

## Bill King Announces As J. P. Write-In

Billy (Bill) King of Roby has authorized this newspaper to announce his intention to seek a write-in election to the position of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1.

"If I am fortunate enough to be elected Justice of the Peace, I will look forward to serving the people in Fisher County and I will serve to the best of my ability", said King.

King continued by saying, "My name will not be on the ballot, so I am asking you to write-in my name when you go to the polls and vote on November 7th."

King moved to Fisher County in 1945 and graduated from Roby High School. His wife, the former Delphine South, graduated from Hobbs



Bill King

High School. They have three children, Randy, Ricky and Robby.

Randy and his wife Barbara and daughter live in Sweetwater. Ricky is attending Angelo State University and Robby is an eighth grader at Roby.

"When you vote for Justice of the Peace, look to the right, in the last column, please write-in Bill King", said the newly announced candidate.

## County 4-H Members Tops In Dallas Show

Fisher County 4-Hers didn't win the Grand Champion at the State Fair of Texas, but did bring home numerous high placing ribbons. The competition was tough in each of the classes throughout the day.

In the steer show, Fisher County 4-Hers placing included: Tony Terry, 5th, heavy angus; Mark Henderson, 6th, heavy angus; Jeff Upshaw 16th, heavy angus; Paula Terry, 8th, light angus; Dana Nowlin, 3rd, heavy polled hereford; Alan Kiker, 3rd, light polled hereford; Jennifer Wright,

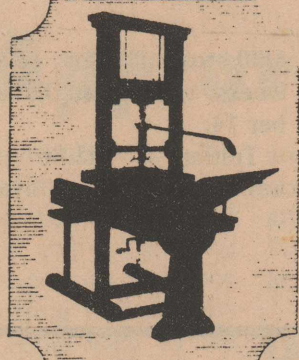
26th, medium cross; Ricky Spencer, 3rd, medium light cross; Clay Wilfong, 4th, light cross; Mark Nowlin, 5th, light cross. All of the above steers sold for an average of 83 cents a pound.

In the Junior Angus Heifer show, Tony Terry won 2nd and 9th places while Clay Wilfong had heifers placing 4th and two 7th places.

During the Junior Lamb Show, Annette Overby placed 34th in the Fine Wool Cross class. Robin Harris placed 24th in the Lightweight Suffolk and 27th in the Lightweight Hamp class. Ricky Spencer placed 16th with his Fine Wool Lamb and 39th in the Heavyweight Hamp.

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**TALKING COTTON:** Cotton growers from Fisher County met and talked with Cotton Incorporated director R.H. Whorton, right of Roscoe, about Cotton Incorporated, the fiber company owned by the American cotton producers, and its progress in building more profitable business for them. Here, they discuss an all-cotton, easy care shirt, a Cotton Incorporated program to increase cotton use. Shown, left to right, are Horace Carter, Rotan; Foy Mitchell, Roby; and R.H. Whorton.

## Hobbs Homecoming Set For Saturday

Hobbs Homecoming will be Saturday, October 28. Activities will begin at 2:00 p.m. with registration in the school auditorium.

The business meeting and a program honoring past ex-student presidents and Coming Home Queens will be at this time. They will also be honored at the pep rally and bonfire on Friday at 7:30 p.m. on the Hobbs School grounds.

This year's nominees for Coming Home Queen and Escorts will be nominated from the floor at the business meeting. Dinner will be at 5:00 p.m. in the cafeteria served by the senior class.

The Panther football game will be with the Ira Bulldogs beginning at 7:00 p.m. with the Coming Home Queen and escort to be crowned at halftime. Following the game there will be a dance at the Community Center in Rotan for Hobbs Exes and their guests.

Identify the two Hobbs mystery ex-students on page 13.

## Rotan Livestock Show Will Be December 30

The Rotan Jr. Livestock Show Association held its first meeting this year for

### County Bee Production Meeting Set

A Honeybee Production and Management meeting will be held Thursday, November 2, at 7:30 p.m., in the Courthouse coffee room in Roby, according to Richard Spencer, County Agent.

Emory Boring, Area Extension Entomologist from Vernon, will present the program.

Anyone interested in Bee production is invited to attend.

the 1978-79 Rotan Livestock Show. Wendell Morrow was elected President. Billy Henderson, vice president and Ronnie Teichelman secretary-treasurer. The committee set the show date for December 30. Show superintendents named are: Beef, Ed Wilfong; Swine, Bruce Cox; Lambs, Kenneth Hardin.

In an effort to limit the pressure on local business people, knowing their time is valuable, the committee decided to send letters with a self addressed, stamped return envelope, asking the business people to make their contribution in this matter. Everyone's support is greatly appreciated.

## \$100 In Prizes Await Best Carved Pumpkins

All Fisher County children ages 12 and under are invited to enter the second annual Fisher County Pumpkin Carving Contest. The youngster may enter one pumpkin in the contest. Judging will be on the vacant lot west of

the Village Flower and Gift Shop.

To be eligible for judging, pumpkins must be completely carved, finished and entered in the contest by 10:00 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 28. The pumpkins will be on display at the location from 10:30 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. All children entering are asked to be present to receive prizes as winners will be announced at 3:00 p.m.

The following prizes will be awarded: 1st place, \$25.00 Savings Bond from the Newspaper Office; 2nd place, \$24.95 picture, Landes Furniture; 3rd place, \$15.00 gift certificate from Western Auto; 4th place, \$13.00 terrarium from Winn's; 5th

place, \$9.95 sweater and sox set from H.L. Davis Co.; 6th place, \$8.49 skate board from White Auto Store; 7th place, \$6.50 5-quart bucket of ice cream and cones from Bennett Grocery; 8th place \$5.95 bathtub chemistry set from Village Flower Shop; 9th, \$2.95 cowbell from Dairy Queen; and 10th, \$1.87 Country Basket from Dairy Queen.

### Kathy King Named FFA Sweetheart

The Roby FFA chapter held a meeting Thursday and elected Kathy King as chapter sweetheart. She will represent Roby in the district meet.

## Operation Identification Started By Rotan Police

Assistant Rotan Police Chief Johnny Walker has implemented an "Operation Identification" program designed to mark valuable items with an identification number in order that they may be traced back to their owners in case of theft.

"We are offering the area residents the opportunity to have their valuables marked for ready identification by law enforcement agencies", said Walker.

Under the new program, items such as CB radios,

cameras, tape players, and guns, to name a few, are marked with an engraving tool with the owner's drivers license number etched into the property.

Walker said that anyone desiring to have items marked should contact him at the Rotan Police Department for further information.

## Rotan Board Meets With Students

The members of the Rotan School Board met with a group of students representing the Rotan Student Congress last Monday night to discuss student policies, according to Superintendent Tom Harkey.

The Student Congress is going to attempt to prepare a list of specific questions concerning special activities, projects,

and school activities for discussion with the board during late November or early December.

The board is in the process of revising board policies and is going to re-write the student handbook. Board members are encouraging input from students and student groups as they make the policy changes.

## Roby Powder Puff Game On Thursday

The Roby Junior Class will be sponsoring a Powder Puff football game Thursday, Oct. 26, at 5 p.m.

The juniors and sophomors will make up the Red Devils and the seniors and freshmen will be the White Tornadoes.

Admission is 25 cents for students and 50 cents for adults. Everyone is urged to attend.



HOMECOMING QUEEN: Charee Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Smith, was named as the 1978 Homecoming Queen during halftime ceremonies last Friday night. She was escorted by David Posey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Posey.

## Kim's Korner By Kim Pease

### We Tried

I have a lot of respect for the football coaches in Fisher County. There are times that I second guess the coaches and try my hand at "Monday morning quarterbacking", but for the most part, our coaches are a fine group of men. Head Coaches Don Bagwell at Roby, Ben Rathke at McCauley, Mickey Early at Hobbs, and Don Mullins at Rotan have the job of taking a group of gawky kids in early August and turning them into a well-oiled machine in just a few weeks.

I ran across this description of football written by Charles Loftus of Yale University and thoroughly enjoyed reading it. Since we're well into district play in Fisher County and have some teams that are still in contention for high honors, I thought you would enjoy the following piece on football.

"Between the innocence of boyhood and the dignity of man, we find a sturdy creature called a football player. Football players come in assorted weights, heights, jersey colors and numbers, but all football players have the same creed: To play every minute of every period of every game to the best of their ability.

"Football players are found everywhere--underneath, on top of, running around, jumping over, passing by, twisting from and driving through the enemy.

"Teammates rub them, officials penalize them, students cheer them, coaches criticize them, college and high school girls adore them, alumni tolerate them and mothers worry about them.

"A football player is Courage in cleats, Hope in a helmet, Pride in pads, and the best of Young Manhood in moleskins.

"When your team is behind, a football player is incompetent, careless, indecisive, lazy, uncoordinated and stupid. Just when your team threatens to turn the tide of battle, he misses a block, fumbles the ball, drops a pass, jumps offside, falls down, runs the wrong way or completely forgets his assignment.

"A football player is a composite--he eats like a Notre Dame, but, more often than not, plays like Grand Canyon High. To an opponent's publicity man, he has the speed of a gazelle, the strength of an ox, the size of an elephant, the cunning of a fox, the agility of an adagio dancer, the quickness of a cat, and the ability of Red Grange, Glen Davis, Bronco Nagurski and Jim Thorpe combined.

"To his own coach, he has, for press purposes, the stability of mush, the fleetness of a snail, the mentality of a mule, is held together by adhesive tape, bailing wire, sponge rubber and has about as much chance of playing on Friday or Saturday as would his own grandfather.

"To an alumnus a football player is someone who will never kick as well, run as far, block as viciously, tackle as hard, fight as fiercely, give as little ground, score as many points or generate nearly the same amount of spirit as did those particular players of his own yesteryear.

"A football player likes game films, trips away from home, practice sessions without pads, hot showers, long runs, whirlpool baths, recovered fumbles, points after touchdowns and quick satisfaction which comes from being part of a perfectly executed play.

"He is not much for wind sprints, sitting on the bench, rainy days, after game compliments, ankle wraps, scouting reports or callsthenics.

"No one else looks forward so much to September or so little to November. Nobody gets so much pleasure out of knocking down, hauling out, or just plain bringing down the enemy. Nobody else can cram into one mind assignments for an end run, an off tackle slant, a back lateral, goal line stands, or a spinner cycle designed to result in a touchdown every time it is tried.

"A football player is a wonderful creature--you can criticize him. You can defeat his team, but you can't make him quit. You can get him out of a game, but you can't get him out of football. Might as well admit it--he you alumnus, coach, mother, father or fan--he is your personal representative on the field, your symbol of fair and hard play. He may not be an All-American, but he is an example of the American way. He is judged, not for his race, not for his religion, not for his social standing, or not for his finances, but by the democratic yard-stick of how well he blocks, tackles, and sacrifices individual glory for the overall success of his team.

"He is a hard-working, untiring, determined kid doing the very best he can for his school or college. And when you come out of a stadium, groaning and feeling upset that your team lost, he can make you mighty ashamed with just two sincerely spoken words--"We tried."

## Roby Flea Market Sat.

Roby Flea Market will be this Saturday, Oct. 28, sponsored by the local Lions Club.

Free space is available to anyone wishing to participate. The Flea Market is held at the intersection of highways 70 and 180.

# PUMPKIN CARVING CONTEST SATURDAY



## Words of Life

Johnny T. Robertson, Pastor  
First United Methodist Church  
Rotan, Texas

### SET MY PEOPLE FREE

In the days of Moses the Israelites had been in bondage to Egypt for four hundred years. Through Moses this young nation came to experience Freedom. God was known to them as the Great Liberator because He had freed them from bondage. Throughout the history of Israel the words "set my people free" became stamped in the minds of the Israelites, reminding them of the freedom that God brings. To give Israel assurance that their freedom would continue, God told the people that He would raise up another prophet like Moses who would also protect and guide them. (Deut. 18:15-21)

Indeed Jesus came to fulfill that promise. At the Beginning of His ministry Jesus stood in the Nazareth Synagogue and quoted Isaiah to describe the character of His mission: "To proclaim release to the captives... to set at liberty those who are oppressed." (Luke 4:16-20) And after many had watched Jesus forgive sin and heal the sick, people began to question if He might be the promised prophet which Moses spoke of. (Luke 7:16; John 7:40; Acts 7:37) Yes, Jesus came to give us freedom.

