

23rd Annual Rodeo Begins Thursday

The 23rd annual Fisher County Sheriff Posse Amateur Rodeo gets underway on Thursday, June 14, and continues through June 16

with three nightly performances, according to Arena Director, C.M. Callan. The June 14 opening

performance will be preceded by a downtown parade featuring numerous area riding clubs, parade floats and other

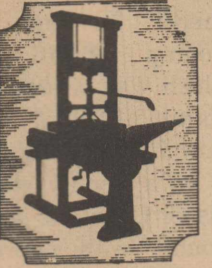
entries. The parade is scheduled to start at 5:00 p.m. Elvis Elrod is the 1979 parade chairman. Elrod indicated that addi-

tional parade entries are still needed. Anyone desiring to enter a float in the parade is asked to contact Elrod at 735-2470.

A cash award of \$25.00 for first place, \$15.00 for second place, and \$10.00 for third place will be made by the Sheriff's

Posse in the float divisions. Trophies will be awarded to the riding groups. Kathy and Tina Mc-

Combs will be the rodeo secretaries. Books open on June 11 at 9:00 a.m., information on events can be secured by calling 735-3304.



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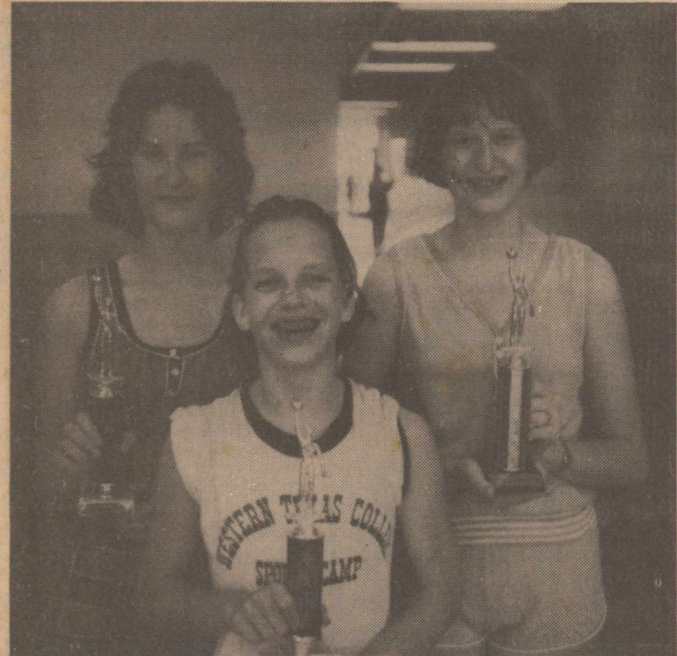
Three From Rotan Awarded WTC Basketball Camp Honors

Students from Rotan won numerous honors at the girls' basketball camp held June 4-9 at Western Texas College in Snyder.

Kristi Holt was named Most Valuable Player in Class AA, while Dana Nowlin was named best Offensive Player in Class

AA. Jana Smith was selected Best Defensive Player in Class A. Players were divided into Class AA and Class A to facilitate team placements.

was assisted by Sonny Barnes from Rotan and Dean Foshee from Greenwood. Members of the WTC basketball team, the Dusters, served assistants.



TROPHY WINNERS: Left to right, Dana Nowlin, Kristi Holt and Jana Smith display the trophies they received at the close of the sixth annual girls' basketball camp at Western Texas College, Snyder.

Cindy Gaspar and Deanne Hood of Snyder were named winners in the Dance division of the Talent Show held as a recreational activity during the camp.

A day camp for boys will be held at WTC from Aug. 6-10 with Athletic Director and men's coach Nolan Richardson in charge. The camp is open to boys from 8-15 who will not be participating in varsity basketball, and fees will be \$50 per person. Reservations may be made by contacting WTC.

Kim's Korner

By Kim Pease

4-H Teams Score High At State Competition

Fisher County 4-H members came home with several winners at the State 4-H Roundup held at Texas A&M University June 6.

They were coached by Mrs. Richard Spencer.

The final placing of the Horse Judging team had not been determined at press time. The team was composed of Alan Kiker, Damon Shipp, Todd Ether-

edge and Tisa Lovett. The team did an outstanding job since this was the first year any of the group had attended State.

Julie Posey was the District III representative in the Food Show and received a blue ribbon.

The Range and Pasture team placed fifth. The team was composed of Keith Copeland, Weldon Hayes, Darrell Carter and Spencer Houston.

The Grass Judging team placed seventh. The team was composed of Mark Harris, Kip Pease, Wes Hardin and Leslie Carey.

Tractor Owner Short Course Set June 18

All tractor owners and operators are reminded of the short course in "Tractor Maintenance" to be held June 18-21 at 7:30 p.m. in the Roby Vo-Ag Building.

Mr. Richard Pivonka, Tractor Maintenance Specialist with the Texas Education Agency and Texas A&M University, will be on hand to instruct in all phases of tractor maintenance.

Special attention will be given to the electrical system, fuels and lubricants, diesel fuel injection, and service for maximum information.

Further information may be obtained by calling Gary Daniel at 776-2222.

Rotan Board Hires Homemaking Teacher

The members of the Rotan School Board hired a new homemaking teacher and officially accept four resignations at their monthly meeting last Monday night.

Walter Miers as 4th grade teacher.

The board voted to retain the tax on vehicles with the Rotan Independent School District. They had the option of doing away with the tax but were of the opinion that this was the only tax paid to the district by many residents. Superintendent Tom Harkney said that the tax would amount to approximately \$8,000 to \$10,000 a year.

In other action the board voted to put the tax roll on computer, voted to enroll in the Region 14 service center media program and discussed twirler tryouts.

The board will stay with the current two-man agriculture teacher program after considerable discussion last Monday night.

The school board members hired Martha Alexander, a homemaking teacher at Hobbs for the past 2 years, as the new Rotan homemaking teacher. She is the wife of Ron Alexander, local manager of the Brazos Trucking terminal. The board also hired John Blair as the new girls' coach at \$3,000.00 above state salary.

Resignations received included: Dean Brown as band director; Teresa Brown as English teacher; Mrs. William Barnes as 3rd grade teacher and

Cong. Stenholm Talks Energy At Rotan Chamber Banquet

Congressman Charles Stenholm, addressing approximately 150 people at the Rotan Chamber of Commerce recognition banquet, said the energy crisis is the most severe problem faced by America since World War II.

Stenholm said, "Our polls show that 77 percent of the people do not even believe the gas shortage is for real. It's much easier to blame the oil companies or government, but that will not solve anything. First, we must face up to the problem."

The Congressman said that the energy crisis stems from the fact that the United States imports half of the oil it consumes. "And we are importing it from one of the most volatile and unstable parts of the world."

"Whenever a country gets into a situation that it lets a small country such as Nigeria dictate its policies toward the rest of South Africa, it's in trouble", he said referring to President Carter's recent decision not to recognize the new regime in Rhodesia.

Production and the de-

velopment of new energy sources is the only solution he said. He praised Carter for decontrolling oil, but said he was dismayed that he coupled it to a profits tax.

Stenholm advocated using more coal as a solution to the energy problem and said surplus farm products should be converted into alcohol for the production

Motion Made To Fire Rotan Police Force

A Rotan City Councilman made a motion to "Fire the whole (police) force and start over again" but the motion died for lack of a second. The motion to fire the force plus other items concerning the o-

perations of the police force were raised by Councilman Rodney Tankersley. Tankersley said that he didn't figure he'd get a second to the motion when he made it, but he informed City Secretary

Vann that he wanted the motion recorded in the official minutes of the meeting. From Tankersley's conversation at the meeting, it

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Frank Chmielowski Is Named As Roby Coach

The members of the Roby School Board hired a grade school coach at their

regular monthly meeting last Monday night.

