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# Fisher County Jail Receives Certification From Commission

After spending some seven years and approximately \$60,000.00 attempting to get the Fisher County Jail in compliance with the minimum jail standards as set down by

## Stuart Girls On Angelo Honor Roll

Christy and Tammy Stuart, students at Angelo State University, were both listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stuart of Roby.

the Texas Commission on Jail Standards, Fisher County finally received its certificate of compliance last Monday, according to Sheriff Mickey Counts.

In 1975 Fisher County began improving and adding equipment in order to receive compliance. Over the years, Fisher County Commissioners have voted expenditures amounting to approximately \$60,000.00 to make improvements and add equipment. Last Monday, during one

of the inspections, Joe Slater, Supervising Inspector for the Texas Commission on Jail Standards, issued Sheriff Counts a certificate of compliance indicating that the Fisher County Jail met the minimum jail standards of the Texas Commission.

In making the presentation, Slater said, "On behalf of the Texas Commission on Jail Standards, the Fisher County officials, Judge Marshal Bennett, the County Com-

missioners, Sheriff Mickey Counts and his staff are to be commended on this accomplishment. This is not due to any one person but to all working together. The taxpayers should be proud they have elected officials who have been able to achieve this

result at minimum costs. Having achieved compliance with the Texas Jail Standards and with continued operation at this level you can be assured that frivolous complaints and lawsuits will not be looked upon favorably by the Federal Courts. Your com-

pliance with the laws of the State of Texas serves to protect you as these rules and statutes have been tested and upheld on numerous occasions by the Federal Courts. My personal congratulations to these officials. It is a pleasure to work with

them." Sheriff Counts indicated that he was pleased with the action and expressed his thanks to the people of Fisher County and Fisher County Commissioners for the support of the jail up-date project. Counts also said that he

believed Fisher County joined only about 100 other counties in having their jail facilities approved by the commission.

Judge Marshal Bennett said, "This is the certification we've been looking for and working toward for 7 years."

## Rotan Firemen Raise \$2,200 At Auction

The members of the Rotan Volunteer Fire Department collected approximately \$2,200.00 from the auction last Saturday and made an additional \$1,000 from the sale of tickets on a half-beef, according to Rotan Fire Department President Archie Neeley.

The funds raised will be used to pay off a note at the local bank made several months ago to finish remodeling the new firehall.

Most of the \$2,200.00 came from merchandise auctioned and donated by Rotan merchants and individuals.

Approximately 1,000 tickets were sold on the half-beef that was won by Mrs. Mary Daniel.

"On behalf of the Rotan

Fire Department and Ladies Auxiliary, I want to express our thanks to everyone that helped make our auction a success," said Neeley.

## County AJRA Group Will Meet June 1

Fisher County A.J.R.A. will hold a meeting to finalize some plans for the upcoming A.J.R.A. Rodeo. The dates for the Rodeo are July 29, 30, and 31. All members and interested persons are asked to attend the meeting at 8:00 p.m. on June 1 at the Courthouse Annex in Roby.

## Forrest Graham Is USNA Science Winner

The United States Achievement Academy announced recently that Forrest Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Graham of Roby, and grandson of Mrs. Faye Ray of Roby, has been named a 1982 United States National Award winner in Science. This

award is an honor very few students can ever hope to attain. The Academy recognizes less than 5% of all American high school students.

Forrest was nominated for this National award by Mrs. Pat Hamric and Mr. Jerry Dickson.

## Sheriff Investigates Roby Drug Burglary

Fisher County Sheriff's Department officials investigated a break-in at the Roby Drug in Roby last Sunday morning at approximately 2:15 a.m., and according to a report from Sheriff Counts "nothing was reported missing."

Counts indicated that he felt the burglar alarm surprised those in the building and caused them to leave empty-handed. "They gained entry through a wall in the beauty shop next door and were apparently after drugs," said Counts.

"We have some suspects in the investigation, however no one has been

arrested at this time," said the Sheriff.

## Cross Roads Bible School Starts Mon.

Cross Roads Baptist Church will hold Vacation Bible School beginning Monday, May 31, through Friday, June 4, from 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Age groups will be 2 years - 6th grade. There will be lots of fun, games, Bible study, crafts, and refreshments. Come join us for an exciting week.

## Dr. V. Burk Attends TAVP Meeting

Dr. Vick Burk of Rotan attended a seminar on "Basic Bovine Reproduction Procedures and Techniques" May 16-18 in Castroville, Texas.

Sponsored by the Texas Veterinary Medical Association and the Texas Academy of Veterinary Practice (TAVP), the "hands-on, hands-in" seminar will include clinical examinations as well as classroom instruction.

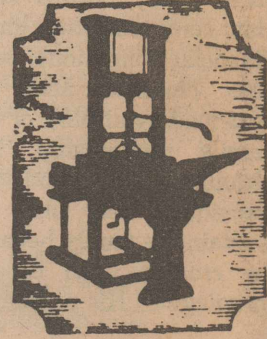
## Myra Adams Receives Angelo Degree

Myra Ellen Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Adams, received a Bachelor of Science degree from Angelo State University on May 14, 1982. She has a major in Physical Education and a minor in Speech. While attending A.S.U. she was on the Dean's Honor Roll seven times. Myra plans a career in the field of public education.

## Barry Beames Receives HSU Minister Award

Barry Beames, a senior Bible major at Hardin-Simmons University, recently received the Mr. and Mrs. Cecil I. Brashear Ministerial Award. The award consists of a six-volume set of Dr. A.T. Robertson's book, *Word Pictures and the New Testament*.

Beames and his wife reside at 801 McKinley in Rotan, Texas. He graduated May 8, with a BA degree.



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## Thirty-Seven Seniors Scheduled To Receive Diplomas At Rotan High

A total of 37 Rotan High School seniors are scheduled to receive graduation diplomas on Friday night, May 28th, according to Superintendent Jerry Dickson. Graduation ceremonies get underway at 8:00 p.m. at the Rotan High School Auditorium.

The commencement invocation will be given by Keith Copeland, Salutatory Address by Conrad Hamric and Vaedictory

Address by Laura Gruben. Wes Hardin and Weldon Hayes are scheduled to read the Rotan Senior Class History.

Dr. Don Newberry will give the address. He is the President of Western Texas College at Snyder.

Allan Houston, President of the Rotan School Board, will present diplomas and Martha Hargrove and Mark Harris will have charge of the Rose Ceremony.

Darrell Carter will lead the Alma Mater and Nina Carrillo will lead the closing Benediction.

Those 37 seniors scheduled to receive diplomas include: Keith Armstrong, Margie Butt, Nina Carrillo, Darrell Carter, Marcus Conner, Keith Copeland, Laura Denton, LaDonna Eaton, Rocky Garza, Moses Gonzales, Robert Gray, Laura Gruben, Conrad Hamric, Wes Hardin, Martha Hargrove,

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nie D. Thomson, Artie Tucker, Cecil Turner, Anita Underhill, Ronda Underwood, Henry Williams, Margie Zambrano.

## Alan Kiker Named Vice Chairman In 4-H Group

Alan Kiker, a junior at Rotan High School, was elected Vice-Chairman of the District 3 4-H Council this past weekend at the annual District 3, 4-H Council and Teen Leader Lab held in Brownwood at the State 4-H Center. Alan will serve on the State 4-H Council as part of his duties and plans to run for a state 4-H Council office this year.

Other members of the Fisher County 4-H Jr. Leader Club attending were Tisa Lovett, Lisa Hoodenpyle, Jill Wright-1981-82 Treasurer of Dis-

trict 3, 4-H Council, Mike Morrow-1981-82 Vice Chairman of State 4-H Council and Public Relations Officer of State 4-H Council; all of these helped present the program.

Also attending were Jennifer Wright, Ricky Spen-

cer, Jeff Upshaw, LaDonna Eaton and Melody Hataway.

John Walker, Adult 4-H Leader was in charge of Entertainment, says Gary Mark Clevenger, County Extension Agent, Agriculture.

## Rotan First Baptist Youth Car Wash Set

The Youth of the First Baptist Church, Rotan, will be holding a car wash Saturday, May 29. The car wash will be held in the

parking lot at the church. The proceeds will be used to finance a trip to Six Flags for the Youth.

## Rains Cause Area Flooding

Fisher County has received an abundance of rainfall over the weekend with official Rotan figures resting at 6.56 inches

while Roby's official mark measures 4.10 inches since last Friday.

Willis Ogden, official Rotan Weather Observer,

indicated that Rotan has officially received 13.58 inches of rainfall in May - through last Monday. Over the weekend, his

figures showed-2.73 on Saturday, .77 on Sunday, 2.12 on Monday and .94 on Tuesday for a total of 6.56 inches.

Jimmy Price at the Roby City Hall indicated that Roby's rainfall over the weekend amounted to 4.10 inches. He reported 3.00 on May 24th and 1.10 on Tuesday, May 25th. Total Roby rainfall for the month amounted to 10.84 inches and total for the year was 13.23 inches.

## Fire Protection Added

## Rotan Council Hikes Rates

The members of the Rotan City Council met last Monday night for a special meeting and voted an increase in the water, sewage and garbage rates in addition to passing a "fire protection fee" of \$1.00 a month.

The City Council members passed a 20% rate hike on the sewer charges, increasing the basic rate from \$2.50 for a 1 bath home to \$3.00 a month.

Council members increased garbage rates by 33 1/3%, increasing residential charges from \$3.00 to \$4.00 a month.

The water rates also took an increase. Water rates (over 3,000 gallons minimum) were increased from \$1.40 per 1,000 gallons to \$1.60 per 1,000 gallons. The minimum water charge still remains at \$6.00 per month.

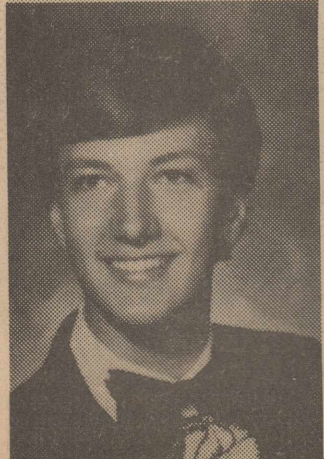
In addition, Rotan City Council members passed a \$1.00 "fire protection" fee. This money will be

placed in a special fund for future purchases of major fire equipment. It is anticipated that approxi-

mately \$10,000.00 a year will be taken into the fire department fund from the \$1.00 a month assessment.



VALEDICTORIAN: The 1982 Rotan High Valedictorian is Laura Gruben, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Gruben.



SALUTATORIAN: The 1982 Rotan High School Salutatorian is Conrad Hamric, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy V. Hamric.

## Five Rotan Students In State Band

This Saturday, five Rotan High School Band students will travel to Austin for the Texas State Solo and Ensemble Contest.

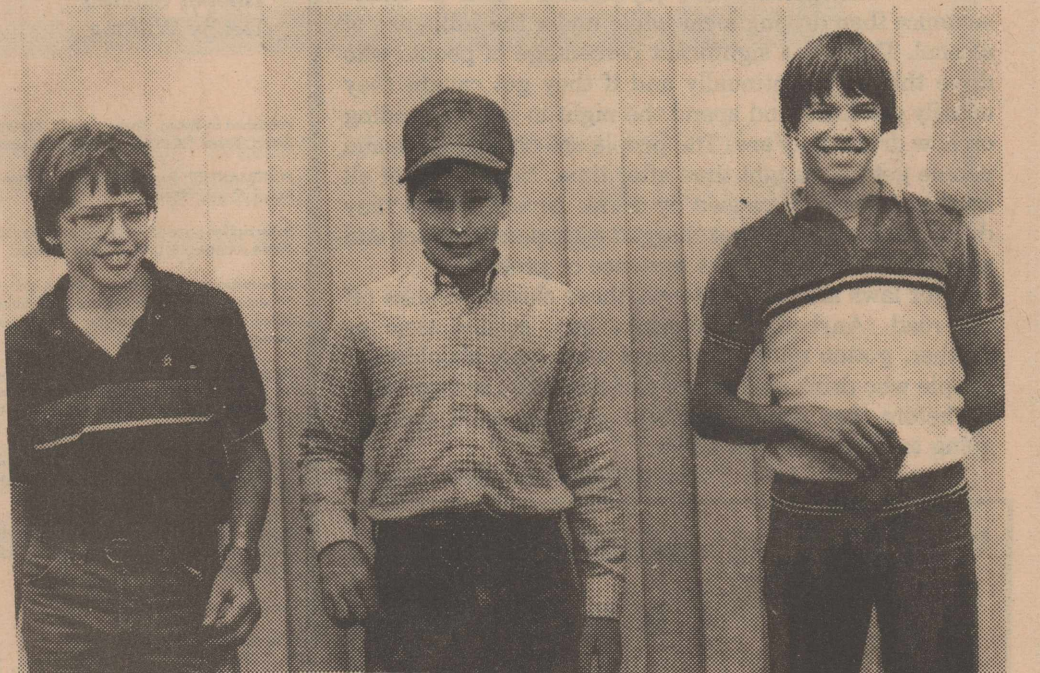
The five students are Martha Hargrove, John Underhill, Shelley Hayes, Dilana Long and Jerilyn Marshall. The students received a first division rating on their respective solos in February at the Region Contest.

## Rebekah's To Meet On Monday

Rotan Rebekah Lodge will meet Monday night, June 7, at 7:30 p.m. If raining, the meeting will be postponed.



ENTOMOLOGY IDENTIFICATION TEAM: The 4-H Junior Entomology Identification Team won first place recently at District competition. Members, left to right, Trey Gardner, Jeff Branson and John Everett.



