



## Little League Managers Select All Star Players

The four Little League managers and their coaches gathered last Thursday night for their annual selection of All-Star members. The group named 14 players ranging between 11 and 12 years old to the All-Star team and designated 8 alternates in a meeting that lasted until approximately 1:00 a. m. Friday morning.

Named to the All-Star team were Byron Weathersbee, David Thornton, Greg, Hayes, Wes Counts, Ray Mendoza, Clarence Connor, Mike Morrow, Dale Cox, Stanley Hickman, Ruben Cabrera, Mark Cade, Willie Hayes, Kip Pease and Alva West.

The 8 alternates included: Terry Kidd, Mike Cadenhead, Tommy Wright, Joe Don Guelker, Albert Campos, David

Underhill, Tony Perales Jr. and James Streety.

The Rotan All-Stars will play their first game on July 14 against the Stonewall-Kent All Star team. The game will be in Rotan. On July 15, the All-Star teams from Hamlin and Merkel will play. The winners of the above games will play the Area Championship on July 18 at 7:30 and the consolation game will be held at 5:30 that same night.

Rotan will host another tournament on July 28 between the winners of the Abilene District and the Lubbock District.

The All-Star manager is Charles Thornton. He is assisted by coaches Doyle Hayes and Wilbur Gruben.

## Direct Deposit Program Available In County

Sweetwater Savings Association will have the necessary government forms in July to help Social Security recipients have their benefits deposited directly into any Sweetwater Savings office savings account, according to Ed Aiken, Jr., president of Sweetwater Savings.

Beginning in September Social Security recipients can have the government deposit their checks directly into any financial institution the recipient chooses. The direct deposit program, which has already been tried in Florida and Georgia, is entirely voluntary. After being notified by the government that the program is underway locally, the recipient may get the necessary form from a local savings association or bank.

We feel the direct deposit program offers many benefits for Social Security recipients,"

Aiken stated. "First, it is completely safe since the funds are mailed directly to the financial institution and deposited directly to the recipient's account. This is particularly helpful when the recipient is out of town. There is no risk of the funds being stolen from a mail box or home."

"Second, it is convenient since the recipient does not have to make the deposit. When we receive the check from the government we deposit it to that person's account and the recipient is notified by mail that the deposit has been made. In many cases it is difficult for recipients to make deposits and the direct deposit method should be of great assistance to them."

"Third, the direct deposit plan is very flexible. Sweetwater Savings will transfer automatically each month any amount the

recipient chooses to his or her checking account. As an example, if husband and wife both receive Social Security benefits, they may choose to have one check deposited to their checking account and the other remain in their savings account. If so, we can handle the entire transaction for them."

"Fourth, it can be profitable for the recipient because the amount left in their savings account earns daily interest for them at our current passbook rate. And there is no service charge for Sweetwater Savings services or from the government."

"Fifth, the amount left on deposit with Sweetwater Savings is insured up to \$40,000 like any other savings account", Aiken concluded.

The Secret Pal Club met Friday, June 27, at 2 p.m. at the Midwest Electric Co-op in Roby. Hostesses were Mrs. Joe Morris and Mrs. O.D. Knox.

Coffee was served to each one on their arrival. After the playing of several games, there was the presentation of gifts. It was revealing day and new pals were drawn. Members present were Ludie Harris and Mmes. Garland Moore, Lowell Thornburg, W.A. Hughey, Floyd Wood, Clyde Farrar, Tracy King, Joe Ballenger, Ross Woolsey and the hostesses, Mmes. Knox and Morris.

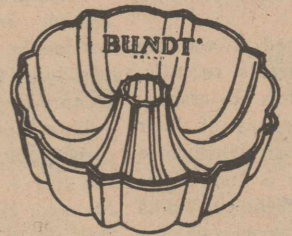
Out of town member present was Mrs. Viola Brown of Hamlin. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Keith Klepper of Midland.

Coffee, iced tea, several kinds of dips, chips and Angel food cake were served buffet style.