Frank Chmielowski, a native of Brooklyn, New York and graduate of North Texas State University, will be the new grade school coach with a teaching assignment. The motion to hire Chmielowski was made by board member John Matthies and seconded by Judy Mauldin.

The board appointed Edith Lankford as the new lunchroom superintendent

Gayle Morgeson made a motion, seconded by Judy Mauldin, to leave the lunchroom prices the same as they were during the 1978-79 school year. The prices will be 50 cents for kindergarten through 4th grade, 55 cents for grades 5, 6, and 7, 60 cents for 8 through 12, and \$1.00 for adults.

Board member Scott Fagan made a motion, seconded by Latham Burk, to purchase three lots south of the gymnasium for \$1,500.00 from Joe Morgan.

In final action Roy Herron made a motion, seconded by Latham Burk, to appoint David Hargrove as the textbook custodian.

The board waived agricultural use and automobile taxation to comply with a state directive. The board will continue to tax automobiles and will not tax land based on productivity until next year.

At the May meeting the board accepted the resignation of Roy Rivas and Mrs. Vernon Townsend, and accepted the retirement of Shirley McHaney and Floy Lou Pursley.

Gas Shortage

Afton Richards, publisher of the Jayton Chronicle, had some interesting thoughts a few weeks ago in his column "This Week" concerning the oil and gas shortage, thought you'd enjoy reading his views.

"This column repeats what we have said many times--you just can't bypass the law of supply and demand. When the government tries it, it either creates an extreme shortage, or else it creates a black market. This is true right now in the fuel crisis.

If all controls were taken off oil and gas, prices probably would go up some for awhile, but then many observers feel the crunch would soon be over, and then prices would come back down to a fair level.

We found this out in the matter of coffee and sugar. For awhile these prices went out of sight. But the people dug in, either doing without, or paying the huge prices, until the supply caught up with the demand, and now prices are down at a reasonable level.

No one can really understand why some of the producers of domestic oil are required to sell their product at a very low price, and then we turn around and buy Arabian oil and gas at a price much, much higher than they are allowed to get for their domestic oil. This is not fair, and it may well be the answer to the entire problem.

If a firm owns an oil field, capable of producing a lot of oil, but has a ceiling on that oil of \$5.00 a barrel, but Arabian oil is being sold here for \$15.00 a barrel, can one really blame them for holding their products off the market until the controls are taken off?

If a farmer produces cotton, and is forbidden under law to sell it for more than twenty cents per pound, and then on the other hand the mills are buying foreign grown cotton for sixty cents a pound there would be developments that would make last winter's tractorcade to Washington look like a Sunday School party.

In past years most of the exploration in the oil industry [wildcatting] has been by the independent operators, who, when left alone, have put competition in the oil and gas market. Do you remember back in the early 1960's when major company stations were selling gasoline for 31 cents a gallon, when right down the street an independent station might be selling it for 21 cents. Take the tax off and the bargain gas was selling for a little over half of what the regular gas was. This was the competition system working under the law of supply and demand.

Many observers feel, that if the government would take off controls, and let the industry use its ingenuity in producing and marketing gasoline, and taking care of its own supplies, the price might go up for awhile, but soon it would catch up with itself, competition would set in again, and everyone would have plenty of gasoline, and prices would level off.

Very few people feel there is a real honest-to-goodness shortage of oil and gas. They feel the shortage is man-made, simply because the government is dabbling where it has no business, and is so crippling the independent operators, who where they can not market their products in the price-controlled market and make any money--so they just leave their oil and gas stored up in the ground, where there are no storage costs, and no deterioration, and wait until the situation changes.

There are two systems of commerce. One is the good old American free enterprise system, of supply and demand, and free competition. The other is the communist system of everything government controlled. Just these two, and no other system in between.

This column still has confidence in the free enterprise system, if the government will let it work. Why don't we try it for a change?"



POOL OPENING: Dean Harbin, top, and Byron Weathersbee, right, help install the diving board at the Rotan Swimming Pool. The pool opened for the summer season last Tuesday.

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is apparent that he has received a considerable amount of unfavorable contacts from residents that are unhappy with the way the police department is being operated.

Tankersley admitted at the meeting that a lot of the items he quizzed the patrolmen and the chief on were "nit-picking" items that blew-up in their faces

one day.

Tankersley inquired about (a) why some were given warning tickets and others issued regular tickets, (b) good judgement by patrolmen (c) stopping cars and not logging dispositions (d) excessive department complaints and (e) typed daily police logs.

The discussion, all in

open session, lasted approximately 2 hours. After discussing the complaints received by some councilmen, Mayor Sescil asked councilmen to discuss the specific number of complaints received concerning the police department.

Councilman South said all the contact he's had

from the public concerning the operation of the police department has been good.

Councilman J. A. McClain said that "I don't ever have any calls on the police department-good or bad".

Councilman Dorothy Lomax said she had one contact from a person that objected to being stopped and then being asked where they were going by the officer.

Councilman Nowlin and

Mayor Sescil said they had very few complaints brought to their attention.

Tankersley said that when he asked to be elected he told the people that he'd be their voice and encouraged the people to come to him with their complaints. He said that he'd be steadfast in keeping that promise and said the entire issue may re-surface next month at the council meeting.

After much discussion the councilmen voted to purchase a radar unit from M.P.H. Radar Firm for a

price of \$995.00. The vote to purchase the unit was four in favor with Councilman Tankersley abstaining.

The council discussed the certification of the police

officers on the force; the installation of telephones in the homes of patrolmen and the need to call special session to iron-out problems that arise between councilmen and the police

department. A report on other action that was taken last Tuesday night on other items on the agenda will be carried in next week's paper.

Court Action Applauded By Cotton Council

National Cotton Council President Hoke Leggett applauded action of the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals in granting a stay of the cotton dust standard due to take effect in gins on September 4.

The stay, issued May 29 in New Orleans, was in response to a motion filed by the ginning industry. It delays enforcement of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration's standard requiring medical surveillance and respirators in gins pending a court decision on the merits of the case.

Council President Leggett said the court action was "timely" since the ginning season is only weeks away in some areas of the Cotton Belt.

"It means gins will not face the impossible task of trying to comply with these burdensome requirements this season," he added.

While the court order did not spell out the grounds on which the stay was granted, Leggett said the action was encouraging since the industry's petition had maintained that (1) the standard's enforcement would cause

irreparable harm, (2) the industry was likely to prevail in subsequent court proceedings, and (3) a stay would serve the public interest.

The Council president said the stay serves the interests of gin owners and workers alike, pointing out that gin workers have not been shown to have any more respiratory problems than the general population.

"When the court rules on the merits of the industry's case, we hope it

will strike down this unjustified standard," Leggett stated. "and in the meantime, we hope the stay will cause the states which operate their own occupational safety and health plans to hold off any further action until the court decision."

Meanwhile, the dust standard affecting all other sectors of the cotton industry remains under a stay ordered last October by the District of Columbia appeals court pending judicial review.