JUNIOR GRASS IDENTIFICATION TEAM: Winning Second Place at District and 3rd Place in Tri-District was the 4-H Junior Grass Identification Team. Members, left to right, Donnie Carl Gruben, Jared Cook, and John Pease-2nd high individual in District and Tri-District.



# Hits & Misses

We're going to award a \$50.00 savings bond to the person submitting the "permanent" name for the new column. Send your entry to The Newspaper Office, Post Office Drawer A, Rotan, Texas 79546. Deadline for receiving entries is May 14th, 1982.

Watching Marco Polo this week made me think about some other times in history I studied about the invasion and overthrow of one group of individuals by another. How would you react and/or feel if one day some people, maybe in uniforms, came in your place of business or home and ordered everyone out on the street? Once outside you see other townspeople being lined up. You are all loaded on trucks and taken away. You wouldn't have any way of knowing what happened to your husband or your children or your best friend. For a few minutes feel the fear, experience the shock, but don't dwell on it. Now, go back to your sewing or to your typewriter, finish supper, tie your kid's shoe...just for the moment really appreciate who you are and where you are.

Debbly Wilfong, Production

Rotan residents are going to be in for a treat. I barged into the new Casa Morales Restaurant, scheduled to open in Rotan very soon in the old Village Flower Shop-Frazier Drug Building, and was shocked. You are going to like what you see. The Morales family has put a lot of work into re-decorating the building, installing new fixtures, etc. My purpose for stopping at Casa Morales was to help Mrs. W.B. Hardin and Mrs. Jerry Paul Helms carry in some newly redecorated seating booths. Jerry Dycus and I were on our way to drink coffee. Watch for the date of the grand opening of the Casa Morales. If their planned menu of Mexican and American food is getting as much attention as the interior decoration-we're going to have a local restaurant we can be extremely proud of.

Kim Pease, Editor

I ran across this poem in a book I was reading through. I thought you might enjoy reading it.

"A Smile is Cheer to you and me  
The cost is nothing-it's given free  
It comforts the weary-gladdens the sad  
Consoles those in trouble-good or bad  
To rich and poor-beggar or thief  
It's free to all of any belief  
A natural gesture of young and old  
Cheers on the faint-disarms the bold  
Unlike most blessings for which we pray  
It's one thing we keep when we give it away.  
So if you see someone without a smile today, give them yours.

Rosemary Donham, Advertising

The following were listed as New Year's Resolutions, or the New Year is a good time to start, but I think they apply at any time:

- Keep skid chains on your tongue; always say less than you think.
- Make promises sparingly and keep them faithfully.
- Never let an opportunity pass to say a kind and encouraging word to or about somebody. Be interested in others. Let everyone you meet feel that you regard him or her as someone important.
- Be cheerful. Hide your pains, worries and disappointments under a smile.
- Preserve an open mind on all debatable questions. Discuss, but do not argue.
- Be careful of other people's feelings. Wit and humor at someone else's expense are rarely worth the effort, and may hurt when least expected.
- Let your virtues speak for themselves and refuse to talk about another person's vices. Make it a rule to say nothing about someone unless it's something good.
- Pay no attention to ill-natured remarks about you. Simply live so that nobody will believe them.
- Don't be too anxious about your dues. Do your work, be patient, keep a pleasant disposition, forget self and you will be rewarded.
- Though no one can go back and make a brand new start, anyone can start from now and make a brand new end.

Joy Walker, Correspondent

Did you know that Wednesday, May 5, was the day you could start working for yourself this year? According to the Tax foundation, if you are an average worker and if all your paychecks since January 1 had been sent to the federal, state and local taxing entities, you would have been through paying your taxes for the year on Wednesday, May 5.

Stephen Henry of the Levelland News-Press says we should have moved our July 4th celebration up to May 5, because "that's the true Independence Day."

Carol Weatherly, Typesetter

The biggest crime these days, which often gets shuffled under the table during law making time, is the problem of DWI. The penalty of "jaywalking" gets a stiffer sentence than driving a car while under the influence of alcohol. There is a significant percentage of people who drive this way continually and if they get caught they usually get fined and spend the night in jail, depending on how drunk they are. The people are usually the same people getting caught time after time. Nearly half of all fatal accidents are caused by drunk drivers. When they do kill someone, they get charged with manslaughter and get off with either a light sentence or probation.

Stiffer laws are needed to get these chronic drunks off the road. Anybody who drinks has, at one time or another, gotten under the wheel when they shouldn't. People who drink need more self-discipline and to sober up before they drive. The best solution is, if you are going to drink, do it at home.

Jimmy Markham, Bookkeeping

Have you ever stopped and thought about the increase in unemployment? Well, I have a lot here lately and I think it is well over exaggerated. Have you read the want ads lately or walked down a shopping mall and read the help wanted signs? No telling how many times I've heard people say they need farm help, help in a store, babysitters, plumbers, carpenters, etc. but everyone is busy and it will be weeks or people just don't want to work.

All the cry over poor economy may be that we are just too lazy or too "picky".

I think there are jobs available. It may not be exactly what you want, but people can work if they want to. I think welfare has helped us on our way to a lazy nation but drawing unemployment and welfare is what a lot of people want. I've even heard people say they couldn't take a job because it was in the wrong town. We are really getting ridiculous, and the parents that say, "I don't want my kids to have to work as hard as I did." Why not? I love my kids and want the best for them but I can remember Kim in the Air Force making \$265.00 a month and making a living for a wife and a growing family. We'd sometimes have \$8.00 for groceries for two weeks. You can do it! You eat a lot of spaghetti! Sometimes we sold coke bottles to go to the show. In really bad times, Kim had two extra part-time jobs (cleaning tomato sheds and writing articles for a newspaper) and I babysat for \$10.00 a week and took in ironing for 10 cents a piece. I'm not complaining. We had some bad times, but we had a lot of good times. We also did it on our own. We made our own way and look back on how we enjoyed those days and still work just as hard. So get up, America! If you want to work, you can!!

Janece Pease, Associate

We were surprised at the number of Bird Watchers who commented on our comments on Hummingbirds recently.

Song Birds also are not as prolific in this area as in years gone by but we do have feathered neighbors-Mourning Doves. Until the last few years very few Doves remained here during the summer.

Fisher County was about the middle of the flyway, with Doves migrating during early fall on their way south for the winter. Then back in the spring and moving north for the summer. A few birds would stay around and nest, but mostly just remained a few weeks.

They are sturdy game birds and hunters would visit their favorite waterholes and tanks in September each year, then about October 1st a flight of the large Northern Doves would come in and stay a few weeks.

In past years when Milo prices justified farmers in planting considerable amounts, Doves would remain longer for the food. Very little Milo is now planted in the area.

These creatures have become our most common birds in town during the past two years. They can be seen picking up gravel on any street during the day and large numbers are nesting in trees about yards. They are becoming very tame and remind you of pigeons in many cities.

These are interesting birds and their mourning call has become very common around the yards.

Hooper Shelton, Job Printer

# Strength For The Home

By Barry Beames

"Strength For The Home"

One of the most tragic occurrences of the past twenty years is the increased number of broken homes. America is becoming a nation of short-lived relationships because of a lax standard of morality. The home faces many battles each day: communication gaps, financial obligations, restless children and the fast-food syndrome of the family relationship. Yet through it all God has provided the plan to sustain the family because he created it to be the privilege of His people.

Men, the responsibility begins with us. I Peter 3:7 says, "Likewise husbands, dwell with them according to knowledge, giving honor unto the wife, as unto the weaker vessel, and as being heirs together of the grace of life; that your prayers be not hindered." Wives need to know that they are loved and appreciated. And wives, Pete also said that you are to be understanding and trusting in the wisdom with

which your husband leads the family. Peter says you must allow him to be what you want him to be. And together "Thou shalt teach them (the ways of God) diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thy house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down and when thou riseth up." (Deut. 6:20; 21:19) Children need your support and encouragement and train-

ing as much today as ever before. And children, you are to honor, respect and obey, your parents. That is God's pattern for preparing you for a life of your own.

In these days of stormy weather for the home, God has a plan. Regardless of what society says, when we follow God's blueprint for the family it will be strong and enduring.

Barry Beames, pastor  
Calvary Baptist Church

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Not everywhere are men free to believe, to worship, to serve God as well as country! Having a Faith to live by... and striving each day to live by that Faith... these, more than dipping the colors, keep faith with our heroes.

Sunday	John 3:7-13
Monday	John 3:14-21
Tuesday	John 6:35-40
Wednesday	Isaiah 55:1-13
Thursday	Hosea 6:1-3
Friday	Matthew 5:1-12
Saturday	1 John 2:21-29

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# Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cantu Named Missionaries By Southern Baptists

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn R. Cantu were among 27 people named missionaries by the Southern Baptist Foreign Mission Board May 10 at Monument Heights Baptist Church, Richmond, Va.

The Cantus will work in Colombia, where he will be a music consultant and she will be a church and home worker. Currently he is music and youth director at First Baptist Church, Rotan, Texas.

Born in Burtonwood, England, Cantu is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Orenio L. Cantu of San Antonio, Texas. He considers San Antonio his hometown and Lackland Baptist Church there his home church. He has also lived in Panama.

Cantu received the bachelor of music education degree from Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, Texas, and the master of church music degree from Southwestern

Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas.

He has worked as a teacher/band director in San Antonio, and as a custodian in Fort Worth. He has also served as youth minister of Lackland Baptist Church, San Antonio, and as a Southern Baptist Home Mission Board summer missionary

in Michigan.

Born in Brownsville, Texas, Mrs. Cantu, the former Belinda Lartigue, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eleazar Lartigue of Houston. She considers Houston, Texas, her hometown and Primera Iglesia Bautista, Brownville, and Templo Bautista, South Houston, her

home churches. She has also lived in Miami, Fla.

She received the bachelor of arts degree from Houston Baptist University, and the master of church music degree from Southwestern seminary. She has worked as an

accounting clerk for two companies in Fort Worth, and has also served as a Home Mission Board summer missionary in Ohio.

The Cantus have one child: Elizabeth Esther, born in 1980. The family will go to Pine Mountain, Ga., in September for a 12-week orientation before leaving for the field.



Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cantu

## Rites For Sylvester Howard Held

Sylvester Howard, 76, of Hobbs, a retired farmer, died at 8:48 p.m. Sunday, May 23, 1982, at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. Services were held at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday at Hobbs Baptist Church, directed by McCoy Funeral Home.

The Rev. L.D. Parks, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Hobbs Cemetery.

Born Nov. 22, 1905, at Cuero, he moved to Roby in 1950 and to Hobbs in 1960.

Pallbearers were Clay Willingham, Rick Sanford, Jimmy Mills, Ben Hazelwood, Walter Cave, and Danny Helms.

### Card of Thanks

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Tommy Harbin for the time he set aside, four hours on Sunday afternoon, to show some of the freshmen girls of Roby how to perform C.P.R. We hope we never have to use it but if the need arises maybe we can help someone else.

Stephanie, Stacy, Penny, Jennifer, Sharon, Melody, and Ellen

### TO THE VOTERS OF FISHER COUNTY

I am again asking for your support in the Second Democratic Primary, June 5, in my candidacy for County Treasurer. I appreciate your fine support in the first primary.

I have tried hard to see each of you since then, but I realize that I have missed some, as our county is large. If I have missed you, please consider this as a personal appeal for your vote.

If I am elected, I pledge to execute the duties of the office to the best of my ability; and to remain loyal to all you good people of the county. Again, my "Thanks", and may God bless you.

Most Sincerely,  
Ilene Hale

### Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for their expressions of love and concern for us in the loss of our son, Jerry.

The floral arrangements, cards and calls have meant so very much to us. Thank you again for caring.

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Jerry, Linda,  
Sharlene & Shelley  
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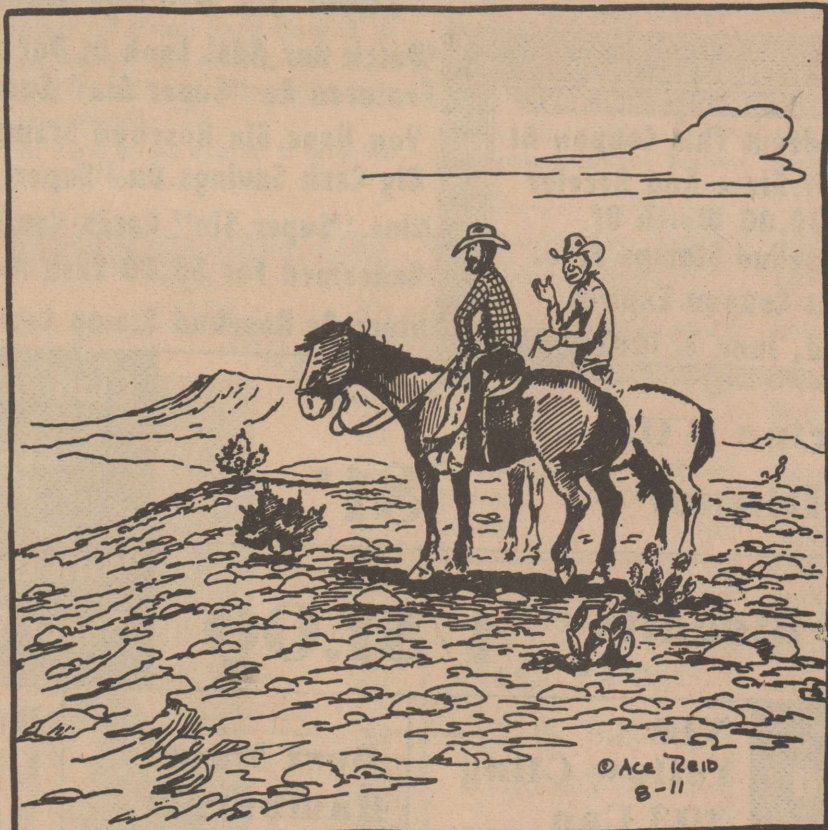
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# Junior Track Meet Held By Rotan Junior High

Last week the members of Rotan's 5th and 6th grade classes participated in a "Junior Track Meet" at the Rotan football field. The names of the winners and events entered are listed below.