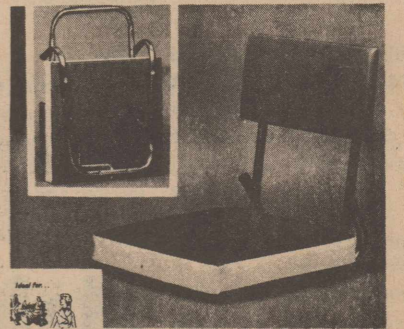
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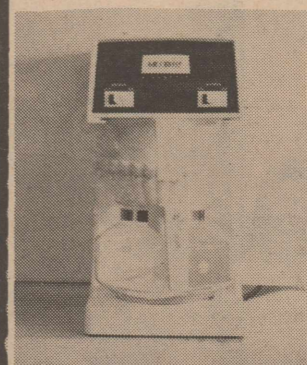


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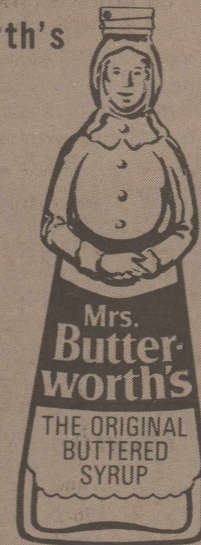
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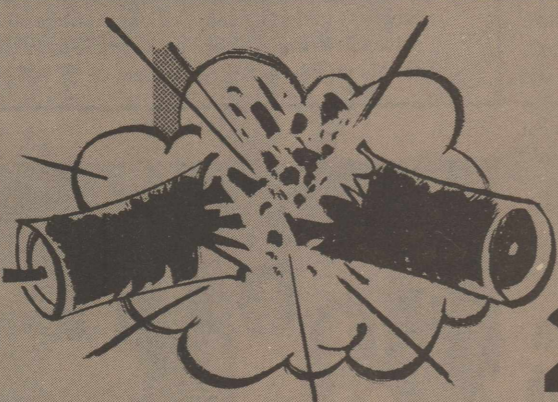
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# DEAR EDITOR

EDITOR'S NOTE: The opinions expressed here are those of the writer, and do not necessarily reflect the views of this newspaper.

All letters must be signed and are subject to be edited for libelous material. Letters are accepted on that basis.

Names can be withheld upon request, however, initials will be used on all letters. Signed original letters will remain in the possession of this newspaper.

Dear Editor,

In the past it has been our policy to give you information concerning unusual incidents and driving while intoxicated incidents which result in police action. This has been done with full cooperation between your newspaper and the Rotan Police Department in the belief that such publication may be a valuable deterrent to those who might do likewise. It is still my belief that such publication is valuable.

However, on many occasions, Fisher Countians have expressed concern over this policy. Many of these good folk are genuinely concerned, not over the person who committed the offense, but over innocent parties who might be affected by the publication. I can see their point. It has never been my desire to hurt anyone unjustly. If publishing these incidents has saved one person from injury or death, however, it has been entirely worthwhile.

In the future, if acceptable to the press, I would suggest that the names of persons charged with misdemeanor offenses in Fisher County be withheld from print. The incident itself should probably still be published with the discretion of press bearing on individual occurrences. However, if DWI incidents begin to show an increase, and the increase may be related to discontinued printing of names in the paper, I would suggest a return to the former policy. Thank you very much for the fine job you are doing with our Fisher County newspaper.

Very truly,  
Glenn P. Willeford  
Chief of Police, Rotan, Texas

EDITORS NOTE: We appreciate your comments and we certainly appreciate your concern over this matter. As a newspaper we have probably received our share of criticism, letters, comments and accusations concerning the practice of identifying people by name in our paper. Our first and only duty as a newspaper is to make an attempt to give the people of our reading area the true, fair and impartial account of the news of the week. If the people do not particularly desire the type of news we are making available, then maybe it is time to re-assess our position. I have been pleased with your cooperation in all matters and want to take this time to express my appreciation to you for the job that you are doing as Police Chief of Rotan and the job that your patrolmen are doing.

We are more than happy to cooperate with you and your department and in the future we will take into consideration your suggestion. We want to cooperate with all Fisher County Law Enforcement agencies in order to make our county a better and safer place to live and raise our children.

## Shipp Family Holds Reunion

The Shipp family reunion was held at Ed Patton Park in Rotan Sunday, June 29.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Shipp, Kevin and Karla, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lee Shipp, Suzette, Collette and Paulette, Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shipp, Donnie and Dennis, Jayton; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Waldon and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shipp and Ryan, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Gaines Adges Smith of Benton, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Gaines Shipp, Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Herschell Shipp, Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Vollie Dean Shipp and Ryan of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Dan Vaughn and children, Sonora; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shipp, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Shipp, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Moore, Penny, Vickie and Toby, Callie Shipp, Beatrice Atwood, Aunt Ollie Shipp, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Shipp and son, all of Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Morgan and Eugene, Damon, John, John, and David Shipp, all of Roby.