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Monday Luke 6:39-49
Tuesday Luke 12:13-40
Wednesday Luke 15:11-32
Thursday Luke 18:15-30
Friday John 4:27-42
Saturday John 6:47-71

Morton Family Hold Annual Reunion

The descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Morton gathered in Roby during a recent weekend for their annual reunion.

There were 94 people registered on Sunday for the noon meal and visitation. Officers elected for 1980 were Carole Stuart, president; Lela Hatter, vice president; Rosemary Donham, secretary; and Beverly Rister, reporter.

Those attending the reunion were Sadie Chance, Ima Spencer, Artie and Beth Pippin, Bill, Linda Stephanie and Michell, Martha Headstream, Wayne and Floy Pursley, Lena Comeaux, June Baker, Archie, Bettie and Kevin Rivers, Bill and Evelyn Morton, Pat, Dina, David, Michell and Daniel Morton, Essie Morton, Jack and Julia Ruth Bryan, Don and Lela, Marvin and Lynn Hatter, Dug and

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Garage And Bake Sale Set For Saturday

The youth of First Baptist Church in Roby will have a combination garage and bake sale on Saturday, June 16.

The event will be held at the corner of First and College Streets to support their trip to the Evangelism Conference. In addition to baked goods and the usual garage sale items they are offering a washing machine, clothing, and a bean bag chair for sale.

Ladies Aux. To Meet June 21 In Roby

The Roby Volunteer Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary will meet Thursday, June 21 at the home of Becca Frierson.

The meeting is to prepare for the play day.

Leisure Lodge Report

Our residents really enjoyed the Fisher County singing group last Tuesday night. We cannot express our appreciation to this group and all the other volunteers for all they do, Brenda Sheehan, LaMerle Denton and Overa Jones for coming each Monday morning and singing. We also want to thank Mary Adams of the First Baptist Church for bringing her Bible School class last Wednesday morning and giving us a great program.

Also, many thanks to the Cross Roads Baptist Church for bringing a group of boys and girls on Thursday morning to sing for us. We really enjoyed all of these programs. The

devotion of the First Baptist Church for Sunday School each Sunday is great.

Happy to report that Rose Hale came home Monday, the 11th, from West Texas Medical Center. She seems to be doing fine.

Our out of town guests have been Betty Tankersley of Blackwell and her daughter Valerie Ragsland also of Blackwell visited the Gaines Smiths.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Morton of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Len Ainsworth and family of Lubbock visited Lena Williams the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Aaron of Dallas and Joe Morrow of Colorado City visited Katie Aaron.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hallmark and family of Gorman visited Mrs. Pearl Sharp over the weekend.

Mrs. Jane Breckenridge and boys of Aspermont and Mrs. Velma Cave of Jayton visited Mrs. Jimmie Brewer.

Mrs. B.K. Newhouse of Roby visited Emily Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Crawford and grandson Calvin Coppedge of Odessa visited Bud Crawford.

Mr. and Mrs. John White of Sweetwater visited Nancy White.

This is all our news for the week, come see us.

Wes Morrow Named To Honor Roll

Wes Morrow of Rotan was among the students making the A and B honor rolls and Distinguished Students list for the 1979 Spring semester at Tarleton State University.

Wes was on the B honor roll and distinguished student list. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morrow of Rotan.

Students on the B honor roll have a grade point ratio between 3.00 and 3.99 with no grade lower than B. Distinguished Students have a GPR of 3.25 to 3.99 with no grade lower than C.

Homemaker's Club Enjoys Tea

The Rotan Extension Homemaker's Club met May 7, at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. J.M. Long. The club president, Mrs. Dollie Curry, was in charge of the meeting.

Mrs. Effie Murphree read the minutes, gave the financial report and called the roll with members answering with "ingredients I use to give special flavor to a dish".

Mary Posey gave the

council report. The dining table was filled with delicious snacks prepared by each member. Mrs. Long had prepared sausage pinwheels, ham and cheese log, snow balls, punch and coffee.

The nine members enjoying these special treats were Dollie Curry, Effie Murphree, Laura Lee Hudnall, Bill Cleveland, Lois Sparks, Mary Posey, Louada Posey, Ardell

Floyd and Hazel Aldridge. The club members have just completed their project of making name plates to go on the door of the room for each person residing at Leisure Lodge. These were displayed, they are very attractive and may be seen by persons visiting at Leisure Lodge.

The next meeting will be June 21 at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Hazel Aldridge.

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Fisher County 4-H Horse Show Results

The Fisher County 4-H Horse Club has completed the two County horse shows to determine who will represent Fisher County at the District Show in Vernon June 28-30.

Fisher County is allowed 12 horsemen. Todd Etheredge was named the high point boy and Teresa Ratliff was named high point girl. Others traveling to Vernon will be Connie Williamson, Alan Kiker, Jennifer Wright, Marcy Mauldin, Tisa Lovett, Annette Overby, Todd Coker, Sharron Haggard, Damon Shipp and Shannon Wilburn.

Results of the June 8 show are as follows:

Registered Mares 5 years and over: 1. Todd Etheredge, 2. Jerry W. Stuart, 3. Shannon Wilburn.

Grade mares 5 years and over: 1. Jennifer Wright, 2. Stephanie Frierson, 3. David Shipp. Grand champion mare, Todd Etheredge; Reserve Champion mare, Jerry Wayne Stuart.

Registered gelding 5 years and over: 1. Marcy Mauldin, 2. Kevin Stuart, 3. Todd Coker, 4. Annette Overby, 5. Alan Kiker.

Grade geldings: 1. Teresa Ratliff, 2. Connie Williamson, 3. Desiree Gray, 4. Damon Shipp, 5. Sharron Haggard, 6. Todd Mathies. Grand champion gelding, Marcy Mauldin; Reserve champion gelding, Teresa Ratliff.

Showmanship-Pee Wee Class: 1. Stephanie Frierson.

Western Pleasure, Pee Wee; 1. Stephanie Frierson.

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Showmanship 4-H age: 1. Todd Etheredge, 2. Alan Kiker, 3. Teresa Ratliff, 4. Shannon Wilburn, 5. Marcy Mauldin, 6. Annette Overby. Western Pleasure, 4-H age; 1. Teresa Ratliff, 2. Shannon Wilburn, 3. Damon Shipp, 4. Kevin Stuart, 5. Alan Kiker, 6. Todd Coker.

Western Horsemanship 4-H age; 1. Todd Etheredge, 2. Marcy Mauldin, 3. Damon Shipp, 4. Alan Kiker, 5. Jennifer Wright, 6. Todd Coker.

Reining, 4-H age; 1. Alan Kiker, 2. Connie Williamson, 3. Teresa Ratliff, 4. Todd Etheredge, 5. Sharron Haggard, 6. Jennifer Wright.

Pole Bending, 4-H age; 1. Marcy Mauldin, 2. Todd Etheredge, 3. Connie Williamson, 4. Sharron Haggard, 5. Annette Overby, 6. Jennifer Wright. Pee Wee pole bending; 1. David Shipp, 2. Stephanie Frierson.

Barrels, 4-H age; 1. Todd Etheredge, 2. Marcy Mauldin, 3. Teresa Ratliff, 4. Sharron Haggard, 5. Connie Williamson, 6. Jennifer Wright. Pee Wee barrels; 1. David Shipp, 2. Stephanie Frierson. High point Pee Wee girl, Stephanie Frierson. High point Pee Wee boy, David Shipp.

Awards will be given in August at the James Ratliff ranch at Rough Creek during a trail ride and picnic for 4-H Horse Club members and their families. Tisa Lovett was participating in a rodeo on Friday night, but qualified for the District Show on May 26.