**5th Grade  
50 Yard Dash  
Girls**  
Jeri Lynn Boone, 1st place; Bobbie Daniels, 2nd place; Merrie King, 3rd place; Carye Gruben, 4th place; Lynette McQueen, 5th place; Shanna Bennett, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Robert Daniel, 1st place; Gray Fowler, 2nd place; Travis Whitley, 3rd place; Harlan Grady, 4th place; Randall Clawson, 5th place; Felix Yanez, 6th place.

**100 Yard Dash  
Girls**  
Denise Powell, 1st place; Lucy Stinson, 2nd place; Julie Pease, 3rd place; Jerri Lynn Boone, 4th place; Kathy Carrillo, 5th place; Glory Neeper, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Keith Pinkard, 1st place; George Patterson, 2nd place; Gray Fowler, 3rd place; Kenneth Warren, 4th place; Thomas Almanza, 5th place; Harlan Grady, 6th place.

**220 Yard Dash  
Girls**  
Ann Marie Williams, 1st place; Julie Pease, 2nd place; Terre Johnson, 3rd place; Jenny Dickson, 4th place; Moria Walden, 5th place; Glory Neeper, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Martine Garcia, 1st place; George Patterson, 2nd place; Steve Campos, 3rd place; Robert Moreno, 4th place; Blake Morrow, 5th place; Billy Speck, 6th place.

**440 Yard Dash  
Girls**  
Denise Powell, 1st place; Lucy Stinson, 2nd place; Terri Johnson, 3rd place; Ann Marie Williams, 4th place; Merrie King, 5th place; Carye Gruben, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Martine Garcia, 1st place; Keith Pinkard, 2nd place; Robert Daniel, 3rd place; Robert Moreno, 4th place; Charles Smith, 5th place; Hal Slusher, 6th place.

**Running Long Jump  
Girls**  
Julie Pease, 1st place; Terri Johnson, 2nd place; Merrie King, 3rd place; Carye Gruben, 4th place; Vicky Martinez, 5th place; Bobbie Daniels, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Robert Moreno, 1st place; Keith Pinkard, 2nd place; Lance Ragan, 3rd; Wally Reyes, 4th place; George Patterson, 5th place; Marcus Silvas, 6th place.

**Standing Long Jump  
Girls**  
Jeri Lynn Boone, 1st place; Lucy Stinson, 2nd place; Nora Hernandez, 3rd place; Jenny Dickson, 4th place; Moria Walden, 5th place; Debbie Almanza, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Martine Garcia, 1st place; Gray Fowler, 2nd place; Billy Speck, 3rd place; Thomas Almanza, 4th place; Lance Ragan, 5th place; Steve Clawsen, 6th place.

**Frisbee Throw  
Girls**  
Denise Powell, 1st place; Lucy Stinson, 2nd place; Nora Hernandez, 3rd place; Glory Neeper, 4th place; Jerri Lynn Boone, 5th place; Ann Marie Williams, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Harlan Grady, 1st place; Marcus Silvas, 2nd place; Blake Morrow, 3rd place; Randel Clawson, 4th place; Jeff Cave, 5th place; Robert Daniel, 6th place.

**Softball Throw  
Girls**  
Lynette McQueen, 1st place; Shanna Boone, 2nd place; Kathy Carrillo, 3rd place; Jerri Boone, 4th place; Donna Turnbow, 5th place; Althea Gentry, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Billy Speck, 1st place; Kenneth Warren, 2nd place; Felix Yanez, 3rd place; Travis Whitley, 4th place; Randall Tankersly, 5th place; Charles Smith, 6th place.

**6th grade  
50 Yard Dash  
Girls**  
Nelda Reese, 1st place; Sonya Wells, 2nd place; Jan Posey, 3rd place; Sandra Sharp, 4th place; Stacey Eve, 5th place; Sharlene Deen, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Glen Overby, 1st place; Todd Gruben, 2nd place; David Carreon, 3rd place; David Campos, 4th place; Bobby Campos, 5th place; Darrian Ragan, 6th place.

**100 Yard Dash  
Girls**  
Ginger Sharp, 1st place; Millie Gaspar, 2nd place; Sonya Wells, 3rd place; Lori Garcia, 4th place; Dee Ann Montez, 5th place; Stacy Eve, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Roby Fryar, 1st place; Jerry Harbin, 2nd place; Lonnie Foster, 3rd place; Brian Sheehan, 4th place; Stephen Dickson, 5th place; John Frank Soliz, 6th place.

**220 Yard Dash  
Girls**  
Ginger Sharp, 1st place; Nelda Reese, 2nd place; Sonya Wells, 3rd place; Sandra Sharp, 4th place; Dee Ann Montez, 5th place; Jan Posey, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Steve McClain, 1st place; Santiago Guerrero, 2nd place; Mitchell Whitefield, 3rd place; Randy Randolph, 4th place; Jerry Harbin, 5th place; Brian Sheehan, 6th place.

**440 Yard Dash  
Girls**  
Millie Gaspar, 1st place; Ginger Sharp, 2nd place; Lori Garcia, 3rd place; Sandra Sharp, 4th place; Stacy Eve, 5th place.

**Boys**  
Nick Hernandez, 1st place; Donnie Gruben, 2nd place; Andy Flores, 3rd place; Steve McClain, 4th place; Randy Randolph, 5th place; Mitchell Whitefield, 6th place.

**Running Long Jump  
Girls**  
Jan Posey, 1st place; Ginger Sharp, 2nd place; Millie Gaspar, 3rd place; Stacy Eve, 4th place; Dee Ann Montez, 5th place; Sandra Sharp, 6th place.

**Boys**  
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**Standing Long Jump  
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**Standing Long Jump  
Girls**  
Sonya Wells, 1st place; Jan Posey, 2nd place; Millie Gaspar, 3rd place; Dee Ann Montez, 4th place; Stacy Eve, 5th place; Sandra Sharp, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Donnie Gruben, 1st place; Todd Gruben, 2nd place; Steve Dickson, 3rd place; Andy Flores, 4th place; David Campos, 5th place; Rob Fryar, 6th place.

**Frisbee Throw  
Girls**  
Sharlene Deen, 1st place; Sonya Wells, 2nd place; Millie Gaspar, 3rd place; Jan Posey, 4th place; Sandra Sharp, 5th place; Nelda Reese, 6th place.

**Boys**  
Lonnie Foster, 1st place; Bobby Campos, 2nd place; John Frank Soliz, 3rd place; Mark Hargrove, 4th place; Mitchell Whitefield, 5th place; Darrian Ragan, 6th place.

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**Boys**  
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### Ten Years Ago

Mrs. Floyd Noles retired from teaching at Hobbs School after teaching for 35 years. Clyde Pursley was chosen for The Roby Ag. Award. Sherry Paske, Audrey Carey and Susan Deaton were selected as Roby Twirlers. Karolyn Kay Kennedy received a Bachelor of Science degree from North Texas State University. Janice Lee Jenkins received a four year scholarship from Texas Tech University. The Pirates Little League team remained in first place. Rhonda Jean Ramby and Sid Hariman were wed. A 30 lb. catfish was caught by Dillard Smith and Carlton Burrow. Roby and Rotan were showered with a hail storm that made the ground look like a snow storm had taken place. Patricia Ward and Joe Beauchamp were married. The Senior graduating class of 72 spent a day on Lake Possom Kingdom on their Senior Day. Brad Stuart received a trophy for being the high point individual at the Roby Intermural Track Meet.

### Five Years Ago

Linda Dickson, Johnny Wilson

### Plan Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Dickson are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Darlene, to Johnny Wilson of Sweetwater. Wilson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Wilson of Sweetwater. Linda is a Rotan High School graduate and attended Western Texas College. She is employed as a bookkeeper at 76 Truck Stop in Sweetwater. A Sweetwater High School graduate, Wilson is employed at Sweetwater Cotton Oil Mill. The couple plan a July 30 wedding.

## LOOKING BACK

Casting A Little Sunshine On The Past-  
10 yrs. ago, 5 yrs. ago and last year.  
By Rosemary Donham

### May 25, 1977

Rev. Fred Thomas accepted a call to pastor the First Baptist Church in Winters from First Baptist Church in Rotan. Nine Rotan Band kids made a trip to State contest in Austin. Among the students were Mary Lynn Crawford, Donna Smith, Lynda Hinson and Sonya Leverton. The Rebels handed the Yankees their first loss of the Little League season. Debbie Smith, Patti Williams, Tammy Whitefield, Stella Carrillo and DeLane Sparks were elected Rotan High Cheerleaders. Merri Hammit received a Masters Degree from Texas Womans University. Mark Nowlin, Jay Greenway, Paul Hinson, Cle Don Coffman, and John Cox

### One Year Ago

May 28, 1981  
Traci Hull, Rebecca Daniels, LaVon Taber, Missy McKinney, Kristi Campos

### received the top FFA Awards.

Tanya Hart and B.D. Adkins were engaged. Mickey Early received a Masters Degree from SMU. and Misty Tankersley participated in the Rotan Primary Track Meet. Five County Students got degrees from Western Texas College. The students were Pete Garcia, Lydia Mendoza, Dicky B. Knight and Larry D. Parks of Rotan and Tonya Porter from Hobbs. Max Kemp

### received a Degree from WTSU.

Rotan had 44 graduating Seniors. Keith Copeland, Weldon Hayes, Pokey Houston, Darrell Carter, Mark Harris and Jeff Posey were elected FFA officers. Melba Ramirez was named FMHA OFFICE CLERK.

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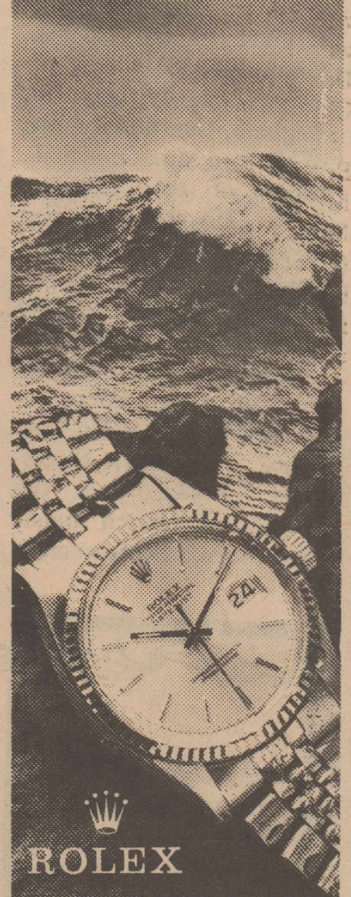
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Card of Thanks

We would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere gratitude to everyone that had a part in making our Auction such a success. We appreciate all the contributions, merchandise and money, and the ones that attended the auction. It's great to know that our town supports us. Our congratulations go to Mrs. Mary Daniel, winner of the half-beef. Thank you all very much.

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Card of Thanks

I want to thank the Para-Medics, the doctors, and all the nurses for all they did for me while I was in the hospital.

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# Hustlin' Round Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well, this is real good weather, for ducks, and maybe rice farming, and we have, sure had our share of good rains, but are about ready for the sun to come out. Have lost count of all the inches we have received this past week, but yesterday (Sunday) alone we measured 2 and three quarters of an inch. Our roads are just about as bad as they can get, and the fields out this way look like lakes. Today was supposed to be the start of cotton planting, but I think we are going to have to wait a while on that. The weather forecasters say there is more rain on the way, and although I know we are going to want some in July and August, I would settle for some sunshine.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cave have been to Odessa. They went last weekend and while there they attended the wedding of their nephew Stanley Chism. He is the son of Doshia's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chism.

Mrs. Opal Phillips attended the Graduation exercises at Roby on Friday night. Michael Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Porter, graduated from Roby that night. He is Mrs. Opal Phillips' great-grandson. Mrs. Walt Cave (Lynn Hyer) also graduated from Roby on Friday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hyer and is Opal's great-granddaughter. It was sure stormy Friday night and rained heavily during the Graduation, but everything went off smoothly except for a little power failure which was quickly restored.

Mr. and Mrs. Emilio Martinez have lots of company as all of their daughters from Alaska are here visiting with them. They are: Anna Martinez, Barbara Robinson, Jason and Denise, Rodney Hesson, another grandson, and Patti Martinez. Know they are all enjoying getting together.

Congratulations to all the Graduating Seniors from Roby and Rotan and the surrounding areas. School is already out at Roby and Snyder and Rotan finishes up this week.

Mrs. James Sherrill from Sweetwater had surgery at Lubbock last Monday. Mrs. Lealon Wilburn, Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and LaTisha Kiker all went for the surgery. We are glad to hear that Lucille is doing just great, and hope that she will continue to improve. Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and family all attended the Roby graduation on Friday; Todd Etheredge graduated that night. Sunday the J.W. Etheredges, Todd Etheredge, and Sabrina Herron, Randy Etheredge and Vicky Moore and Mr. and Mrs. David Etheredge, also Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge, all went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Barrett at Camp Springs for Sunday dinner, so there was sure a big crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ratliff went to Abilene on Wednesday to be with Jim Ratliff while he had surgery. Jim seems to be feeling pretty good although it was a long procedure, 6 hours in surgery. We hope that Jim will soon begin to feel very much better. James Ratliff has been staying at Abilene some and visiting with Jim, and Mrs. Ratliff and Teressa went down and saw him on Thursday. Dianne spent Saturday night with Jim, returning home Sunday evening.

