

Fisher County Taxes Will Increase By 24%

Fisher County taxpayers will be faced with a 24% increase in county taxes when notices are mailed in October of 1981. The increase in taxes comes about primarily because the Fisher County Budget for 1982 is up 45% over the 1981 budget. In 1981 the total tax money taken in by Fisher County amounted to 607,961.24 the budget for 1982 is based on taking approximately \$881,000.00 which represents an increase of 45%. An additional amount of revenue of approximately \$200,000 is taken in by Fisher County in fees and fines which makes the total 1981 expenditure approach \$810,000.00 and jumps the 1982 total of spendable dollars to \$1,081,000.00.

Fisher County Commissioners Billy Henderson, Jay Henson and W.A. Cross informed County Tax Assessor Robert Buck that

he could begin preliminary work on tax notices using the figure of .30 cents per \$100.00 valuation. This figure of .30 cents was reduced from 93 cents per \$100.00 valuation when commissioners went from figuring taxes on 100 percent of value this year as opposed to 26% of value as they were figured in previous years.

Fisher county Judge Marshall Bennett gave an example of the change in tax computation by figuring a county home valued at \$15,000.00 under the old and new system. Last year, the \$15,000.00 home taxed at 26% of its value would have dropped the value to \$3,900.00, multiplied times 93 cents per \$100 valuation would have made the tax due Fisher County \$36.27. This Year, computing the same home at 100% of value or \$15,000 and multiplying the rate times .30 cents

instead of .93 cents would make the taxes \$45.00 to Fisher County or an increase of approximately 24% over 1980.

A 160 acre farm on the tax roll for \$300 an acre would work the same way. The old tax would have been \$116.06 with the new tax being \$144.00.

Commissioner Jimmy Wright was not in attendance at the Monday meeting of the Fisher County Commissioners Court. His vote is needed in order to finally set the new rate of .30 cents per \$100 valuation for taxing purposes.

Commissioners also gave Tax Assessor Robert Buck preliminary approval to begin computing "over age 65 homestead exemptions" at \$10,000 instead of the \$3,000 that has been used in previous years.

Inflation seems to be one of the prime causes of the budget increasing some 45%, according to Judge Bennett. Other factors causing the budget to increase from \$607,000 to \$881,000 is a 10% salary increase to all county employees and the building into the budget of funds that were previously received from revenue sharing. The budget also contains money for low water crossings in all precincts, renovation to the jail, repair to the Pink Building and repair to the Court House.

It was pointed out Monday at court meeting that the county has a \$300 million value after figuring in all oil valuations and local properties. Of the \$300 million total valuation \$251 million is in oil. This means that approximately

\$5.00 of every \$6.00 paid in taxes to Fisher County is in oil dollars.

Bennett indicated that all property is being taxed on the figures that were put into effect with the 1976-77 re-appraisal.

Total county value increased from 249 million in 1981 to 300 million in 1982.

This increase is exclusively increases in oil valuations that amount to an increase in taxes to Fisher County of \$153,000.00 for 1982.

In other action last Monday, Judge Bennett announced that Fisher County had purchased a health insurance policy

from St. Paul Insurance Company to replace the Blue Cross Blue Shield Coverage. After a study it was determined that the St. Paul policy was more beneficial and would include some life insurance coverage for employees.

Annie Weems reported to Commissioners on the

status of the Fisher County Senior Citizen's building. She indicated that she was pleased with the operation saying "I think it's going very well". A total of 920 meals were served at the Senior Citizen Center during June.

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Revival Services Set At Cross Roads Church

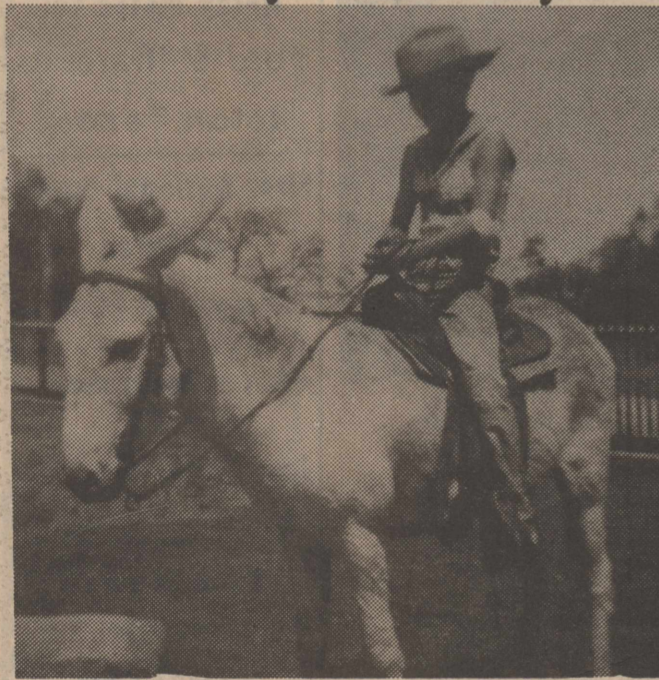
Bro. Benny Powel of the Brigrance Road Baptist Church of Brazoria, Texas will be the Evangelist for Revival Services July 20-26 at the Cross Roads Baptist Church. Morning Services will be at 11:00 a.m. and evening services at 8:00 p.m. A covered dish lunch will be served each day at the Church following the Morning Services. Bro. Powell received his Bachelor of Science in Psychology and Special Education in 1971

from Central State University, Edmon, Okla. and his Masters Degree in Divinity or in Pastoral Psychology and Counseling from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth, Texas in 1975.

The Woodrome Family will be leading in the Music. Come and worship with us during these days. There will be a Prayer Service at 7:30 each evening. Bro. Mike O'Neill is the Pastor.



Donkey Obituary



Jack and Ralph McArthur

Final Rites Conducted For Jackson McArthur

Jackson (Jack) McArthur, 31, of Wright's Chapel, Rt. 1, Rotan, Texas, died at 12:00 noon, July 3, 1981, in his barn lot. He was buried on the farm where he had spent the last 24 years of his life.

Born in Mexico, he was brought to this area by "Man" Fancher, a local horse trader. Those of you who are familiar with his family, will remember him from his appearances in numerous rodeo parades and Nativity scenes at Christmas time staged at the Methodist Church in Rotan. His last public appearance was the U.S. Bi-Centennial-Stonewall

County Centennial Parade in Aspermont in 1976. He was accompanied by Bob McArthur and Reggie Counts, attired as prospectors.

Jack has been instrumental in the education of the McArthur Clan, as well as numerous other area children. Among his carried attributes was the ability to open barn doors, wire gates and wooden lot gates with great ease. He has also been credited with being the cause of many lost tools, torn feed sacks, and missing tractor seat cushions.

He and his mischief shall be missed by one and all.

Roby Church of Christ Planning Gospel Meet

The Church of Christ in Roby will begin a Gospel Meeting Sunday, July 19. Lon Jones of Lampasas, Texas will be doing the preaching. Lon graduated from Texas Christian University in 1953 and did graduate study in Bible at Abilene Christian University from 1957 to 1960. He has preached for several congregations in Texas and did mission work in The Hague, Holland from 1963 to 1966 and from 1971 to 1975. He was director of

the Bible Chair in Cisco from 1960 to 1963. From 1978 through 1980 he was president of the Lampasas Unit of the American Cancer Society. In 1975 he moved to Lampasas to begin his work with the church there.

The meeting will continue through Friday even, July 24th. Services will be at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday and at 8 o'clock each weekday evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

Roby Board Pleased With Student Report

Members of the Roby School Board approved the annual accreditation report as submitted by Superintendent Jimmie Laurie at the regular board meeting last Monday night.

In the report to board members Laurie indicated "I am extremely pleased with the progress being made by students that have taken part in this testing program." The Superintendent indicated that according to goals set at the beginning of the 5 year plan back in 1979-80, Roby students in grades 2 through 8 were supposed to be able to read at or above the 48th percentile at the end of the 1983-84 year as measured by the California Achievement Test. In his report to the school board last Monday, Laurie said that after only 2 years, Roby students were functioning where 63% of the 201 students in grades 2-8 were at or above the national average 50th percentile.

In other action last Monday the Roby School Board approved the minutes of the previous board meeting, approved bills for payment, approved the monthly tax report and approved the six-tenth personnel unit with the Education Service Center.

Board members accepted the low bid as submitted by Gandy's dairies for the milk for the 1981-82 school year. Gandy's bid was 16.3 cents per half pint for homogenized milk and 14.0 for low fat milk.

