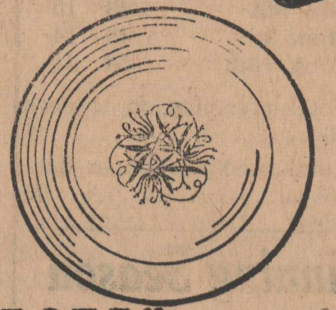
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Henry Medina, Pastor
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union .. 7:00 p.m.
Evening Worship . 7:45 p.m.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday .. 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday School 10: a.m.
Morning Worship .. 11 a.m.
Training Union .. 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship . 7:30 p.m.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH

LeRay Best, Pastor
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
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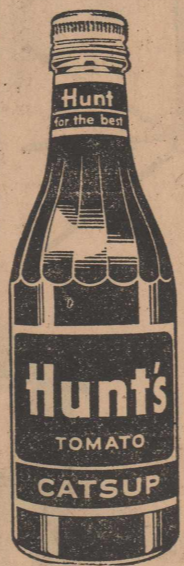
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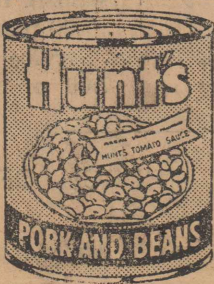
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his staff for their considera-
tion and thoughtfulness, the
friends who visited and all
who sent floral offerings and
food during our sorrow in the
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Phillip and Delores Stevens
and Roy Stevens

Fisher County Young
Farmers met Monday night
Jan. 2. The meeting was the
kick-off for the building of a
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the boys and girls showing
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The Glicker

Home Game Opens Santa Claus Leaves District Basketball Unusual Presents

Rotan's 1967 district basketball season opened last Tuesday with Wylie at Rotan. We are predicted to finish 5th in district play according to the Abilene sports writers.

January 13 - Roscoe, here
January 17 - Merkel, there
January 20 - Aspermont, there
January 24 - Jim Ned, here
January 27 - Wylie, there
January 31 - Roscoe, there
February 3 - Merkel, here
February 6 - Aspermont, here
February 10 - Jim Ned, there

Stephen Baugh

Many unusual gifts were received by students of R. H. S. Chris McCasland received a mushroom greenhouse. Mary Elizabeth McDonald got a piccolo; Archie Overby, a piggy bank; and Arln Collins, a mini-shirt. Hank Day gave Bobby Edwards a baby doll.

Santa Claus goofed on Mike Allen's gifts. He found under the Christmas tree a warped pool table, a record that skips, and boots that were too small. He was to get a shotgun and a vest that did not arrive on time.

Susan Weatherman.

Here Is Where The Action Is

The schedule starts this month with January 13 with the Roscoe basketball game here.

January 17 - Merkel, there
January 20 - Aspermont, there, and end of first semester
January 24 - Jim Ned, here
January 31 - Roscoe, there
February 2 - P.T.A. meeting, 7:30 p.m.
February 3 - Merkel, here
February 7 - Aspermont, here
February 10 - Jim Ned, there
February 24 - T. W. U. Festival
March 3 - End of 4th six weeks
March 4 - U. I. L. Solo
March 6 - Public Schools Week
March 10 - T.S.T.A. Dis-

Archie Overby Has Knee Operation

Archie Overby, senior, had a cartilage removed from his knee Tuesday, December 20th at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene.

Archie's knee was injured in the football game with Jim Ned.

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Know Your Senior--

Date of Birth - June 25, 1949
Place of Birth - Lubbock, Texas
Color of Eyes - Blue
Color of Hair - Dark Brown
Height - 5 ft. 8 in.
Weight - 130
No. of Years in Rotan School - 10
Religious Pref. - Baptist
Favorite Food - Country Fried Chicken
Favorite Color - Blue
Favorite Pastime - Playing guitar
Favorite Artist (Music) - The Happenings
Favorite Actor - Actress - George Hamilton - Sandra Dee
Favorite T. V. Program - "Get Smart"
Favorite Sport - Track
Favorite Car - Cadillac
Choice of Occupation - Airline Pilot
Choice of College - East Texas State University
Choice of Pol. Party - Democratic
Name - Kenneth SoRelle.