# Worship Together



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Joe Barina, Minister  
Bible Study - 9:45 a.m.  
Worship - 10:30

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rotan, Texas  
Rev. Cecil M. Tune, Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.  
Worship - 10:30 a.m.

**CHURCH OF NAZARENE**  
Rotan, Texas  
F. W. Rogers, Pastor  
Bible Class - 9:45 a.m.  
Worship - 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Service - 7:00 p.m.

**SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH**  
James Holdridge, Pastor  
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Night - 7:00 p.m.

**SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
9 miles SW of Rotan  
Rev. Glenn Barton  
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

**FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Rotan, Texas  
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.  
Church - 11:00 a.m.  
Night Services - 7:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Rotan Latin American  
Bible Class - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Sylvester, Texas  
Kenneth James, Pastor  
Morning Worship - 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Steven Sweet, Pastor  
Rotan, Texas  
Sunday School - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

**ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC**  
Rotan, Texas  
John Hoorman, Pastor  
Mass - Saturday eve. - 7:30  
Mass - Sunday 9:00 a.m.

**LITTLE ZION BAPTIST**  
Rotan, Texas  
Rev. John J. Osery  
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
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Bible Class - 10:00 a.m.  
Worship - 11:00 a.m.



## THERE'S MORE TO LIFE THAN A PRETTY BALLOON!

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There's rarely a festival, a fiesta, or a fair held anywhere without the familiar balloon vendor strolling through the crowd, selling happiness for a few pennies. Parents buy them for their kids and young men present them with a flourish to their girl friends.

Just why a balloon is so much fun isn't clear, but one thing is certain — the pleasure never lasts. The air leaks out, balloons unexpectedly pop, careless fingers send them soaring away forever.

But there is a far greater pleasure to be found that will last for an eternity. It is the happy pursuit of a Christian life and you can find out all about it this Sunday — in church.

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19: 11-16  
Monday  
Acts  
18: 5-11  
Tuesday  
Acts  
18: 24-28  
Wednesday  
Ezekiel  
2: 3-7  
Thursday  
Luke  
10: 25-28  
Friday  
Mark  
6: 2-4  
Saturday  
Romans  
8: 27-30



THIS WEEK'S FEATURED SUPPORTER

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THE PATH OF LIFE;  
IN THY PRESENCE THERE IS  
FULLNESS OF JOY.  
IN THY RIGHT HAND ARE  
PLEASURES FOR EVERMORE.  
PSALM 16

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## Sheree Thompson And Johnny Knox Exchange Wedding Vows



Mrs. Johnny Knox

Sheree Nanette Thompson became the bride of Johnny Glynn Knox June 21 in a candle-light ceremony performed by Rev. Norris Taylor, in the First Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Thompson of Rt. 1, Roby and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Knox, Rt. 1, Roby.

The altar was set with an arch of greenery and orchid carnations caught at the top with a purple satin bow holding a white bell trimmed with purple flowers. The purple candle of unity sat amid orchid carnations on a pedestal under the arch. Four candelabras held purple and orchid tapers. They were flanked by two baskets of purple daisies and orchid babies breath. Pews were marked with purple satin bows and orchid carnations.

Linda Stuart rendered nuptial selections and played the traditional wedding march on the organ. Delena Knox, sister-in-law of the bridegroom, played the guitar sang "The Twelfth of Never" and "The First Time Ever I Saw Your Face" accompanied by Tammy Stephens on the piano. Tammy, cousin of the bride, also played the new version of The Lords Prayer as the recessional.

Sharla McWhirter, sister of the bride was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Susan Ayers, sister of the bridegroom, Susan Deaton and Genia Terry. They wore carpet length gowns of orchid knit crepe fashioned with cape styled collars trimmed in white lace. The empire waist lines were caught in the back with a large bow. Each carried a long stemmed orchid color rose with orchid and purple streamers.

Shelly Thompson, sister of the bride, was flower girl. She was dressed as the other attendants.