We went to Snyder on Wednesday and ate lunch with Jim's sister, Mrs. Ola Mae Myers. We also went to Snyder after church on Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson and Bettsey, who is home for the summer from A&M, also got to see Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zeck, Julie and Emily who also live at Snyder. Mrs. Zeck is the former Pam Patterson. It rained all the time we were at Snyder, but we had a good time visiting. Thursday night we attended the Rotan Band Concert at the Auditorium, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grades and High School, and they all played so well. It is surprising how much talent there is in one school.

Imagine how much grief we'd all be spared if only we could get our second thoughts to come in first. See you next week.

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GARAGE SALE: Two-family. Childrens, adults clothes, furniture, new carpet padding, king-size bedspread, camper shell. Saturday, May 29, 8:00 a.m. 807 East McArthur, Rotan. 15-1tc

REWARD: \$200.00 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of person or persons responsible for vandalizing tractor tires at my farm 2 miles northeast of Rotan. Contact Horace Carter or Sheriff Mickey Counts. 15-4tc

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## Fisher County Grandparent's Corner

Jason Bradley Stamm is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Brad Stamm of Magnolia, Arkansas. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Price of Rotan. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stamm of Farmington, Missouri.

This column will be featured in our paper each week. Please send in your grandchildren's pictures with the information you wish to put in the paper. We will mail them back to you or you can pick them up at the newspaper office.



## Kenneth Terry Receives Degree At T.C.J.C.

Kenneth Terry, 21 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Terry of Roby, received his Associate of Arts degree on May 19th from Tarrant County Junior College in Fort Worth.

In addition to receiving his degree, Terry was honored by the college as one of eight graduating "heroic individuals". The following information and a photograph of Kenneth Terry will hang in the district office of Tarrant County Junior College as an inspiration to new students. "In the eyes of his family, Kenneth Terry is a real hero. He is graduating from college tonight. A severe reading disability, dyslexia, has not held this young man back. With help from concerned faculty on the

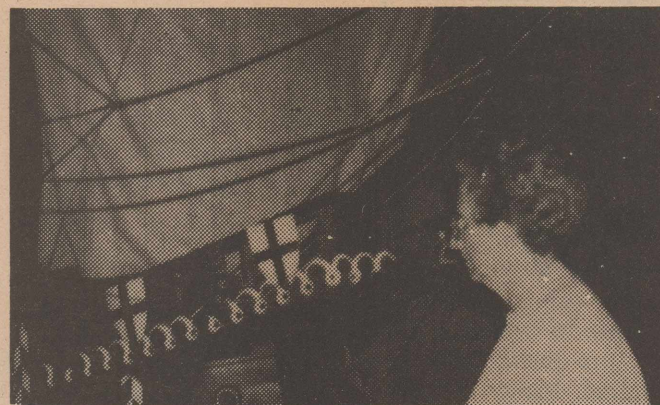
South Campus, where he was enrolled in the Basic Studies Program, Kenneth



Kenneth Terry

has been able to overcome his learning problems and become the first member of his family to graduate from college. Kenneth has also held a job while going to school, which makes his accomplishment all the more remarkable."

**KIM PEASE**  
PHOTOGRAPHY  
OFFICE 735-2552



views replica; Josie Baird views a replica of the "Susan Constant", largest of the three small vessels that landed at Jamestown in 1607.

Among members of the National Society Colonial Daughters of the Seventeenth Century attending a special meeting in Jamestown, Virginia, in April were six members of the Texas Chapter. The group left the Mayflower Hotel in Washington, D.C. at 7:30 a.m. and proceeded to Jamestown for the unveiling and Dedication of the portrait of King James I which was the project of the President General, Mrs. Louis W. Patterson of Oklahoma City.

The occasion was in commemoration of the three hundred seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of Jamestown, the first permanent English settlement in the new world. The portrait, approved by the Jamestowne Festival Park Administration, is now hanging in the Old World Pavilion at the Park.

Following the dedication ceremony the group enjoyed a box lunch in the Mermaid Tavern, visited the Old World and New World Pavilions, and toured the grounds where restoration of the historic settlement gave a feeling of going back in time to the founding and the early years of the seventeenth century. Going aboard the authentic replicas of the small ships that brought the first settlers to Jamestowne one is astounded that they arrived at all.

The visit to Jamestown was in keeping with the patriotic, philanthropic, educational and patriotic objectives of the national society. It set the mood for the National Council Meeting and General Assembly which followed.

On the pilgrimage to Jamestown, and attending the subsequent meetings in Washington, D.C., were Connie Tutt, Joe Clark, Bernie C. McCrea, Josie Baird, Vera Morrow and Delila Baird. The latter three trace their ancestry

to Capt. Thomas Graves who came on the second voyage to Jamestown, traveling on the ship "The Mary Margrett", and arriving in January, 1608. Capt. Graves was a Burgess in America's first Legislature which convened in 1619.

### Don Welch Named WTC Vice Pres.

WTU Executive, Don Welch, begins his duties June 1 as Vice-President and Director of Customer Services for West Texas Utilities Company. He succeeds Dick Brooks, who moved to Corpus Christi to become Vice-President, engineering, for Central Power and Light Company, which, like WTI, is a member of the Central and South West Corporation. Welch has been an executive assistant at WTU's general offices in Abilene since February 1, and previously had been district manager at Stamford and local manager at Alpine, Wellington and Aspermont. WTU supplies electric service to 161 communities in a 53,000-square-mile area extending from the Panhandle to the Big Bend.

### Legal Notice

NOTICE OF INTENTION OF THE CITY OF ROTAN, TEXAS, TO ENTER INTO A COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE HOUSING AUTHORITY OF THE CITY OF ROTAN, TEXAS Pursuant to a Resolution duly adopted on May 11, 1982, by the City Council of the City of Rotan, Texas, Notice is hereby given of the intention of the City of Rotan, Texas, to enter into a Cooperation Agreement, being Cooperation Agreement Number Two (2), with the Housing Authority of the City of Rotan, Texas; and further, Notice is hereby given that at the expiration of sixty (60) days from May 11, 1982, not counting

either the date of publication or the date the meeting is held, the City Council of the City of Rotan, Texas will consider the question of whether or not it will enter into Cooperation Agreement Number Two (2) with the Housing Authority of the City of Rotan, Texas. A copy of the proposed Cooperation Agreement Number Two (2) is available for the inspection of the public at the office of the City Clerk during business hours.

This Notice is given and published pursuant to the Housing Cooperation Law of the State of Texas, with further reference to Tex. Rev. Civ. Stat. Ann., Article 12691, sec. 7-a. 14-2tc

### Rites Held For Infant Jerry Deen

Jerry Clark Deen, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry M. Deen of Rotan, was stillborn at 8:00 a.m. Friday, May 21, 1982, at Rolling Plains Hospital in Sweetwater. Graveside services were at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, at Rotan cemetery with Rev. Allan Cartrite, Baptist minister from Abilene, officiating.

Besides the parents, the baby is survived by: 2 sisters: Sharlene and Shelley of the home; paternal grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. Harve Deen of Noodle; maternal grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace of Rotan; paternal great-grandmother: Mrs. Lillie McBride of Merkel; maternal great-grandmother: Mrs. Elsie Carter of Rotan.

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### Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Fisher County, Texas, at a regular meeting of the said Commissioners Court on May 3, 1982, appointed Marshal Bennett as Commissioner to sell real estate of the County at a public auction at the courthouse door of Fisher County, Texas, on June 17, 1982, at 2:00 p.m. which real estate is described as follows, to-wit:

Being a strip of land sixty (60) feet in width on the West side of the K.C.M. & O. RR. Co. across the L.L. Lovett Pre-emption same being about 3,000 feet in length, and containing 4.13 acres of land, located in Fisher County, Texas.

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## The Recipe Box

Favorite Recipes From Fisher County Folks

By Carol Weatherly

Thanks go out to Mrs. James Cave for the following recipe. Mrs. Cave lives in Roby.

### Carrots In Mustard Sauce

12 whole young carrots  
1 Tbsp. butter  
1 Tbsp. flour  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1/8 tsp. pepper  
1 cup milk or half & half  
1 tsp. prepared mustard  
1 Tbsp. chopped chives or green onion tops  
Wash and scrape carrots. Cook in salted water until tender. Drain, leave whole or slice. Melt butter, add flour, salt, and pepper and cook until bubbly. Add milk and mustard and cook smooth. Toss in carrots and heat until good and hot. Sprinkle with chives or onion tops.  
Note: Slipping the least expensive vegetables into the menu is a feat worth trying.

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For those of you in the mood for Cactus Jelly, this recipe comes from Mrs. Roy Roberson of Rotan.

### Cactus Jelly (Prickly Pear)

1 gallon ripe cactus "tunas"  
Use ice pick to hold each tuna and burn stickers off by holding over candle flame. Take sharp knife and scrape off real well, then peel. Quarter and cook, seed and all, for about one hour or until tender. Use enough water to cover tunas. Strain and to 3/4 cups juice add:  
6 cups sugar 1/2 cup lemon juice  
1 1/2 box Sure-Jell  
Boil 3 minutes and set for 4 or 5 minutes. Skim, pour in jars and seal.  
Be very sure to wear rubber gloves or hands will be very stained.

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Our last recipe comes from Michelle Burk of Roby. Michelle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Burk. This recipe was her entry in the Fisher County 4-H Food Show.

### Blueberry Salad

1 6 oz. Cherry Gelatin  
2 cups Boiling Water  
1 Cup Cold Water  
1 Can Blueberry Pie Filling or Blueberries  
1 Cup Nuts, chopped  
Dissolve gelatin in hot water, and add cold water and the rest of the ingredients. Chill until firm in a large dish or pan. Add topping.

### Topping

1 pkg. frozen whipped topping mix such as Cool Whip, 1 3-oz. package cream cheese. Beat dairy whip if the directions call for it, add cream cheese until well blended. Spread on top.

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Everyone is invited to send in your favorite recipes to share with our readers. To submit your recipe, type of print clearly and mail to The Rotan Advance-Roby Star Record, Drawer A, Rotan, Texas 79546.

## Fisher County Nursing Home

Rain, rain go away-come again another day!

Our registered visitors to the home: Visiting Alice Sutton, her granddaughter, Sussie Sutton of Dallas. Visiting Mary Grams: Lester and Francis Batteas of Sweetwater. Visiting Beulah Moffett: Delbert and Lucille Beair of Sweetwater. Visiting James Hudnall: Martha Todd and Jack Pike of Abilene, Afe and Anna-belle. Visiting Neda Kiser: Mrs. Luther Maberry, a sister of McCauley, and a sister of Sweetwater. Ruth Yarborough went to her home and enjoyed having her son, Jack Yarborough

of Aspermont, for the weekend.

Our heartfelt sympathy goes to the friends of Sylvester Howard, who passed away in Abilene May 23. He left many friends who loved him and we will all miss him. His funeral service will be at Hobbs Baptist Church, Wednesday at 10:00 a.m., May 26.

Our community is soaking with rains. We want to invite you to come to see our people and share your days with them.

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Bettie Hargrove  
Activity Director

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BY THE JOURNALISM CLASS OF ROTAN HIGH SCHOOL



### ELEMENTARY, MY DEAR...

Mrs. Beames Early Childhood will travel to the Public Library and learn to check out books.

The kindergarten class of Mrs. Mrs. Lepard's is finishing the year by studying about dinosaurs.

Mrs. Dennis' first grade class celebrated two birthdays: Daniel Montez, May 7 and Dena Shipp, May 21. The class had a surprise birthday party for Dena Shipp, May 21.

Mrs. Fryar's first grade class studied a unit on food, and learned the Pledge of Allegiance.

The first grades will also have a birthday party for all kids that will celebrate birthdays during the summer.

Evette Gentry was dismissed from the hospital after a lengthy illness.

Nina Carrillo and Angie Sepeda

### SPECIAL ACTIVITIES FOR ELEMENTARY

There will be an Elementary Awards Assembly in the High School Auditorium on May 27 at 9:30 a.m. Perfect Attendance and those who served as "secretaries" will be recognized.

On May 28 at 11:00 a.m., there will be a Primary All School Picnic at the City Park. Report cards will be given out.

The primary teachers and administration would like to wish everyone a happy summer.

Nina Carrillo and Angie Sepeda

### INSTRUCTORS ILLUSTRATED

Name: Kay Kennedy  
Birthday: March 8, A.D.  
Hometown: Rotan, Tx.  
Color of Hair: Brown  
Color of Eyes: Blue-Gray  
Favorite Food: Most anything but mushrooms and oysters

High School Attended: Rotan High School  
College Attended: North Texas State University

Degrees Attained: Bachelor of Science: History and Music Education

Favorite Hobby: Having Fun

Family Portrait: Herbert and Liddell (parents); Frosty, Bandi and Fancy,

etc.  
"Dream Occupations": Nurse; Ranching (Quarter Horses); Stewardess  
Comment: "This has been an exciting year! I've enjoyed working with the kids at Rotan, and the Faculty and Administration are great! Thanks for all the support from the community shown towards the band program. We really appreciate it!"  
Nina Carrillo

### INSTRUCTORS ILLUSTRATED

Name: Jerry Dickson  
Birthday: January 3, 1940  
Hometown: Jacksboro, Tx.  
Color of Hair: Brown  
Color of Eyes: Gray  
Favorite Food: Stuffed Pork Chops  
High School Attended: Jacksboro, Tx.  
College Attended: University of Texas, North Texas State University  
Degrees Attained: Bachelors and Masters  
Favorite Hobby: Hunting  
Family Portrait: Wife, Stephanie; daughter, Jody  
"Dream Occupation": Teacher

Comment: "I've enjoyed this year in Rotan. The students are excellent, and we have a school we can be proud of. The future will bring even better things for anyone who takes advantage of the opportunities that we have."