Jesus gives several kinds of freedom to those who love Him. First, He frees us from the power of sin to control our lives. Then, He frees us from the guilt of sin and gives us peace with God. But there is a freedom which we often overlook. That is, the freedom from burdens which other people place on us. Often when God forgives us what is past, our "neighbors" will not. Too often people who were not involved in our past refuse to let us live happy lives today because they enjoy making us feel guilty for something which God has forgiven. Even though God is willing for us to know the joy of His Kingdom, these people insist on prolonging our pain. Of such people Jesus had this to say, "But woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! because you shut the Kingdom of Heaven against men; for you neither enter yourselves, nor allow those who would enter to go in." (Matthew 23:13) Such cruel behavior Jesus clearly condemns. Are we guilty of causing people pain over things which God has forgiven them? Do we desire freedom from the pain of our past sins but continue to be entertained by the pain we cause others to feel? If this fits you, take heed lest you fail to enter the Kingdom of God yourself. Let us pray, "forgive us, as we forgive others" (Matt. 7:11,12). Amen.

## Hospital News

Admissions to Fisher County Hospital October 1-24, 1978.

Debra Dickson, Damon Mitchell Dickson baby boy, Jane Sparks, Willie L. Rivers, Kay Ward, Melba Leach, Rosemary Carrillo, Emma Lenued, Mary Etta Hale, Lota Kennedy, Janie Ramirez, Eddie Williams, Michelle Martinez baby girl, Eugene McKimmey, Jr., Maudie Moize, Katie Aaron, Shann Hawkins, DaRenda Price, Cynthia Houston, Rotan; W.C. Egger, Big Spring; James Martin, Abilene; Pansy Hale, Alva Kolb, Jan Wright, Roby; Alma Brown, Spur; Jimmie Brewer, Jayton.

## Roby Set For Play

First and second grades of Roby School will present a Halloween program Tuesday, Oct. 31, at 1:30 p.m. The program will be in the School auditorium.

Admission is \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for students. Proceeds will be used to extend the playground fence or to purchase modern sound equipment for the school auditorium. The public is invited to attend.

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# Western Texas College Offering New Course In Ground Aviation

Western Texas College at Snyder is offering a new

aviation ground school course, according to Wanda Falls of the WTC Community Service Division.

The school will begin on Monday, October 30, and will meet each Monday and Thursday night from

6:30 to 8:30 for seven weeks, ending on December 14.

Tuition is \$45.00 and new textbooks are avail-

able for \$22.50. Total cost of the aviation ground school course is \$67.05. The instructor will be Rex Hopkins. Fisher County residents having questions concerning the

class are asked to contact the college at 573-8511, extension 240.

## School Menu

Oct. 30-Nov. 3, 1978  
Rotan

Monday: Teacher Work Day.

Tuesday: Breakfast: Orange Juice, Cold Cereal, Milk. Lunch: Spaghetti with Meat Sauce, Black eyed peas, Whipped Potatoes, Carrot & Celery Sticks, Hot Rolls, Butter, Frosted White Cake, Milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast: Apple Sauce, Cinnamon Toast, Milk. Lunch: Taco with Meat & Cheese, Corn, Lettuce-Tomato, Seasoned Pinto Beans, Corn Bread, Butter, Fruit Jello, Milk.

Thursday: Breakfast: Sliced Peaches, Buttered Toast, Milk. Lunch: Corn Dog with Mustard, Green Beans, New Potatoes with White Sauce, Orange Wedge, Fruit Cobbler, Milk.

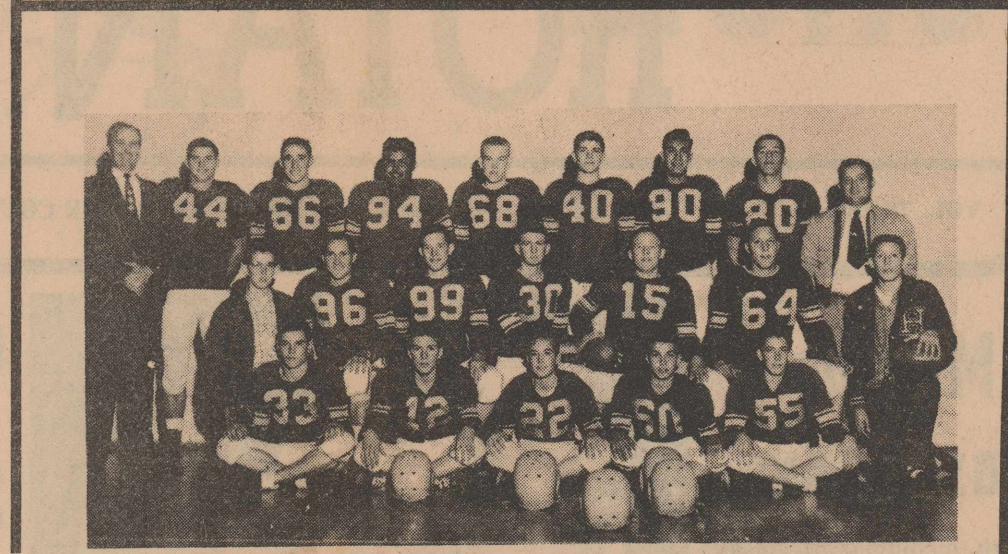
Friday: Breakfast: Fruit Juice, Peanut Butter on Bread, Milk. Lunch: Hamburger with Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato and Pickles, Pork & Beans, Potato Chips, Coconut Pudding, Milk.

## Course In Sewing Due In County

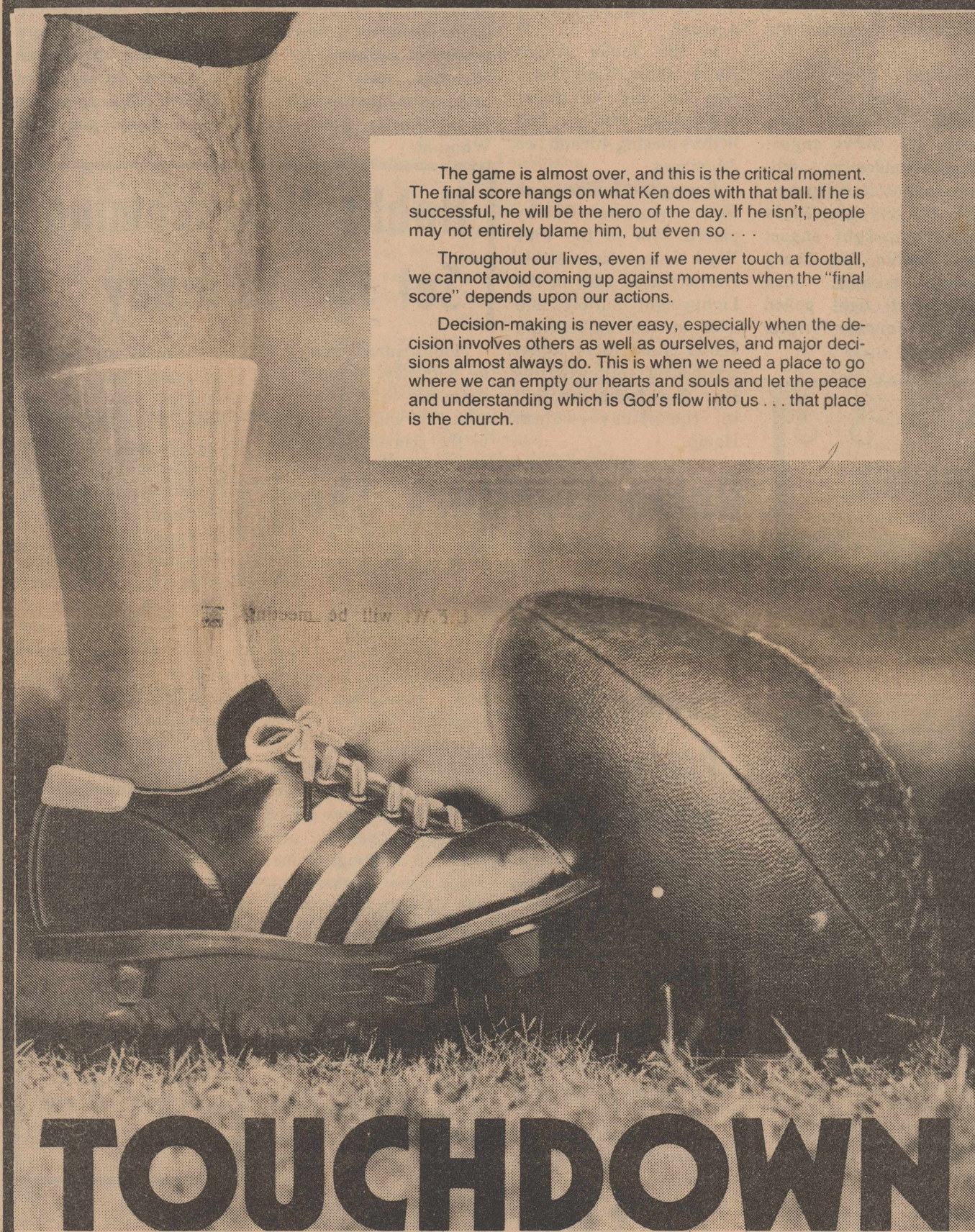
Interested in making your own tablecloths, place mats and napkins? Then you won't want to miss the program being presented Wednesday, November 1.

Terri Debolt from the Bernina Sewing Machine Company will present the program twice on that day for your convenience.

The first presentation will begin at 10:00 a.m. in the Community Center at Rotan. The program will be repeated at 1:00 p.m. in the Courthouse Annex in Roby.



1956 HOBBS FOOTBALL TEAM: Left to right, front row, Howard Gordon, Joseph Martinez, Doc Harding, Carl Hendrix, Bob Hardin. Row two, Bill Jones, Perry Thomson, Don Pullig, Pat Murphee, Jerry Trice, George Gantt, Clinton Sellars. Row, three, unidentified, Bernon Etheredge, Jr., Doyle Hayes, John Soto, Roy McIntosh, Walt Cave, Henry Medrano, Mac Etheredge, Coach Compte.



The game is almost over, and this is the critical moment. The final score hangs on what Ken does with that ball. If he is successful, he will be the hero of the day. If he isn't, people may not entirely blame him, but even so...

Throughout our lives, even if we never touch a football, we cannot avoid coming up against moments when the "final score" depends upon our actions.

Decision-making is never easy, especially when the decision involves others as well as ourselves, and major decisions almost always do. This is when we need a place to go where we can empty our hearts and souls and let the peace and understanding which is God's flow into us... that place is the church.

# TOUCHDOWN

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Psalms	Psalms	Psalms	Psalms	Psalms	Psalms	Psalms
25:1-22	28:1-9	31:1-24	42:1-11	51:1-19	54:1-7	55:1-23

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**WARMTH OF A HOMECOMING BONFIRE:** A helping hand from a friend signals that it's time to get ready for the last series of yells as the 1978 Rotan Pep Rally and Bonfire drew to a close for Rotan Cheerleader Cindy Weathersbee. The action took place last week with an estimated crowd of 200 attending the traditional homecoming festivities.

### Roby F.H.A. Discuss Booths For Carnival

The Roby F.H.A. met October 19 to make arrangements for the annual Halloween Carnival. Booths were assigned to all the members.

Several of the events will be a spooky hayride, bobbing for apples, dart throw, cake walk, and a costume contest.

The Carnival is set for Monday, Oct. 30, from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. in Roby, at the Fisher County Agriculture Building.

### Rev. Eddie Viars To Preach Week End Revival

The Rev. Eddie Viars from Tennessee will be the Evangelist of a week-end Revival, October 27, 28 and 29, at the Rotan Foursquare Church, 711 N. Genevieve. Services will be at 7:00 p.m. Friday and Saturday, with Sunday night services at 6:00 p.m. The Rev. George Hinshaw, pastor of the Stamford Foursquare Church, will be the music director.

A singing group from Knox City and Mrs. Cleburne Murdoch of Rotan will be bringing special music. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Also, the United Foursquare Women's group has been reorganized. Mrs. Rudy Martinez is the president and Mrs. Dewey Dudensing is the secretary-treasurer. The U.F.W. will be meeting once a month. Any lady interested in being a part of this group can call 735-2553 or 735-2203.

## TSTI To Offer Real Estate Courses


Basic courses designed for would-be real estate salespersons will be offered at TSTI Sweetwater in November and December.

The classes scheduled are Course 101, Basic Fundamentals, Nov. 11, 12, 18 and 19; Course 201, Principles of Real Estate, Nov. 25 and 26 and Dec. 2 and 3; and Course 301, Practice of Real Estate, Dec. 9, 10, 16 and 17.

Tuition for each course is \$125. There is no charge for books. Class hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Registration and payment of fees must be made by the Wednesday preceding the Saturday on which a class begins. Fees will not be accepted on the first

day of any class. Inquiries should be directed to Special Projects, TSTI Sweetwater, (915) 235-8441, extension 40 or 41.