Shalon Thompson, brother of the bride, carried the matching antique gold wedding rings on a pillow matching the dress of the bride.

Shelby Thompson, brother of the bride, Derrick Knox, nephew of the bridegroom, and Vicki Shana Rasco, cousin of the bride, were candle lighters. Jacky Knox, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. Groomsmen were Bobby Hol-

comb, Neil McWhirter and Jeff McClure.

Ushers were Jeffie Dennis and Chad Holcomb.

Escorted and given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white peau de sole with a train of orchid mirror mist caught from a cummerbund of orchid mirror mist.

The train was trimmed in white lace which was also on the self made train of the gown and the hemline of the dress. The bodice was fashioned with a cape styled collar trimmed in white lace. She wore a veil of silk illusion with a headpiece of orchid mirror mist bows and streamers with white daisies scattered around and on the end of each streamer. She carried a white Bible with an orchid corsage with orchid mist

streamers.

The reception was held in Fellowship Hall of the church. Guests were registered at the wedding and reception by Shannon Rasco, cousin of the bride. The round table was covered in a purple satin floor length cloth trimmed in white lace. A basket of purple daisies and orchid babies breath and a purple candle nestled in a ring of flowers were on the table with two white love doves adorned with purple flowers beside the bride's book.

Handing out rice bags were Shad Rasco, cousin of the bride, and Merry Lee Hicks.

The bride's table was covered in white satin with a bouffant skirt of white net overlay with a big purple satin bow in front with wedding bells and carnations in the center. Crystal appointments were used and crystal candelabras held orchid and purple candles.

Jill Laurie served punch from a matching bowl.

Susan McWhirter served ice cream, Sabrina Kinsey served the wedding cake.

The groom's table was laid with purple tulle over an orchid cloth. Silver appointments were used and the candle of unity was the centerpiece. Sharon Hausman served coffee and the double wedding ring chocolate cake.

Rex Beauchamp took wedding pictures.

The bride was wearing an orchid pant suit when the couple left on a wedding trip to Granbury. The couple will be at home on Yucca Lane in Sweetwater where the bridegroom is employed at Holiday Rambler Corp.

Parents of the groom hosted the rehearsal dinner in Fellowship Hall of the church.

### Card Of Thanks

May God bless each one that remembered in the passing of our son Elyz Noel Higgins in Austin.

Your concern and thoughtfulness was very much appreciated. Thank you.

Mr. and Mrs. O.T. Higgins

## Hobbs HDC Has June Meeting

Members of the Hobbs Home Demonstration Club met June 26 in the Willie Wired Hand Room of Midwest Electric, Roby. The meeting was a combination meeting of all the HD Clubs of Fisher County. Twenty-six were present.

Mrs. Dale Cave was in charge of the program on art appreciation. She stated there were many things that can be painted besides pictures and showed many kinds of art from different parts of the world. Included were china painting and painting on velvet, many beautiful pictures of all sizes. Also, fun things, such as churns, white granite buckets and dipper to be used as a punch bowl, along with rocks and numerous other things. She closed the program by saying that you may say you don't have time to paint, but you have time to do anything you really want to do.

Cookies and punch were served.

Those attending from the Hobbs Club were Mmes. James Nettleton, Clarence Anderson, Turner Houghton, Lester Hardin, James Lay, Walter Byrd, J.P. Phillips and Mrs. Dale Cave.

## Jesus Music Festival

A "Jesus Festival of Music" to be held Thursday, July 10, at the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium will kick off the youth preparations for the West Texas Billy Graham Crusade.

Guests are slated from different areas of the United States. Representing California will be Dennis Agajanian. A product of the Jesus Movement, Agajanian is at home with any stringed instrument: banjo, guitar, fiddle, etc. He often accompanies the Johnny Cash tour and has been described as the world's fastest gospel guitarist.

Representing Texas will be the Amplified Version of Plainview. A versatile group with a soft-rock sound, the Version has proven very popular in high school assemblies in Ohio, Minnesota, Iowa and other Midwestern states.

Other talent is being finalized from other states.

Tickets are 50 cents in advance or \$1.00 on July 10 at the Auditorium.

## Six Flags July 4th Entertainment Set

Top names in country music and rock and roll head the agenda for July fourth weekend at Six Flags Over Texas.