Nina Carrillo

### JOURNALISTS' THOUGHTS "FINAL FEATURE"

Donna Martinez:  
"It has really been quite an experience to learn about newswriting and newspapers. It sounds really easy, but it's not! It's been a great experience and we've enjoyed sharing our news with you."

Angie Sepeda:  
"I learned much in journalism for not knowing beans about what kind of work I would be doing. After I got started on the book, it was fun writing the news we wrote and made our own memo-graph sheets. Later, you could say going to Elementary School to collect the news was an experience! Overall, it has been a great year in all my classes. Also, I would like to say a special thank-you to Mr.

Kim Pease and his staff for giving us a section in the Rotan Advance for our school news."

Nina Carrillo:  
"First of all, I have really enjoyed working with Miss Kennedy. I would also like to thank Mr. Pease for allowing us the opportunity to write in the Rotan Advance. I have really

learned so much while taking journalism. I take with me many memories that I will always cherish. Journalism has really taught me so much. Miss Kennedy has also taught me a lot about people and feelings, which helped me when writing my articles." Annette Martinez:  
"This year has really

been exciting. I've really enjoyed working with everyone and Miss Kennedy. Journalism has taught me many things.

### Cathy Allen Receives WTSU Degree

Cathy Allen, a senior in the West Texas State University School of Nursing and the daughter of Barry and Ann Allen of Rotan, has received a senior pin signifying the completion of the Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree requirements.

Miss Allen, who is a registered nurse for South Plains Health Provider in Lubbock, will graduate with members of the Lubbock class of WTSU nursing seniors.

Even though it was a lot of fun, it was also a lot of hard work. Our articles had to be precise, or they could not be printed. I would like to thank Mr. Pease for allowing us to print our paper in the Rotan Advance."

Marcus Conner:  
"I have really enjoyed writing in the Rotan Advance. It was a new experience for me. In closing, I want to thank Mr. Pease for the time he has taken to help us put together our columns."

Lyndell Martin:  
"In Lyndell's absence, I would like to thank him for writing up the calendar and putting together the Believe It or Not articles."

Thanks to Mr. Pease for allowing us the opportunity to share the school news with the community. I have enjoyed working with this class!"

Kay Kennedy



ROTAN TWIRLERS: The above four Rotan High School students were named 1982-83 Twirlers and Drum Major last week. Left to right,

Dilana Long, Desirre Gray, and Jerilyn Marshall, Twirlers, and John Underhill, Drum Major.

Last week, six junior high girls and seven high school girls competed for a position as twirler in their respective schools. Three positions were to be filled in each school.

The girls were judged in closed try-outs by Mrs. Donna Nall, private twirling teacher from Abilene. She was feature twirler for the West Texas State University Band and has conducted the summer twirling camp at San Angelo State University for the past few summers. She has judged U.I.L. Region Twirling Contests and will conduct the Hardin-Simmons Twirling Camp this summer.

The girls were judged on fundamentals and a routine of their choice.

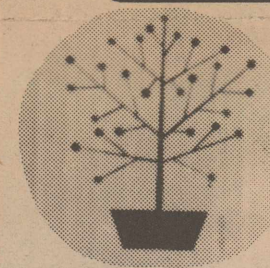
Lousinda Ramirez, Cindy Gaspar and Dee Ann Montez will represent the Junior High School as twirlers next year.

The High School twirlers for the '82-83 school year are Dilana Long, Jerilyn Marshall and Desirre Gray.

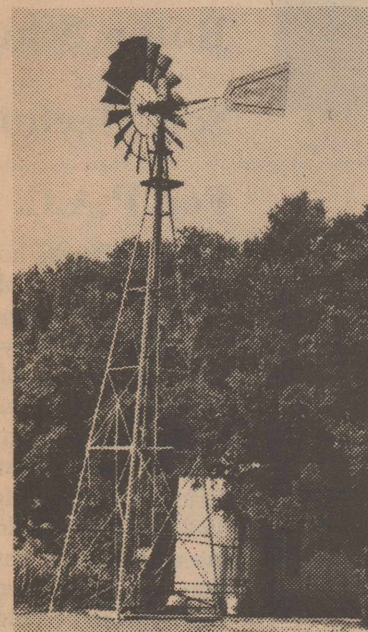
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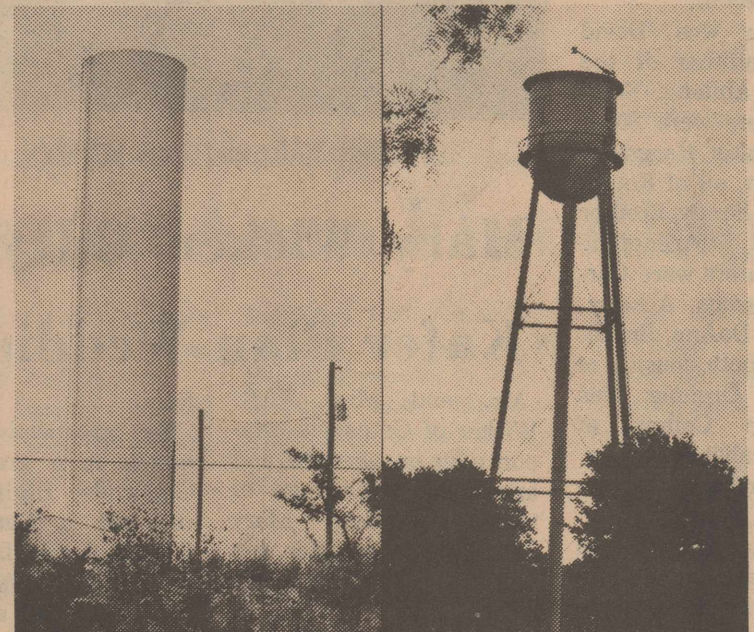
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Mr. and Mrs. Phil Springer

## Donna Sundry And Phil Springer Exchange Vows

Donna Sundry and Phil Springer were married Saturday, May 8, 1982, in the First Methodist Church at Rotan. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. Randall L. Smith of Mesquite, uncle of the bride.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Sundry of Big Spring. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Springer of Rotan.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length ivory satin gown and carried a cascading bouquet of three cymbidium orchids with stephanotis and baby's breath atop a white bible.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Dickie Leopard of Rotan, sister of the bride. Flower girl was Amy Leopard, niece of the bride. Ring bearer was Guy Springer, Abilene, nephew of the groom.

Best man was David Springer, brother of the groom, of Abilene. Serving as ushers were Steve Nowlin, Walter Hargrave, Joe Dickson, all of Rotan, and Ronald Sundry, brother of the bride, of Arlington.

Candlelighters were Carrie Lynn Owens, Ackerly, and Shari DeAnn Smith, Mesquite, both cousins of the bride. Organist was Mrs. Tom Collins of Rotan. Vocalist was Mrs. Randall Smith of Mesquite, aunt of the bride.

A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church following the ceremony. Serving at the bride's table were Ms. Cathy Stempora, Dallas, and Ms. Gina Marrs, Garland. Serving at the groom's table were Ms. Cindy Springer, Abilene,

sister of the groom, and Mrs. Elaine Owens, Ackerly, aunt of the bride. Mrs. Becky Springer of Breckenridge registered guests.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents in the Fellowship Hall of First Methodist Church, at which time the couple presented gifts to their attendants.

The bride graduated from Tulia High School and has

been employed by American Petrofina in Dallas.

The groom graduated from Rotan High School and Texas Tech. He is vice-president of First National Bank in Rotan.

After a wedding trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico, and a trip to Las Vegas, Nevada, planned for the latter part of May, the couple will make their home in Rotan.



Gary Kafer and Mary Wicker

## Mary Wicker, Gary Kafer Plan Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Wicker of Gatesville announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Angela, to Gary Kafer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kafer of Roby.

The bride-to-be graduated from Gatesville High School and Howard Payne University with a degree in secondary education. She will teach English in Gatesville High School this

fall. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Gatesville High School, received a Bachelor of Science degree in physical education from Baylor University and a Masters of Education degree from Southwest Texas State University. He is a teacher and girls' athletic coach at Gatesville High School.

The wedding is planned for 7 p.m. July 17, at the First Baptist Church of Gatesville.

Mr. Kafer is the grandson of Mrs. Karl Kafer of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. O.D. Knox of Roby.



Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Warren of Abilene announce the birth of a son, Hunter Kyle, born May 20, 1982, weighing 4 pounds. His sister is Brooke Leigh, age 3.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Moore of Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warren of Abilene.

## Calvary To Host Vacation Bible School

All children thru the 6th grade are invited to attend Vacation Bible School this next week, May 31 thru June 4, from 9:00-11:30 a.m. each day at Calvary Baptist Church. Saturday, May 29, is the V.B.S. Fun Day and pre-registration. The children should meet at the church at 10:00 a.m. to ride on the fire truck to the park for games and refreshments.

The theme of this year's school is "God Speaks - We Listen". Each day will be filled with Bible study, mission stories, crafts, worship, refreshments and recreation. For further information please call 735-3464 or 735-2525.

## Softball Camp Set For A&M

There will be a one week softball camp this summer at the Texas A&M campus. The camp director will be Head Aggie Softball Coach Bob Brock. The camp will be open to girls age 11-18.

The camp will feature instruction in hitting, fielding, throwing, running, bunting, and pitching on a one to one basis," says Brock. "We plan to have a camp All-Star Team and some team competition which makes for great fun!"

Campers will have room and board in Cain Hall, the athletic dorm, on the Texas A&M Campus.

Campers will be grouped according to age. They will receive individual instruction. The session will be July 6-10, 1982. Cost for the week will be \$140.00 with a commuter rate at \$90.00.

Interested players or their parents should contact: Girls Softball Camp, Texas A&M University, Women's Athletics, College Station, Texas 77843 or phone (713) 845-1051.

## Rotan School Sets Meeting For P.A.C.

Rotan ISD will hold the last Title I PAC Meeting for the 1981-82 school year on Thursday, May 27th. The purpose of the meeting will be to evaluate the Title I Program in the school system and to formulate plans for the 1982-83 school year. Your attendance and participation is encouraged. The meeting will be held in the Library at Rotan Primary School at 7:30 p.m.



Gary Clevenger and Penny Parcel

## Penny Parcel, Gary Clevenger Engaged

Gary Mark Clevenger of Roby and Penny Parcel of Tulsa, Oklahoma, plan a June 26 wedding.

Gary is employed by Texas A&M Extension

Service and Penny is employed by Executive Travel Service in Tulsa.

The couple plan to reside in Roby.

## Funeral Services For Mrs. J.M. Burk

Mrs. J.M. Burk, 78, of Roby, a longtime Fisher County resident, died Tuesday, May 18, 1982, at Golden Haven Home at Weathersbee Funeral Home in Roby.

The Rev. Merle Stevens, Baptist minister from Plainview, and the Rev. Loren Gardner of First United Methodist Church in Roby officiated. Burial was in Roby Cemetery.

Born Sept. 17, 1903, in Tishomingo, Okla., she moved with her parents to Fisher County 60 years ago. She married J.M. Burk Dec. 28, 1924, at Roby. He died Jan. 17. She was a Methodist.

A daughter, Mary Leda, preceded her in death. Survivors include four

sons, Frank and Erwin, both of Roby, Delmar of Baird, and Latham of Clifton; six daughters, Mrs. Marvin (Norene) Kersh of Rotan, Mrs. Joe (Louise) Milliorn, Ila Burk, Mrs. Jerry (Lila) Snell, and Mrs. Don (Viola) Wilson, all of Abilene, and Mrs. Melvin (Velma) Thomson of Roby; a brother, Clyde Mitchell of Weatherford; two sisters, Gertrude McDonald of Artesia, N.M., and Terresa Surret of Anderson, Calif.; 19 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Arthur Ray Boyd, Donald Rister, Carl Cooper, Mark Mahafey, Bob Rister, Ted Etheredge, L.B. Boyd Jr. and G.W. Crawford.

## Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital May 11, 1982 through May 17, 1982, are: HAMLIN: Laurie Ramirez, Ramirez

infant. ROTAN: Debbie Mann, Mary Jane Sparks,

James Shelley, George Tom Latham, P.A. Martin, Cindy Chapman, Chapman infant, Goldie Woodworth, Mario Gonzales, Jo Ann Perez, Ellis Markham. SNYDER: Ted Young. GIRARD: Mattie F. White. SWEETWATER: Rush Callan.

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital May 18, 1982, through May 24, 1982: ROBY: Sue Dell Driver, Ermando Barrera, Jr., Norma Barrera, C.J. Henry. ROTAN: Annie L. Fleming, Bessie Bryant, Juanita Moore, San Juana Sepeda, Emsley M. Nolen, Narciso Ortega. ODESSA: Elder Lee Miller. SWEETWATER: Rush Callan. JAYTON: Carol Johnson, Johnson Baby. COLORADO CITY: Maria Molano, Molano Baby. OAKDALE, CALIFORNIA: Hazel Herriage.

## EMT Training Offered At T.S.T.I.

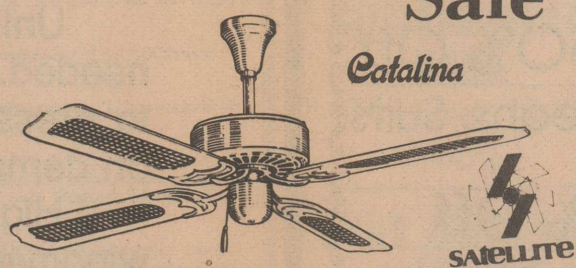
A beginning class for Emergency Medical Technicians will be offered June 3 through August 11 at Texas State Technical Institute in Sweetwater.