The board approved the following prices for school lunches. for the coming year. Lunch prices will be 50 cents for grades K-5; 65 cents for grades 6-12 and \$1.00 for adults.

In final action the board authorized the payment of \$120.00 per coach for all Roby coaches attending the annual Coaching Clinic in Dallas on July 21 through 24th.

Nazarene VBS Set To Begin On July 20th

The Church of The Nazarene in Rotan will conduct a Vacation Bible School beginning on Monday, July 20th and continuing through Friday, July 24th, according to Bible School Supervisor Mrs. Joe Norton.

The school will run from 8:30 a.m. until 11:00 a.m. each morning. Classes will be available for children age 4 through 11.


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Two Fisher County Banks Show Increases In Loans and Deposits

Since most of the major borrowing at the two Fisher County banks are farm related it's easy to understand that loans at both the First National Bank of Rotan and Citizen's State Bank at Roby are higher through June 30, 1981 than they were the previous 12 months.

Loans and discounts at the First National Bank of Rotan were \$9,053,528.68 through June 30, 1981 which represented an increase of \$2,406,131.00 over the same period in 1980. The same holds true at the Citizen's State Bank. Loans and discounts at the close of business on June 30, 1981 at Citizen's State were \$3,241,023.30 representing an increase over the same prior 12 month period of \$907,027.92. It appears that inflation, increasing operating costs for farmers and the carry-forward debt load plus the fact that the majority of Fisher County farmers were coming off a disastrous 1980 crop year accounted for the higher loan figures.

Deposits at both banks showed a slight increase through the first six months of 1981 over the prior 12 month period. At Rotan, deposits rose from 19,537,417.97 through June 30, 1980 to \$21,190,296.51 through June 30, 1981 showing a net gain for the reporting period of \$1,652,878.54. At the Citizen's State Bank deposits rose from

\$8,202,019.37 to \$8,673,660.40 representing a 12 month net gain of \$471,641.03. Total deposits of both Fisher County banks increased by \$1,124,519.57 for the 12 month period between

June 1980 and June 1981. The increase in deposits at this time of year can be partly attributed to inflation but primarily attributed to higher interest being paid on money market certificate and increased oil activity in the county.

Six Rotan Merchants Plan Sidewalk Sale

A total of Six Rotan merchants will be taking part in a giant downtown sidewalk sale this Saturday, July 18th, it was announced.

Those participating in the Sidewalk Sale include:

H.L. Davis & Co.; Ezell-Key Feed and Seed; White Auto Store; City Auto Supply; Winns and Western Auto Store.

Area Shoppers are invited to shop all-day Saturday for many special discounts.

Larry McClain Named To Appraisal Board

The members of the Fisher County Appraisal Board met last Monday night and elected Larry McClain as a new director replacing Robert Doyle.

The members of the board elected Dennis Dooley as the secretary, a position formerly held by

Doyle. Those present for the meeting included: Kyle Moore, Dick Edwards, Dennis Dooley and Billy Jeffrey.

The district began June Operations with an opening financial balance of \$25,735.21, took in receipts of \$18,563.08, had expenses of \$5,647.57 and ended June with a cash balance of \$38,650.72.

Roby Class of 1961 Reunion

The members of the graduating class of 1961 at Roby High School will be holding a class reunion for family members, friends and teachers on Saturday, July 25th at 2:00 p.m. at the Mid West Electric Community Room in Roby.

Rotan Methodist Set Newcomer Luncheon

The First United Methodist Church of Rotan will have a Church Luncheon, July 19 immediately following the worship service. The Luncheon will be

Rotan Coaches Will Attend State Clinic

Rotan's coaching staff will be attending the Annual Texas Coaching Clinic to be held in Dallas on July 21st through July 24th, according to Head Football Coach Robert Damron.

Damron indicated that four Rotan Coaches will be attending the Clinic: They include Robert Damron, Ted Posey, Dick Lepard and Jo Damron.

The Texas All-Star football game is scheduled for July 24 with the All-Star basketball game set for July 23. Coaching Clinics, seminars and discussions by high school, college and professional personnel will take place on July 22nd and 23rd at the Dallas Convention Center.

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One of Rotan's newest business is Summers Spraying Service owned by Neal Summers, a 1973 graduate of Rotan High School with two years of

local flying service experience with Calvin Phillips Flying Service and Murphree Flying Service in Rotan.

Summers recently purchased a Grumman Ag Cat with a 450 engine and is doing all types of aerial application. This includes brush control, defoliation, weed control, insecticide application and seeding. He was associated with

Calvin Phillips Flying Service prior to going in business for himself. He was with Phillips for 1½ years. Prior to joining Phillips, he was an ag pilot for Murphree Flying Service for 6 months.

He is a graduate of Ayres Ag Flying School in Albany, Georgia. Summers received a B.S. Degree in aviation at the American Technological

University and Central Texas College in Killeen, Texas in December of 1977.

Summers will be headquartered at the Fisher County Airport and can be reached by phone at

735-3477 or 735-2442. He and his wife Kathy (Nowlin) Summers reside in Rotan.

B. Warren Publishes New Book

Bertha Warren, a resident of the Claytonville Community, has just released a book entitled "Songs Without Music" and has started another book that should be released by the end of the year.

The book is available for purchase at the Ceramic Shop or Thriftway in Rotan or by calling Mrs. Warren at 776-2658.

Mrs. Warren and her husband Wayne, a farmer, live in Claytonville and are the parents of 4 sons that graduated from Hobbs High School.

She is a member of the Colorado City Poetry Society, Texas Society of Poetry and the Sweetwater Little Theater.



Neal Summers



Tina Hataway, David Minyard Wedding Set

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hataway of Roby announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Tina Marie to David R. Minyard, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Ken Minyard of Snyder. Vows will be exchanged August 22, at 7:00 p.m. at the Christian Student Center on Western Texas College Campus.

Rotan Lions Hosting Annual Tennis Meet

The Rotan Lions club will be hosting the 4th Annual Rotan Tennis Open, Thursday, July 30 thru Sunday August 2, 1981.

The 18 and under and 16 and under divisions will be held Thursday and Friday, July 30 and 31. The adult division will begin Saturday the 1st of August and will conclude on Sunday afternoon the 2nd of August.

Matches will begin at 8:00 a.m. each morning with the exception of Sunday Aug. 2nd, those matches will start at 1:00 p.m.

All balls and trophies will be furnished by the Rotan Lions Club. There will be a 10 minute default time for each match.

Entries must be in by July 28. The divisions will include: Boys and Girls 18 and under singles and doubles; Boys and Girls 16 and under singles and

doubles; Mixed doubles 18 and under mens and womens singles, doubles, and mixed doubles. Entry fee will be \$5.00 per person per event. Send entries to: Linda Dickson, 1108 McArthur, Rotan Texas 79546 or call 915-735-2505 or contact Joe Dickson at Thriftway, Rotan, Texas 79546.

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Sunday Proverbs 9:11-16	Monday Proverbs 20:24-30	Tuesday Proverbs 28:5-10	Wednesday Acts 28:26-31	Thursday Hosea 14:1-9	Friday Psalms 19:7-14	Saturday Proverbs 8:1-10
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In other action the Commissioners re-appointed the following individuals as election judges: Precinct 1-Inez Neves; Pre. 1a-Leonard Cleveland; Pre. 4-Parker Wetzel; Pre. 4a-J. A. McClain; Pre. 6-Dycie Kemp; Pre. 10-Melvin Clements; Pre. 12-Ima Berry; Pre. 13-Dave Williams; Pre. 17-Glen Webb; Pre. 18-Mrs. Bert Killingsworth; Pre-22 Mike Herron and Floy Lou Pursley as Asbentee Judge.

Fisher County Juvenile Court Judge.

"In a manner designed to come to the attention of all residents," I, Kenneth Vann, tax assessor-collector for the Rotan Municipal Water Authority, in accordance with the provisions of Article 7244c, Sec. 1, VTCS, have calculated the tax rate which may not be exceeded by more than three percent by the governing body of the Rotan Municipal Water Authority without holding a public hearing as required by Art 7244c, Sec. 2, VTCS. That rate is as follows:

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Sheriff Transports Two To Huntsville Prison

Fisher County Sheriff Micky Counts transported two inmates from the Fisher County Jail to the Texas State Prison at Huntsville early this week. Counts indicated that he transported Joel Francis, age 19 of Roby to Huntsville to begin serving a 2½ year sentence for

burglary after his probation was revoked. The second subject taken to Huntsville was Manuel Medrano, age 33 of Snyder. He was sentenced to 3 years after being arrested by the Rotan Police Department for second offense Driving While Intoxicated.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boydston, Bruce and Carla, from Mesquite are here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boydston. They have been here several days and we were glad to see them at church on Sunday.