Hospital News

Admissions to Fisher County Hospital June 5-12, 1979.

Robert Onofre, Olga Onofre, Sweetwater; Louise Mahaffey, McCaulley; Daisy V. Floyd, Lela Peel, Thelma Byerly, Frank Torres, Jim Markham, L.E. Latham, Russell Ahrlert, Euna Holcomb, Rotan; Gerald Toole, Sarah Miers, O.D. Knox, Roby. ***

Auxiliary To Host Play Night In Roby

The Auxiliary of the Roby Fire Department met Thursday, June 7, to discuss plans for hosting a play night at the Roby rodeo area. The play night will be held Saturday, June 23, at 5:00 p.m. Events will cost \$1.00 each to enter. There will be Western Pleasure, reining, barrels, poles and Flags. Ribbons will be awarded for first through fifth places and each first place winner will receive a trophy.

There will be four age groups; 8 and under, 9 through 13, 14 through 17, and 18 and over. A high point trophy in each age group will be awarded.

Several jackpots will be run following the play night; 13 and under, \$50.00 novice and open jackpot barrels and poles. There will be an \$8.00, \$10.00, and \$12.00 fee on these.

Everyone is invited to attend. A concession stand will serve hamburgers and other foods and cold drinks. ***

Hot Shot Program Moves To Fisher Co.

Basketball in many of the playgrounds of Fisher County will soon receive a new competitive twist, when the national Pepsi-Cola/NBA Hotshot program gets underway here beginning in July and August.

The youth-oriented competition—the most extensive recreational basketball program ever conducted in the United States—is expected to attract more than 2.5 million youngsters nationwide this year. It will be conducted locally by the Young Farmers in cooperation with the San Antonio Spurs and the Pepsi-Cola Bottling Company. The event is open to boys and girls from nine to 18 years old, provided they are not varsity teams.

Racing against the clock, participants run, dribble, shoot and score from point-value assigned "hotspots" marked on the basketball court. This rapid fire test of skills under pressure is a re-designed version of an old playground game. It is an activity which youngsters can play by themselves, compete one-on-one against friends or join with others in team events.

Weather

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Yankees Hold Lead In Little League Games

The Little League Yankees jumped out to a 4 game lead over the second place Rebels last Monday night with a 15-3 victory, while the third place Vets beat the Pirates 4-3 in the early game of the double header.

Tim Carrillo was the winning pitcher for the Yankees with Paul Zambrano and Danny Carreon pitching the loss for the Rebels.

Dave Daniel was the winner for the Vets and Lance Green was the loser for the Pirates.

Second Annual Food & Crafts Bazaar Set

The second annual Food, Arts and Crafts Bazaar at Hamlin is being billed as "Fun for all the Family" and 45 booths will be set up for the big event Saturday, June 16, from 6 to 9 p.m. in the Piper Football Stadium.

Mrs. Sammy Ferguson, chairman of the event,

said in addition to the many booths offering a variety of items for sale including food there will be entertainment. Twenty-eight arts and crafts and miscellaneous booths will be set up and 17 food booths will be serving food to be eaten there or to be taken home.

Swimming Lessons Set For Rotan

Rotan swimming lessons will begin at 10:00 a.m. Monday, June 18. Anyone interested in additional information can contact Mickey Early.

The swimming lessons for Roby are in progress this week.

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Fisher County Nursing Home

First Baptist Church provided our morning worship service and Calvary Baptist Church provided the afternoon worship service.

The residents enjoyed the beautiful piano selections of Mrs. Jones on Monday afternoon.

The bingo winners this week were Alice Sutton, Luline Blount, Thaddie Wilson, Florence Hale, Essie Eaton, Rector Brown and John Cox. All the players enjoyed vanilla ice cream furnished by Gandy's Dairy Company.

Bro. Rogers taught the Bible Study lesson this week. The residents enjoyed the lesson very much.

Charlie and Margorie Whitfield visited Lillie Whitfield and Luline Blount. They are from Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jameson of Kress, Texas and Ty, Erma and Chris Hicks of Snyder visited with Mrs. E.M.Hicks.

Annabelle Brown from Seymour visited Thaddie Wilson.

Mrs. Gail Newcomb of Haskell visited Annie Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Orbie Scott of Brownfield had a nice visit with Addie Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Cas Lightfoot of Crane visited Mrs. Hob Reed.

Mrs. Della Maberry of Sylvester visited with Neda Kiser.

Nell and Willie Gruben of Sylvester visited with Tish Hayes.

Loel Forrest of Snyder visited with her dad, John Cox.

A special thanks to Earl Holcomb for furnishing the home with the Reader's Digest every month.

Also, thank you goes out

to the Chamber of Commerce for providing the home with the Rotan Advance-Roby Star newspaper. Each of these publications keep our residents on top of current events.

See you next week.

Local

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rains of Pecos visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ballenger of Roby recently. Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Ballenger of Sweetwater and Donald Ballenger visited with them.

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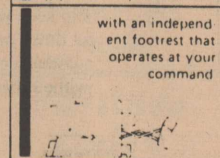
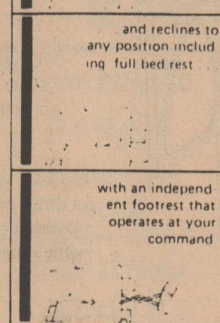
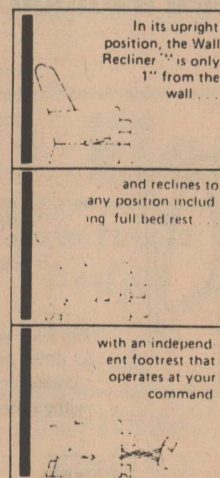
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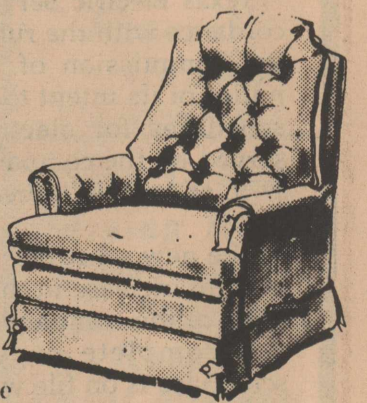
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Golden Haven Home News

The First Baptist Church provided our morning and afternoon church services Sunday.

Mr. John Brown was the winner of the dart game with a score of 290.

The bingo players enjoyed Strawberry ice-cream furnished by the Gandy's Dairy Company. Winners this week were Ruth Webb, Octavaneous Harrell, Viola Barrington, Dana McReynolds, Lena Key, Maebell Ogden, Nancy Clark, Ed Roberts and Dove Blevins.

Martha Williamson and Roberta Ford helped take ten residents for walks Thursday. The outing has become a highlight of their week.

Mr. Ode Levins of Hamlin visited with Dana McReynolds.

Linda, Tim, Jennifer and Carol Murray of Jonesboro, Ark., visited Mr. John Brown. Linda played the piano for everyone. The residents really did enjoy the music.

Willis Ogden, Wilma

Singley and Fay McSpaden of Rotan visited Maebell Ogden.

Roger and Nelda Vaughn of Rotan visited Lena Key.

Mildred Knox of Brownwood visited Mr. Guy Johnson.

Jim Smith and Doris

Smith of Houston visited with Lois Henry.

Everyone at the home are enjoying fresh green onions that Mr. Morg Weeks of Anson gave the home. They are the biggest and pettiest onion.