The course will meet twice weekly from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. Firm class days will be discussed at the June 3 class meeting.

The State of Texas requires all Emergency Medical Technicians to be licensed. This course meets or exceeds state requirements, and all those successfully completing the course will be licensed by the state.

Emergency care aspects of heart related and respiratory problems will be covered, along with fractures and dislocations and medical emergencies. Students will also become familiar with extracation and general ambulance procedures. For more information, contact the Department of Continuing Education at 235-8441, extension 40.

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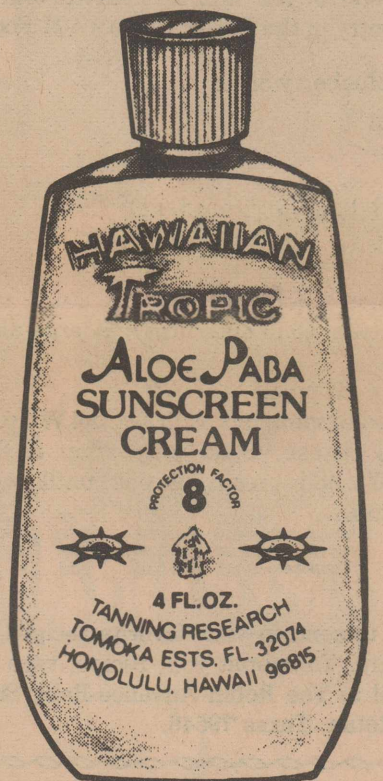
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## Leisure Lodge

We wish to thank the Senior Citizens group for coming out and entertaining us on May 14th. We enjoy and appreciate this group so very much.

I also wish to feature our Monday morning group of ladies who come so faithfully to play and sing. They mean so much to our residents and staff. Everyone really looks forward to them each week. They are Janis Collins, Rheta Tompson, Mamie Crow, Callie Shipp, Tennie Bostick, Eva Boen, Mary Posey, Louada Posey and Lola Horton. Of course we do have people to come in some, but the above persons are the regulars.

Our out of town guests have been: Wayne Smith of Houston visiting the Gaines Smiths. Mrs. Da Renda Price and children of San Angelo visited Bertie Ramby. Len Ainsworth of Lubbock visited Lena Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Odell Crawford of Odessa visited Bud Crawford. Mr. and Mrs. William Wingfield of Los Angeles, Calif., visited Mrs. Emma Lenued. O.L. Rackley visited Martin Rackley. Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Cunningham of Edmond, Okla., and Mrs. Maxine Warner of Sweetwater visited Helen Warner. See you next week.



# Landes Furniture 20th Anniversary SALE

Our 20th ANNIVERSARY SALE begins THURSDAY, May 27.  
We Appreciate the good business that you customers of Fisher County and the surrounding areas have given us in these last 20 years. To show our appreciation, we are marking almost every thing in our store down to prices that will save you a lot of Money. Many items will be 40% to 60% off regular price. Come in and see for yourself. **Thank You!**



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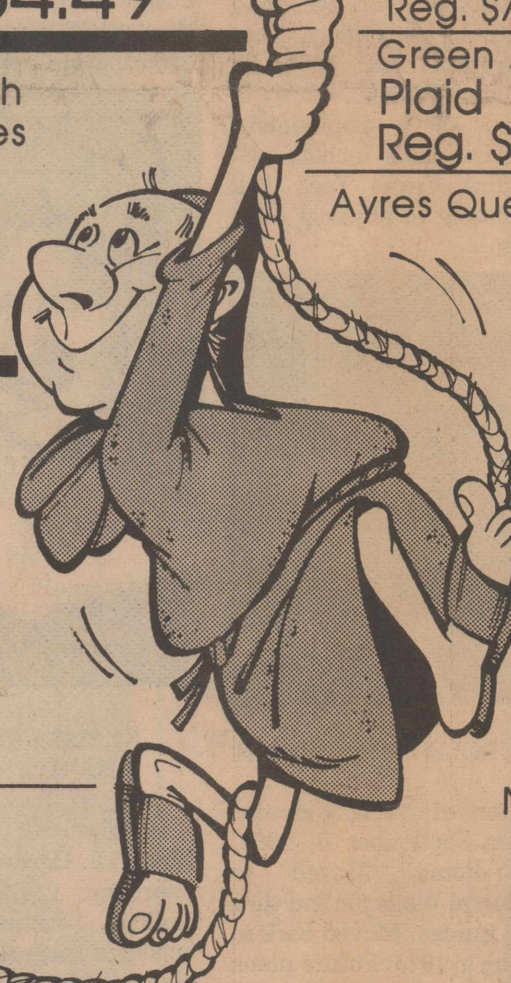
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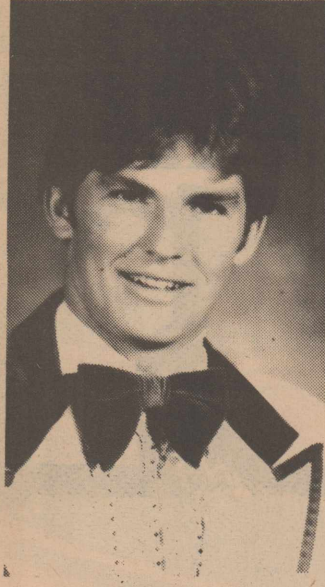


**TANA LYNN MAULDIN**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Mauldin. Born August 16, 1964, in Hamlin. Future plans include attending Angelo State University, majoring in Pre-Dental. After completion of college, to attend Dental School in Waco.

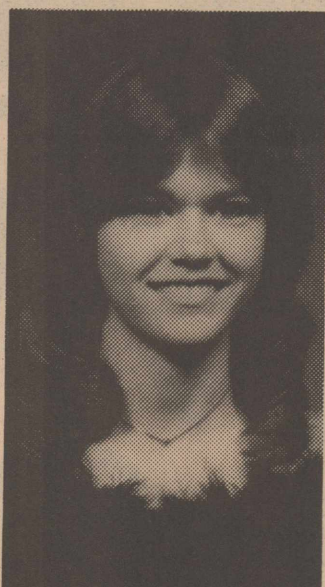
**DARRELL R. DOTY**  
Son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doty. Born March 30, 1964, in Hamlin. Entered 1st grade in Roby. Future plans include attending T.S.T.I. in Sweetwater and major in Deisel Mechanics. Plans to keep singing Christian Concerts for the group "Zoa".

**MARY DES ROSIERS**  
Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl J. DesRosiers. Born October 26, 1964, in Worcester, Massachusetts. Moved to Roby in 1976 when in the 7th grade. Future plans are to attend T.S.T.I. in Sweetwater and major in L.V.N.



**DARREN JEFFREY**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jeffrey. Born Jan. 4, 1964, in Hamlin. Entered McCaulley School in 1969 as a kindergartener. Future plans are to work with beef cattle and use A.I. to better my herd and help better someone else's. Would like to become an A.I. tech.



**GLENDA COOK**

Daughter of Hue Lane Cook. Born August 14, 1963, in Waco. Moved to Roby in 1975 when in the 6th grade. Future plans include attending MCC majoring in Business.

you're terrific!

Best wishes for the future.

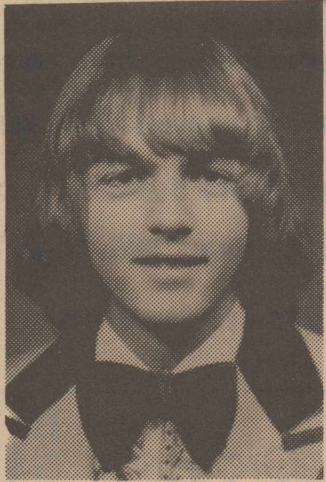
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**GOOD LUCK TO OUR GRADS!**

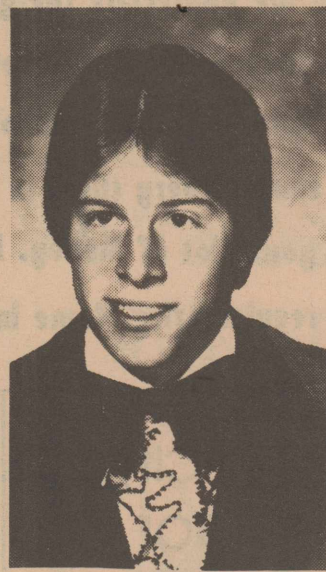
We share your pride on this fine day. May you find new success.

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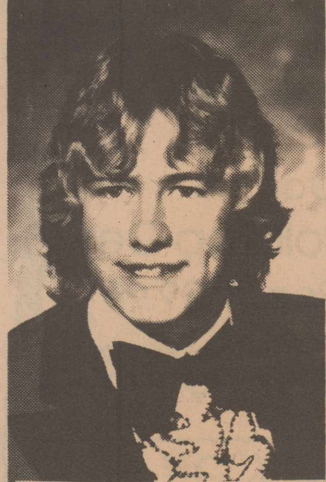
**GARY REED**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. B.W. Reed. Born April 23, 1964, in Sweetwater. Entered Roby School in 1st grade. Future plans include entering T.S.T.I. in August.



**JAMES SPENCER HOUSTON**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Houston. Born November 14, 1964, in Sweetwater. Entered Rotan School in 1st grade. Future plans include attending University of Texas at Austin, majoring in Petroleum Engineering.



**LYNDELL MARTIN**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivin Martin. Born December 13, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School as a Senior. Future plans include attending Angelo State University, major in undecided.



**RHONDA UNDERWOOD**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N.G. Underwood. Born October 22, 1963, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School in kindergarten. Future plans are to attend Western Texas College, majoring in Cosmotology.



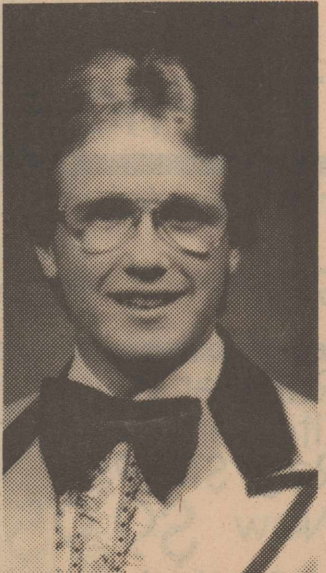
**MARCUS CONNER**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Conner. Born March 20, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School in 1970. Future plans include working this summer. Undecided on which school to attend, but plans to major in Engineering.

**GOOD LUCK!**

Keep up the good work. This community needs your talent and energy.

**Compliments Of Bart Strayhorn**



**SYLVIA ALANIZ**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennito Alaniz. Born May 4, 1963, in Rotan. Moved to Roby in 1980. Entered Roby High School in her Junior Year. Future plans are to attend T.S.T.I. in Sweetwater and major in Secretarial and as Assistant Accountant.



**TAMI JEFFREY**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Jeffrey. Born November 28, 1963, in Hamlin. Moved to Roby in 1980 as a Sophomore. Future plans include attending Texas Tech and majoring in physical therapy.



**NERISSA ELLEN HARDWICK**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Hardwick. Born February 12, 1964, in Abilene. Entered Roby School in 1st grade. Future plans include attending Western Texas College.



**RUDOLFO M. CARREON**

Son of Alicia Carreon. Born September 6, 1963, in Rotan. Moved to Mineral Wells for 2nd thru 4th grades. Moved back to Roby in 1975. Future plans include attending T.S.T.I. and majoring in Drafting.

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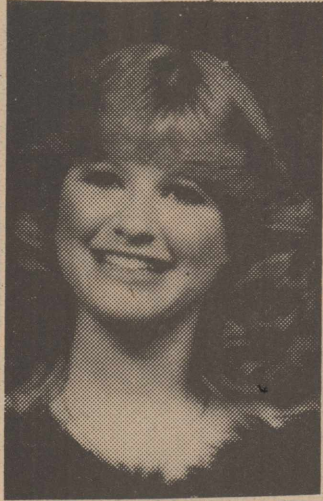
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**Roby, Texas**



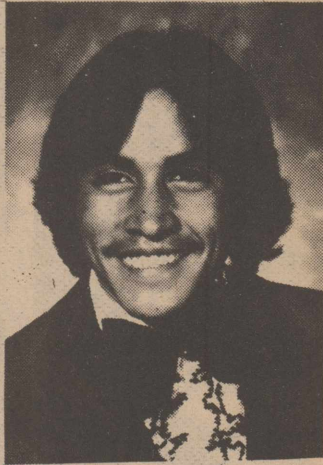
**LAURA LOUISE GRUBEN**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Gruben. Born March 17, 1934, in Snyder. Entered Rotan School in 1st grade. Future plans include attending Texas Tech University, but major is undecided.



**VICKI LYNN HYER CAVE**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hyer. Born May 28, 1964, in Andrews. Moved to Roby in 1980 when in 11th grade. Future plans include: to be a good wife and work somewhere fulfilling.



**CARLOS MARTINEZ**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Martinez. Born January 10, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School in 1970. Future plans are to work this summer; enter T.S.T.I. in September, majoring in Diesel Mechanics.




**MICHAEL WAYNE PORTER**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Porter. Born October 10, 1963, in Rotan. Moved to Roby in 1980 as a junior. Future plans include going to T.S.T.I. and becoming a diesel mechanic.