Bro. Roy Burke from Snyder, who is with the Gideons, brought our message Sunday morning, and we really enjoyed hearing him.

Capt. and Mrs. Billy Dycus and family of Loring Air Force Base in Maine and Retha Horton from Las Cruces, New Mexico, have been visiting with Linda Williams. They were also here to attend the funeral of Eddie Williams last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boydston and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Cave Thursday night. Mrs. Anne Hooker from Big Spring and Mrs. Tommy Koonce from Snyder visited with the J.C. Cave's one day last week.

Veronica Martinez from Houston spent the week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez. They took her to Lubbock on Friday and she flew back to Houston. She was here for the 4th of July holiday; sorry we missed her in the news. Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Martinez and family visited with the Rudolph Martinez's on Sunday. They had just returned from a trip to Plaquemine, Louisiana, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney P. Babin and family. Mrs. Babin is the former Berta Martinez.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lane from Snyder visited Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid.

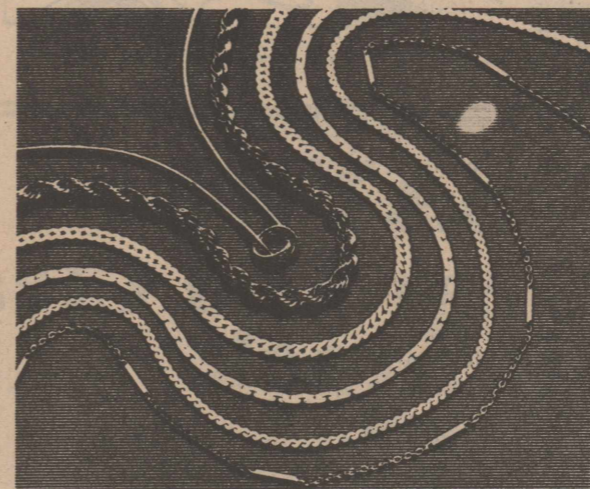
Melody and Mark Parrish came from Stephenville on Wednesday and they ate dinner with us, and went back late Wednesday evening. They brought four horses home and took Seco and Mac back with them. We went to Snyder on Friday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Blake Walker at Ennis Creek. Melody and Mark spent the week-end in Lytton Springs, just out of Austin, and they visited with Mark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyn Parrish. They both rode in the Lockhart Rodeo Friday night, and Melody also rode Seco on Sunday in the barrel race they had. Mac got crippled after she rode him again, so she only got to run him that one time on Friday night. All of our horses are sick with a Virus so we are giving lots of shots and hope that they will all soon get over it. Its really making them sick; we think the horses coming from

Flea Market Set For West Texas Fairgrounds

There will be a Flea Market, July 17-18-19 at the West Texas Fairgrounds in the Round Building. Friday—Noon-8:00 p.m., Saturday—9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m., Sunday—9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Lots of inside space. For more information, contact the Expo Center, P.O. Box 5527, Abilene, Texas 79605, (915) 677-4376.

Hustlin' Round Hobbs Joy Walker

Stephenville must have had it and then gave it to the horses we have here. Jim and I went to the Little League play-off games at Rotan on Monday night. We watched Hamlin play Stonewall-Kent and Rotan played Snyder. Rotan All-Stars sure played a good game and they beat Snyder 7-0 so we were proud of them. Now Rotan will play Stonewall-Kent all stars Tuesday night. Morris Hardin from Lubbock Sunday and Monday with his mother, Mrs. Bea Hardin. Mr. and Mrs. John Hardin and two children from Gellville spent Sunday night and part of Monday visiting with Bea.



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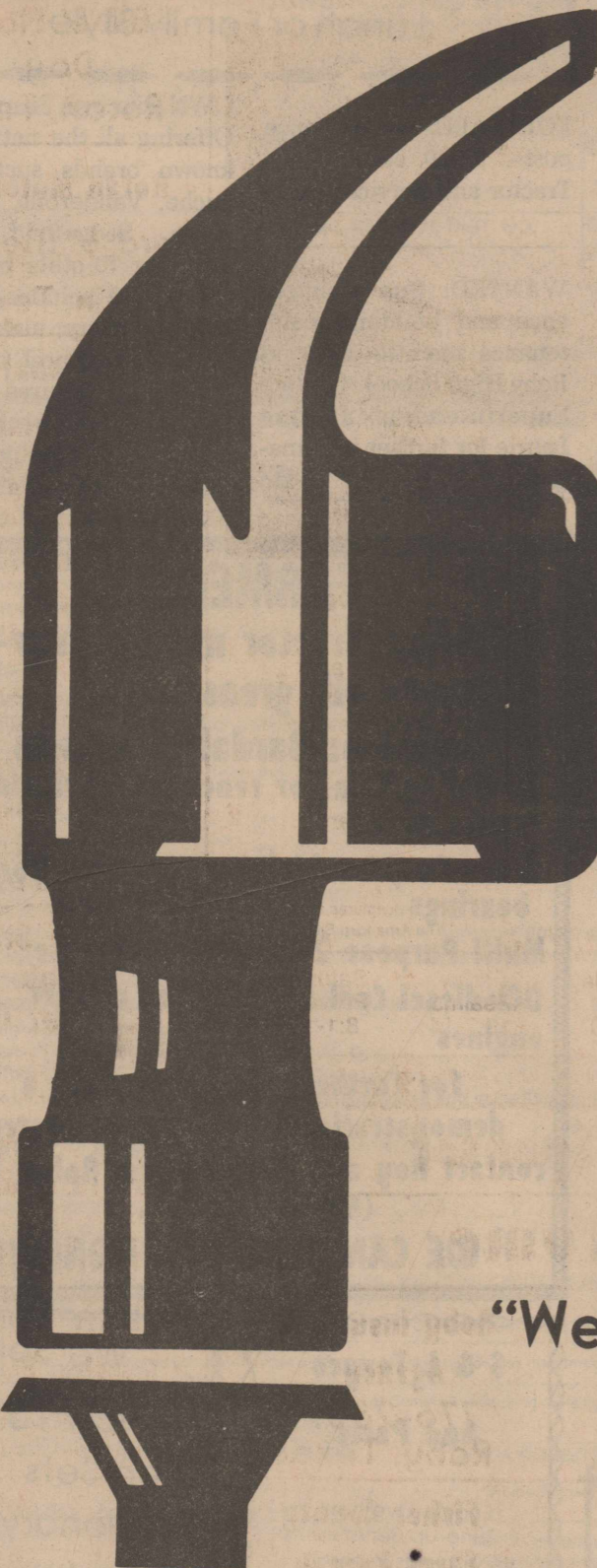
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Golden Haven Home News

Our sympathy goes out to the family of Eva Nell Dennis. Eva Nell had been with us approximately a year and a half. She will be missed by all. Rev. Gene Prevost of the First Baptist Church gave our Sunday devotional with 7 members of the congregation present.

Visiting this week were: Mrs. V.V. Anderson of Hamlin visited Ezell Whitten, Carol Floyd of Roscoe, Willie Leach of Rotan and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hayes of Hamlin visited Lora Stephens. Martha Williams of Sylvester, Jolene Bracken of Brandon, Fla., Bobbie Joe Scott of Midland, Joyce and Valerie Talbott of Gatesville visited Bessie Scott. Mr. and Mrs. Armond Hale of Lamesa, Brian and Casey Hale of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hale, Kyle and Beth of Abilene, Mrs. Tommy Ed Hale of Sweetwater and Mrs. V.V. Anderson of Hamlin visited Elizabeth Hale.

Carlie Butler had a very nice surprise this week. A nephew that she hasn't seen in 60 years came for a visit. Visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Mode Hendricks of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Hendricks and son of Wylie. Stella Kiser and Martha Williams of Sylvester visited Lewis Kiser. Mr. and Mrs. John Leack of Rotan visited Maebell Ogden. Virginia

Melton spent Saturday in the home of her son & family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Melton of Sweetwater. Virginia's daughter and family, Ginger, Calvin & Shelley Jones have returned to Texas after living in West Berlin, Germany for 3 Years. On Sunday, they spent the day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jones of Sweetwater.

Helen Weems of Crosbyton, Brenda Weems and Rhonda Harris of Amarillo, Pat Graham of Canyon, Doug and Anna Hattenbach and Marcus Hattenbach of Big Spring, Don and Patty Weems of Crosbyton, LaJennia. Teresa and Neil Weems of Crosbyton visited Annie Bettis. Mr. and Mrs. Noble Watson of Shallowater visited Clara Smallwood.