On Friday, July 4, ABC recording artist Don Williams will bring his country music sound to the big theme park. Don's stardom began with his first release, "Don't You Believe," and continued to grow with other smashes such as "The Shelter of Your Eyes," "Come Early Morning," and "Amanda." His current release, "You're My Best Friend," is at the top of the country music charts. Don recently co-starred with Burt Reynolds in the Twentieth-Century-Fox movie, "W.W. and the Dixie Dance Kings."

Chuck Berry will head the Six Flags entertainment lineup on Saturday, July 5. Often credited as the premier figure of rock and roll, his success began with "Maybellene" in 1955 and

continued with a long list of hits including "My-Ding-A-Ling," "Johnny B. Goode," "Sweet Little Sixteen," and "Roll Over Beethoven", to name just a few. They flamboyant showman is still one of the most superbly exciting rock and roll performers today.

Show time on both Friday and Saturday evenings will be 8:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. in the Six Flags Music Mill Theatr. There is not additional charge for the performances.

Six Flags will be in operation both days from 10:00 a.m. until midnight.

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Ted Loving  
Archie Neeley  
Ray Brown

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### Golden Haven Home News

By Carolyn Nichols

This has been an exciting week for the nursing home.

Two new people have been admitted to our home. Mrs. Eula Williamson was admitted June 19, while Mrs. Lucy Helen Ford was admitted on June 27. We are very happy to have them with us.

The visitor list was rather short this week. Mr. Charles Meeks and family visited with Mrs. Meeks; Mrs. Cave, Mrs. Hambright and Mrs. Wilburn visited with Mrs. Holbrooks; Mrs. Cave and Rose Daniels visited with Annie and Hiram Bettis and Richard Williamson and family from Washington, D.C. visited with Mrs. Eula Williamson.

Mrs. Pearl Henry recently made a trip to Waco for her family reunion.

There was only one birthday this week. Mary Burrows celebrated her 85th birthday on Tuesday, July 1.

That's all the news for this week. See you again next week.

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90-DAY NOTICE CERTIFICATE \$500.00 MINIMUM	5.75%	5.92%
12-Mo. CERTIFICATE \$1,000.00 MINIMUM	6.50%	6.72%
30-Mo. CERTIFICATE \$1,000.00 MINIMUM	6.75%	6.98%
48-Mo. CERTIFICATE \$1,000.00 MINIMUM	7.50%	7.79%
72-Mo. INVESTMENT CERTIFICATE \$1,000.00 MINIMUM DEPOSIT; Automatically Renewable; Compounded Daily and Paid Quarterly.	7.75%	8.06%

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**Leisure Lodge News**  
BY Ina Berry

Here we are again, everyone here is doing fine. We have had a lot of company this past week.

Mr. Henry VanLiew's son Norman VanLiew from New Mexico visited him. Miss Pearl Vernon's brother from Hermleigh visited her Sunday. Mrs. John White from Sweetwater visited Mrs. Nancy White. Mrs. Marvin Hudgpeh from Lubbock visited Monday. Everyone was happy to see her. The Jim Goodwins visited Mrs. Hull yesterday. The Clarence Huckabys visited Mrs. Huckaby. See you next week.

**Fisher County Nursing Home News**

We have been very busy here at the home.

Some of the patients have been taking daily walks with me around the block. We enjoy getting out in the fresh air and sunshine.

Our visitor list for this week is as follows: Mrs. Anyce Brown visited with Mrs. Hale; Luther Reeves and Johnny Jackson visited with Mrs. Terrell; Joyce Noles, David Moffett and wife from Austin visited with Mrs. Moffett; R.M. Babb visited with Mrs. Edwards; George Snapp visited with Mr. Snapp; John Carter from California visited with Mrs. Hayes; Parker May from Washington, D.C. visited with Mrs. Rister. Margie Ozella Montgomery of Seminole and Alva Lauderdale from Jayton visited with Mr. Brown, and Mrs. Glen Upshaw visited with Mr. Holder.

Mrs. Owens attended her family reunion with her daughter at Abilene.

We had a wonderful sermon brought to us last Sunday by the Church of Christ.

Well that's all the news for this week, see you again next week.

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Mrs. Romie Kersh of Rotan attended the funeral of her brother, Joe Williams at Alba, Texas June 24. He died at a Tyler hospital and was buried at Pleasant Cemetery, Tyler, June 24.