Overhead Projector New Teaching Devise

A new teaching aid is now being used in high school. It is an overhead-projector that work upon a screen to replace the use of the chalkboard. It operates on the same principal as the overhead scoring system found in bowling alleys. The teacher can keep facing the class while operating the machine, instead of turning his back to them as he would do when using the chalkboard. Some of the advantages of this machine are that the work is much more compact and neater, is easier to watch, and is of much more interest to students.

The projector is being used primarily by the math teachers, Mrs. Strayhorn and Coach Monzingo, although it is available to any teacher who wishes to use it. Coach Monzingo, who has had previous experience in using this type of machine, said that he prefers teaching with one.

Mary McDonold

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Coach Shipp Has Winning Season

Winfred Shipp, 1958 graduate of Rotan High School, is the high school assistant coach at Hawkins, Texas. Coach Shipp graduated from McMurry in 1964. For two years straight Hawkins has won regional. With a three year record of 24 games won, 8 games were lost and 1 tied. Coach Shipp also coaches the freshman basketball team and teaches history.

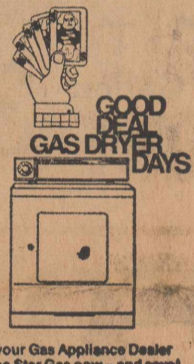
Winfred excelled in sports during his high school years. He played football through high school, was an all-district guard his junior year, and made all-state his senior year. He was also football captain and football hero. Winfred played basketball and ran track all through high school and played baseball his sophomore, junior and senior years.

This year coach Shipp lost only one game.

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County Stock Show Held Last Saturday

The County Stock Show was held last Saturday, January 7, at Roby. The judging started at 9:30 a. m.

Rotan was represented with fifteen F.F.A. members and 4-H members. The F.F.A. members that showed their hogs, John Wylie, Ronnie Kincaid, Mickey Counts, James Soliz, and Wayne Gruben, Larry Carver, Terry Floyd, and Marshall Harriman competed against each other in the sheep division. Dairy Heifers from Rotan were owned by Don Kelly, Mickey Counts, David Hammit, and Sam McClure. Randy Rodgers and Jimmy Marckham showed their beef steers, and Kenneth Gruben showed his beef heifers.

Glen Murphree

Christmas Trips Of Primary Teachers

The Christmas holidays found Mrs. Weldon K. Callan in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. The Doug Monzingos went to Pampa, Stamford, Dallas over the holidays. They also spent part of their time moving to another house on East McArthur. The Joe Ressler's spent the holidays in Crosby, and Miss Vera May Pittman spent Christmas at May.

Iris McDonold.

Poll Shows The Girl's Perfect Boy

Fifty girls of R. H. S. filled out a poll telling their idea of the perfect boy.

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Annual Show-and-Tell in Primary

Tuesday, January 3rd, primary had their annual show-and-tell session. Each student brought from home, his favorite Christmas toy. First, each section went around to the other sections in his

grade to see and listen of the students tell about their toy. After each grade had exchanged within itself, all students went to each room in the building to look at the other toys. This was used as a language lesson.

Sherre Edwards.

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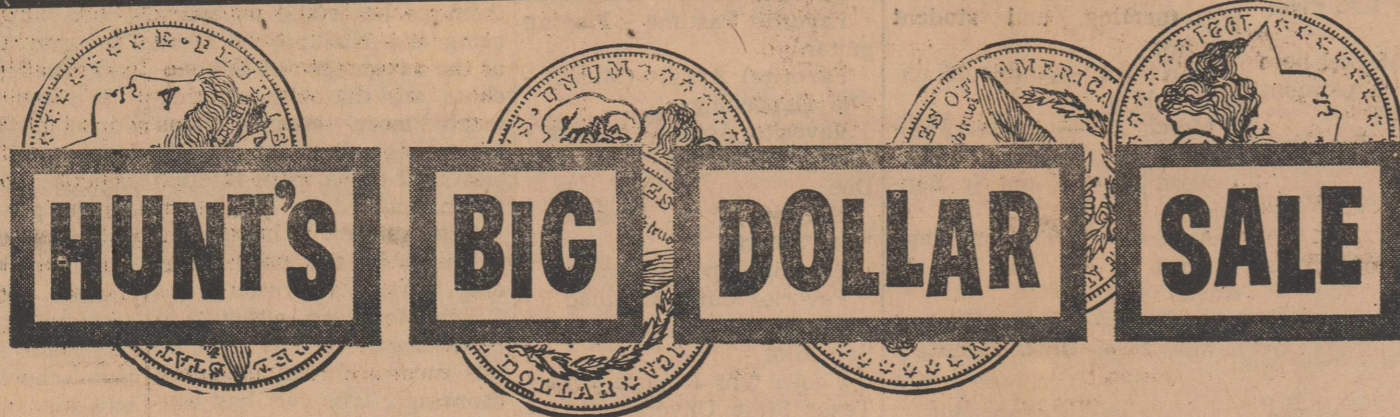
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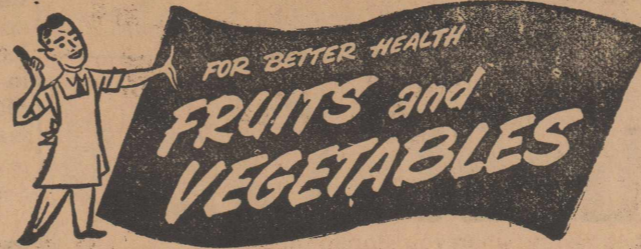
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M-Sgt. Gregory Receives AF Medal