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Coy Stuart Honored With Surprise 71st Birthday Party

Coy Stuart was honored with a "Surprise" 71st Birthday Party at his home, Monday evening July 7th. Homemade ice cream and cake, (decorat-

ed with Coy's hobbies of "Fishing and Bees") were served to several friends and family that attended. Helping celebrate Coy's birthday were: Max and

Lorene Stuart, Rabon and Irene Stuart, Ted, Gloria Lou and Jeff Posey, Edd and Lucille Carter, Cullen and Alline Terry, Claude and Eva Dell Gillis, Foot and Grace Kemp, Aub and Grace Hamric, Bert and Vera Merl Gibson, Kermit and Emma Faye Terry, Thurman and Dorothy Terry, L.L. and Londa Stuart, Keifer and Aubra Nell Cauble, Horace Mitchell, Jaunita Terry, Jesse Moore, Inez McClure, Guy

Kemp, Richard Stuart, Jerry Stuart, John, Lora, Pat, Robin, Walter and Terry Cleveland, O.O. Hollobaugh, Tommie Jack, Carole, and Sharom Stuart, all of Roby; Britt Stuart of Sylvester; Debbie and Mikya Dickson of Rotan; Mac, Belynda and Katrina Rains of Rotan; James and Shirley Stuart of Lubbock.

They included: Landon 'Jug' Stuart, his son of Carrollton; Bryan Stuart, his grandson of Farmers

Branch; Ac Stuart, grandson of Plano; Mrs. Neal Collier, sister of Wichita Falls.



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Amanda Beth Cochran proudly announces the arrival of her baby brother James David. He was born in the Rotan Hospital on June 26, 1981 at 9:50 p.m. He weighed in at 7 lbs. 11 1/4 ozs. and was 20 inches long.

Amanda Beth and James David are the children of Randy and Danice Cochran.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. David M. Lowell of Brunswick, Maine. Great-grandmother is Willa Lowell of Pownal, Maine.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H.D. (Pete) Cochran of Aspermont. Great-grandmother is Claudie Powers, also of Aspermont.

*** Mrs. Gayleta Little Puch of Sanger spent a few days last week with her parents, the Joe W.L. Littles. She had not been home for several months. Her mother having health problems but is better.

Her son, Robert Greg, that came premature is 8 months old now and doing good.



Front row (L-R) ...

LOOK WHO'S HERE!

Helen & Brent Brazier of Dallas, would like to announce the arrival of a baby girl, Jennifer Lynn, on June 10, weighing 9 lbs. 4 ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Brazier and Mr. and Mrs. Leon West. Great grandparents are Mrs. Emma Brazier, Mr. and Mrs. George A. West, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Teague. Great-great grandparents are Mrs. Maimie Crow and Mr. Ben Claxton.



Shana Renae Holmesly To Wed Roby Man

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thrower of Snyder have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Shana Renae Holmesly to Craig Alan Randolph, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Randolph of Roby.

The couple will be married by Jay Jennings July 25th at the Courthouse Courtyard in Roby at 11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Trip Yields 71 Professions

A total of 71 people expressed their "profession of faith" as a result of members of the First Baptist Church of Rotan and other area Baptist churches taking part in the annual Texas-Mexico "River Ministry", according to Rev. Jerry McFather.

"The River Ministry trip was absolutely wonderful, it was our opportunity to teach, to preach, and to show people that we really care. They were very responsive and hungry for Christian love," said McFather.

The members of the Rotan First Baptist Church assisted with Bible School in Fabens, Texas and Los Colorados, Mexico where a total of 53 professions of faith were registered.

"Our trip gave us a new vision of the 'Great Commission' found in Matthew," said Rev. McFather. "We hope that we, as people can love and share as much here as was experienced during the River Ministry trip."

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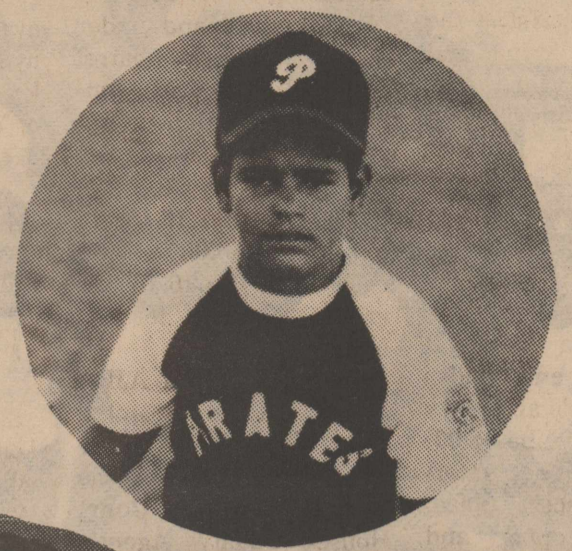
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Rotan Little League All-Stars



Pirates

Front row (l-r) Heath Dickson, Lance Reagan, Jeff Perales, Jerry Carter, Darren Reagan, Todd Matthies, Rodney Green. 2nd row-Rudy Wallace, Mark Hargrove, Kris Neves, Shawn Lee, Raford Hargrove, Kevin Stuart. 3rd row-Coaches Ernest Reagan, Raford Hargrove, James Carter.



JEFFERY PERALES



JERRY CARTER

Front row (l-r) Todd Gruben, Shawn Donh Gruben, Alex



Hornets

Front row (L-R) Joe Don Helm, Joey Thomas, Lane Landes, London Alls, Billy Vaughn, Jeremy Terry, Chance Vaught. 2nd row-Brandon Alls, David Carreon, Lonnie Foster, Gene Neeper, Richard Dennis. 3rd row coach-Larry Landes.



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Bears

First row (l-r) Kasey Green, wally reyes, Kevin Smith, Ed Hughs, John Everett. Second row (l-r) Eric Smith, Jerry Stuart, Steven McQueen, Randall Clawson, John Ortiz, Rodney Matthies, Jes Weatherly. Third row-Coaches Monte Morrow, Jerry Weatherly.



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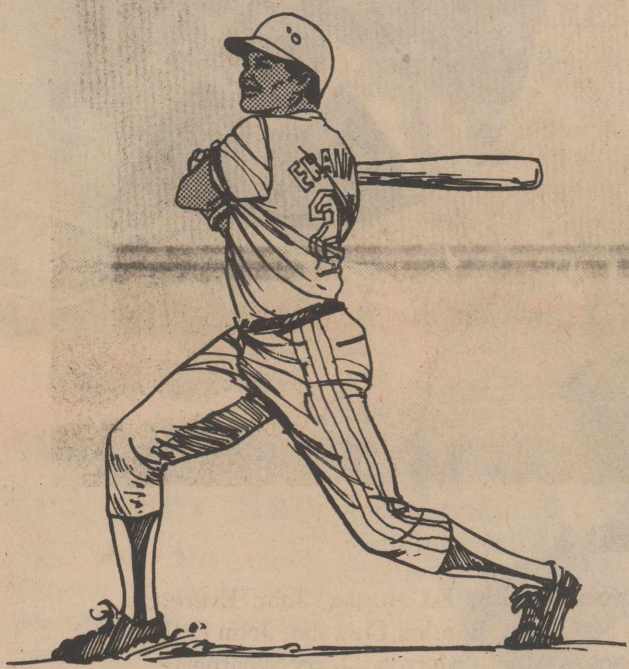
Rebels

Front row (L-R) Joe Almanza, Michel Whiteneid, Nick Hernandez, Russell, Elkins, Nathaniel Winn, Santiago Guerra, Steve McClain. 2nd row-Feliz Yanez, Matt Floyd, Randy Randolph, Jerry Harbin, Blake Morrow, Carter Edmonson. 3rd row- coaches-Manuel Yanez, Joe Morrow



Eagles

Front row (L-R) James Gantt, Rick Onefre, Travis Whitley, Keith Odom, Isabel Almanza Jr. 2nd row-Richard Almanza Monte McKinney Jr., Robbie Holston, Danny Warren, Augie Alaniz, Larry Whitley, James Davis. 3rd row coaches-Isabel Almanza, Monte McKinney, Byron Weathersbee.