**Roby Happenings**

By Buelene Shipp  
Roby, Texas 776-2254

Hi, well Gene and I are on vacation and we haven't worked so hard in years. I guess that's why most people leave home on their vacations, and maybe next time we will too.

Edward Colmenero, Helen and Max from Austin were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Rodriguez. Accompanying them on their trip was Cippi Colmenero of Mathis. Edward and Cippi are brothers of Tina.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Klepper, Bobby and Ricky of Midland were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ballenger. They were joined on Sunday by a niece, Mrs. Jim Hawkins of Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Glendol Ballenger and Chad of Roscoe, and Don and Alice Ballenger of Roby.

Wayne and Bert Warren had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Bart Warren and Charity all of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dulin and Missy of Maryneal. They cooled the weather down on Sunday evening by making a big freezer of home made icecream. Boy, that sounds good.

We celebrated Jackie's (my third teenager) birthday last Thursday night with a swimming party and a slumber party. There was just me, Jackie and three really sweet girls to attend the party and we had a ball. Tina Connor, Tina Hataway and Connie Blake went with us to Snyder where we watched the girls in the WTC basketball camp play basketball. Then we went swimming. The only thing that went wrong was that I stayed in the sun so long that I look like an overdone ham. I'll learn some day that I'm not a sun person.

The Fisher County 4-H Horse show youngsters did real well at Vernon, last weekend.

I haven't heard much news this week again, so I'll have to close now and hope to be able to see more of you next week for your news.

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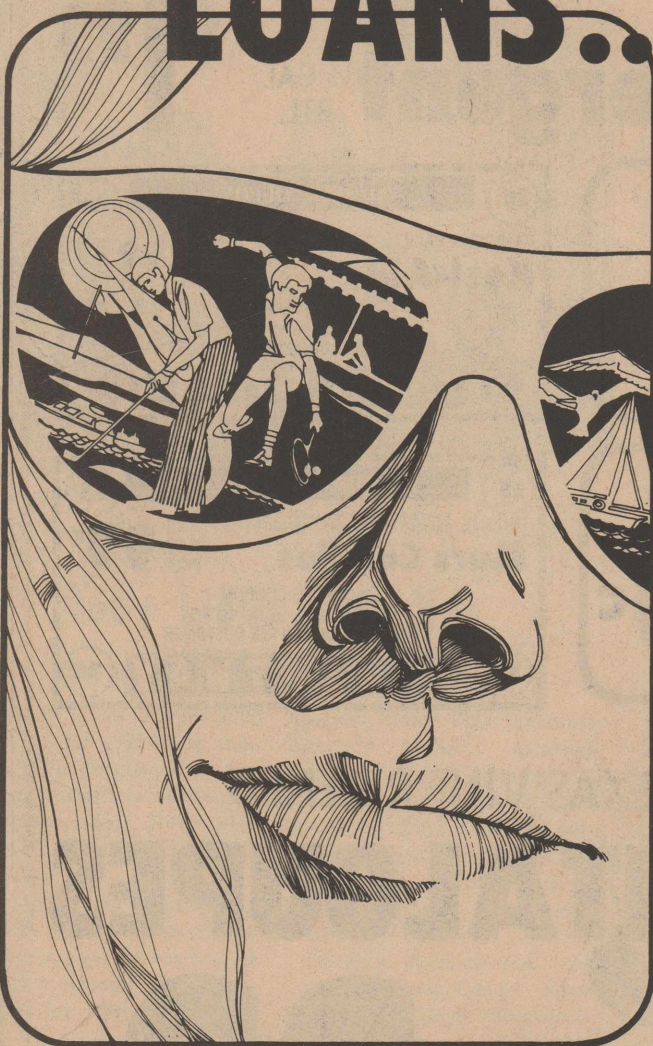
The Children of  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sawyer  
request the honor of your presence  
at the

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of the marriage of their parents  
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6 3/4% 30 MO. CERT.—\$1000 MIN.    5 1/4% NO PENALTY PASSBOOK—

SAVINGS INSURED TO \$40,000 BY FSLIC  
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**Christmas JULY**