Major General Joseph A. Cunningham presenting medal to Chief Master Sergeant Delmer R. Gregory.

Bennetts Living In Sweetwater

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Jay Bennett are living in Sweetwater following their marriage Dec. 10 in First Baptist Church.

The bride is the former Chrys Coese Rector, daughter of former Rotan residents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Rector of Midland. Bennett's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Dono Darden.

Ushers were Sonny Rector and David Weeks of Midland. Roger Rector and Reggie Weeks, also of Midland, lighted candles.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown with train of Spanish lace over satin. A cluster of lace petals held her veil. She carried carnations and lilies of the valley.

Her attendants were Rhonda Ray, Shirley Hale and Owen Morrow, all of Midland. Jeff Cook of Midland, and Lori Loving were train-bearers. Robin Diane Rector sister of the bride was flower girl.

The bridegroom's brother, Clois Bennett of Austin, was best man. Tommy Paske and Chris Atkins of Abilene were groomsmen.

The bride is a Midland High School graduate. Bennett is a graduate of Rotan schools and of a mortuary school in Dallas. He is employed with Cate-Spencer funeral Home at Sweetwater.

Fairfield, Calif. — Chief Master Sergeant Delmer R. Gregory, whose mother, Minne B. McKinney, resides in Rotan, Texas, has been decorated with the U. S. Air Force Commendation Medal for meritorious service.

Sergeant Gregory received the medal for his part in a follow-on study of C-141 Starlifter performance after the giant jet transport became operational at Travis AFB, Calif., in April 1965.

The aircraft maintenance superintendent was a member of the special task force that evaluated Starlifter operation in supporting the Military Airlift Command (MAC) commitment to provide air transport for the deployment of U. S. forces worldwide.

He was especially cited for his outstanding technical skill, knowledge and leadership in identifying problem areas in the fields of maintenance, engineering and aircraft systems operation.

The Lockheed built C-141 is the first jet specifically designed for military airlift. Capable of transporting 80 litter patients, the versatile Starlifter is used by MAC in the overseas evacuation of wounded or ill from Vietnam.

It is the first jet capable of dropping paratroops or cargo and it can be unloaded and reloaded within 30 minutes.

Sergeant Gregory is now assigned to a detachment of MAC headquarters at Travis.

The sergeant, a participant in the C-141 test program since 1964, has worked in aircraft maintenance during most of his 26-year military career. He served in the European - African - Middle Eastern Theatre of Operations during World War II and later participated in the Berlin Airlift. He was stationed in Japan during the Korean War.

Sergeant Gregory is a graduate of Rotan High School.

His wife, Aleta, is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Fraierz of 905 W. 6th St. Sweetwater, Texas.

Lunchroom Menu For Week

Monday — Hamburger Steak, Gravy, Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrot Apple and Raisin Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Honey and Milk.

Tuesday — Barbecued Chicken, Buttered Squash, Macaroni and Cheese, Green Salad, Hot Rolls, Butter, Peach Slices, and Milk.

Wednesday — Beef Roast, Gravy, Candied Yams, Buttered Rice, Hot Rolls, Butter and Milk.