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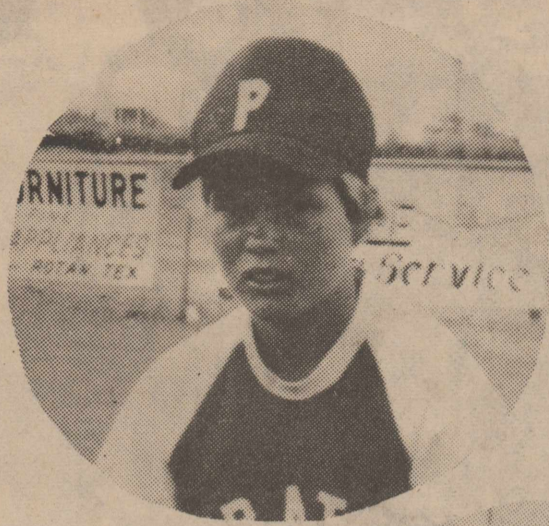
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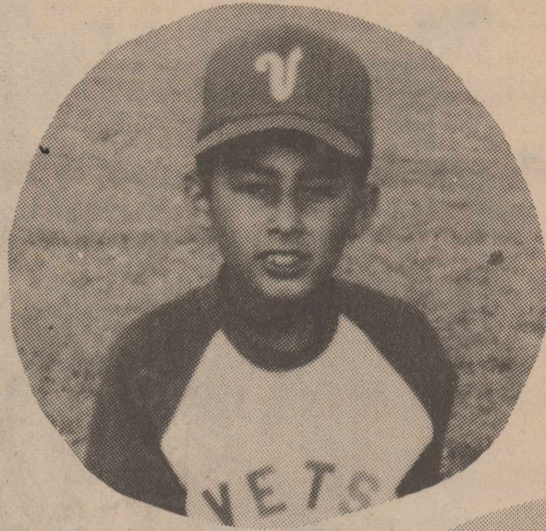
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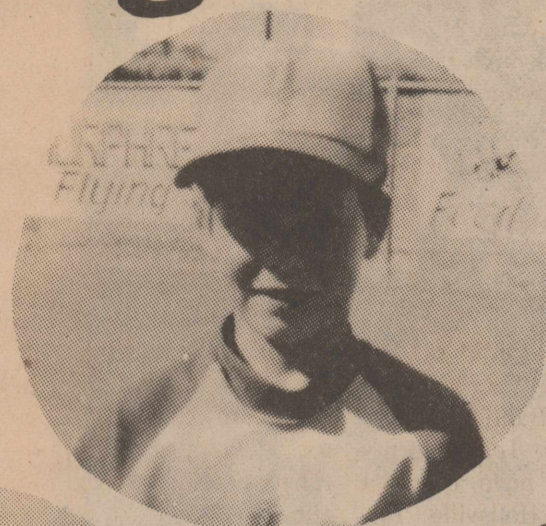
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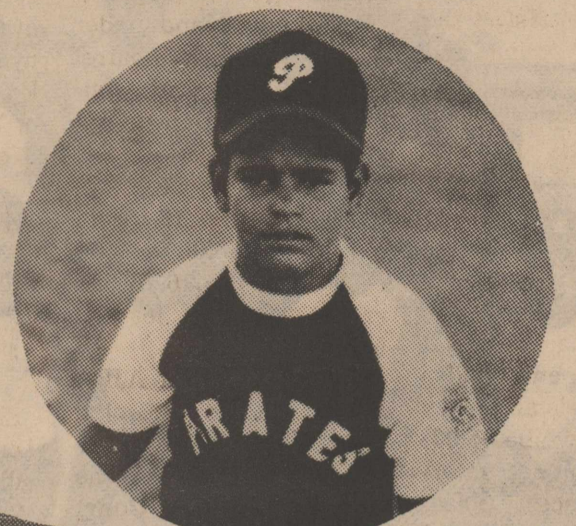
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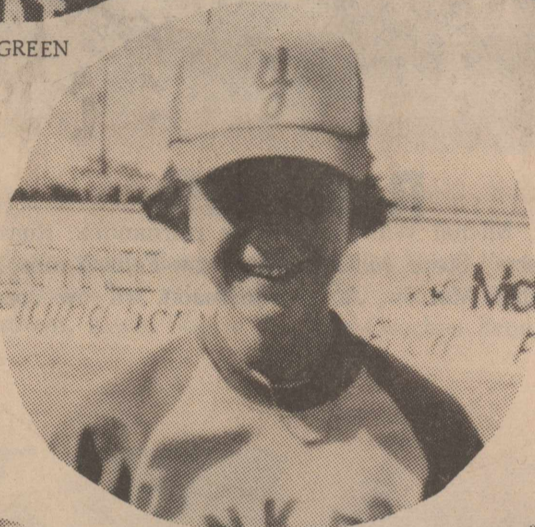
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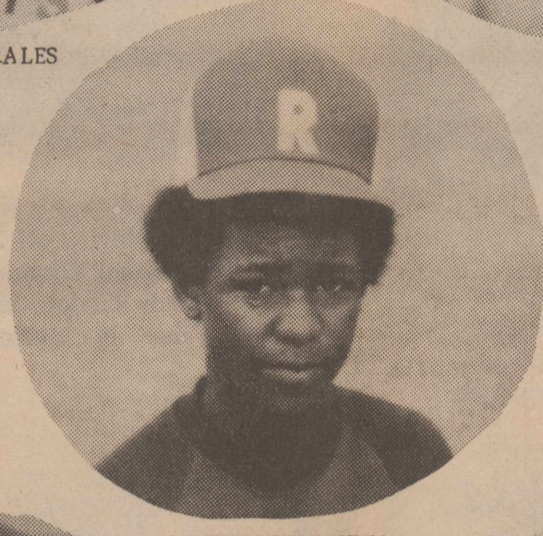
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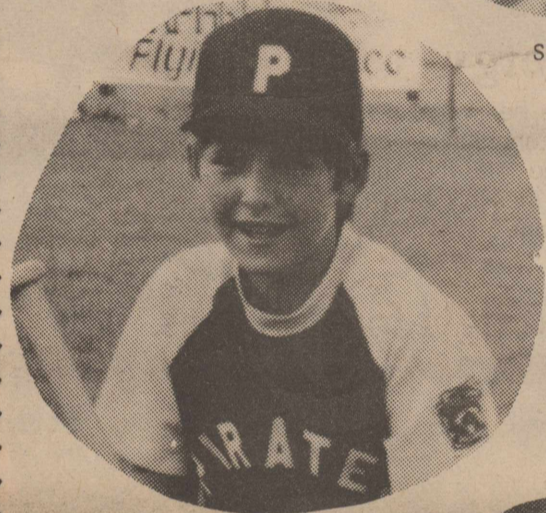
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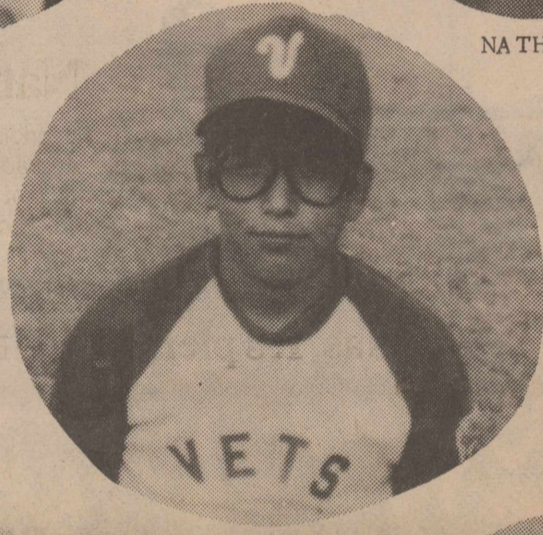
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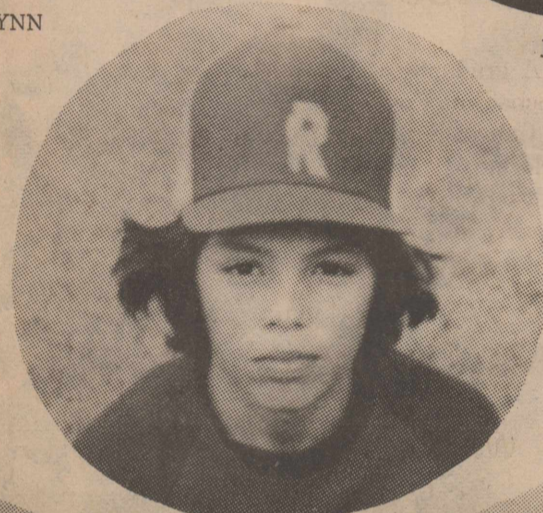
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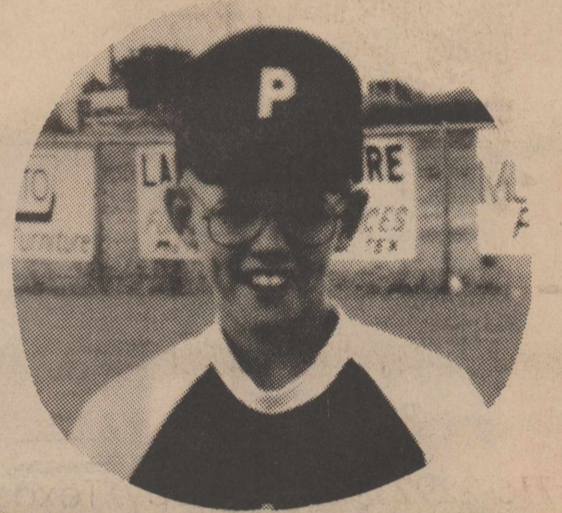
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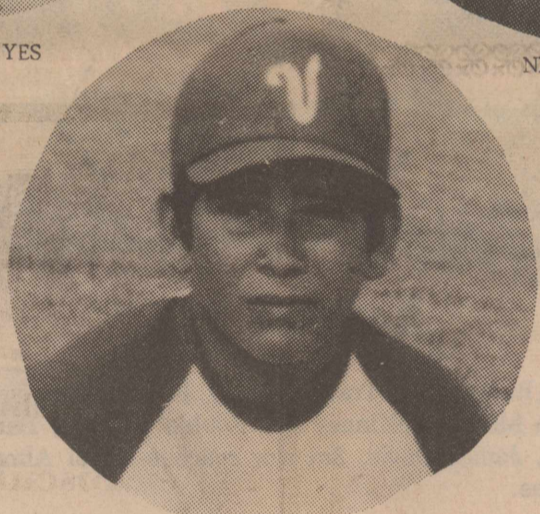
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County AJRA Rodeo To Begin Soon, Fees Set