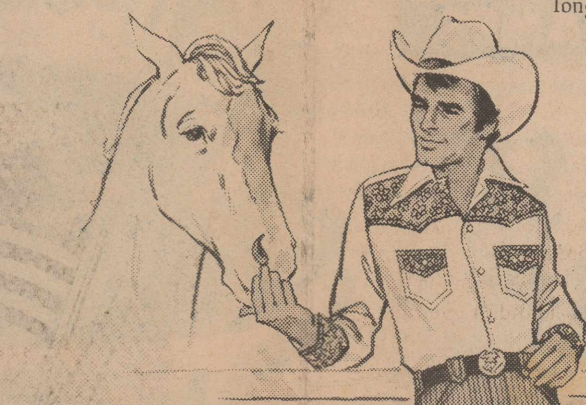
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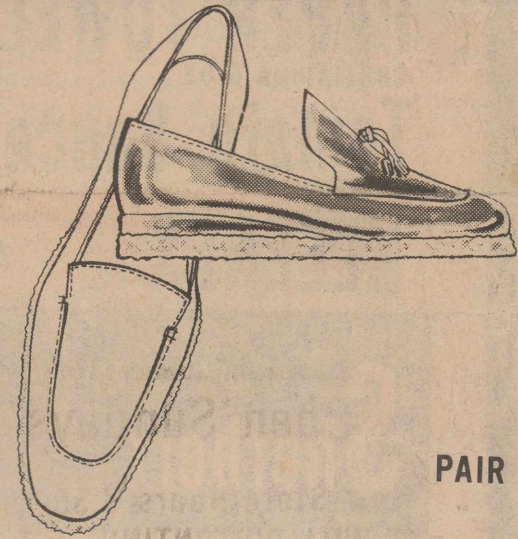
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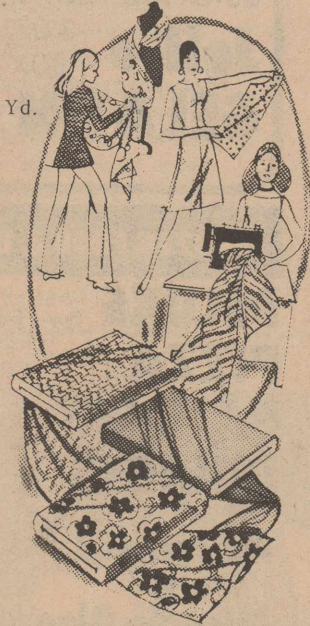
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# Notice

The Hobbs Independent School District Board of Trustees will accept bids on the sale of one 1967 Chevrolet 36-passenger school bus.

Bids will be opened at 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, July 8, 1975, at the regular meeting of the school trustees. Any one desiring additional information should contact Mr. Bill Denman, Supt. or Mr. B.F. Clawson, bus mechanic, at the school. The school telephone number is (915) 735-2850 and the mailing address is Route #2, Rotan, Texas 79546.

All bids should be clearly marked "Bus Bids" and mailed to arrive prior to July 8, 1975. The trustees of the Hobbs I.S.D. reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

## NOTICE OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Roby Independent School Tax Office in the town of Roby, Texas from 8:00 to 11:00 a.m. the 14th day of July 1975, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in the Roby Independent School District for taxable purposes for the year 1975, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

By order of the Board of Equalization.

Roby Independent School District.

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Courthouse in the town of Roby, Fisher County, Texas, at 9:00 a.m. on the second Monday, the 14th of July, 1975, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in Fisher County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1975, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

John Ashley  
County Clerk  
Fisher County, Texas

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Rotan Independent School Tax Office, at 9:00 a.m., July 16, 1975, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in the Rotan Independent School District for taxable purposes for the year 1975, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

By order of the Board of Equalization.

Rotan Independent School District.

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Rotan School Building, in the town of Rotan, at 2:30 p.m. July 15, for the purpose of determining, fixing, and equalizing the value of any and all taxable oil and mineral located in the Rotan Independent School District for taxable purposes for the year 1975 and any and all persons interested or having business with said board are hereby notified to be present.

By order of the Board of Equalization.

Rotan Independent School District.

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Hobbs Independent School at 2:00 p.m., July 14, 1975, for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in the Hobbs Independent School District for taxable purposes for the year 1975, and any and all persons interested or having business with said Board are hereby notified to be present.

By order of the Board of Equalization, Hobbs Independent School District.