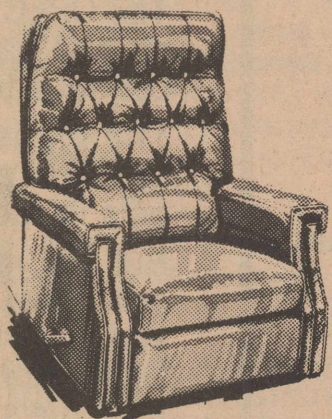
	Church School	9:30
	Morning Worship	10:30
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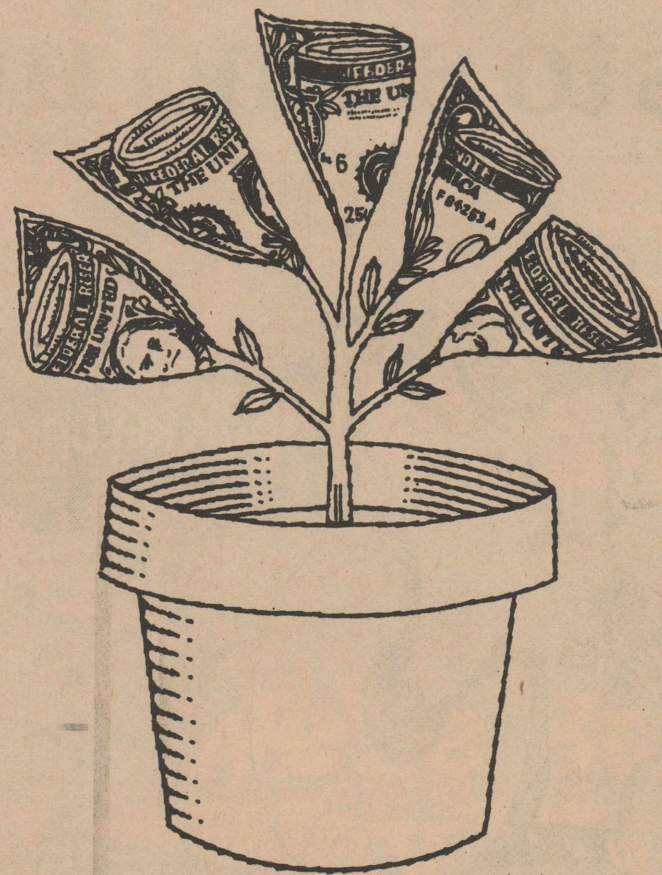


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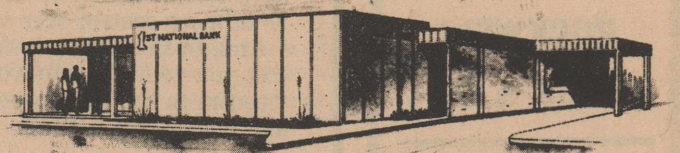


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## County Extension Agent

### HOME ECONOMICS

By Alice Ballenger

Court House Roby

Saving energy is something all homemakers are interested in. Many of the suggestions that follow are things you as homemakers are already practicing, however, we tend to let things slip from us and sometimes a reminder is good.

This week we will discuss saving energy in the kitchen when cooking. At a later date we will discuss energy saving in other ways.

I hope the following twelve suggestions are a help to you.

1. Use the smallest appliance possible for preparing small meals. A pop-up toaster uses one-third the energy that a full-size oven requires to toast bread. A table-top oven is ideal for small-to-medium-size baking and broiling needs.

2. Always boil water in a kettle or covered pot—it will do the job faster and with less energy. A whistling kettle is helpful because it tells you when the water is ready and can prevent accidents caused by absent-mindedly let-water boil out.

3. Ceramic and glass casseroles retain heat better than other materials. When they're used for baking, you can lower your oven setting by 25 deg. How about some energy saving one-dish meals?

4. Don't drown your vegetables. Less water will heat faster, the vegetables will taste better and retain more nutritive values. Try a pressure cooker.

5. Preheating it not necessary unless baking leavened or pastry items, then 5 or 10 minutes is the maximum time required for preheating; don't waste energy by turning on your oven sooner than necessary.

6. Always turn off your burner or oven before removing food from the heat—that's a safe rule as well as an energy tip.

7. When preparing casseroles or meats, you can turn off the heat 10 minutes before the food is done. The residual heat will finish the job.

8. Stop peeking while those cookies are baking! Each time the oven door is opened the temperature drops 20-50 deg. So every peek you sneak sets you back both in time and energy. (If you're in the market for a new oven, a glass door can help you kick the peeking habit).

9. A microwave oven will save you time and help you achieve real energy economy; it uses only 20-25 percent as much energy as a conventional oven.

10. Food plates, and platters can be warmed with the stored heat remaining in the oven after baking, with no additional energy use. Oven-to-table dishes are excellent for this purpose and are now available in a wide variety of patterns pretty enough for party use.

11. Plan a no-cook dinner at least once a week

using fruit, salads, cold meats and milk products to produce a tasty energy saving meal.

12. Check your oven door seal. A cracked or brittle seal can cause heat loss which wastes energy and costs you money.

## R. Arendell Attending War College

Navy Commander Russell W. Arendell, whose wife, Fern, is the daughter of Alpha West of Roby, is currently attending the Naval War College.

The Naval War College at Newport, R.I., the oldest educational institute of its type in the world, presents graduate level courses for selected (senior) military officers and top level government executives.

During the 10-month course, Arendell will study the elements of strategy and policy, defense economics and decision making, and the effective employment of naval forces. The curriculum includes seminars, lectures and individual research projects and serves to prepare students for assignment to the highest level command and management positions.

A Master of Science degree holder, he joined the Navy in August 1959.



Coming home queen candidates; Left to right, Class of 1978, Kathy Price and Brian Goodwin; Class of 1968, Craglene Strickland Hoskins and David Hargrove; Class of 1958, Nancy Acker Sparks and Bob Sparks; Class of

1948, Vernie Rushing Coan and Wendell Morrow; Class of 1938, Jimmie Bostick McCright and Dick Edwards. Jimmie McCright was selected the 1978 Coming Home Queen.

Students interested in enrolling for beginning welding courses at West-

ern Texas College may still do so, Sam Walker, instructor, said.

## Price Sisters Hold Reunion

Five Price sisters, all graduates of Roby High School, had a reunion recently and visited with their sister-in-law, Mrs. Forrest Price of Roby. The sisters are Mrs. Gene Palmer of Sweetwater, Gertrude Reeves from San Diego, Calif., Shirley Mayfield of Lubbock, Polly Beene from Mesquite, and Gladys Mayfield from Sweetwater.

Also visiting were Dave Mayfield of Lubbock, Virgil Palmer of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. George Price and girls of Hobbs community, and Janiece Mackey from Sweetwater.

The students would attend classes from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. and would be taking Basic Acetylene Welding (W 161) and Electric Arc Welding (W 162).

Information about welding classes and enrollment may be secured by contacting Walker at the welding shop on the east end of the WTC campus or by calling his office at 573-8511, extension 225.

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## Roby Bunch Holds Mother In Law Feed

A Mother-In-Law dinner was hosted in Roby by Patsy Terry, Janet Price and Susan Terry in the home of Mrs. Jack Terry.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dono Terry, Mrs. Forrest Price, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell McWhirter, Mr. and Mrs. Neal McWhirter, Mr. and Mrs. George Price, Kristi and Penny, Susan, Shane and Brandon Terry, Patsy Terry, Brian, Marlon Donna Kay and Casey Terry.

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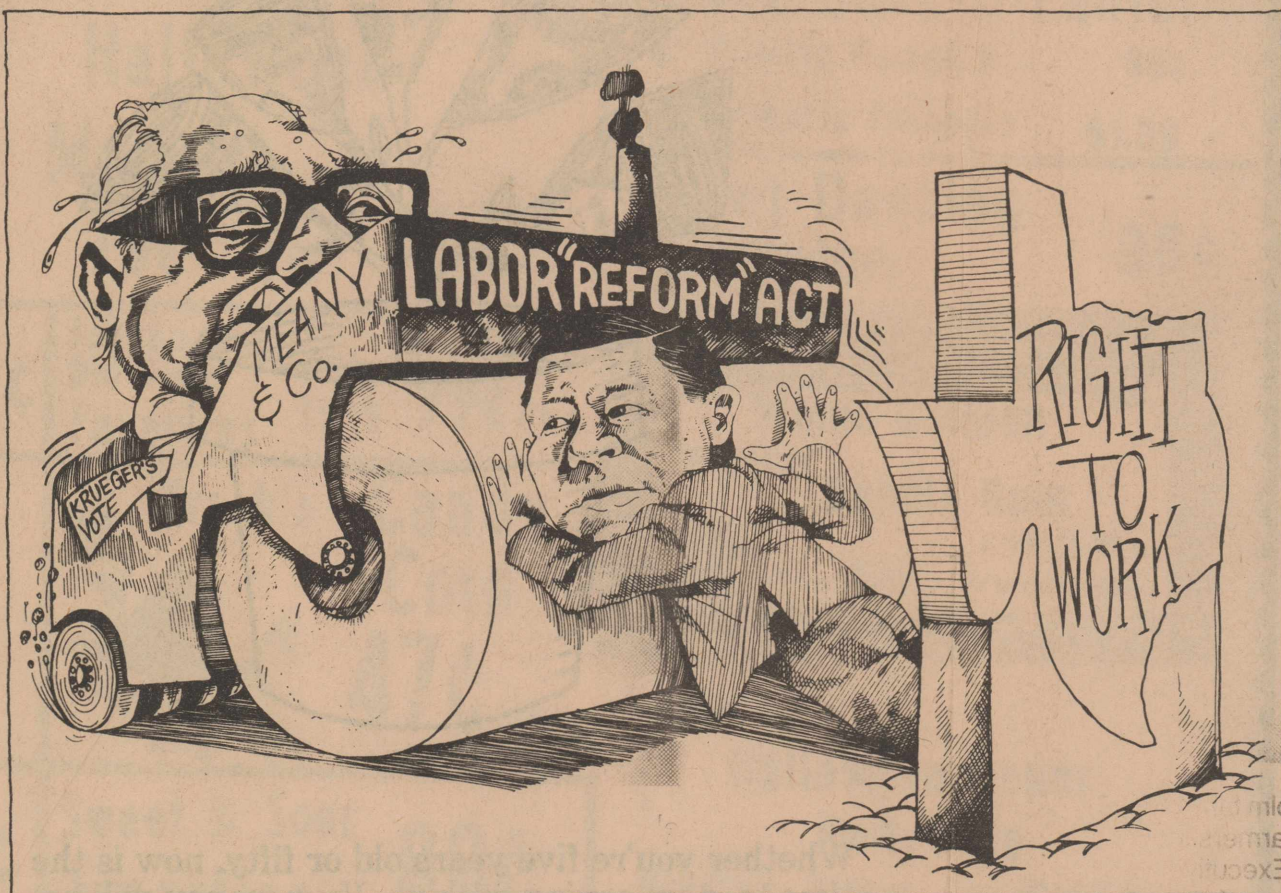
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# ORANGE STREAKS

By Don Mullins



Offensively, we graded high enough to win, defensively we did well, we were expected to win, but the score read 12-8. Its hard to explain the loss but costly errors at the right time kept the Hammers from the win column again. Roscoe did a good job of containing our offense all night. They had an open date before playing us and they prepared well. We weren't able to get the pitch off on our veer plays and they put up a hard rush when we tried to pass. Our biggest problem was trying to stop them with their big backs on fourth down plays. They didn't have to punt one time the first half. Its hard to stop a team with their size from making 3-4 yards per carry and this is what happened the first half.

Defensively, we were able to stop what they do best, but they caught us sleeping with a couple of plays. Willie Hayes led all defensive players with a 64, Gary Harkey had a 53 and also intercepted a pass. Robert Posey was third with a 46, Bob McArthur was fourth with a 44 and Fred Acorn was fifth with a score of 32. Others, such as Carrillo, West, Henderson, Hale and Nowlin all had high scores on defense also.

Offensively, we couldn't move the ball from tackle to tackle and had to run outside. Fred Acorn had 140 yards for another good night but couldn't break the long one we needed. Our team average was 74 percent and this is good because of the size the line was blocking on. Roscoe probably had the best defense we have faced all year. Defense grades were as follows: Gary Harkey 87, Keith Mullins 84, David Posey 83, Mark Nowlin 82 and Mark Cade and Wes Counts tied for 5th with a 78.

We are disappointed in not winning but not displeased with our play. Our team is still together and we are working just as hard as they were in preseason work outs. We are in preparation for Albany and with an open date we hope to mend some small injuries and be ready for Albany next week. We are open on our Jr. High and JV also this week.

### JV Report

The Rotan Yellowhammer JV football team suffered its first defeat of the year at the hands of the Roscoe Plowboys on

Thursday, Oct. 19. The score ended 27-12 with Kip Pease scoring both of the TDs for the Hammers and exploded for 230 yards. An early turnover caused the Hammers to fall behind 13-0 within five minutes after the game started.

The Hammer defense came alive in the second half allowing only eight points to be scored. The defensive charge was led by Weldon Hayes, Jeff Posey, Cecil Turner and Mark Harris.