The Fisher County American Junior Rodeo Association (AJRA) Rodeo begins on July 30 and continues for three nights through August 1st at the Roby Rodeo Arena and will be open to all area contestants ages 8 and under through 19 year olds that are both member and non-members of the AJRA.

Entry fees for the various events were released this week. For the boys and girls age 8 and under entering barrels and poles the entry fee will be \$5.00; girls 12 and under entering barrel races, poles, break-away roping and goat tying will pay entry

fees of \$13.00; the same events for girls age 13-15 will be \$18.00; with the fees for ages 16 to 19 increasing to \$23.00.

Boys age 12 and under taking part in barrel racing; break-away roping; steer and bull riding; ribbon roping and poles will pay entry fees of \$13.00. Boys age 13-15 will pay fees of \$18.00 for their events and the 16-19 age group will have fees of \$23.00.

Late entries for the AJRA rodeo will be accepted until July 27th. Entry blanks are available at the Fisher County Court House (County Agent's Office), Porter Locker

Plant in Rotan, the Newspaper Office and H.L. Davis & Co. in Rotan. Additional information concerning the rodeo is available from Mrs. Johnny Edmondson at McCauley or by phoning 776-2528 or 776-2661.

Weekend At El Paso Set For Revival

El Paso Baptist Church, Longworth, Texas, is privileged to have Br. Jack Wolton of Hollsville, Tex. for a weekend Revival, July 17-19. Services will begin at 7:30 p.m. Lunch on Sunday. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services according to F.E. Healer, pastor.

Jerry Carter Pitches To 19 Snyder All Stars, Fans 15, Rotan Team Advances

Rotan All-Star pitcher Jerry Carter got credit for the win last Monday night against the Snyder All-Stars as he pitched a 1 hitter, striking out 15 of the 19 batters he faced in 6 innings. His pitching performance was flawless except for a lone single hit by Snyder's second baseman in the bottom of the 4th inning.

The first batter that Carter faced grounded out and was thrown out at first base. Carter then fanned 9 batters in a row before giving up the hit in the 4th inning. In the final inning the Rotan All-Star pitcher tossed 9 straight strikes to retire the side and ice the win.

Rotan began their scoring in the top of the 3rd inning when Stacy Tucker walked, stole several bases and scored. The second run was scored by George Reyes after a walk. Jeff Branson hit a single, stole

second and scored and Jerry Carter walked and Scored giving Rotan a 4-0

lead at the top to the third inning. Jerry Carter doubled in

the top of the fifth inning and scored then Rafe Hargrove and Freddie

Perales scored in the top of the 6th inning to give Rotan the 7-0 win.

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ASSETS			
1. Cash and due from banks		Mil.	Thou.
2. Due from other depositories and all cash items in the process of collection			885
3. U.S. Treasury securities			006
4. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations			947
5. Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States		2	791
6. All other securities		1	431
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell			None
8. Total loans (including overdrafts totaling \$.023) (From Schedule A, Item 8)		3	241
9. Lease financing receivables			None
10. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises			024
11. Real estate owned other than bank premises			None
12. Letters of credit and customers' liability on acceptances outstanding			None
13. All other assets			003
14. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 13)		9	728
LIABILITIES			
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		1	859
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		4	614
17. Deposits of United States Government			002
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States		1	032
19. Due to banks			None
20. All other deposits (Includes \$1,113 in NOW Account Deposits)		1	113
21. Certified and officers' checks			054
22. Total Deposits (sum of items 15 thru 21)		8	674
a. Total demand deposits		3	310
b. Total time and savings deposits		5	364
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase			None
24. Interest-bearing demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money			None
25. Mortgage indebtedness for which the bank is directly liable	Cash Basis		None
26. Unearned discount on loans			None
27. Letters of credit and acceptances outstanding			None
28. All other liabilities			None
29. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) (sum of items 22 thru 28)		8	674
30. Subordinated notes and debentures			None
31. Allowance for possible loan and investment losses			048
EQUITY CAPITAL			
32. Common stock (No. of shares outstanding 500)			150
33. Certified surplus			450
34. Undivided profits			406
35. Uncertified surplus, reserve for contingencies, and other capital reserves			None
36. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 35)		1	006
37. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 29, 30, 31 and 36)		9	728

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer signing the report.

I, the undersigned officer, do hereby declare that this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: *Zanna Anderson* AREA CODE/TELEPHONE NO. 915-776-2261 DATE SIGNED July 10, 1981

NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: ZANNA ANDERSON, CASHIER

WE the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: *B.L. Dinkard* SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: *D.L. Dinkard* SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: *C. Dinkard*

(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL) State of Texas Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of July, 1981. My commission expires 9-30-1984. Notary Public.

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Rotan Library Sets

Film Showing July 22

There will be a short film show at the Rotan Public Library on July 22, at 3:00 p.m.

The two films to be shown are "Old Folks are A-Okay" and "Goliath II". This show is a part of our summertime activities for young people, and all are welcome to attend.

A total of 60 young people are members of the

Summer Reading Club, and five have received their certificates. All those who receive certificates for reading ten books during the summer will be named in the Advance after August 24th.

Thanks to the donations of a number of persons, the Rotan Library Roofing Fund now has \$427.00 in it.

Two Teachers Hired At Rotan High School

Rotan School Superintendent Jerry Dickson announced the employment of two new teachers in the Rotan High School for the 1981-82 school year.

Dickson indicated that Katherine Reagan has been employed as a homemaker teacher and

that Barbara McCain has been employed to teach English for the 1981-82 school year. Additional information on the two new teachers will be published at a later time. Dickson indicated that he still has 5 teaching positions to fill before the start of school.

Reunion Set Sunday

REUNION SET: The Annual Riverdale, Cottonwood, County Line reunion is scheduled for Sunday, August 2nd at the Rotan Community Center.

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Rotan Board Will Place Bird

The members of the Rotan School Board will hold their regular monthly meeting on Monday night, July 20th, according to Superintendent Jerry

Dickson. The Board members are expected to discuss employing teachers, discuss school insurance coverage for athletes, receive bids for depository

contract and discuss the placement of an 8 foot fiberglass "Yellowhammer" bird being purchased by the Rotan Booster Club.