Thursday — Hot Dogs with Chili Sauce, Pork & Beans, Carrot Sticks, Apple Wedges, Chocolate Chip Cookies, and Milk.

Friday — Pinto Beans, French Fried Potatoes, Catsup, Vegetable Salad, Cornbread, Butter, and Apricot Cobbler.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Rodgers and Joyce visited her sister, Mrs. D. H. Hornburger and Mr. Hornburger in Sweetwater Sunday. Mr. Hornburger is in Simmons Memorial hospital for treatment.

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Inspection of Vehicles Due

Austin — Col. Himer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, reminded Texas motorists today that most vehicles have not yet been inspected for their 1967 vehicle inspection sticker.

"The inspection period is two-thirds over and only about one-third of the vehicles have been inspected," said Garrison. "This means that during the 14 weeks remaining before the April 15 deadline for inspections, more than twice as many persons each week must have their car inspected to avoid long lines forming at the end of the period."

In urging motorists to have their vehicle inspected at an early date, Garrison pointed out that official inspection stations are easily identified by the standard sign displayed at or near the service entrance of the garage.

He advised that inspection stations are being urged to request permission to inspect any vehicle brought into the garage for repairs or regular service.

"In this way," Garrison pointed out, "time will be saved for the motorist as well as for the inspection station."

"And if you have not had your vehicle inspected, take it to one of the 5,500 authorized inspection stations for a 'check-up' and start the new year off right with a safe vehicle."

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Owens Receives Combat Award

CuChi, Vietnam (AHTNC) — The coveted and respected Combat Infantryman's Badge was awarded in Cu Chi, Vietnam, Dec. 13 to Army Private First Class James W. Owens, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Owens Jr., Rotan.

Owens is assigned as a mortarman in 2nd Battalion of the 25th Infantry Division's 27th Infantry.

Combat Infantryman's Badges were first awarded during World War II. A star was added for those who served in front line combat in Korea too. Should a veteran of both World War II and Korea again be awarded the badge, it would be topped by two stars.

In Vietnam, at least 30 days of contact with hostile forces is required in order to be eligible for the award. Pvt. Owens entered on active duty in March 1966, was last stationed at Ft. Polk, La., and arrived in Vietnam last September.

He is a 1963 graduate of Oscar Depriest High School in Hamlin, Tex., and attended Bishop College in Dallas.

His wife, Alice, lives at 12023 Schroeder Road, Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cooper spent several days visiting their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Sawyer and children in Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. George Noles and children, Monument, N. M.; and Mrs. Ruby Carpenter at Concho, Arizona joined them there.

Income Tax Estimates

Dallas — Farmers who earned at least two-thirds of their 1966 gross income from farming should file their declaration of estimated Federal Income tax for 1966 on or before Monday, January 16, 1967. Form 1040ES should be used for this purpose.

However, Ellis Campbell, Jr., District Director of Internal Revenue in northern Texas, said that farmers need not file an estimate of they file their 1966 Federal income tax return, Form 1040, and pay in full any tax due by February 15, 1967.

"Farmer's Tax Guide," (Publication No. 225), which furnishes information on this subject may be obtained by dropping a post card to your District Director, Internal Revenue Service, 1600 Patterson Street, Dallas, Texas 75201 or from your county farm agent.

Fishermen who expect to receive at least two-thirds of their gross income from fishing may file declarations of estimated tax, or Form 1040 in lieu of declarations of estimated tax, on the same prescribed for farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Clark of Eldorado spent Christmas here with his mother, Mrs. J. N. Clark. Frankie SoRelle III spent Christmas afternoon with them and earlier they had telephone calls from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haynes at Silver City, N. M.; Kenneth Clark of Odessa and Mrs. Clark's sister-in-law, Mrs. C. H. Clark at Hamlin.

Merrilee Club Elects Officers

Merrilee Club met January 10 in the home of Mrs. Carl Horton for an all-day session and covered dish luncheon.

Officers were elected for the coming year. Mrs. Tommy Helm was named president; Mrs. Pearl Cooper, vice president, Mrs. M. P. McGrew was elected secretary. Mrs. R. D. Shows was elected reporter. Gift committee is Mmes. Dick Clements, Coulter Senn and Eunice Hodo.