The Hammers could not capitalize on the mistakes of the Plowboys. Kip Pease was injured late in the fourth quarter which helped to stall the Hammer's comeback.

### Jr. High Report

Rotan Yellowhammers seventh grade turned in the only victory last week against Roscoe 26-0. The seventh grade is continuing their excellent offensive attack, while the defense is still yet to allow any points on the score board.

Troy Daniels scored four touchdowns, Charles Adkins added a two-point conversion.

Greg Gruben played excellent defense as he batted away several passes. Gustabo Almanza caused a couple of dropped passes and fumbles with some excellent defensive work.

The offensive line made up of Joe Paul Soliz, Ernest Carrillo, Billy Sharp, Ricky Ortega, Jackie Ragan, Jay Loving and Charles Adkins did a tremendous job opening up holes for Julian Montez and Troy Daniels.

# First Baptist Church Youth -Led Revival Set

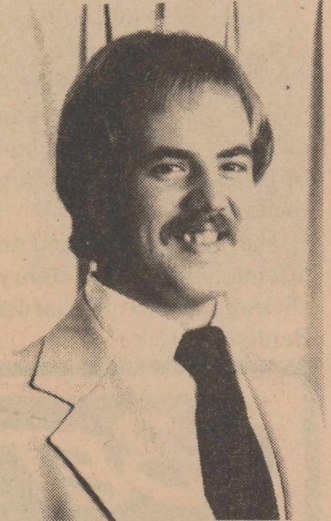
The First Baptist Church of Rotan will hold a Youth Led Revival entitled "Put Christ First". The date is set for October 27

through October 29, at 7:00 p.m. Three members of the Baptist Student Union from Hardin-Simmons University will be in charge of the revival. The group will also conduct the morning and evening services on Sunday.

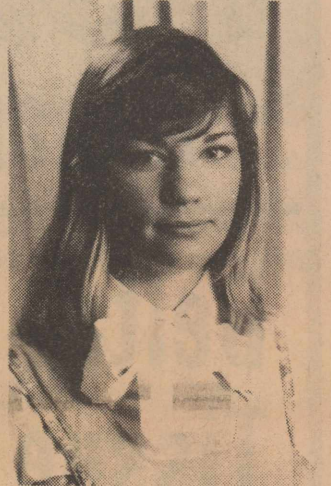
There will be a Youth Fellowship after services Friday, and Sunday at 6:00 p.m. Sunday is special attendance day, according to Rev. David Bugg, pastor. The goal is set for 260.



David Stevens



Wayne Shuffield, Jr.



Lea Ann King

# Midwest Electric To Construct New Office

Midwest Electric Cooperative announced plans this week to construct a new office building in Snyder, at the corner of 21st Street and College Avenue, just one block north of the new Spanish Inn.

The 3100 sq. ft. building will combine the office needs and those of the warehouse. There will be easy access to the office from both College Avenue and 21st Street, with plenty of off the street parking.

The need for a new place of business in Snyder has existed for many years, as crew sizes have increased, extra vehicles are being maintained, needed space for records has grown and the need for storage of materials continues to grow.

The Snyder city building permit was issued for a steel and masonry building costing \$133,390.00.

Wadleigh Construction Company of Snyder is the general contractor.

The construction of this building will not necessitate a rate increase of any kind, as the construction will be financed through a long term 35 year loan from R.E.A.



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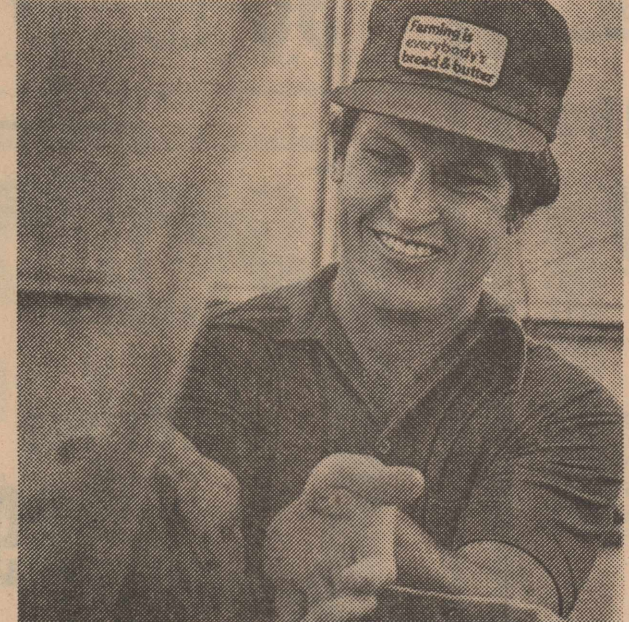
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## Rotan Cub Scouts Pushmobile Race

Den 1, Pack 175 Cubs from Rotan attended the 20th Annual Pushmobile Derby along with about 600 other Cub Scouts Sunday, October 22, in Abilene at the K-Mart parking lot.

The Cub Scouts entered a 3 wheel red car called

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Attending the Rotan Homecoming and visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lon Weems over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Rob Ramby, Jayson and Denise of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Don Weems, LaJenia and Teresa, Mrs. Helen Weems of Crosbyton and a friend Mrs. Elmer Norris of Ralls. Helen and Mrs. Norris also visited Helen's mother Mrs. Bettis in the Rest Home in Roby.

Spirit, built by Mr. Donald Gruben and the boys.

The Cubs came in first place in the first two races, and finished in 2nd place in the final race of the 8 year olds.

Those attending were Cub Scouts Todd Gruben, Bryan Barnes, Darrian Ragan, Steve McClain, Shane Teichelman, Donnie Carl Gruben, Mitchell Whitefield and Glen Overby.

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High youth unemployment figures--according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics--aren't seriously affected by economic swings. The rate stays high in both good and bad years.

## Salvation Army Drive Underway

Mr. Mac Weathersbee, chairman Service Unit, announced that the Salvation Army drive started Tuesday, October 24, at 7:00 a.m. with a breakfast for all captains and workers at the Trail's End Restaurant.

The money raised during this drive will be used locally to help the less fortunate to help themselves. This aid will be given in the form of groceries, clothes, shoes, rent, utilities, medical aid or any other need deemed necessary by the local service unit. In addition to local aid, part of the money will be used to support the following State agencies: Home and Hospital for Unwed Mothers, Home for Neglected Girls, Rehabilitation Centers for Alcohol-

ics and Drug Addicts, Homes for the Elderly, Summer Camp for Boys and Disaster Services.

In addition to Mr. Weathersbee, the local

unit consists of Mrs. N.O. Johnson, treasurer; Mr. Roy Kingsfield, Mr. Bartlett Strayhorn, Mr. J.M. Jackson and Mrs. Mark Cave Jr. as members.

## Hustlin' Round Hobbs

By Mrs. Jimmy Walker

We sure had lovely weather last week, but now it has started raining and we are sure proud of that. We have measured almost 2 inches here at the house, and it's supposed to rain again today and tomorrow. Will sure be good pasture rains and it is falling so slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid visited with Mr. and Mrs. Windle Kincaid over the weekend, and also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kincaid and Jan Kincaid, all from Deere Park. They were here for the Rotan Homecoming.

Mrs. Larry McBeth from Abilene spent a few days with Mrs. Bea Hardin. She came Tuesday and returned home Friday. Mrs. Fannie Davis, Lester's cousin, from Eden, visited with Bea Tuesday through Thursday. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hardin visited with Bea also Kenneth Hardin and Wes. Mrs. Bea Hardin and Mrs. McBeth went to Roscoe on Thursday to watch the 9th grade play football. Wes Hardin plays on the Rotan 9th grade team. Joe Hardin and Marge Peters from Abilene spent Saturday morning with Bea. Saturday afternoon Bea went to Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Barnes and visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hardin and family.

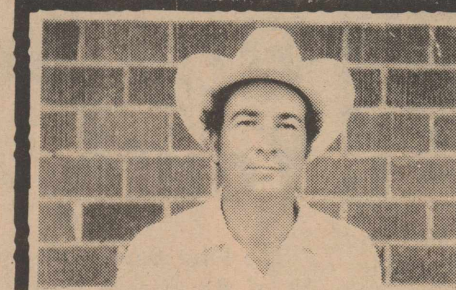
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Shanks from Lebanon, Oregon, returned home Sunday afternoon after visiting friends and relatives in and around the community. They also attended church at Hobbs Sunday morning.

Eddie Williams is back in Fisher County Hospital but seems to be getting along just fine. We hope that he will continue to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker went to Roscoe Thursday afternoon to watch the 7th grade football game between Rotan and Roscoe. We also watched the other two games. Melody was home for this weekend so we went to Rotan's Homecoming game and it was really a beautiful night for it.

Jim Ratliff isn't feeling good this week, has some fever, and we hope that he will soon begin to get better. He has sure been having bad luck, as they just get one thing cleared up and something else happens. We hope to hear that he will soon be feeling lots better.

Not too much news this week, as this wet weather and the muddy roads have been keeping folks at home. Hobbs is having their Homecoming this Saturday, so looks like they will be playing in the mud. See you next week.



## Fisher County AGENT NEWS

by Richard Spencer

The bulk of the small grain in Fisher County has been planted and is up to a good stand. With the

## After Glow To Sing At Sardis Sunday

Sardis Baptist Church will have a fellowship Sunday, Oct. 28, following morning worship services. A group of singers entitled "After Glow" will bring special music with Annette Greenwood from Hawley coming to present testimony.

Mrs. Greenwood has just returned from a Lay-Witness trip to Korea. Fellowship will be held in the Fellowship hall immediately following these services.

The public is invited to attend, according to Henry Dickson, pastor of Sardis Baptist Church.

rains this week it should be ready to graze soon. The hungry cattle and sheep that were short on grass all summer should enjoy the lush grazing. If fields weren't fertilized, producers might consider top dressing 30 pounds of nitrogen on their small grain. The moisture to make is pay is available.

Now is the time to plan your fertility program for spring. Fertilizer applications should be based on a soil test, and fall is a good time to take soil samples for testing.

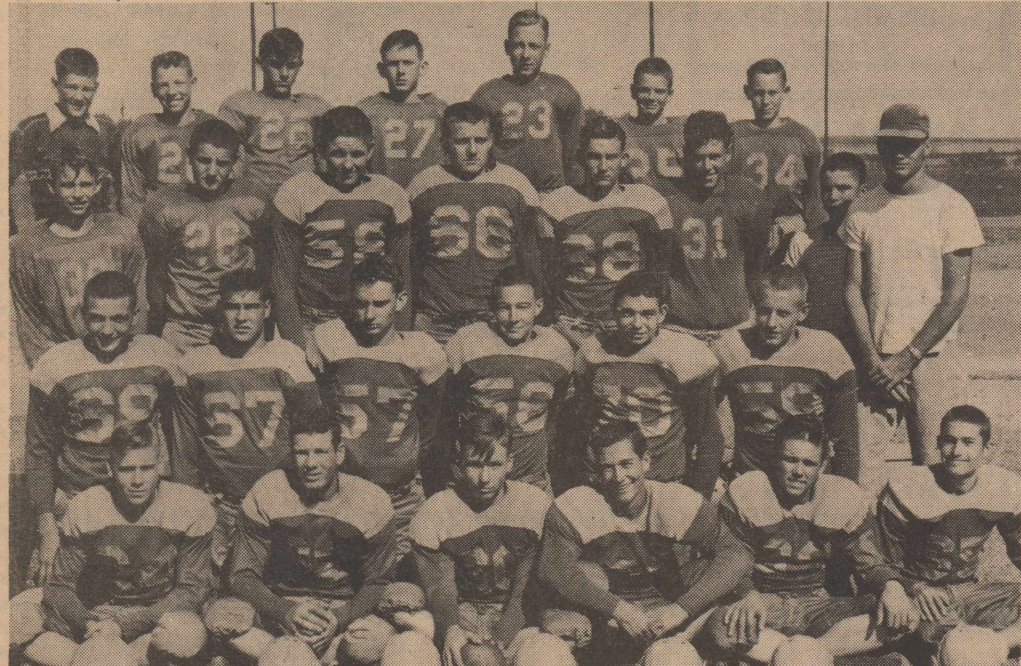
Containers and instructions for submitting soil samples are available at the county Extension Office. Based on a soil test, a sound fertilization program can be developed for the coming crop year.

Such a program will be increasingly important in the months ahead. Under

present economic conditions, low yields are not profitable, and fertilization, at least with nitrogen, is generally necessary for profitable yields. Yet, the need for each plant nutrient and its potential profitability should be close evaluated.

For additional information on fertilizer use in our county, producers are invited to review the 1977 and 1978 handbooks of result demonstration. Various fertilizer rates were used on different crops to determine the highest profit potential, and these studies merit close evaluation.