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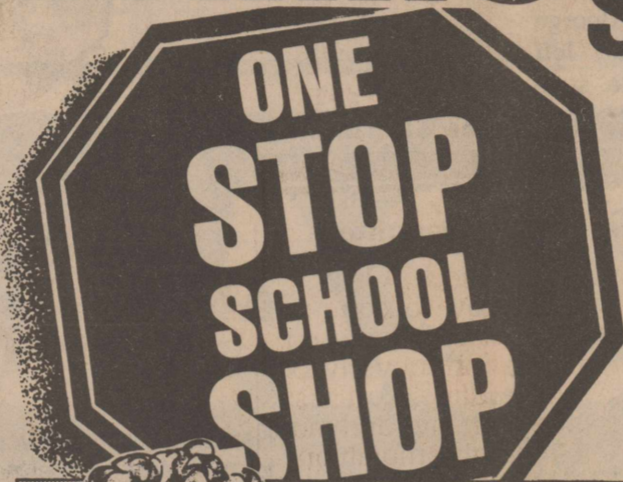
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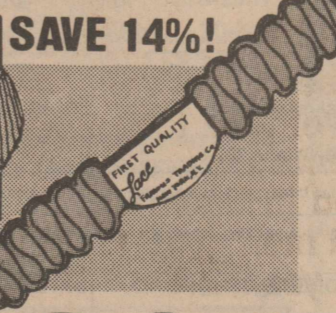
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Jean Elizabeth
and
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on Friday, July twenty-fourth
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at seven o'clock in the evening
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Reception
immediately following ceremony
First Baptist Church
Fellowship Hall

Funeral Services

FLORENCE HALE

Florence Hale, 93, of Rotan, died at 7:45 p.m. Friday at Fisher County Hospital after a long illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Sunday in Weathersbee Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Jerry McFather, First Baptist Church pastor officiated. Burial was in Rotan Cemetery.

Born Nov. 9, 1887, in Texas, she was the daughter of John C. and Julia Annycce Denton, Pioneer Fisher County residents. She moved to Fisher County in 1891 with her parents and married P.V. Hale in 1913. He died Jan. 31, 1942. She had been a resident of the Fisher County Nursing Home for several years. She was a member of the order of the Eastern Star and First Baptist Church.

She is survived by four nephews, Kaufman Florida, Rodney and Willard Denton, all of Rotan, and Alton Brock of Lubbock; and four nieces, Mrs. Virginia Eaton of Sweetwater, Mrs. Annycce Brown of Roby, Jane Meckstroth of Wichita Falls and Affanell Patterson of Lubbock.

Pallbearers were Alton Parker, Kaufman Florida, Howard Patterson, Cliff Meckstroth, Roger Eaton and H. Govan.

EDDIE WILLIAMS

Eddie Williams, 71, died Friday, July 3, at 12:15 p.m. in Fisher County Hospital. Funeral services were at 2 p.m. Sunday in Weathersbee Funeral Home Chapel. Rev. Thurman Upshaw of Stamford officiated with Mike Dennis of Rotan Church of Christ assisting. Burial was in Hobbs Cemetery.

Born Dec. 3, 1909 in Ash Flat, Arkansas, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James S. Williams. He moved to the Hobbs area from Arkansas in 1934. He belonged to the Roby Quartet and the Big State Quartet. He served on the Board of Directors of the Hobbs Gin for 30 years, he was also president at one time. He taught singing schools and published several gospel songs.

Survivors include 4 sisters: Linda Williams, Rosa Horton, Cora Vineyard and Treasa Dycus, all of Rotan; 2 nieces and 5 nephews.

He was preceded in death by 1 sister and 3 brothers.

Pallbearers were Jackie Wayne Etheredge, David Etheredge, Randy Etheredge, James Lay, Gary Nettleton and Andrew Williams.

EVA DENNIS

Eva Nell Dennis, 67, of Roby died at 5:15 a.m. Saturday at Golden Haven Home for the Aged after a long illness. Services were at 2 p.m. Monday at First Baptist Church.

Burial was in Roby cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Born March 10, 1914, in Roby, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Stuart. She had lived most of her life in Fisher County, where she served as tax assessor-collector for the McCauley Independent School District for

10 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by two brothers, Tommie and Cub.

She is survived by six sons, Olen D. of Roby, Jimmy and Roy, both of Cisco, Ronny of Sweetwater, Larry of Rule and Jeffy of Texarkana; a daughter, Mrs. Aubry Nell Cauble of Roby; five brothers, Coy, L.L., Rabon and Max, all of Roby, and George of Honey Grove; three sisters, Mrs. Ed Carter of Roby, Mrs. Milton McCuiston of Burleson and Mrs. Neal Collier of Wichita Falls; 13 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

She would have dropped each value to \$3,900.00, multiplied times 93 cents. A \$100 valuation would have made the tax due Fisher County \$36.27. This year computing the same home at 100% of value \$15,000 and multiplying the rate times .30

Funeral Services Set At First Baptist Church

Funeral services for the late Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Williams will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday at the First Baptist Church in Rotan. The Rev. Thurman Upshaw of Stamford will officiate. Burial will be in Hobbs Cemetery.

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G.W. Crawford, Preston McClesky, Billie Joe McCombs and Cecil Striech.

ORVALL MITCHELL

Orval Mitchell, 66, of Tulsa, Okla., formerly of Roby died Friday in a Tulsa hospital. Services were at 10 a.m. Monday in Moore Funeral Home Chapel in Tulsa, with burial in Tulsa City Cemetery.

He was a Church of Christ member.

He is survived by his wife, Thelma; a son, Loyd of Spring; his mother, Mrs. Ada Mitchell of Roby; a brother, Frank of

Lubbock; a sister, Mrs. Luther Donham of Rotan; and a grandson.

LOU DAN STEPHENS

Lou Dan Stephens, 83, of Grand Prairie, died in Grand Prairie Hospital Saturday. Graveside rites were in the Roby Cemetery at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday.

Rev. Loren Gardner of First United Methodist Church, Roby officiated.

Born April 18, 1898, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Stephens. A native of Royston, she lived in Hamlin and Lubbock before moving to Grand Prairie in 1975. She was a

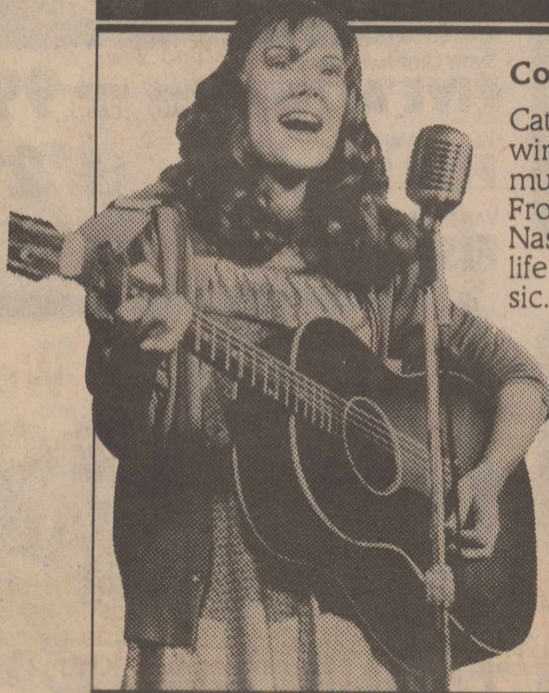
retired school teacher. Her career began in 1918.

Survivors include 4 sisters: Mrs. Maybelle McCright of Lubbock, Mrs. Burt Rushing of Rotan, Mrs. George Owen of Abilene and Mrs. Mattie Colborn of Dallas; 1 nephew, Victor L. Colborn of Grand Prairie.

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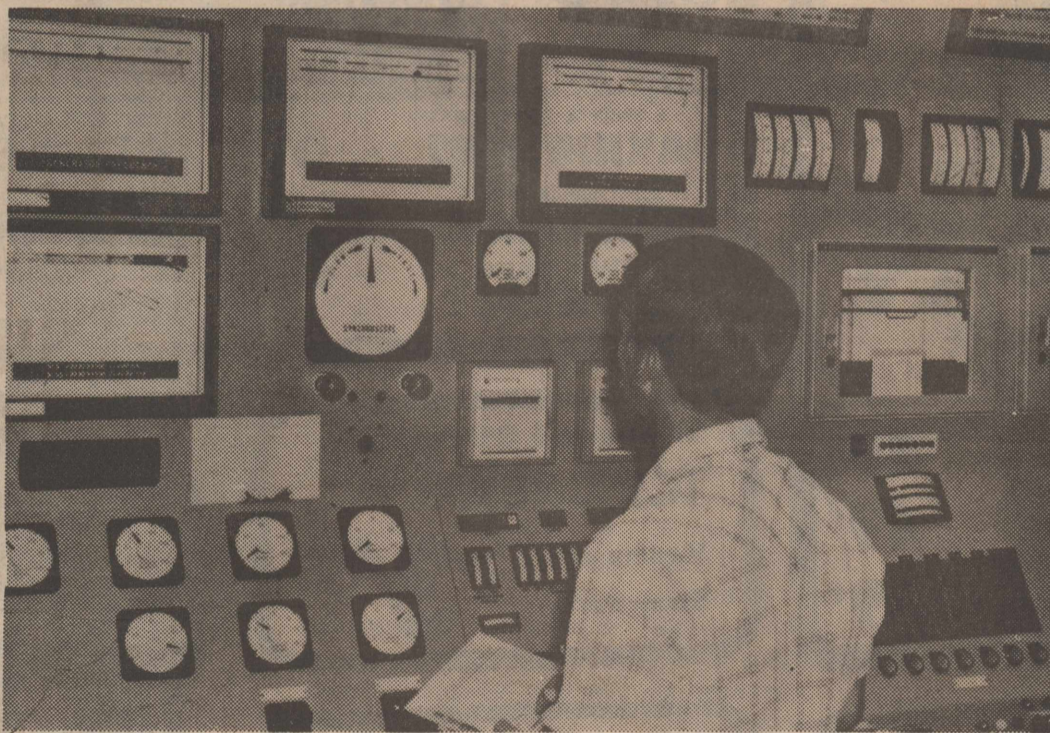
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Hospital News