See you next week.

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FOR SALE: 1972 Ford, call 735-3248. 18-1tc

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NOTICE: We have numerous graduation gifts at the office that have been purchased for 1979 seniors and need to be picked up. The Newspaper Office. 16-

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

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-tfc

MONUMENTS AND MARKERS: J.B. Smith, 308 E. 4th St., Rotan, Texas, call 735-3290. 14-tfc

NOTICE: Drive by front of store and see the window display of fertilizer, peat moss, and potting soil. Come to Ezell-Key Feed and Seed for your garden and yard needs. 14-tfc

FOR SALE: Extremely clean, used, manual Smith Corona Typewriter, also used IBM Selectric and used IBM (big type). See at the Newspaper Office, Rotan. 16-tfc

FOR SALE: All black and white pictures in "The Picture Box" this week only 25 cents each. The Newspaper Office. All colored pictures in the box, 50 cents each. The Newspaper Office. 16-tfc

FOR SALE: 1978 Mercury Marquis, 2-door, metallic brown, power and air, AM-FM 8 track stereo, call 735-2808. 15-tfc

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FOR SALE: Doberman puppies, AKC registered, championship breeding, black and rust. Call 735-2387 after 6:00 p.m. 18-1tc

GARAGE SALE: Saturday, June 16, Waddell home, highway 70, four miles south of Roby; glass storm door, drapes, antiques and more. 18-1tc

FOR SALE: 1973 Mercury 4-door, \$950. Call 735-2081. 17-4tc

FOR SALE: 1973 Olds, \$1,500. Call Bruce Cox 735-2808. 17-tfc

NOTICE: Trailer space for rent, 306 East Johnson, hook-up ready, call Larry Landes 735-3171, Rotan. 14-tfc

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NOTICE: Will do Fiberglass tank and boat repair, call Ivin Martin 776-2723 or 735-3261. 8-tfc

NOTICE: We buy scrap iron. Farm Tractor & Service, "Your John Deere Dealer", Rotan, Texas. 52-tfc

FOR SALE: Used cash register, \$45.00 The Newspaper Office. 16-tfc

NOTICE: 12x60 mobile home for sale as is. Quality Mobile Home Sales, 5111 College Ave., Snyder, 915-573-3230. 18-tfc

FOR RENT: 2 houses, purchase option. Located at 709 and 711 Elizabeth in Rotan, \$100.00 monthly. Call 235-1608 in Sweetwater. 18-1tc

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

FOR SALE: 1972 Buick Centurian low mileage, call W.D. Rushing, 735-2957. 18-2tc

HAND MADE GIFTS: Vera's Gift Shop. Open 9 to 11 a.m. and 1 to 5 p.m., 908 E. 8th St., Rotan. 49-tfc

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NOTICE: The Roby School is accepting applications for a bus manager and custodian. Contact Roby School Superintendent for more information. 18-tfc

FOR SALE: Rotary hoe, 3 point hitch, call Truett Strickland, 735-3509. 17-2tp

FOR SALE: Four A.Q.H.A. horse colts, R.L. Williams, Clairmont, 806-237-4336 or 806-237-6506. 17-2tp

LOST: At Roby tennis courts, Wilson T200 racket. Reward, call 776-2438 or 776-2167. 18-1tc

HOUSE FOR SALE: Contact Molene Sumerlin at 917 E. 5th, Rotan or call 735-3538. 14-4tp

FOR SALE: Northrup King sorghum and grazing seed. Call Richard Posey, 735-2065. 12-9tc

FOR SALE: House at 405 Beauregard, 2 bedrooms, bath, kitchen and dining room combined. Also has small apartment with house. Call Rose Hale at 735-2233. 13-tfc

NOTICE: Just arrive a poison for all weeds, Dacamine 4D. This will not drift like 24D. Can spray next to other plants. Ezell-Key Feed and Seed, Rotan. 18-3tc

WANTED: Lawns to mow in the Roby area, call Robby King, 776-2438. 18-1tc

FOR SALE: 75 sacks R-4 cotton seed, 150 gal. butane tank mounted on 2 wheels and a 16 ft. shopmade stocktrailer. Call 735-2852 after 8:00 p.m. 14-tfc

FOR SALE: 1977 GMC 3/4 ton pickup, good shape, loaded. Call Mike Cade 806-254-2937. 16-tfc

NOTICE: Pay \$899.32 down and monthly payments of \$113.79 on 14x56 mobile home from Quality Mobile Home Sales, 5111 College Ave., Snyder, 915-573-3230. 18-tfc

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FOR SALE: One queen size box spring, good condition, 5 years old, call 735-2855 after 5 p.m. 18-tfc

FOR SALE: 6 ft. International offset tandem Ferguson 3 bottom mold board, Ford 2-row rear cultivator, 3 row tiller, 1 set 16-9-34 dual wheels. Call 735-2912. 17-2tc

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FOR SALE: One grey hound male, 9 months old. Call Gary Nettleton 735-2912. 17-2tc

FOR SALE: Rotary hoes two 4-section, one 3-section, call Glen Strickland, 735-2209 or 735-2925. 17-2tp

FOR SALE: Now available at the Newspaper Office, Mrs. Jewell Pritchett's book "From The Top of Old Hayrick", a narrative history of Coke County, only limited number available, \$11.95 each plus tax. 17-tfc

NOTICE: Now in stock Sevinol-4 for control of grasshoppers and all other insects. Ezell-Key Feed and Seed, Rotan. 18-3tc

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MOBILE HOME FOR SALE: 14x80, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, carpeted, washer, dryer, dishwasher and disposal, central heat and air. Call Roby 776-2438 or 776-2167. 18-2tc

FOR SALE: Alfalfa hay, call Landes Furniture 735-3171. 13-tfc

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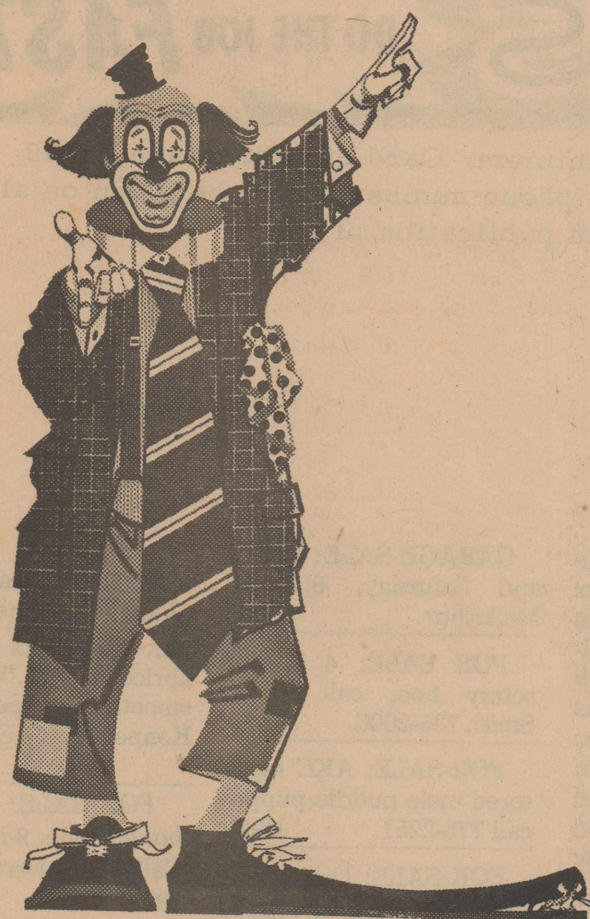
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grandparent's corner



Dale Lynn Cooper is the 6 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Cooper. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Hub Bennett of Roby and Mrs. Rink Cooper of Sweetwater.