## Card Of Thanks

A tax raise notice is being sent to all persons who own property in Roby Independent School District, stating the amount their 1975 taxes will be. The raise is \$1.40 across the board. The Roby Independent School District Tax Rate is set on 49% ratio and \$1.70 per hundred tax valuation.

Valene Kiker  
Tax Assessor-Collector  
Roby Independent School Dis.

We want each of you to know how very much we appreciate your every expression of sympathy and love shared with us in the tragic accident in Garland, Texas that took our little John's life.

May God bless you and continue to hold us in your prayers.

Jerry and Judy Dix,  
David and Gary  
Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ammons  
Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey,  
Case and Cam  
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## Song Schedule

Fisher County Singing Group will meet at the following places during the month of July.

First Sunday night, McCaulley First Methodist Church, 7:30.

First Tuesday night, Crestview Lodge, Rotan, 7:00.

Second Tuesday night, Calvary Baptist Church, Rotan, 7:30.

Third Sunday night, Sylvester Methodist Church, 7:30.

Third Tuesday night, Golden Haven Home, Roby, 7:00.

Fourth Tuesday night, Fisher County Nursing Home, Rotan, 7:00.

## NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Whitley of Rotan are parents of a son, Eric Ray, born June 20 at 10:27, in Hamlin Hospital.

Grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. Buster Donham and Mrs. Dona Whitley, all of Rotan. God parents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams of Hamlin.

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SHURFINE 2# CAN COFFEE **\$1.89**

NORTHERN JUMBO ROLL PAPER TOWELS **2 For 99¢**

CONTIADINA 8 OZ Tomato Sauce **6 FOR \$1**

KLEENEX 280 COUNT **59¢**

FRESH DRESSED Fryer Breasts **89¢** LB.

FRESH DRESSED Fryer Thighs **79¢** LB.

FRESH DRESSED Drumsticks **79¢** LB.

FRYER WINGS, BACKS AND NECKS Dumpling Pack **29¢** LB.

GOOCH German Sausage **99¢** 12 OZ. PKG.

### THRIFTY GROCERY BUYS

NABISCO NUTTER BUTTER **79¢** 13 OZ. PKG.

COOKIES **79¢** 4 OZ. CAN

SHILLINGS GROUND Black Pepper **79¢** 4 OZ. CAN

ALL PURPOSE Gladiola Flour **\$3.49** 25 LB. BAG

SKINNER SHORT CUT Elbo Macaroni **45¢** 12 OZ. PKG.

A&W SUGAR FREE Root Beer **\$1.00** 12 OZ. CANS

JOAN OF ARC Pork & Beans **\$1.00** 16 OZ. CANS

ALLEN STANDARD Tomatoes **\$1.00** NO. 303 CANS

SHURFINE Fruit Cocktail **89¢** 16 OZ. CAN

SHURFINE-30 GALLON Plastic Bags **\$3.29** 40 CT. BOX

9 INCH FOOD KING WHITE Paper Plates **89¢** 100 CT. PKG.

PRINGLES TWIN PACK Potato Chips **89¢** 9 OZ. CANS

LIPTON 24 OZ LEMON FLAVORED Ice Tea Mix **\$1.39**

HONEY BOY-TALL CAN Salmon **\$1.59**

GANDY'S 1/2 GALLON Sherbert **79¢**

TABBY TENDER BITS Cat Food **6 FOR \$1**

SHURFINE 5# BAG Sugar **99¢** LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER

QUALITY PURE BAKE-RITE SHORTENING **\$1.29** 3 LB. CAN

CARNATION 16 OZ Coffee Mate **98¢**

SHURFINE 10 OZ INSTANT Coffee **\$1.89**

30° OFF LABEL - ALL LAUNDRY Detergent **\$2.99** HOME LAUNDRY SIZE

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15° OFF LABEL ANTISEPTIC LISTERINE MOUTH WASH **99¢** 20 OZ. BTL.

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BAND-AID ALL-WIDE PLASTIC STRIPS **99¢** 30 CT. BOX

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30° VALUABLE COUPON

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PARKAY SOFT Margarine **69¢** 8 OZ. TUBS

6 STICK WHIPPED Miracle Oleo **59¢** LB. PKG.

SQUEEZE PARKAY Margarine **79¢** 16 OZ. BTL.

SHURFRESH COLBY LONGHORN Cheese **79¢** 10 OZ. PKG.

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