**JANA MARIE JENNINGS**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kiser of Roby, and Mr. Milton Jennings of Abilene. Born March 24, 1964, in Corpus Christi. Moved to Roby in 1973 when in the 3rd grade. Future plans include going to South Plains Jr. College in Levelland and then possibly attending Hardin-Simmons or Baylor. Major is undecided.



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**GRADUATION** 

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Roby, Texas



**MARY NELL CLAYTON**

Granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie B. Johnson. Born August 30, 1963 in Haskell. Moved to Roby when in 1st grade. Future plans include attending Wayland Baptist University. Her major is undecided and her minor is Physical Education.



**LISA HOODENPYLE**

Daughter of Jerry and Jonnie Hoodenpyle. Born May 14, 1964, in Hamlin. Entered Roby School in first grade. Future plans include attending Angelo State University and majoring in Elementary Education.



**ROBERT MONTEZ**


Son of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Montez. Born August 2, 1963, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School in 1970. Future plans are to begin working at National Gypsum this summer.



**GOOD WORK**

**Teague Grocery**  
Evonne & Jackie Teague  
Rotan, Texas

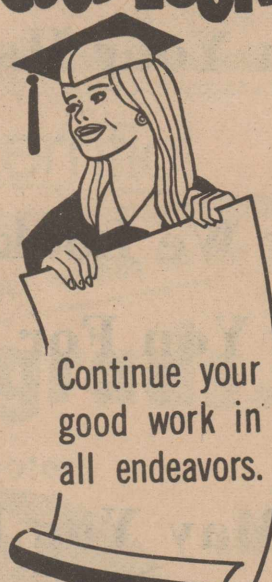
**A HAPPY DAY**



The finest goal is accomplished. Our best wishes.

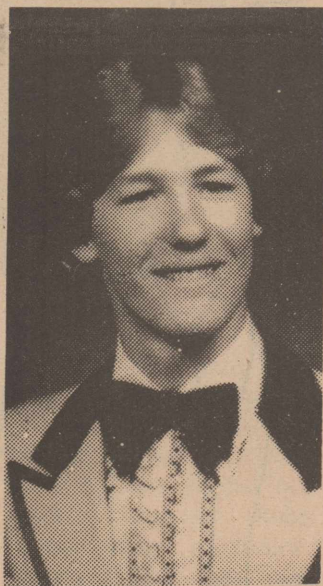
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Rotan, Texas

**GOOD LUCK**



Continue your good work in all endeavors.

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Rotan, Texas



**TODD ETHEREDGE**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie W. Etheredge. Born August 9, 1964, in Hobbs, New Mexico. Moved to Roby in 1980 as a Junior. Future plans include attending Angelo State University, majoring in Pre-Veterinary Medicine and also playing basketball.



**BONNIE DUHADAWAY THOMSON**


Granddaughter of Jessie Atkins. Born February 3, 1964, in Wilmington, Delaware. Moved to Rotan in 1979. Future plans include attending Kansas State University in Manhattan, Kansas, majoring in Computer Programming.



**ANGIE SEPEDA**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Sepeda. Born May 24, 1964, in Rotan. Future plans include attending W.T.C. on a Cummings Scholarship, majoring in Elementary Education.

*Friends and relations...*



Your home town wishes you great success.

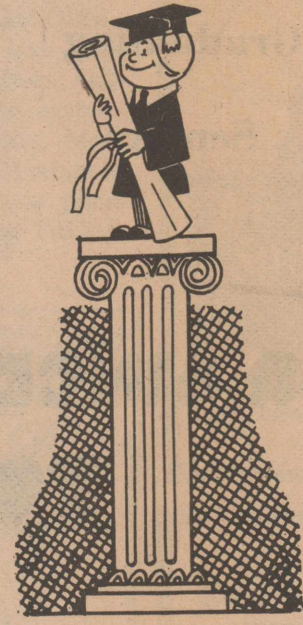
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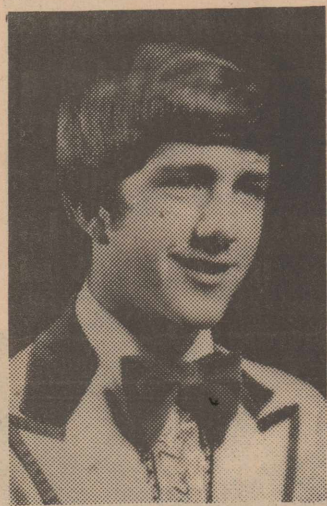


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**LaDONNA KAY EATON**

Daughter of Donnie and LaVenda Eaton. Born December 19, 1964, in Hamlin. Entered Rotan School in kindergarten. Future plans include attending Western Texas College, majoring in Cosmetology.



**MARK MAULDIN**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Mauldin. Born January 23, 1964, in Roby. Entered Roby School in 1st grade. Future plans are undecided.



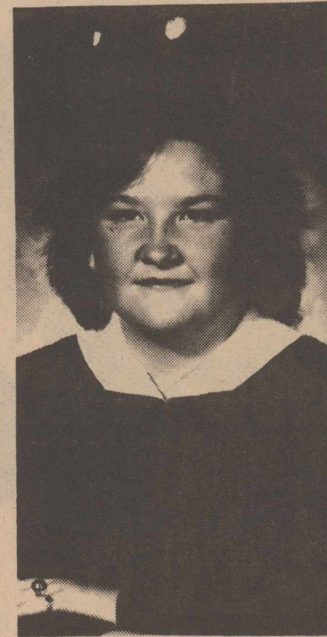
**ANADELIA MEDRANO**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Medrano. Born March 23, 1964, in Fisher County. Entered Rotan Primary as a kindergartener. Future plans are to attend Western Texas College, majoring in Education.



**KARLA DENINE PASKE**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Neal Pillans. Born September 10, 1963, in Anson. Moved to Rotan in 1978. Future plans include working and raising a family.



**LAURA DENTON**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Denton. Born January 7, 1964, in Heildeburg, Germany. Entered Rotan Jr. High in 1976. Future plans include attending Western Texas College and Texas Tech, majoring in Education, minoring in Advertising.



**ROBERT ALLEN**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon R. Allen. Born April 10, 1964 in Sweetwater. Lived in Roby all his life. Entered 1st grade in 1970. Future plans include attending T.S.T.I. and major in refrigeration and air conditioning mechanics or go to Cisco Junior College on a band scholarship.



**Smith & Cyphers Gulf Service Station**

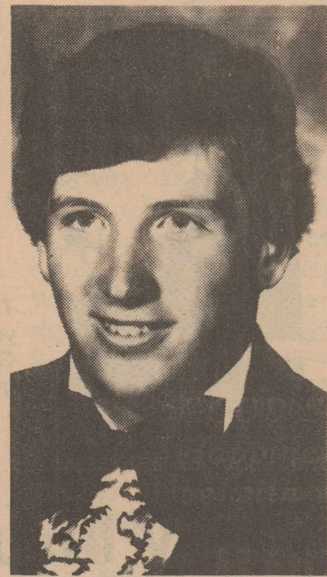
Rotan, Texas



The world offers many rewards, gives much to those who do things which most need doing. Good luck, Grads.

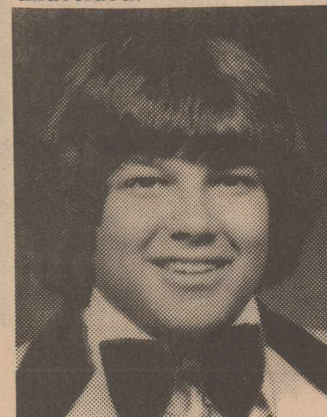
**Rotan Flower Shop**

Rotan, Texas



**JAMES DARRELL CARTER**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. James Carter. Born April 17, 1964, in Roby. Entered Rotan School in the 1st grade. Future plans include attending Angelo State and majoring in Agriculture.



**REGGIE PARKS**

Son of Don and Sally Parks. Born July 12, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Roby School in 1st Grade. Future plans include attending A.S.U.



**BEVERLY JUNE MCKINNEY**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B.B. McKinney. Born August 17, 1964. Entered Rotan School in 1st grade. Future plans include moving to San Angelo to work and possibly attend Angelo State University in the Spring or next year, majoring in Home Economics, specializing in Child Development.



**PATRICIA ANN CLEVELAND**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cleveland. Born December 30, 1962, in Roby. Moved back to Roby in 1976 when in 7th grade. Future plans are undecided.



**Dickson's**

**Fireworks**

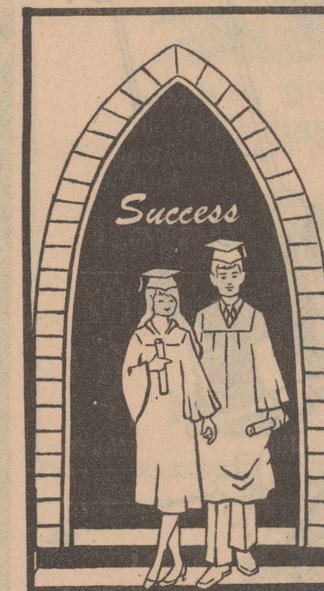
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God Bless Each One Of You.

Congratulations, graduates- We're proud of you and know that you will move on to greater achievements.

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Roby, Texas

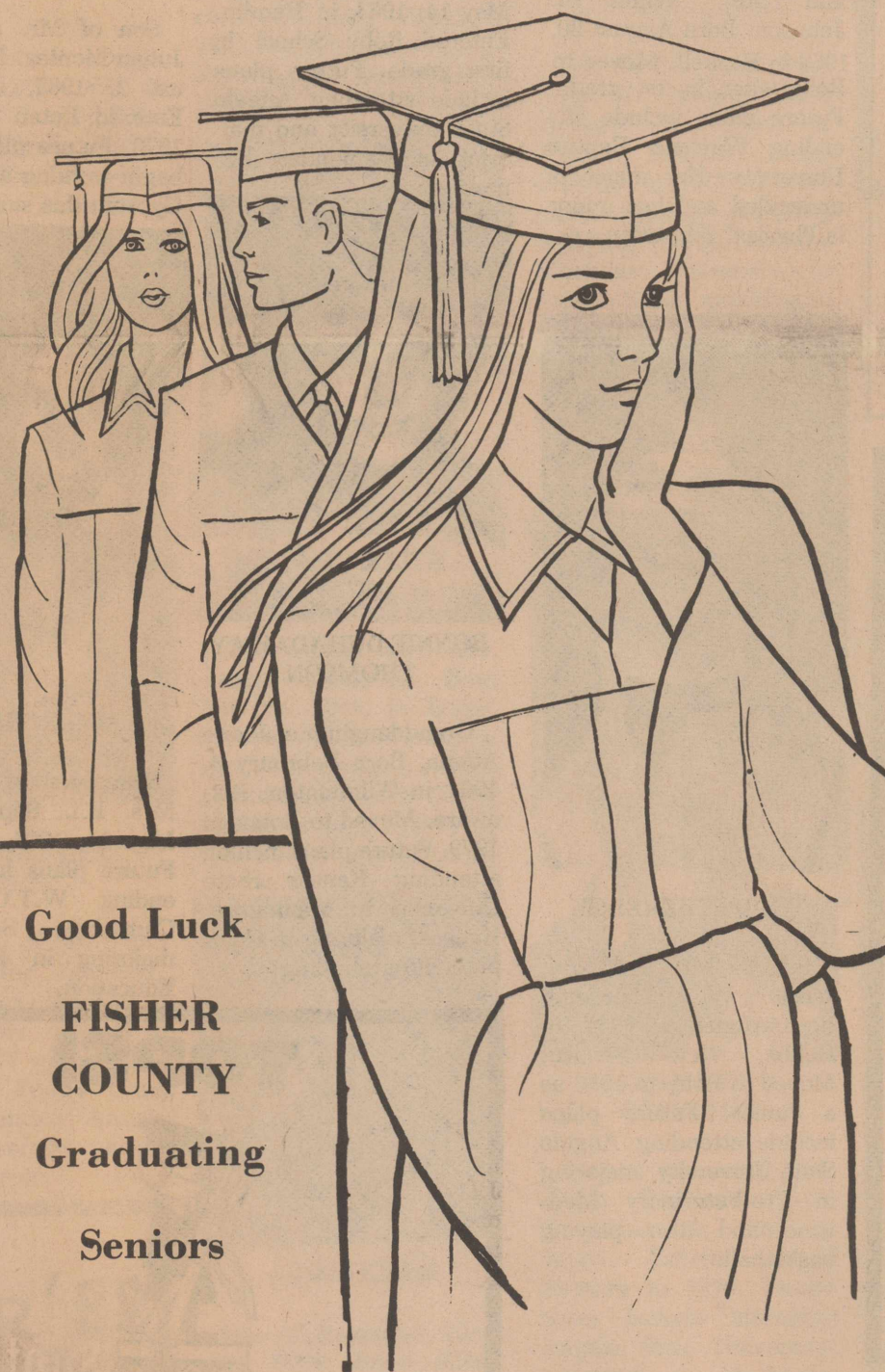
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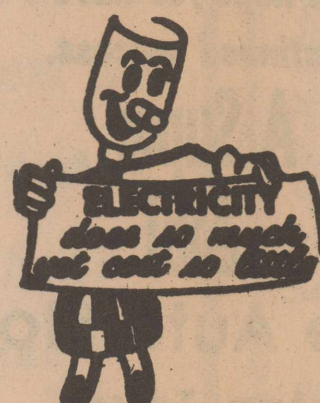
**OUR SINCERE BEST WISHES FOR SUCCESS TO EVERY GRADUATE**

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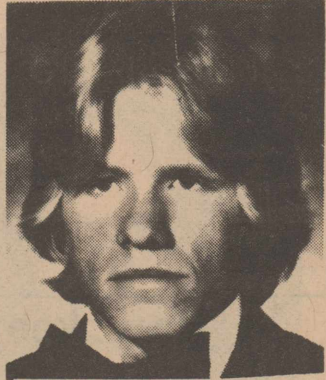




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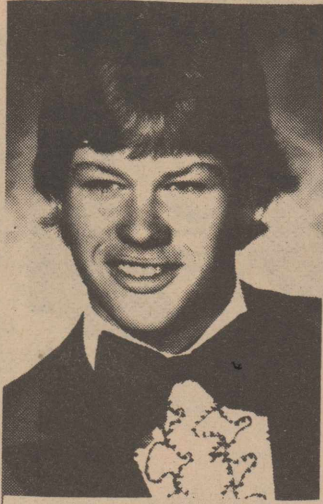
WELDON HAYES

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Hayes. Born August 22, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School in 1st grade. Future plans include attending W.T.S.T. for two years, then transferring to Texas Tech, majoring in general Agriculture.