A measles epidemic may hit Texas and other states in 1979—because many children immunized when vaccine was first available are not completely safe from measles (rubeola or 10-day measles).

Measles outbreaks are occurring in Texas and elsewhere—with East Texas counties also reporting cases among students in grades 7-12.

Vaccinate These Children
Health authorities urge parents to have the following children immunized:

Children you think are immune because "they already had measles" but who say no physician during the illness—and never received a doctor's diagnosis. Only if a doctor diagnosed measles can parents be sure children are safe.

Children who were immunized with a killed measles virus vaccine.

Children who were immunized with a live virus vaccine before 1968.

Children who had the measles immunization before their first birthday.

Parents who are not sure of their child's immunization record—or safety from measles—should contact their physician or local health department for advice.

What To Ask For
According to health authorities, to be safe from measles, children need the "live, further-attenuated measles vaccine" which is in current use.

This vaccine has proven to be safe and effective, they report.

Why The Problem?
Today's threat of epidemic partly stems from the not-so-effective measles given to children at the age of 12 months. Cases of measles are now being reported in these children who were thought to be fully protected.

New findings show that vaccination with a live virus at the age of 15 months or after is more effective.

It is important to protect children against measles and its complications which include encephalitis and brain damage. Death also may occur in one of every 1,000 reported measles cases.

County Extension Agent

HOME ECONOMICS

By Alice Ballenger

Court House Roby



We are still offering the letter series on immunizations to all interested parents. This is to be a series of seven letters on measles, polio, rubella,

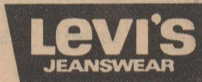
mumps, diphtheria, pertussis, tetanus, the importance of keeping immunization records and a recommended immunization schedule. If you would

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Fisher County AGENT

by Richard Spencer

Fisher County 4-H members, leaders, and local Extension Personnel should be congratulated on the fine showing they made at the State 4-H Contest the past weeks. The contests are always tough there and Fisher County 4-Hers had a 1st, 2nd, and two 5th place teams, which is outstanding.

Texas horse owners should begin plans to

vaccinate their animals against Eastern, Western and Venezuelan Encephalomyelitis.

This sleeping sickness is caused by viruses transmitted by mosquitoes. Early clinical signs of the disease are depression and high fever. Diminished reflexes, a drooping lower lip, reluctance to move and incoordination soon follow.

Horse owners should consult their veterinarians about vaccination against

all types of the disease. Following the initial series, annual booster shots are required.

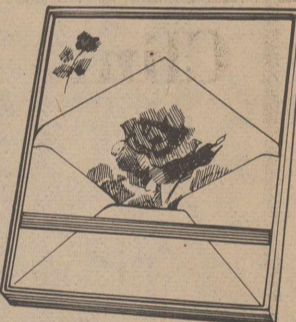
These vaccinations are worth the trouble since prevention is cheaper than treatment or losing a valuable animal. Since the course of the disease is short, treatment is generally unsuccessful. Also, treatment costs would pay for several animals' vaccinations each year.

To aid mosquito control, insect repellents, sprays and screened enclosures for night stabling may be helpful.



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Students Honor Frost In Georgetown Schools

Jack Frost, former graduate of Rotan High School and now Superintendent of Schools in Georgetown, was recently honored by students in school and the teachers of Texas.

Georgetown High School girl's drill team, who received the number one rating in the state, selected Superintendent Frost as their beau for the school year and this was presented at a student assembly. Then at the close of school at the All Sports Banquet the State Champion Girl's Basketball Team honored Superintendent Frost as their beau for the year and made the presentation at the banquet. This is the first in the

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The teachers of the state selected Superintendent Frost as an at-large delegate to the National Education Association Convention to be held in Detroit June 30 to July 5.

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Hustlin' Round Hobbs

By Joy Walker

We are finally getting to plant our cotton, although are having to skip around as it is still wet in some places. Most folks, though, have some cotton up and are very busy planting before it rains again, and it may this weekend as the Rotan rodeo starts Thursday and we always get a rain for that.

The Hobbs seniors are on their school trip and are in the Bahamas. We know they are really having a wonderful time and are seeing lots of beautiful places.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Stephenson and girls from Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cave on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker and Melody went to Lamesa Wednesday and Melody rode in the AJRA rodeo there. Was dry that night but they really got a good rain Friday and Saturday. Friday night Melody rode in the jackpot barrel race at Roby after the 4-H play night, and she also ran her young horse in the novice barrel race. Then Saturday we went to Andrews to another AJRA rodeo and it had rained over 2 inches that morning, but they had really got the arena in good shape and it wasn't muddy at all. While at Andrews at the rodeo we visited with Anne, Leah and Jay Hyer, children of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hyer, who live in Andrews. The cotton in Lamesa was already getting a sandstorm when we came back through there that night, and a number of the farmers were plowing to keep the sand from blowing.

Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and Todd left Tuesday for A&M and they returned home Thursday. Todd was on the Fisher County horse judging team. Friday, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and Todd attended the 4-H play night and Todd participated in it and the jackpot barrel races. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge and Mr. and Mrs. Lealon Wilburn from Roby attended the play night.

Mrs. Opal Phillips went to Post last week and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. D.H. Hornsberger from Sweetwater visited with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid for the day Monday.

We are pleased to report that Roy McIntosh has been released from the hospital and seems to be getting along just fine. We hope that he will continue to improve.

Mrs. Bill (Sandy) Etheredge and Mrs. Dutch (Norma Lou) Parks brought our special music Sunday at church, and it was really beautiful.

Morris Hardin from Lubbock spent Saturday night and all day Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Bea Hardin. Kenneth Hardin also visited with them Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Thompson and boys from Throckmorton spent Saturday visiting with Bea, Ronnie Thompson and W.B. Hardin spent part of Sunday with Bea.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ratliff and Teresa attended the 4-H play night at Roby and Teresa rode in the play night and also in the novice barrels. Glad to hear that Jim Ratliff is home from the hospital now and seems to be feeling real good. Teresa rode at Sweetwater Saturday night at their weekly play day.

Got a letter today (Monday) from J.R. Mahaffey in California and he said they had been having some showers which is unusual for that part of the country. He reads the local newspaper every week and really seems to enjoy all our news. Was nice to hear from him again.

Well, that's about all for this week. Everyone is real busy out this way, and some of the land looks real good with its stand of cotton; others are waiting for theirs to come up and are hoping they won't get a real washing rain for a while. Hate to say we don't want any more rain as later on we probably will be ready for a shower anyway.

See you all next Thursday

S.S. Representative To Be In Fisher Co.

The Social Security Administration has a representative in Fisher County by schedule to answer questions and assist persons with social security matters.

The representative will be at the Courthouse in Roby, Room 114, at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, July 17, August 21, and September 18.

The representative will be at the Rotan City Hall at 10 a.m. each Tuesday to assist residents with social security matters.