Those admitted to the Fisher County Hospital July 7, 1981 thru July 13, 1981. ROTAN: Selma Lear, Becky Carmichael, Susie Martin, Debbie Mann, T.L. Anderson, Thomas G. Yanez, Lee W. Fairey, John W. Sharp, Vera Taggart; ROBY: Jacqueline Des Rosiers, Letha Meeks, Cordeilia Hollis; WACO: Aurora Williams, Williams Baby Boy; SWEETWATER: Lester R. Betteas, Jacqueline McAbee, Douglas Rotto; SNYDER: Edith Grimes, Grimes Baby Girl.

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Winterizer and Crabgrass Preventer	Reg. \$9.95	Now \$7.95
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Rose Food	Reg. \$2.98	Now \$2.00
Rose Food With Systemic	Reg. \$3.98	Now \$3.00
Tree and Shrub Food	Reg. \$8.95	Now \$6.95
Potting Soil 2 1/2 Peck	Reg. \$3.30	Now \$2.50
Potting Soil 5 Peck	Reg. \$6.30	Now \$5.00
Greenlight Pecan Food 25 LB.	Reg. \$13.80	Now \$11.80
Spectracide Insect Control 5 LB.	Reg. \$7.50	Now \$6.00
Greenlight Wasp & Hornet Spray	Reg. \$3.00	Now \$2.50
Liquid Sevin 1 Pt.	Reg. \$4.75	Now \$3.50
Malathion 1 Qt.	Reg. \$11.85	Now \$9.00
Greenlight Wipeout 1 Qt.	Reg. \$6.85	Now \$5.85
Dexol Red Ant Bait	Reg. \$2.50	Now \$2.00
5% Sevin Dust 1 LB.	Reg. \$1.80	Now \$1.40
5% Sevin Dust 4 LB.	Reg. \$2.85	Now \$2.25
10% Sevin Dust 8 LB.	Reg. \$9.50	Now \$8.50
50% Sevin Wettable 2 LB.	Reg. \$6.95	Now \$5.95
Greenlight Many Purpose Dust	Reg. \$2.25	Now \$1.75
Greenlight Bug & Snail Bait	Reg. \$3.00	Now \$2.25
Tomato Bloom Set	Reg. \$2.50	Now \$2.00
Spectracide Sprays	Reg. \$3.35	Now \$2.75
Goldren Malrin Fly Bait 1 LB. Can	Reg. \$3.75	Now \$3.00
Doc Plastic Sprayers 1 1/2 Gal.		Now \$23.00
Doc Plastic Sprayers 2 Gal.		Now \$25.00
Doc Plastic Sprayers 3 Gal.		Now \$30.00
Prolin Rat Bait 4 Oz. Packs	Reg. 50'	Now 3/\$1.00
Diazon 1 Pt.	Reg. \$4.95	Now \$3.75
Golpher Bait 1 LB.	Reg. \$2.50	Now \$2.00
Flea & Tick Collar		Now \$2.50
Golden Boy Dog Food 50 LB.	Reg. \$9.30	Now \$8.50
Golden Boy Dog Food 25 LB.	Reg. \$5.35	Now \$5.00
Frishies Cat Food 20 LB.	Reg. \$9.75	Now \$9.00
Tastee Chew Cat Food 25 LB.	Reg. \$8.00	Now \$7.25
Hi Pro Dog Food 50 LB.	Reg. \$10.20	Now \$9.75
Hi Pro Dog Food 25 LB.	Reg. \$5.75	Now \$5.25

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Fall WTC Registration

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Floyd Renner, et al, Defendant, Greeting: YOU (AND EACH OF YOU) ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the District Court of Fisher County at the Courthouse thereof, in Roby, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 3rd day of August A.D. 1981, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 3rd day of June A.D. 1981, in this cause, numbered 4434 on

the docket of said court and styled WEITZEL & SONS, A TEXAS CORPORATION, Plaintiff, vs. FLOYD RENNER, ET AL, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

A suit for the appointment of a Receiver under the provisions of Article

2320b of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, to execute an oil, gas and mineral lease on the interests of the Defendants in the following described lands situated in Fisher county, Texas, to-wit:

80 acres, more or less, being the East one-half (E/2) of the Southwest

one-fourth (SW/4) of Section No. 16, Block No. 1, HT & B Survey, Fisher County, Texas.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

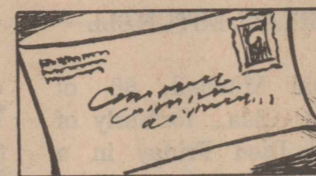
The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to

requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

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

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Roby, Texas, this the 18th day of June A.D. 1981.

Eula Mae Hull Clerk, District Court Fisher County, Texas. 19-4tc



Benjamin Franklin was the first head of the U.S. postal system.

Western Texas College has announced pre-registration for the Fall of 1981 Semester at the Snyder Campus. Freshmen students will be pre-registering from now until July 30th. Pre-registration will be open from 8 a.m. to noon and 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. on Monday through Thursday. Students are to go to the counselor's office to

select their classes. Students will be billed during August so it will not be necessary to pay at this time.

Selection of classes, and saves the student from registration lines in the fall. Also the counselors are able to devote more time to individual students during the pre-registration period.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER TO THE QUALIFIED VOTERS OF Hobbs Independent School District of Fisher County, Texas: TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 8th day of August, 1981, in the Hobbs School Building FOR THE PURPOSE OF: Determining whether the Hobbs Independent School District shall be abolished, effective at the end of the 1980-81 school year, or remain in existence. Polls will be open between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. ABSENTEE VOTING will be held at the Hobbs School Building during regular office hours BEGINNING July 20, 1981 and ENDING August 4, 1981.

Marshall Bennett County Judge 22-2tc

NOTICE OF CALCULATION OF EFFECTIVE TAX RATE.

"In a manner designed to come to the attention of all residents." I, Kenneth Vann, tax assessor-collector for the City of Rotan, in accordance with the provisions of Article 7244c, Sec. 1, VTCS, have calculated the tax rate which may not be exceeded by more than three percent by the governing body of the City of Rotan without holding a public hearing as required by Art. 7244c, Sec. 2, VTCS. That rate is as follows:

\$1.50 per \$100 of value. Kenneth Vann Tax Assessor-Collector July 16, 1981 22-1tc

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"In a manner designed to come to the attention of all residents." I, Kenneth Vann, tax assessor-collector for the Rotan Municipal Water Authority, in accordance with the provisions of Article 7244c, Sec. 1, VTCS, have calculated the tax rate which may not be exceeded by more than three percent by the governing body of the Rotan Municipal Water Authority without holding a public hearing as required by Art 7244c, Sec. 2, VTCS. That rate is as follows:

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MINUTE MAID 100% PURE ORANGE JUICE 32 OZ. CTN. **89¢**

TOTAL GROCERY SAVERS

MAXWELL HOUSE INSTANT COFFEE 10 OZ. JAR **\$4.19**

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Shurfine Regular TUNA 6 1/2 OZ. Can **89¢**

NABISCO VANILLA NILLA WAFERS 12 OZ. BOX **99¢**

Regular Only KING COLA 6 Pk. Cans **\$1.49**

Bowl Cleaner BOWLGARD 14 OZ. Jar **\$1.89**

Lipton Family Size TEA BAGS **\$1.79**

24 Ct. Pkg.

ROYAL OAK CHARCOAL **\$1.99**

10 LB. BAG

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