Members present were: Mmes. Annie McGrew, Fannie Mae Nowlin, Lois Cauble, Inez Ray, Tommy Helm, John McCombs, Stella Senn, Homer Aaron, Eunice Hodo, R. D. Shows, Bertie Burrow, Pearl Cooper, Thelma Baker, Essie Eaton, Dick Clements, Carl Horton.

Visitors present, Mmes. Jessie Moore, Willia Dean Reaves, Emma Moore, Oscar Hodo, N. L. Clowley, R. G. Thomson.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Tommy Helm.

Mr. and Mrs. Rich Clayton and daughter, Denise were visitors in the home of Mrs. Sue Miers this week.

Mrs. Sam Stephens of Sylvestor, mother of Mrs. Earl Holcomb is in Golden Haven Home in Roby after being dismissed from Wilkenson Clinic Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ashton visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ashton in Abilene Saturday night and Sunday.

Heart Program For HD Ladies

Rotan H. D. Club will meet January 19 in the home of Mrs. Alyne Shell at 2:30 p. m. The program will be on "Heart Diseases". Program will be brought by Mr. Wayne Kiser of San Angelo. He is regional director for Texas Heart Association of Texas. He will show a film on Heart Diseases, and will tell many interesting things about the heart; how these can be prevented; how we can detect these.

Mr. Kiser has a very interesting program and everyone interested is invited to visit the Club and attend this meeting. Mr. Kiser is doing a wonderful work in this field informing the people as much as possible on "Heart Diseases."

Mrs. Morton On Welfare Board

Recently appointed to the Fisher County Welfare Board was Mrs. Jack Morton of Roby.

This Board consists of Six Members of Fisher County. Each School has a representative as well as each City Council.

Mrs. Morton is an active member of the Fisher County Young Homemakers, where she serves on various committees.

Mrs. W. F. Edwards had in her home for Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Hill, Tommy and Jana of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Edwards and children, Eddie, Sherry, Bobby and Peggie, Rotan; Mrs. Halle Kolb, Aspermont; Lee Raspberry, Roby and a nephew, Bill Singleton, a granddaughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young. Mrs. Annett Rodes, Lewis, Don, Kim and Shane of Wichita Falls; a sister, Mrs. Grace Evans and her son Harold of Houston.

Meat Use Survey To Be Made

A cross section of residents of Fisher Co. will be interviewed for a nationwide consumer survey on meat beginning in January for the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The survey is designed to provide an appraisal of meat preferences, attitudes and use.

National Analysts, Inc., a Philadelphia research organization, will conduct the personal interviews for the USDA study, sampling some 3000 consumers here and across the Nation in a series of quarterly survey-interviews during 1967.

USDA officials said the survey results are expected to be of significant value to consumers nationally, as well as to public and private agencies related to the meat industry.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miers and Mrs. Mollie Hammit spent the holidays in Lamesa with Mr. and Mrs. John Barker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Miers spent a few days with their aunts Alice and Annie Yates in Dallas.

Classified Ads Get Results!

SS Business On Increase

Rotan area residents filed more social security claims, asked more questions about their rights and responsibilities, and in general had more business in 1966 with the visiting representative from the Abilene social security office than ever before, according to figures compiled by district manager R. R. (Bob) Tuley, Jr.

The free interview space provided by the Police Dept. as a service to Rotan residents was often rather crowded as these actions were taken during the 32 visits to Rotan in 1966:

121 retirement and survivor claims.

41 medicare enrollments only.

23 disability claims.

626 inquiries.

9 medicare reimbursement claims.

114 continuing benefit eligibility actions.

268 other interviews, not included above.

Tuley says that through these regular visits by representatives of the Abilene office local residents will receive the same informed and interested service here they would get by calling at the district office.

During the first three months of the year, however, it sometimes happens that so many callers show up that the one-man (or one-woman) operation here gets swamped, causing longer waiting times for interviews. With several skilled interviewers on duty at the Abilene office, any such waiting time would be greatly reduced if the local person had any other reason to be in Abilene. Also, the Abilene office is open until 8 P.M. on every Tuesday, he added, as an aid to persons unable to come in during usual 9-5 office hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cooper and grandbaby of Stamford visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cooper Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cox, Diane and Cherylyn visited during the past week with Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Miers.