With current high production costs, uncertainty about farm prices, and other risks in crop production, farmers must study their fertilizer needs more closely than ever to make sound management decisions.



HOBBS 1949 FOOTBALL TEAM: Left to right, front row, Donald W. Helms, Jimmy Hardin, J.W. Henderson, Luther Clegg, Clarence Minton, Albert Phillips. Row two, Bill Etheredge, Boyce Lay, Dean Acker, Ferlin Tutt, Curly Neeves, Leland Moffett. Row 3, Pud Neaves, unidentified, Leland Driver, John Stribling, Jr., Thomas Pearce, Weldon Hayes, Don Cave, Coach Klepper. Row 4, Jackie Cave, George Ogden, Truitt Eaton, Ralph Willingham, Kenneth Rasco, Kenneth Hardin, Jackie Wayne Etheredge.

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# Roby City Commission Approves Securing Pickups

The members of the Roby City Commission met recently and approved the first step in securing two new pickups to replace two existing vehicles currently being used by the City of Roby.

Roby City Manager Jimmy Price indicated this week that the Roby Commission authorized him to begin advertising for bids on the new vehicles.

In other action, the Fisher County Water Authority agreed to pay their pro-rata share of pumping costs for water that goes to the Sylvester-McCaulley

area. This information was revealed to the council after a discussion with Price and representatives of the Fisher County

## Roby Lions Set For Sterling City Game

The Roby Lions fought a tough battle against the Jayton Jaybirds, but lost the District 3-B match 14 to 6. Fumbles were a factor in the loss of the game. Things looked good when the Lions scored on a 49 yd. run by wingback Al

Water Authority.

The City of Roby agreed to give the City of Rotan an increase in the charges for using the sanitary land fill.

Gonzalez with 1:13 left in the first quarter. The extra point try failed.

After the kick to Jayton, the Jaybirds drove to Roby's 3 yd. line, fumbled and recovered by Lion Shelby Thompson. Things were going Roby's way as Britt Stuart made a good run to the 50 yd. line. Later, a fumble and recovery by the Birds set up a drive that resulted in their first touchdown in the 2nd quarter. The PAT was good. Jayton was set for another touchdown minutes before the half, but the strong Roby defense held them twice on the one yd. line.

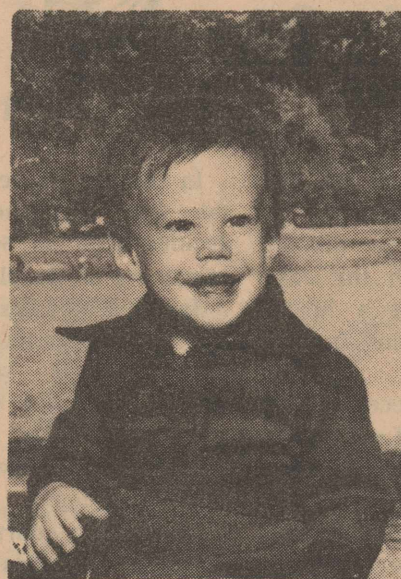
The third quarter, both teams were held scoreless. With 2:16 left in the game, Jayton scored their last TD. PAT conversion was good making the final score 14-6.

## Hobbs Has Wood Gathering Contest

All four grades at Hobbs High School are involved in a contest to see which class can gather the most wood for the Homecoming Bonfire and pep rally which will be Friday, Oct. 27, at 7:30 p.m. on the school grounds.

The class with the most wood will receive a prize.

## Grandparents' Corner



James Eric Lawlis, 19 months of Tatum, New Mexico, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Lawlis. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lawlis of Tatum, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Dyer of Crocker, Mo. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gruben of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lawlis of Hamlin, Mrs. Pat Rush of Ranger. Great-great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stoumbaugh of Crocker, Mo. and Mr. Charley Dyer of Tulsa, Okla.



Lisa Summers

## Engagement Set

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Summers announce the engagement of their daughter, Lisa Jan, to Darrell Wayne Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson of El Reno, Oklahoma.

Lisa is a graduate of Rotan High School and will graduate May 1979 from Southwestern Oklahoma

State University with a BS degree in Elementary Education. Darrell is a graduate of Cordova High School in Cordova, Alaska, and a student at Southwestern Oklahoma State University.

The couple plan a January 1, 1979 wedding and will make their home in El Reno, Oklahoma.

## Leisure Lodge Report

By Ima Berry

We welcome Jack Hale to our home. He came from Fisher County Hospital on Monday to join Rose. We are so happy to have him with us.

Three of our residents are in the Fisher County Hospital, they are Katie Aaron, Maudie Moize and Etta Hale. Hope they will all be home soon.

Many thanks for our Sunday School class from First Baptist Church and also to Overa Jones for her volunteer services each Monday.

We would like to have more volunteers like Overa and June Anderson who come on Thursday and help us with our crafts. We really appreciate Overa and June.

Thanks to Mrs. Sam Hamm for the beautiful bouquet she gave us.

Mrs. Bertha Davis was visited by Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Bahl of Graham. Mrs. Bahl is Bertha's great niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Curlee of Gruver visited Rollie Curlee over the weekend.

Miss Lunk Kolb of Sweetwater visited Emily Kolb.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Crawford of Odessa visited Bud Crawford over the weekend.

Visiting Maud Gruben were Mr. and Mrs. Valton Gruben of Tulia and Inez Purser of Merkel.

Helen Brower of El Paso and Jack Barker of Roby visited Mary Lu Barker.

The Horace Curlees of Gruver, Bill and Sally Etheredge of Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Simmons of San Angelo visited the Tom Simmons.

Jackie Noles of Gatesville visited her mother Myrtle Lewis.

We hope the little ghosts and goblins will remember to come by early on Halloween. We will be looking for them. See you next week.

## Hobbs School Annual Halloween Carnival

The Hobbs School annual Halloween Carnival will be Tuesday, October 31, starting with a Halloween Play presented by the first through fourth grade students, to be held in the auditorium at 6:00 p.m. Immediately following will be the coronation of the Halloween Kings and Queens. The classes are asking a penny a vote for their candidates, the one with the most votes will be crowned at the coronation.

There will be three divisions with a King and Queen to be chosen from each. The elementary division consists of the following: Kindergarten, Christi Nettleton and Jerry Gauana; first grade, Aaron Porter and Jennifer Pullig; second grade, Paige Stroman and Shawn Finley; third grade, Matt Cave and Jennifer Nettleton; fourth grade, Sheila Clawson and Paul Hyer. The Jr. High division consists of: fifth grade, Traci Polk and Mark Gordon; sixth grade, Penny Price and Jeffery Martinez; seventh grade, Matt Martinez and Diane Alaniz; eighth grade, Billie Martin and Danny Allen. High School division includes: Freshman, Sylvia Alaniz and Junior Miranda; Sophomore, Irma Miranda and Walter Cave; Junior, Jeff Anderle and Anitra Hyer; Senior, Debra Teel and Johnny Medrano.

The Carnival will be held in the school gym immediately following the coronation. The 3rd and 4th grades will be selling

## Named To Honor Roll

The following Rotan students were named to the honor roll.

Sixth grade: Cathy Conner, Tony Gruben and Gala Johnson.

Seventh grade: Vance Thompson.

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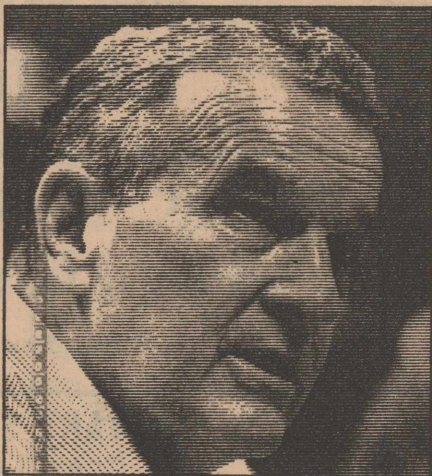
- Give Texans the right of initiative and referendum, a phrase that means we, the people, have a right to vote on the taxes to be levied on us.
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# Inside The Lion's Den

Don Bagwell



On Friday, Oct. 20, the Roby Lions traveled to Jayton for a district showdown with the Jaybirds and lost a heart-breaking decision by the score of 14-6.

The Lions received the opening kickoff and drove 80 yards for the first score of the game in just 6 plays. Al Gonzalez broke 48 yds. for the touchdown but the kick attempt failed and the score remained at 6-0, Roby. Jayton recovered a Lion fumble at the Roby 43 and drove it in for the tying TD and the EP kick put the Jaybirds ahead 7-6.

Roby was able to break several long runs on Jayton but was not able to maintain any consistency throughout the game. Neither team was able to score in the middle part of the game, but Jayton put together a time consuming 88 yd. drive and scored the final TD with 2:16 left in the 4th quarter and the final score stood at Jayton 14-Roby 6.

We felt like we should have won the game, but we were not intense enough on offense and did not take advantage of the breaks we received and the excellent field position we had most of the game. We averaged 6.3 yds. a carry on offense as compared to Jayton's 3.8 yds. per carry and in most games this would have won for us.

The leading rushers were Britt Stuart with 116 yds. on 16 carries and Al Gonzalez with 55 yds. on 8 carries. Timmy Morton caught one pass for 20 yds.

The leading tacklers were Danny Terry with 5 tackles and 28 assists, Britt Stuart with 1 tackle and 26 assists. Brad Wilburn with 2 tackles and 24 assists, and Shelby Thompson with 2 tackles, 17 assists, 1 fumble recovery and 1 interception.

Our next game is against Sterling City, Friday, October 27, at Lion Field, starting at 7:30. The the Eagles are coming off a big win over Garden City and should prove to be a formidable foe, so come on out and give the Lions your support.

### Roby Cub Report

If its excitement you like in a Junior High game, the Cubs provide their share. Last Thursday night the Cubs defeated the Jayton Jaybirds in both 7th and 8th grade games. In the 7th grade game the Cubs won 14-0. On the opening play Frankie Gonzalez carried the ball 55 yards to set up the TD from the 15. Frankie Gonzalez scored 8 points and Joe Carreon scored 6 points for the 7th grade.

In the 8th grade game the final outcome was decided with 30 seconds remaining on the clock.

Jayton scored first in the first quarter ending a 55 yd. drive.

The Cubs got on the scoreboard in the second quarter on 4th down and short yardage. Robby King broke a quarterback sneak for 55 yards and a TD. Lyndell Martin scored the EP, making the score 8-8.

Twice in the third quarter, Jayton had the ball inside the 6 yd. line but a tough defensive effort on the Cubs' part put a stop to the Jaybirds.

Late in the 4th quarter the Cubs began to rally. Jerry Wallace caught a 25 yd. pass from Robby King to put the Cubs deep in Jaybird territory.

With 30 seconds left in the game Jerry Wallace caught a 12 yd. pass from Robby King for a TD. The extra point attempt failed and the Cubs went ahead 14-8. Joe Carreon and Terry Coker each had pass interceptions in the game.

Statistics: Defense; Robby King 1 tackle 8 assists; Jerry Wallace 5 assists, Terry Coker 1 assist, Lyndell Martin 2 tackles 10 assists, Forrest Graham 5 assists, Jamie Hayes 5 assists, Kirk Williamson 10 assists, Larry Williams 2 tackles 5 assists, Steve Rivas 1 tackle 5 assists, Joe Carreon 3 tackles 8 assists, Terry Coker one pass interception, Joe Carreon one pass interception. Offense; Jerry Wallace 2 receptions for 37 yards, one TD; Robby King 4 carries for 43 yards, one TD; Lyndell Martin 8 carries for 33 yds., one extra point; Kirk Williamson 9 carries for 33 yards.

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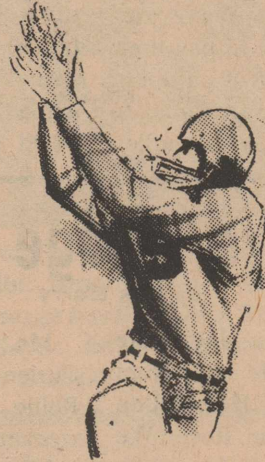
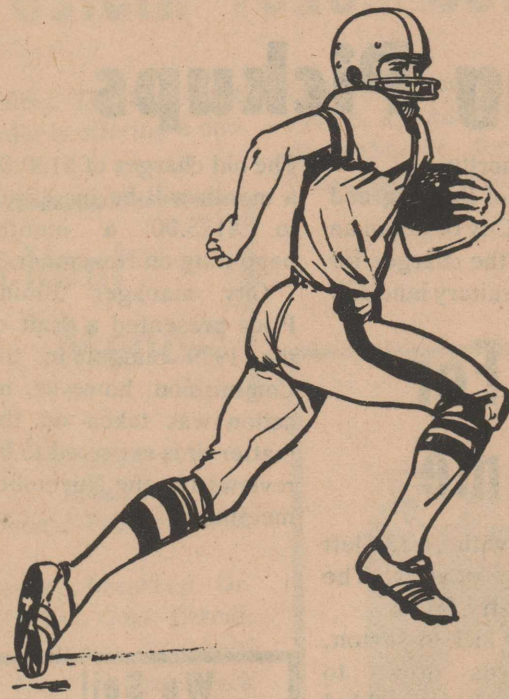
The City of Roby, Texas will receive bids for two (2) 1979 Pickups. Description as follows: one-half (1/2) ton custom cab, 133 W/Base, long wide bed, 351 engine. Optionals, bid separately.