Those having questions about social security may see a representative according to the above schedule or go by the Abilene Office at 142 South Pioneer. Office hours of the Abilene office

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Perryman Graduates From Ruidoso High

Recently graduating from Ruidoso High School was Miss Kristi Lea Perryman, daughter of Jolins Hammit Perryman of Ruidoso. Kristi had the distinction of not only graduating as valedictorian of a class of 87 students, but also finished with a perfect 4.0 grade point average, something never before achieved at Ruidoso High School. Miss Perryman has served in many class and organization offices including National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Student Council and many others. She has been selected by her classmates as "most likely to succeed" and also most athletic. She was chosen as Homecoming Princess for the football team her senior year. Kristi recently served as one of New Mexico's delegates to the National Deca Conference

in Houston. She has also been named to "Who's Who in American High Schools" for two years.

Miss Perryman plans to attend N.M.S.U., Las Cruces and later Texas Tech with a major in architectural engineering. She is the granddaughter of the late L.L. and Era Hammit. She has visited in Rotan many times and has numerous friends and relatives in this area.

Legal Notice

The Fisher County Commissioners Court will hold a proposed budget hearing on Revenue Sharing, June 18, 1979, at 9:00 a.m. in the Fisher County Courtroom, Courthouse, Roby, Texas.

Marshal Bennett
County Judge
17-2c

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Equalization of the Roby Independent School District will meet June 28, 1979, at 9:00 a.m. at the School Tax Office, Roby, Texas, and will meet from time to time thereafter for the purpose of determining, fixing, and equalizing the value of all taxable property in Roby Independent School District for the year beginning January 1, 1979. All persons having business with the board are invited to make an appointment to appear.

Board of the Board of Trustees, Roby Independent School District
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18-1c



Mr. and Mrs. Randy Murphree of Stamford are parents of a son, Josh Adam, born May 26. He weighed 7 lbs. 14 ozs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and Rudolph Middleton of Rotan, and Mrs. Joyce Bartlett of Lamesa.

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At the age of 67, Heinz Arntz played the piano for 44 days with only two hours of sleep each day to interrupt his one-man concert.

Letters to the Editor

EDITOR'S NOTE: The opinions expressed here are those of the writers and do not necessarily reflect the views of this newspaper. All letters submitted for publication 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.

I, Raymond Vasquez, serving the town of Rotan as a patrolman for the police department have turned in my resignation which became effective on June 1, 1979.

I would like to express myself toward the department by saying that it has been a sincere feeling of enjoyment to have worked as one of its officers, though I was only employ-

ed here for a few weeks, it felt like being at home, the chief, especially, was a great person to have worked with. I have no complaints or unsatisfied feeling toward this person, better yet, I would like to add that I have appreciated this man for giving me the opportunity to have worked under his supervision, and for his patience and understanding of my resignation.

Though we live in a world of politics in law enforcement, there has been a lot said about the chief, some which is good and some bad, but I do feel that the people of Rotan should be grateful for having such a person as the chief, LaFever.

My resignation is not one of a disagreeable one, but one in which is very upbuilding in the field of Law Enforcement

which often comes once in a life time, I do say that I have been offered the opportunity to be a deputy sheriff for the Fisher County Sheriff Dept., which was offered by the Sheriff Mickey Counts. Now I be looking forward to as a deputy sheriff of Fisher County to serve the County with appreciated services.

Thank you,
Raymond Vasquez

Taxpayers Must Report All Winnings

Taxpayers who win cash from raffles, lotteries, racing and games of chance must include the money as income on their Federal income tax returns, the Internal Revenue Service said.

These activities are considered forms of gambling by the tax laws and money won is income, the IRS advised. Contest prize

money and awards from employers also are taxable income.

Noncash items won in contests or donated by employers, such as household appliances, all-expense-paid vacations, or cars, are included in income at fair market value. Both cash and noncash winnings are shown on Form 1040 as "Other Income", the IRS said.

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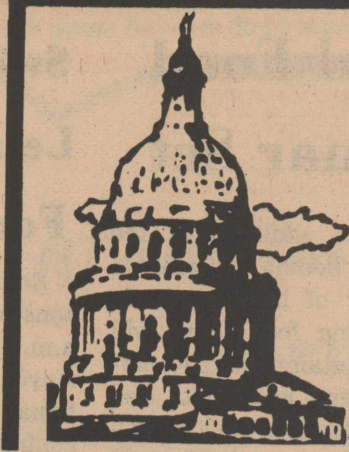
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STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Lyndell Williams

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

State Capitol halls that were crowded just one week ago are quite now that the 66th Texas Legislature has packed up and gone home, but speculation continues as to just when Governor Bill Clements will call lawmakers back for a special session.

His timing will depend heavily upon the subjects he wants included in the special session. To date he has already told legislators he may want them to consider the topics of initiative and referendum, a regional presidential primary and wiretapping. More may be added.

Although one guess is as good as another, many old-timers think that if Clements decides to call a session strictly for initiative and referendum and wiretapping, he may wait until sometime just before the 1980 primaries so that voters will have the results of that session fresh on their minds as they go to the polls.

However, Clements last week expressed strong interest in a proposed multi-state presidential primary and said he might be persuaded to include the proposal in the upcoming special session, whenever it may be.

The regional primary concept is also being advanced by Speaker of the House Bill Clayton, who said it would give Texas and neighboring states a collective regional voice through simultaneous presidential primaries, possibly in March.

Clayton appeared with Clements at a press conference last week to say he has been working with legislators from Oklahoma, Arkansas, New Mexico and Georgia, but that the concept "depends on a lot of legwork" to install it in time.

Should the states agree to hold a regional primary, Clements may move to call a special session as early as late summer or early fall in order to set up the primary.

The regional primary would have the effect of spotlighting Southern and Southwestern issues early in the presidential race, rather than the traditionally first-in-the nation New

Hampshire primary.

Whatever the outcome of Clayton's efforts, Clements has further clouded the special session crystal ball by stating there is no doubt in his mind that Texas Republicans will hold a presidential primary and called on Democrats to do the same.

Meanwhile, with lawmakers out of town for awhile, the attention turned to Clements as he began to sign bills into law. One of his first actions last week was sign into effect the "Tax Relief Amendment" approved by voters in November 1978.

One immediate provision is that each residence homestead will be exempt from \$5,000 in school district taxes. Because the act is retroactive to January, 1979, the exemption will be on the 1979 tax notices most taxpayers will receive in October.

Persons older than 65 and disabled taxpayers will be eligible for another 10,000 exemption on homestead property. School taxes on a home will be frozen for a person's lifetime once he or she qualifies for a senior citizen exemption.

Also effective immediately are all non-business vehicles owned by a family from state, county, city and school district property.

Something farmers and ranchers have been waiting for is a new system to appraise farm, ranch, and timber land. Such land will be taxed on its ability to produce cash crops, rather than market value, begin-

ning this year, unless local taxing agencies vote before July 15 to postpone the start of the new evaluation methods until the 1980 tax year.

Clements also signed into law a bill making Texas Eastern University at Tyler part of the University of Texas system and a bill expanding the troubled State Commission on the Blind from six to nine members with a gubernatorially-appointed chairman. At the same time, he indicated he may use new powers under another law to put that agency into temporary conservatorship because of its money management problems.

Speaking at another time, Clements said safe driving and "not topping off gasoline tanks" may help spot fuel shortages which he thinks will appear this month. He and his staff energy chief Ed Vetter made it clear Texas will have available only 91 percent of its June 1978 allocation. Ten percent of that, he pointed out, is set aside for high-priority uses such as agriculture, petroleum drilling and mass transit.

The governor, a driller himself, said he has no evidence that major oil companies are holding back supplies of gasoline.

Other Texas officials

who commented in Washington, DC or in Austin on the energy situation were Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, Attorney General Mark White, Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong, Railroad Commission chairman John H. Poerner and his fellow commissioner Mack Wallace.