Mrs. Miller Coppedge is in Callan Hospital for treatment.

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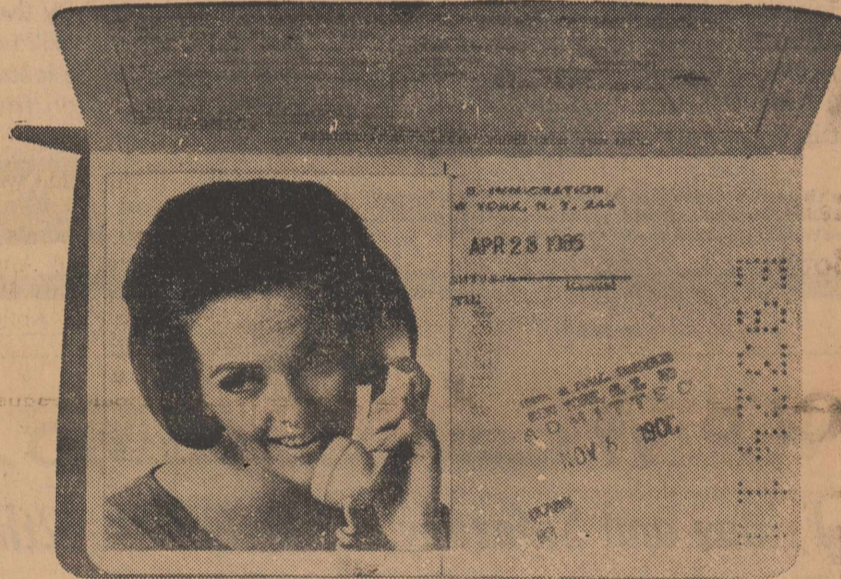
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ROTAN HOTEL

The Flicker--
(from page 3)

Know Your Senior--

- Date of Birth - December 3, 1948
- Place of Birth - Rotan, Texas
- Color of Eyes - Green
- Color of Hair - Blonde
- Height - 5 ft. 5 1-2 in
- Weight - 115
- No. of Years in Rotan School - 10
- Religious Pref. - Baptist
- Favorite Food - Chicken Fried Steak or Pizza
- Favorte Color - Blue and Maroon
- Favorite Pastime - Reading
- Favorite Artist (Music) - Herb Alpert & Tijuana Brass
- Favorite Actor - Actress - Charles Heston - Julie Andrews
- Favorite T. V. Program - 1 Spy
- Favorite Sport - Football
- Favorite Car - Pontiac
- Choice of Occupation - Medicine
- Choice of College - West Texas State University or Baylor
- Choice of Pol. Party - Democratic
- Name - Partin, Starmie

Larry Helms Makes All Tournney Team

Larry Helms, high school junior, made the all-tournament team at the Aspermont tournament. Rotan played three games at the tournament and Larry averaged 17 points per game with a grand total of fifty points for all three of the games. Larry received a trophy for his outstanding performance. Kenneth SoRelle

ACT & SAT Tests To Be Given

The American College Test will be given February 18. Registration opened December 12 and classes January 28. Next test period is May 3. SAT, achievement writing sample, will be given January 4. Penalty date for registration was December 10. Closing date was December 24. Next test period is March 4.

Chris McCasland
Jeanie Bollinger.

Test Schedule For The First Semester

Thursday afternoon, January 19, the tests for the first and second period will be given. On Friday, January 20, the third, fourth and fifth period tests are scheduled. Each test will be one hour and thirty minutes long. Students with a 90 or above average will be exempt from tests, but must be present. The second semester will start January 23, and end May 26. All English classes will change to literature for

Oil News--

Katz Oil Co. of Abilene completed a well three miles northeast of Rotan in the Rotan, East (Hope Lime) Field. It is No. 2 Billie L. Coffman, located 467 feet from the north and 1,980 feet from the west lines of Section 173, Block 2, H&TC survey. No. 2 Coffman had a daily potential of 127 barrels of 39.7 gravity oil. Flow was through a 15 - 64 - inch choke with 20 pounds casing and 75 pounds tubing pressures. It is producing from 20 perforations at 3,777 - 82 fee with the 4 1-2 inch casing set at 3,827 feet. The hole was drilled to 3,827 ft. and plugged back to 3,803 feet. Gas - oil ratio was 95-1.

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