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City of Roby, Texas  
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City Manager  
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# ROBY LIONS



Game Time & Place  
Roby Lions  
VS.  
Sterling City Eagles  
Oct. 27 7:30 p.m. Here

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	PLACE	WE	THEY
SEPT. 8	ASPERMONT	8:00	H	12	6
SEPT. 15	HAWLEY	8:00	T	14	0
SEPT. 22	BRONTE	8:00	T	8	21
SEPT. 29	RULE	8:00	H	6	22
OCT. 6	MILES	8:00	T	19	16
OCT. 13	GARDEN CITY*	7:30	H	42	16
OCT. 20	JAYTON*	7:30	T	6	14
OCT. 27	STERLING CITY*	7:30	H		
NOV. 3	LORLAINE*	7:30	T		
NOV. 10	BORDEN COUNTY*	7:30	H		

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## Funeral Services

### Elsie Opal Harvey

Elsie Opal Harvey, 67, of Roby died at 1 a.m. Wednesday, Oct. 18, in Fisher County Hospital after a sudden illness. Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in First United Methodist Church in Roby.

The Rev. Loren Gardner, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Palava Cemetery.

Born Elsie Opal Ammons March 11, 1911, in the Busby community of Fisher County, she married Marvin P. Etter Oct. 22, 1932. He died Aug. 1, 1953.

She married Wiley J. "Dub" Harvey Sept. 7, 1956, in Roby. She was a Methodist and was the organist at First United Methodist Church in Roby. She was a retired employee of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, retiring after 25 years. She

graduated from Roby High School and had lived in Fisher County all her life. She also attended Texas Tech.

Survivors include her husband; two sisters, Mrs. C.A. (Dorothy) Hall of Sweetwater and Mrs. Lloyd (Arlene) Neepfer of Snyder; four brothers, C.A. Ammons of Lubbock, Johnnie Ammons of Azle, Ralph Ammons of Roby and Ernest Ammons of Fort Worth.

A brother, Mondel (Corky) Ammons, preceded her in death.

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TAKE PART IN HOMECOMING: Two children of Rotan ex-students took part in the halftime homecoming activities last Friday night. Left to right, Shanna Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Bennett, and Jeff Cave, son of Mr. and Mrs. Haldean Cave.

## Sylvester Talk

News From Sylvester, Texas

By Peggy Kelly

I hope everyone enjoyed this past week. It really has been pretty and everyone is sure staying busy.

We've had several new people moving into our community and there were two house warmings given this past week. The first was Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gardner who moved from Odessa and we're really glad to have them. Mr. and Mrs. Danny Moffett have moved here from Mesquite, and we are really glad to have them as a part of our community.

David Estes had a birthday on the 10th of this month so here is a happy birthday to you Dave. I am sure there were plenty more birthdays in October and I want to wish each of you Happy Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Buck and their two children, Sean and Shanna, have just gotten a new home and they are really fixing it pretty. Congratulations to you, I know you are proud of it.

The First Baptist Church in Sylvester is having a Halloween carnival Saturday the 28th, at 7:30. All ages are invited, anyone who would like to come is invited.

Lt. Russ Qualic, a recent graduate of West Point, visited in the J.M. Lanning home Sunday week. Lt. Qualic was in Major J.W. Lanning's company at West Point. The Lt. is now stationed at Fort Sill, Okla.

Mrs. Roy Kiser (Stella) and Martha Williams had their cousin, L.J. Ward and his wife visiting from Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ward from Seagraves, and also their sister Inez Spikes from Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Bryant from Houston were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Ford this past week. Bessie May is Blackie's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Brown are back from Temple and I'm really glad everything turned out alright for you Buford. Be sure and take care of yourself.

Sam Vinson, 79, of Merkel died at 11:45 a.m. Friday in the Starr Nursing Home after a long illness. Born, Dec. 18, 1898, in Jones County, he had lived in this area most of his life. He married Grace Irene Galloway Sept. 11, 1926 in Anson. He was a farmer and rancher and a member of the Church of Christ. Survivors include his wife; four sons, Lee and Dink both of Merkel, Doyle of McCaulley and Don of Ft. Worth; a daughter, Wanda Waldon of Merkel; a brother, Roy of Abilene; a sister, Bertha Wells of Merkel; 12 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Pastor of Sylvester Baptist Church, Rev. P.A. Mitcham, conducted the funeral service in the Starbuck Funeral Home in Merkel Saturday.

## McCaulley Carnival

The McCaulley School Halloween Carnival will be Tuesday, Oct. 31, at 6:30 p.m. in the Eagle gym. Each class will be in charge of a fun booth. The proceeds will be used for class projects.

Junior and senior classes will sponsor bingo and the concession stand; sophomore and freshmen, basketball throw; 7th and 8th grades, spook house; 5th and 6th grades, cake walk; 3rd and 4th, wishing well; 1st and 2nd, fishing

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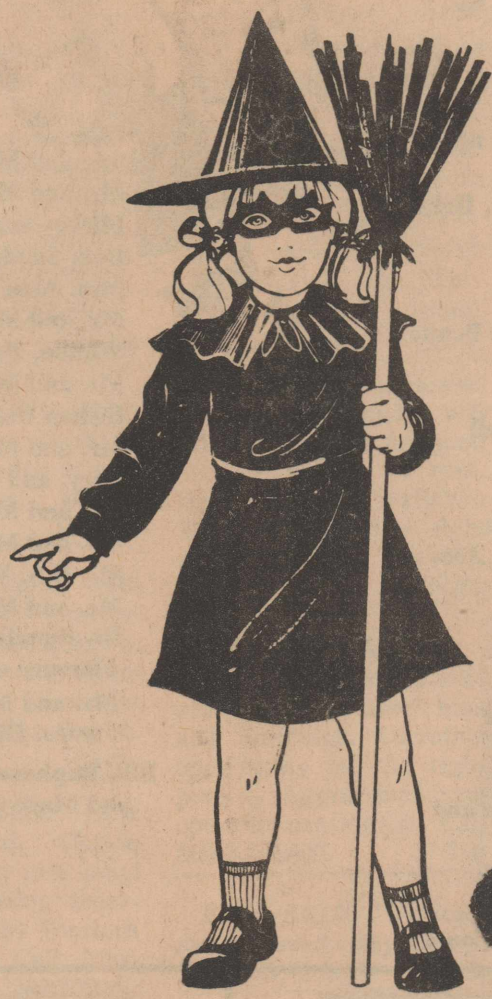
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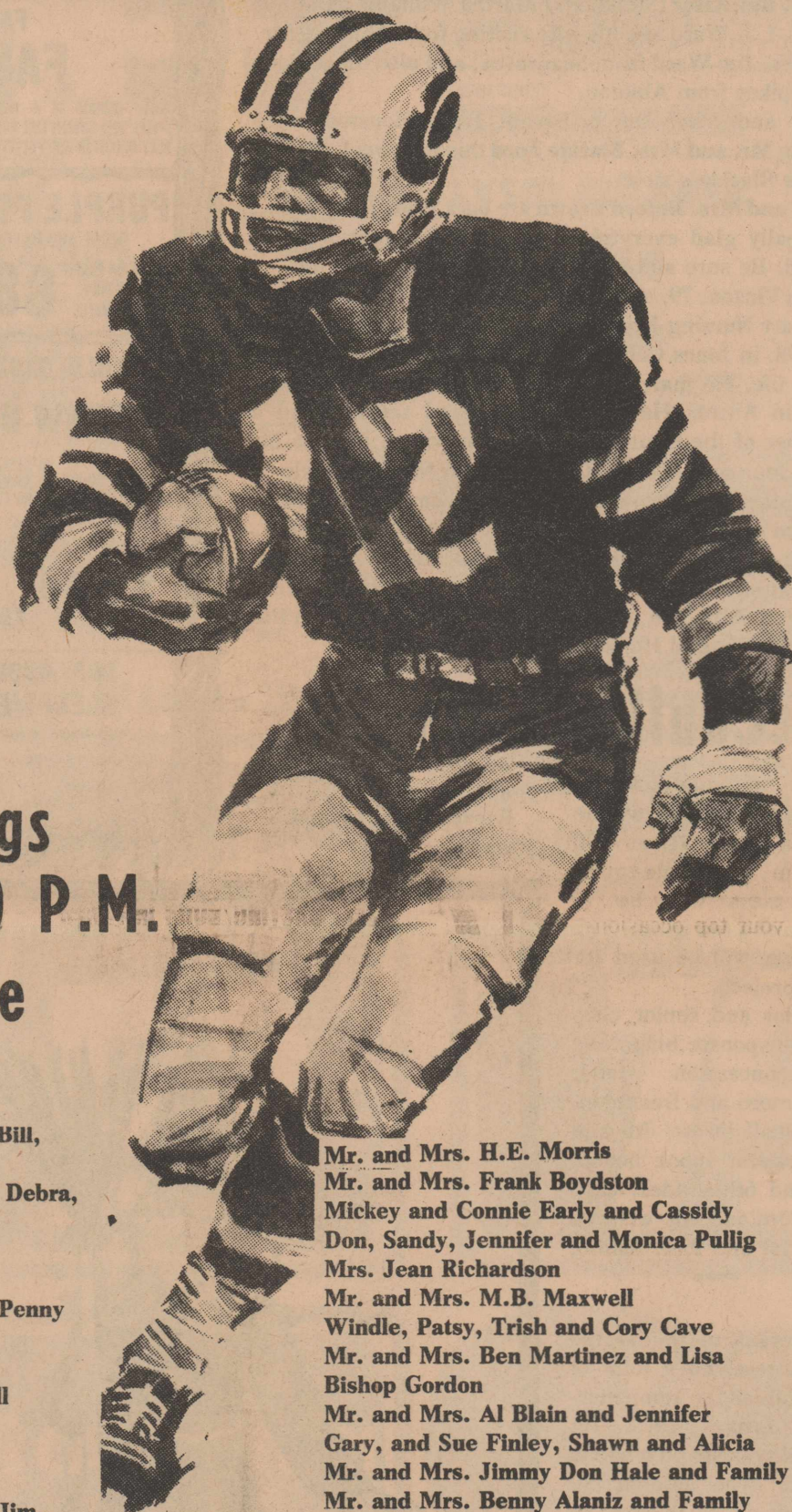
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## Game Time & Place

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SEPT. 8	WEINERT	8:00	H	14	6
SEPT. 15	BRYSON	8:00	T	0	14
SEPT. 22	LEEDERS AVOCA	8:00	T	12	32
OCT. 6	SOUTHLAND	7:00	H	16	6
OCT. 13	HERMLEIGH	7:00	T	12	49
OCT. 20	OPEN				
OCT. 28	IRA	7:00	H		
NOV. 3	TRENT	7:00	H		
NOV. 10	HIGHLAND	7:00	T		
NOV. 17	MCCAULLY	7:00	H		

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### Legal

A copy of the Revenue Sharing report for 1977 is available to the public at the Fisher County Clerk's Office during normal business hours, in the Fisher County Court House, Roby, Texas.

Dwight L. Lovett  
Fisher County Judge  
37-1tc

### Legal

Citation by Publication  
No. 4277

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: Charles M. Wyatt and W.P. Thurmon, if living and if deceased, the unknown heirs of each, the unknown surviving spouse of each, if any, and the unknown heirs of any deceased spouse, Defendants in the hereinafter-styled and numbered cause:

You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Fisher County, Texas, 32nd Judicial District to be held at the Courthouse of Said County in the City of Roby, Fisher County, Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, on or before 10:00 a.m. Monday, the 4th day of December, 1978, and answer the petition of Joseph I. O'Neill, Jr., Plaintiff in Cause No. 4277, styled "Joseph I. O'Neill, Jr., vs. Charles M. Wyatt and W.P. Thurmon", in which Joseph I. O'Neill, Jr. is the Plaintiff and the parties herein named as Defendants are Defendants, which Petition was filed in said Court on the 18th day of October, 1978, and the nature of which suit is, as follows:

Plaintiff seeks the appointment of a Receiver of the interest owned or claimed by Defendants in the oil and gas leasehold estate in the SW/4 of Section 10 and the NW/4 of Section 22, Block 21, T&P RR Co. Survey, Fisher County, Texas, containing, in the aggregate, 320 acres, more or less, with authority to execute and deliver to lessee an oil and gas lease covering the interests in the oil and gas leasehold estate owned or claimed by said Defendants upon such terms and conditions as the Court may prescribe, all as authorized by and in accordance with the provisions of Article 2320 (b), Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended.