Both Hobby and Armstrong criticized President Carter's proposed windfall profits tax on oil companies, Hobby testifying before a U.S. House of Representatives energy subcommittee. Hobby called the tax "misguided" and said it would "create the worst of both worlds" by driving up fuel prices an stifling exploration.

Wallace, who accompanied Hobby, generally supported the lieutenant governor's views. In Austin, Armstrong said the windfall profits tax, if implemented, would deprive Texas schools and universities of some \$245 million in oil royalties during the next five years unless states were exempted. "It simply does not make sense to equate a state performing governmental service with a corporation. Every dollar we get from oil royalties will go to education, not into someone's pocket," Armstrong said.

Attorney General White, Testifying before a

Senate subcommittee considering deregulation of railroad rate-making procedures, said deregulation would drive up the cost of transporting coal into Texas from Western states and effect the rest of the nation as well. White said "Railroads use their monopoly power to claim the right to make captive Texas electricity consumers finance other traffic and generate a bonanza for their stockholders."

But on an energy up-beat note, Poerner told a meeting of the Texas Gas Association that the state's natural gas industry is the strongest it's ever been, because of a decision to deep prime fuel in Texas rather than sending it to other states. "As Texans, it's ours. We paid to develop it. Our needs must come before the needs of other states."

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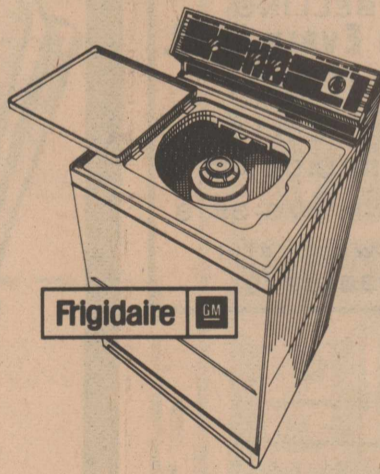
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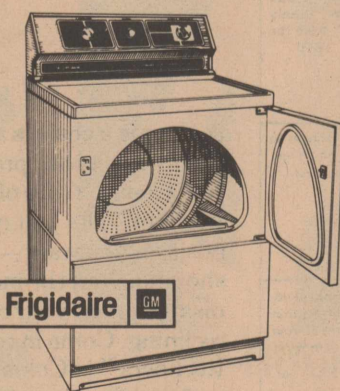


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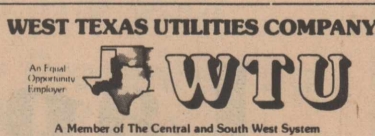
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Bobby Melton

Bobby Melton, 19, of Mineral Wells, formerly of Rotan, died at 4 p.m. Tuesday, June 6, in an automobile accident at Mineral Wells. Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday in Weathersbee Funeral Home Chapel.

Floyd Bailey of Knox City officiated. Burial was in Rotan Cemetery.

Born Aug. 27, 1959, in Anson, he married Karen McAllister seven months ago in Mineral Wells. He was a construction worker and moved to Mineral Wells from Arkansas about one month ago. He attended Rotan High School. He was a Baptist. Survivors include his wife; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Melton of Rotan; four brothers, Dale of Gravitt, Ark., Dwayne of Lowell, Ark., Billy and

Dennis, both of Rotan; and two sisters, Myrtle and Sandra, both of Rotan.

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The youth of Cross Roads Baptist Church will have a car wash Saturday, June 16, at the Cross Roads Baptist Church. Cars will be cleaned inside and out.

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Invitation

To All Artists

A cordial invitation is extended to all artists in Fisher County to join the Texas Fine Arts Association and the Big Country Art Association. Total dues for both organizations is \$9.00 per year.

Membership entitles one to participate in the annual luncheon meeting and citation art show on September 29, 1979, as well as view an acrylics demonstration by well-known artist, Ted Rose. Mary Hodenett, a full professor of art from the University of Texas at Arlington, will serve as judge for this year's show.

Anyone interested in joining the TFAA and BCAA is asked to contact Myla Black, Rotan, 735-3901, or Barbara King, Roby, 776-2167.

Smith Receives Presidential Scholarship

Charre Ann Smith of Rotan is the recipient of an Angelo State University Presidential Scholarship for the 1979-80 academic year.

Charre, who served as president of her Senior Class, has been active in band, tennis and basketball. She is listed in Who's Who and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby D. Smith.

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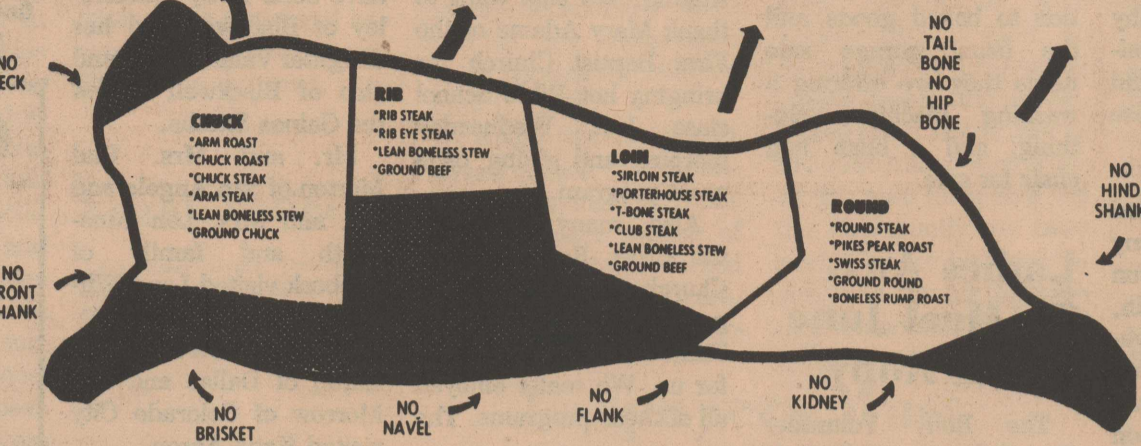
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25 LB. **Thrft King Flour** \$3.19

Green Giant **Sweet Peas** 16 Oz. Can 39¢

PURE VEGETABLE **WESSON OIL** 48 OZ. JUG \$1.99

YOUR CHOICE DETERGENT **TIDE OR CHEER** FAMILY SIZE \$4.59

.13¢ OFF LABEL DETERGENT **DAWN LIQUID** 22 OZ. BTL. 89¢

Downy Softener 64 OZ. BTL. \$1.79

Shurfine **Fabric Softener** 64 Oz. \$1.39

SHOUT 19 OZ. CAN \$1.49

AIR FRESHENER **GLADE SOLID** 6 OZ. CAN 49¢

NAT. WOOD/LEMON/REG. **PLEDGE POLISH** 7 OZ. CAN \$1.09

SUNSHINE KRISPY SALTED OR UNSALTED **CRACKERS** 16 OZ. BOX 59¢

KEEBLER ELFWICH **COOKIES** 14 OZ. PKG. 89¢

CEREAL **CAP 'N CRUNCH** 12 OZ. BOX 89¢

Food King 303 **Tomatoes Can** 3/\$1.00

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MORTON DINNERS EACH 49¢

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CHEESE 8 OZ. BOX 69¢

KRAFT HALFMOON HORN CHEDDAR OR
COLBY CHEESE 10 OZ. PKG. \$1.19

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SOUR CREAM 1/2 PT. CTN. 39¢

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