If this Citation is not served within ninety (90) days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Witness, Eula Mae Hull, Clerk of the District Court of Fisher County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in the City of Roby, this the 18th day of October, 1978.

Eula Mae Hull,  
Clerk of the District Court of Fisher County, Texas

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**SNAGGING PASS:** One of the bright spots of the night last Friday in Rotan's 12-8 loss to Roscoe was Mark Henderson's pass catching abilities. He snagged 2 of 5 passes. Above, he hauls in his first of the night for a gain of 6 yards.

## Veterans Administration Questionnaire Is Coming

Inasmuch as the Veterans Administration is updating income information and medical expenses, all Veterans Administration beneficiaries receiving a non service pension will receive an annual income questionnaire card with their October check, which they will receive November 1.

This does include those pensioners who have not in previous years received a card. This will include veterans over 72 years of age and children receiving pension in their own behalf. It is imperative, according to Ed Deaton, Post Office Building, Roby, Texas, 776-2228, County Service Officer, that Veterans Administration beneficiaries receiving a non service pension immediately contact the Social Security Administration and/or any agency from which they are receiving retirement benefits. According to the County Service Officer, it is imperative that the right

amounts be reported in order that the beneficiary can receive the correct amount of pension. It is also imperative the beneficiary have with them when they bring the annual income questionnaire card to the County Service Officer, the total amount of medical expenses which have been paid during the year 1978, and which have not been reimbursed. These expenses include doctor, hospital, dental, drugs, hospitalization premiums, glasses and cost of nursing home

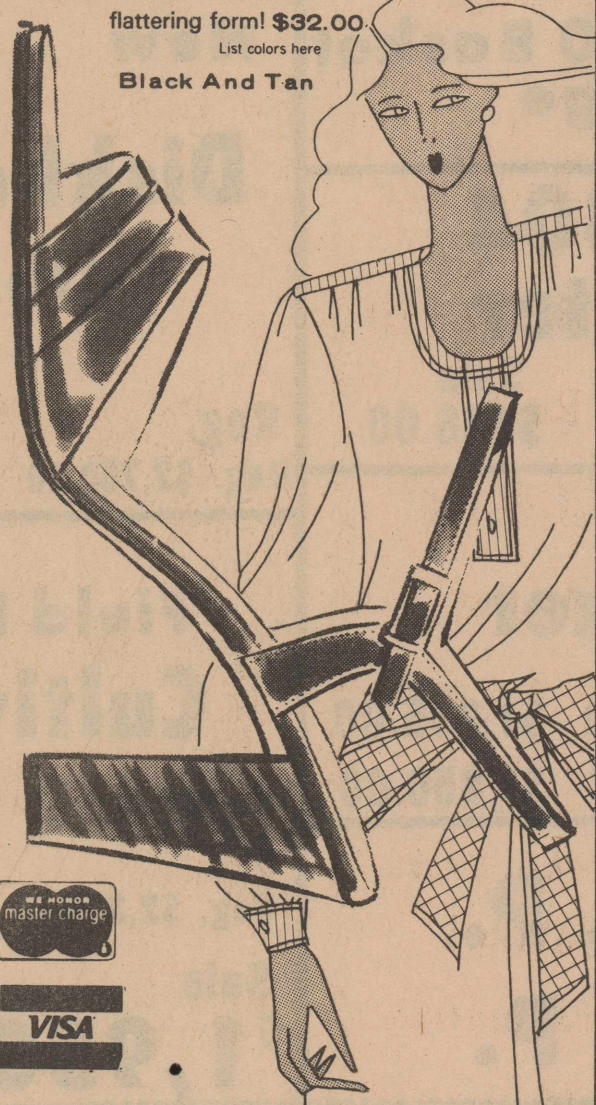
Blow your top occasionally when there's a good reason, advises a family life education specialist. Most people understand that you are human too, explains Dorothy Taylor with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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Leather refers to jippers.

## Ogden Grocery Hit By Chain Smoker

Ogden's Grocery store was burglarized last week and a total of \$320.00 in cigarettes and grocery items was stolen, according to Assistant Police Chief Johnny Walker.

### Ark La Gas Sets Tests

Arkansas Louisiana Gas Company reported that sidetracking operations have begun on the No. 1 Cobb in Marshall County, Oklahoma for a new test of the Springer formation at an estimated depth of 17,350.

The well will be whipstocked at approximately 15,500 feet and redrilled to the Springer. Mechanical problems resulted in adverse hole conditions which led to the decision to deviate the hole. It is estimated that 60 to 75 days will be required to redrill and complete the well.

Arkansas Louisiana Gas Company has a 50 percent interest, Tipperary Corporation has a 37 1/2 percent interest and MGF Oil Corporation has a 12 1/2 percent interest. Both the latter companies are of Midland, Texas.

The incident was investigated by Walker and Sheriff Mickey Counts.

Late last Thursday, Oct. 19, a few hours after the incident was reported to the police, Walker received a call saying that the items had been found in a vacant house at the intersection of McArthur and Lincoln by two neighborhood children.

Rotan Police and Sheriff Department personnel are still investigating the incident. Anyone with any knowledge of the incident is asked to contact either Assistant Chief Walker or Sheriff Counts.



Hank and Cindy Day of San Angelo are the parents of a baby boy, Lucas Jackson, 7 lbs. 8 1/2 ozs., born October 13, at 2:45 p.m. in Angelo Community Hospital. Grandparents are Bill and Elaine Day and Charlie and Betty Helms. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Lota Kennedy.

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## Hobbs Pigskin Talk

By Mickey Early

We once again came out on top this week, winning our open date. The game was so easy there was "no contest".

We spent the last week working on the basics of football--blocking and tackling. We have worked hard and I hope this rain does not ruin all we have worked for. A few days of rain makes a team sleepy and we could lose our timing and smooth blocking. We have failed to block well this year and I hope we can show an improvement against Ira.

I would like to take this weeks article to praise the hard work of a great bunch of young men. Wayne Jones has been the spark of our team, both offensively and defensively. He is our leading ball carrier and well deserves all the praise that the district coaches have given him this year. David Etheredge has shown times of improvement and quality playing and has given a possible threat for our offense. Mike Porter has shown that he can play football with the big boys.

As a freshman he will still be used a great deal this year and I hope to use him at quarterback more as he gains experience. Jeff Anderle has played many positions this year and has done well at all of them. Jeff can help out any where he is needed.

Dennis Wright has done an excellent job at defensive lineman this year and adds a great deal of offensive blocking. Bennie Medrano has been injured the past two weeks, but in the past he has been one of the best tacklers on the team. Johnny Medrano has excellent speed and is now becoming a good consistent ball player. Paferio Molano has provided a field goal threat that we did not have and this helps our offense put points on the board in the clutch moments. Raymond Cantu has provided great depth for our team. He came out late for the season but has provided us with a man that can play when we need him. Todd White has done a great job snapping the ball this year and has provided good defensive lineman help also. Todd Etheredge and David McGrew have shown great team spirit and have helped us in back-up depth. They both will provide good strength in the future years with more experience. Walter Cave has been a super ball player this year. He has the speed to get deep on a pass and the hands to catch the ball. Our problem has been the arm to get him the ball, without a passing threat it is impossible to have a running game. Walter has also played great defense this year.

All these young men are what make coaching worth it all. At 12-16 hours a day and nothing but problems and headaches, coaching can make a person want to let all those sideline coaches that never played ball have it, but when it's all said and done the boys

are what you are out there for and it feels great to mold boys into men through the game of football.

Hobbs has been good to me and to all the team members and we intend to continue to provide you with good sportsman like participation and defend the Panther Country.

The loss of Jim Ratliff and Billy Allen was a great disappointment. We love these young men as team mates and hope to have them back with us soon. Billy will be able to play basketball and Jim will be back soon.

## Gold Bond Moves From Buffalo To N. C.

The headquarters of the Gold Bond Building Products Division of National Gypsum Company, one of the nation's largest producers and distributors of building materials, has moved from Buffalo, New York, to Charlotte, North Carolina.

The decision to relocate was the result of a comprehensive study to find the location that would be in the best interest of Gold Bond's progress and future growth.

Gold Bond, the nation's second largest producer of gypsum wallboard, produces a variety of building materials, including ceiling tile, acoustical panels, siding, sheathing, drywall and metal accessories, lime, roof decking and over a hundred other products at its 33 manufacturing facilities.

Gold Bond also operates 9 mines and quarries and

## Stenholm Caravan Due In County

A bus caravan loaded with supporters of Charles Stenholm for Congress will visit Roby and Rotan Tuesday, October 31. The bus will be met by local volunteers for Stenholm when it arrives in each town. The visit has been arranged by J.B. Cooper, area coordinator; and Parker Wetsel of Roby and Bobby Gruben of Rotan, Fisher County coordinators for Stenholm.

Stenholm and his wife Cindy will accompany the group of volunteers meeting the people, answering questions and passing out campaign literature con-

cerning Stenholm. Stenholm is the Democratic nominee for the 17th Congressional District.

Stenholm, a farmer-businessman from Stamford, won the Democratic nomination in a landslide, two to one victory in the June 3 runoff. He is seeking the post being vacated by the retiring, veteran legislator Omar Burleson. Burleson has endorsed Stenholm as "his successor" on numerous occasions.

Stenholm, 39, has based his campaign on seven major issues facing America: inflation, agriculture, paperwork, energy, free enterprise and defense. "The direction of our country must be changed" states Stenholm.

"Government spending must be reduced. Taxes must be cut substantially to provide private investment capital. The Federal budget must be balanced" Stanholm has repeatedly told his followers.

Speaking of agriculture, Stenholm states, "The most critical problem facing agriculture today is low farm prices received vs. high cost of production. Supply management and improved marketing are vital to a profitable agriculture."

"Government 'red-tape' will cost the American public over \$100 billion in 1978. Government bureaucracy that restricts or hinders private initiative must be eliminated."

"We must deregulate domestic oil and gas production and support development of non-depletable resources such as solar energy for our future needs," Stenholm says on energy.

has 36 sales offices, one of which is in Charlotte. Its 20th and most modern gypsum plant will soon go into operation at Wilmington, North Carolina.

## Sandy Oliver Gets Degree At A.C.U.

Sandy Oliver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Oliver of Rule, was one of 123 undergraduate degree candidates at Abilene Christian University during the annual summer commencement exercises held August 18 in the University Church of Christ auditorium.

Miss Oliver, a 1975 graduate of Rule High School, graduated cum laude with the bachelor of science degree in physical education.

## Fisher County Nursing Home

We are happy to recognize our out of town visitors. Mrs. Beulah Moffett was visited by Mr. and Mrs. Onus Moffett of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Moffett of Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Essie Eaton went out with daughter Nadie Jenkins of Aspermont.

Mrs. Tishie Hayes had visitors from Hamlin over the weekend.

Mrs. Lizzie Owens went out for church Sunday morning.

Mrs. Jim Blount and Lea Beth from Odessa visited with Luline Blount.

Hilton Cross' daughter, Dottie Beeson, and friend Joel Fink, both of Odessa, visited Hilton and his mother, Sadie Cross. Dottie and Joel brought each patient a pumpkin filled with every kind of candy imaginable. The residents are still aglow from the treat.

Alice Sutton was visited by Rocky Roberts and friends. They brought Alice a lovely gift and many laughs. She told me that the boys played the piano and the residents enjoyed it.

Fisher County wants to feature a resident each week in our article. The feature resident this week is Mrs. Artie Pearl Adams. Mrs. Adams was born April 6, 1878 in Erath County. She married Sam Adams Dec. 7, 1903. They

moved to Fisher County in 1907. Mrs. Adams had three girls and one boy. The son died in 1960. Mr. Adams died in 1949. Mrs. Adams was admitted to Fisher County Nursing Home Oct. 7, 1977. She celebrated her 100th birthday in the home. Mrs. Adams belongs to the Methodist Church. Although she does not participate in the nursing home activities, she loves to visit with the staff and residents.

The residents want to invite the trick or treaters by the home. They are sacking up candy for the occasion. Please come early as some of our residents retire at this time.

The residents enjoyed some lovely singing presented by the Fisher County Singers.

"The smallest deed is better than the greatest intention."

See you next week.



HOBBS CHEERLEADERS- 1961-62: Left to right, Berta Martinez, Reva Jo Hull and Loretta Cave.

**Congratulations To Carl Martin Who Was 80 Years Old October 16th**

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# McCaulley Eagles

## Football Notes

By Bennie Rathke



The McCaulley Eagles are now 1-2 in district 2B competition following a very close game with Highland. The Hornets won the game with no time on the clock, 44-42 on a very controversial pass interference call. Scoring for the Eagles were: Donny Gardner 3 touchdowns, Earl Williams 2 touchdowns, and Fernando Romero 1 touchdown. James Jeffrey kicked 3 two-point conversions.

The Eagles will have a much needed rest this week. Hopefully, by next Friday quarterback James Jeffrey will be back at full strength. He sprained an ankle and stretched the ligaments in his foot, but he is recovering real well. The Eagles' next games will be with the Southland Eagles.

The game was a real important one for the Eagles who are trying to rebuild after a couple of bad seasons. I feel we are just now getting to where we can compete with the caliber of people in our district. The team shows a lot of enthusiasm despite two very close losses to Trent and Highland. The Eagles may be the most improved team in the area. Hopefully, with a little experience the Eagles will be district contenders in the future. I think we have already gained some respect from other teams in the district.

The Junior High will play host to the Hermleigh Cardinals Thursday at 6:00 p.m. The Junior High record is now 3-2. I

certainly think it will be a 5-2 record following the

next two games. But we are certainly going to have to play much better than we have the last two games.

We'll see you all Thursday night. Let's back our Eagles all the way.

## Country Store Booth

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Fisher County Hospital will have a Country Store booth at the Rotan Halloween Carnival, Tuesday, October 31, in the old gym at 6:30 p.m. The booth will provide such items as homemade cakes and pies, and other items.

All members of the Auxiliary are asked to furnish something to be sold at the carnival booth.

## Class Of 1944 Had A Get Together

Following the football game Friday night, Bobby and Gene Hayes entertained a few classmates from the Class of 1944.

Those attending were Neva Morrow Carlton, Hamlin; Dorothy Underhill Boyd, Hurst; Theo McCombs, Northcott, Hobbs, N.M.; Bernice and Bettie Hargrove, Horace and Betty Carter and Carl and Mary Singley, all of Rotan.

Everyone enjoyed visiting and remembering old times.

Plans were started for a 35th class reunion in 1979.

## Activities Set For Rotan High

Several activities for the coming week at Rotan High are: Student Congress meeting Thursday, Oct. 26, during second period.

There will be an Assembly on Thursday at 1:45 p.m. and activity pictures will be taken on Friday, Oct. 27.

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**WHO ARE THEY:** Two former Hobbs school students that are still living in Fisher County. The young lady was a member of the Hobbs basketball team in 1962. She now has a son playing football. The young man comes from a sports family and has three sons playing football. The young lady's name is hidden in the Farm Tractor and Service Company ad and the name of the young man is hidden in this week's Winn's ad.

**JOIN OUR SERVICES**  
Sunday  
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Channel 2  
First Baptist Church

# A Dream Come True In Dillion, Montana

This summer several Big Country Baptists helped to make The Beaverhead Baptist Church in



Tim and Kianna Riggan are the parents of a 6 lb. 13 oz. son, born on October 15. His name is Russell Ryon Riggan. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Terry of Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Riggan of Trent.

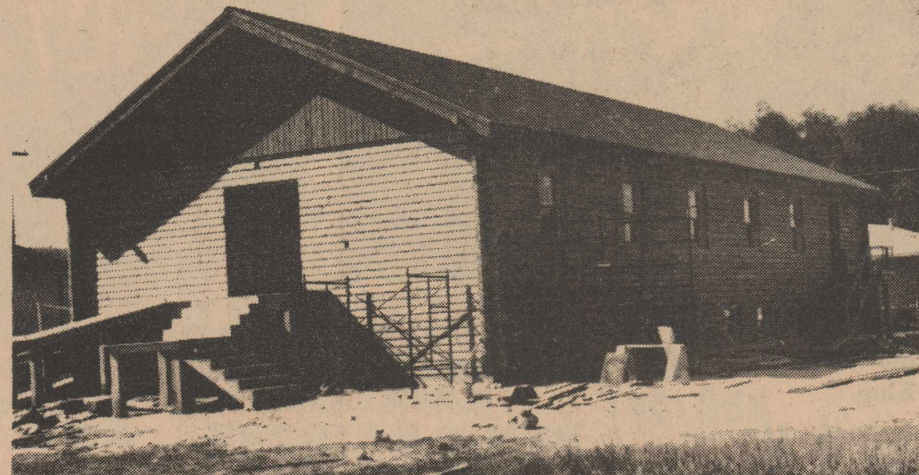
Dillon, Montana a dream come true. When a group such as this gets together, that love their fellowman with a strong belief in God, their accomplishments can be overwhelming. Forty-nine men, women and children from the Big Country saw their fellow Baptist in need and offered their services.

Donations from several Baptist Churches in the area and Fisher County helped members of the church in Dillon to contract a basement and have it built. But no plans were drawn for the building. Carl Matthies from Roby was the person that put the wheels in motion. Matthies and his wife, Polly, arrived one evening

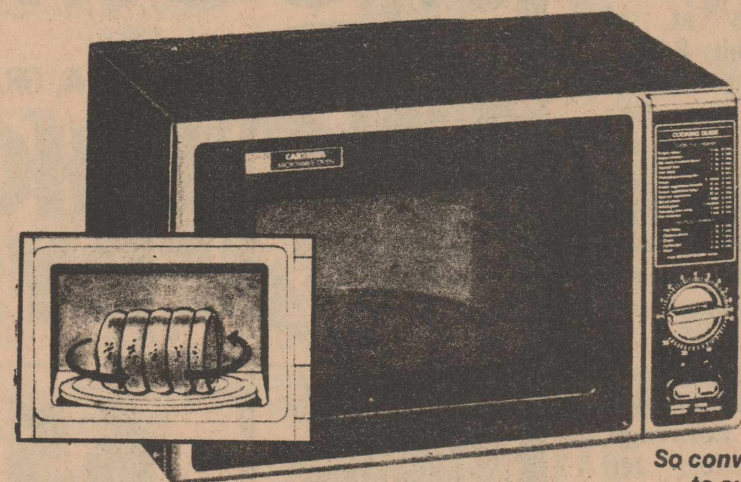
and had finished plans for the building the next morning, the group started working that afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Barnes and sons from Rotan, and Bro. and Mrs. Mike Hicks and sons helped with the carpentry work and electrical wiring. The Barnes family stayed a week. Bro. Hicks, pastor of the Cross Roads Baptist Church, and Mr. and Mrs. Matthies stayed about 10 days, in which time the walls and roof were completed.

The people of Fisher County are proud of these people that spent their time, money and vacations to help the members of the Beaverhead Baptist Church in Dillon, Montana.



**BUILDS CHURCH:** Three Fisher County baptist men went to Montana this summer to help in the construction of the above church at Dillon, Montana. The three included Mike Hicks, pastor of Cross Roads Baptist Church, Carl Matthies of the Roby Baptist Church, and Sonny Barnes of the Cross Roads Baptist Church.



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**GARAGE SALE:** At 808 McKinley on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 27 and 28. Children's clothes, good GE washer, lots of dishes and miscellaneous. Also, like-new evaporative air conditioner. 37-1tc

**NOTICE:** Drug abuse and alcoholism education and information consultation and referral agency. Tri-County Council on Alcoholism, Scurry, Mitchell and Fisher Counties. 118 E. Hwy., 573-3233, Snyder, Texas. 24 hour service. 23-3tc

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**NOTICE:** Anhydrous Ammonia now available in Fisher County. See or call W.J. Coffman, phone 735-2066. 34-36tc

**NOTICE:** Cakes-wedding, birthday, anniversary and special occasion. Contact Jaye Neice Clements, 735-3281 weekdays or 735-2010 after 6 p.m. and weekends. 32-tfc

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**GARAGE SALE:** Saturday, Oct. 28, 1009 McKinley, from 9 to 5. 37-1tc

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**WANTED:** Your Butane and Propane Business. Call 735-3378. Ned's Fuel Service Rotan. 17-tfc

**NEW HOME SEWING MACHINES:** Electrolux cleaners, repair all makes. H.B. Stevens, 1101 James Street, Sweetwater. 235-2889. 27-tfc

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**CAMP SPRINGS WELDING:** Portable welding, at shop or in the field. Service 24 hours. Call 573-0078. 17tc

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**FOR SALE:** 1976 Pontiac Grand Prix, blue with white top, 31,000 miles, AM-FM radio, tape deck, stereo, excellent condition, \$4,000.00. Call Ray Weathersbee 735-2317 Rotan. 37-tfc

**FOR SALE:** The Eva J. Head estate, 2 houses on Lee Street, 2 lots each a lot-and-a-half, all for \$31,000.00. Call Edna B. Bridges at 915-677-4795, 1517 N. Mockingbird Lane Abilene, Tex. 79603.37-4tc

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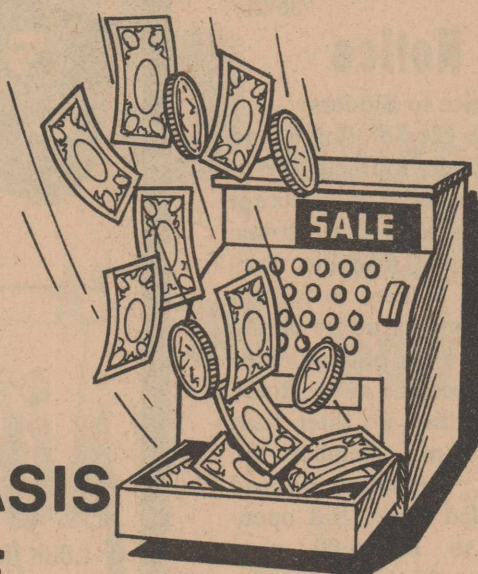
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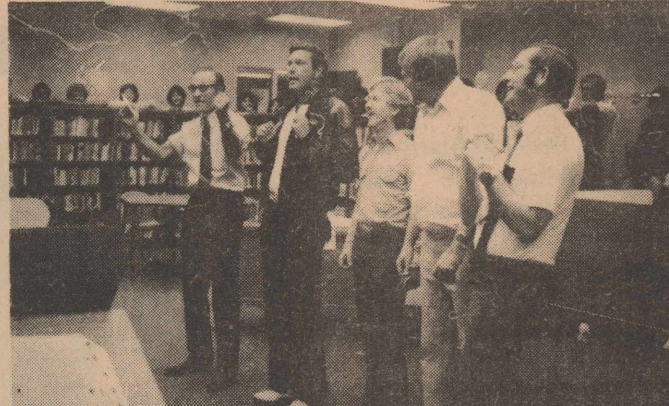


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**BEST DRESSED KIDS:** These Roby students were judged best dressed as they participated in Kids Day at Roby High. Left to right, Jana Jennings, Paula Terry, Robby King.



**LEADING YELL FOR ROBY LIONS:** Left to right, Mr. Laurie, Roby Superintendent; Lion Coach Bagwell; Mr. Gary Daniel; Mr. Aubrey Burrows; Mr. George Price.



**HONORABLE MENTION:** These Roby students received honorable mention in judging on Kids Day at Roby High. Left to right, Tana Mauldin, Kevin Rivers, Sylvia Gaona, Sara Carreon, Tammy Stevens, and Larry Parker.

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**Hobbs 4 H Elected Officers**

The Hobbs 4-H Club met Thursday at the Hobbs Community Room. Attending the meeting from Roby was John Schumacher, assistant County Agent. Adult leader, Mrs. Jackie Etheredge, attended. A total of eleven members attended and signed new enrollment cards.

Officers elected were: David Etheredge, president; Todd Etheredge, secretary-treasurer; Jeff Anderle, reporter; Mary Cave, recreation leader; Judy Cave, refreshment leader.

Others attending the meeting included Jennifer Nettleton, Jay Anderle, Doug Anderle and Shelia Clawson.

**Halloween Carnival**

The Rotan Halloween Carnival, sponsored by the Rotan Booster Club, will be Tuesday, Oct. 31, in the old school gym at 6:30 p.m.

In addition to booths sponsored by classes, there are several organizations that plan to have something good to eat or something fun to do. You are invited to attend the Carnival on Halloween night and have a good time.

**Notice**

Notice to Bidders: The City of Rotan will accept sealed bids for a new 5-6 cy.9 ft. drump body equipped with hydraulic hoist, cab mounted controls and cab protector. Successful bidder to install dump body on a City owned truck which is equipped w/p.t.o. Bids to be received at the Rotan City Office no later than 5:00 p.m., October 30, 1978, at 6:00 p.m. The City reserves the right to reject all or any bids.

Lester A. Sescil  
Mayor, City of Rotan  
36-2tc

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Notice to Bidders: The City of Rotan and the Rotan Municipal Water Authority will accept bids for a used electronic accounting machine. Successful bidders to furnish programs for utility billing and two tax billings. Bids to be received at the Rotan City Office no later than 5:00 p.m., October 30, 1978, clearly marked "Sealed Bid". Bid opening to be 6:00 p.m. October 30, 1978. The City and the Rotan Municipal Water Authority reserves the right to reject all or any bids.

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