ARTHUR WAYNE TUCKER

Son of Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Tucker. Born August 27, 1964, in Corpus Christi, Texas. Moved to Rotan in 1974. Future plans are undecided.



WILLIAM MARK HARRIS

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harris. Born November 9, 1963, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School in 1st grade. Future plans include attending Angelo State, majoring in Plant Science.



RHONDA GALAWAY

Granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foy Mitchell. Born August 30, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Roby School in 1980 as a Junior. Future plans include attending Western Texas College majoring in Accounting.



NINA CARRILLO

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luis Carrillo. Born January 2, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Rotan Primary in 1st grade. Future plans include attending Texas Tech University, majoring in pre-med, Pediatrician to be specific. After college, plans are to attend Medical School.



ROCKY GARZA

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rodolfo Garza. Born November 29, 1963, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School in 1st grade. Future plans include taking secretarial courses at T.S.T.I.



MARTHA HARGROVE

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Hargrove. Born October 3, 1963, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School in 1st grade. Future plans include attending Western Texas College, majoring in Drama.



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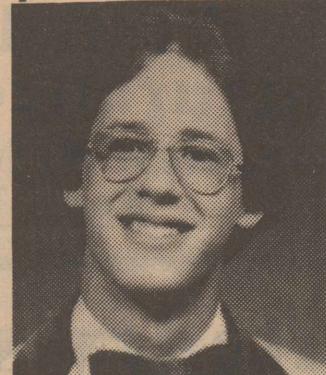
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HEALTH AND  
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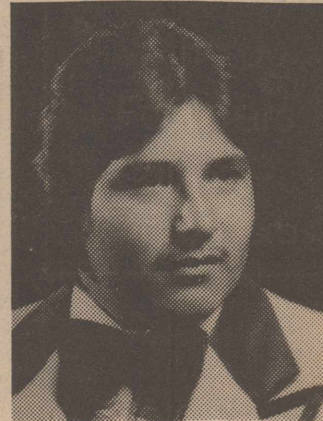
JOHNNY MOESCH

Son of Charlotte Rainey. Born October 27, 1964, in Cortland, New York. Moved to Roby in 1981. Future plans include attending Angelo State University, majoring in Management or Journalism.



MARGIE ZAMBRANO

Daughter of Pat Zambrano. Born March 18, 1963, in Rotan. Future plans include attending T.S.T.I., studying Technical Office Training, Dentistry or Teacher's Aide.



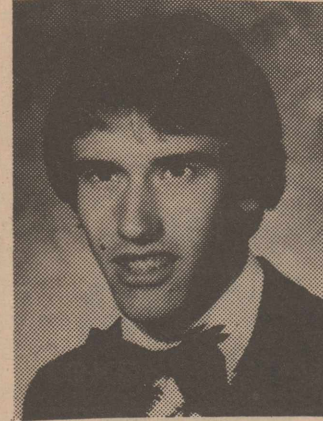
RUDY GARCIA

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Garcia. Born September 22, 1962, in Rotan. Moved to Roby his Junior year.



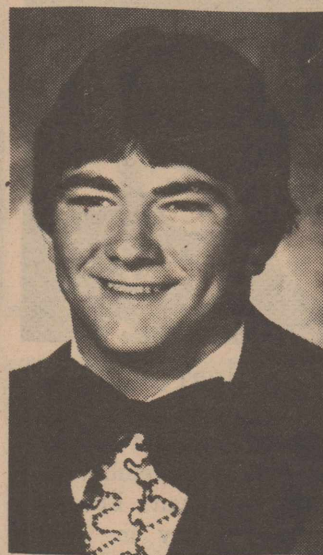
DIEDRA RHEA FAUGHT

Daughter of Margaret Faught and Calvin Faught. Born March 17, 1964, in Abilene. Entered Roby School in 1st grade. Future plans include attending San Angelo State University and possibly majoring in Psychology.



KIP PEASE

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Kim Pease. Born September 15, 1963, in Altus, Oklahoma. Entered Rotan Primary in 1st grade. Future plans include attending Texas Tech, Business, then Law School.



ANITA RAE UNDERHILL

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Underhill. Born August 21, 1964, in Fairbanks, Alaska. Entered Rotan Elementary in 1971. Future plans include attending college and becoming a nurse.



Congratulations on your fine record. Keep up the good work.

Gray  
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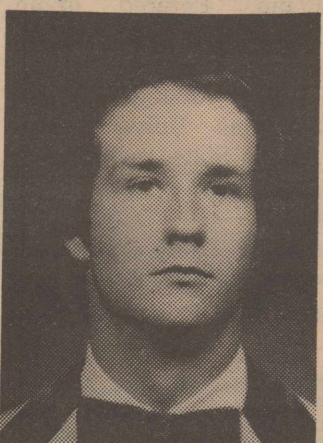
Roby  
Hatahoe



Linda McClure-Mgr.

Roby,  
Texas

Sincere best wishes. Good luck to all.



GARY ALLEN

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy G. Allen. Born November 22, 1963 in Snyder. Moved to Hobbs in 1975 when in the 5th grade. Entered Roby School when a Junior. Future plans are undecided whether to work with his Dad or attend W.T.C. or T.S.T.I.



BENNY MEDRANO

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Benito Medrano. Born January 11, 1964, in Rotan. Moved to Roby in 1980 as a Junior. Future plans are to begin college next fall at Odessa College, major undecided.



KEVIN NEVES

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Neves. Born July 1, 1964, in Hamlin. Entered Roby School in 1st grade. Future plans include moving to East Texas to find a job.



ERNEST J. HOLCOMB

Son of Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Holcomb. Born October 29, 1964, in Worcester, Massachusetts. Moved to Roby in 1971 when in 2nd grade. Future plans include attending T.S.T.I. and working.

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Sweetwater



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Eddie Gibson & Glenda Field  
Roby, Texas

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for the  
Senior Class



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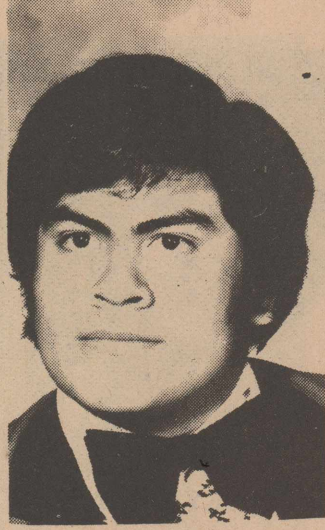


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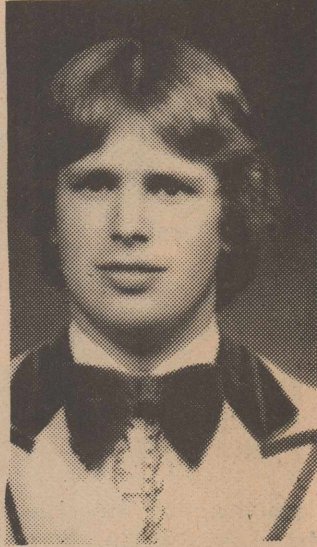
**KENNETH WESLEY HARDIN**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hardin. Born February 28, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School in 1st grade. Future plans include attending West Texas State University and then to Law School at Texas Tech.



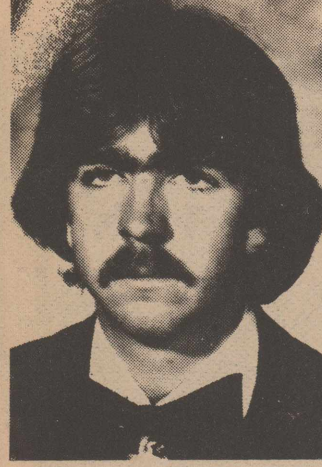
**MOSES GONZALES**

Son of Mrs. Olga Gonzales. Born June 5, 1964, in Lamesa, Texas. Moved to Rotan in 1974 and entered 5th grade. Future plans include attending college after going to the Army for 4 years. Hope to attend Texas Tech and major in photography.



**JAMES TERRY**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Terry. Born January 20, 1963, in Rotan. Entered Roby School in 1st grade. Future plans include attending T.C.J.C. and becoming an airplane mechanic.



**SHANNON STRICKLAND**

Son of Harvey Strickland and Bobbie McKinney. Born December 20, 1963, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School when in 4th grade. Future plans include majoring in Petroleum Technology in Midland College and working in Midland at an oil company.



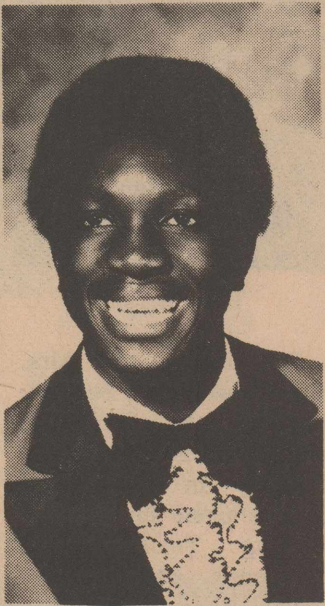
**DIANE CLEVELAND**

Daughter of William and Sue Cleveland. Born July 19, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School as kindergartener. Future plans include attending Lubbock Christian College, majoring in Sociology.



**ROBERT GRAY**

Son of John and Barbara Gray. Born November 25, 1963, in Rotan. Entered Rotan Primary in 1970. Future plans include attending McMurry College, majoring in Business; or professional pilot.



**HENRY BILL WILLIAMS, JR.**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bill Williams. Born August 18, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Rotan School in 1970. Future plans include working for a year or two and then attending Angelo or some other college and majoring in Mechanics.



**PAULA RENAE TERRY**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon F. Terry. Born May 23, 1964, in Sweetwater. Entered Roby School in 1st grade. Future plans include attending Texas Tech University, majoring in Business.



**VERA LOU SAUCEDA**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Saucedo, Sr. Born February 21, 1964, in Rotan. Future plans include attending Western Texas College, majoring in Elementary Education/Drama.



**CONRAD HAMRIC**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy V. Hamric. Born January 31, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Rotan Primary in 1970. Future plans include attending McMurry College, Hardin-Simmons University or Angelo State, majoring in pre-medicine. Plans to obtain a bachelor of science in biology with a chemistry minor before entering medical school.



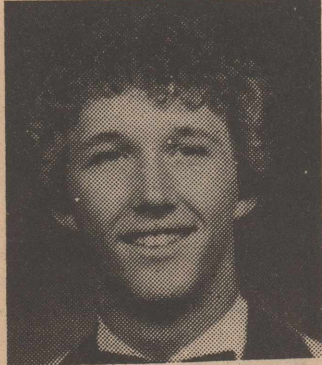
**ROBERT KEITH ARMSTRONG**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Armstrong. Born July 26, 1964, in Rotan. Entered Rotan Primary in 1970. Future plans include attending Western Texas College to take a two-year Business Management Course.



**BRYAN KEITH COPELAND**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Copeland. Born November 20, 1963, in Rotan. Entered Rotan Primary in 1970. Future plans include attending Angelo State University, majoring in Mechanics and Engineering or some field of Ministry.



**CHRIS KISER**

Son of Raymond Kiser and Billie Joyce Kiser. Born June 21, 1964, in Hamlin. Entered Roby School in 1st grade. Future plans include becoming a Diesel Mechanic and farming.



**KRISTI MICHELLE WEST**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Burrows. Born January 16, 1964, in Wichita Falls. Moved to Roby in 1977 when in the 8th grade. Future plans include attending Angelo State University as a Business major.



**REBA KIDD**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Kidd. Born February 8 in Spur, Texas. Entered Rotan School when in 1st grade. Future plans include attending Western Texas College, majoring in Cosmetology.

**BEST WISHES**

You've passed another important milestone.

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Roby, Texas

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Continue the good work.  
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Graduation puts you on the road to higher achievement. Good luck to you.

**Stewart Shamrock**  
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Best of luck

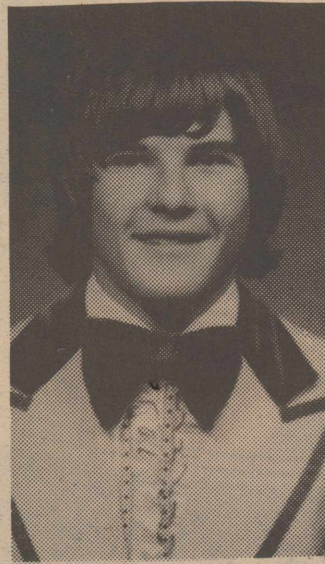
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**ROWDY RASBERRY**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Rasberry. Born March 9, 1964, in Odessa. Moved to Roby in 1974 and entered the 4th grade. Future plans include becoming a Professional Bullrider and also attending Vernon Jr. College.



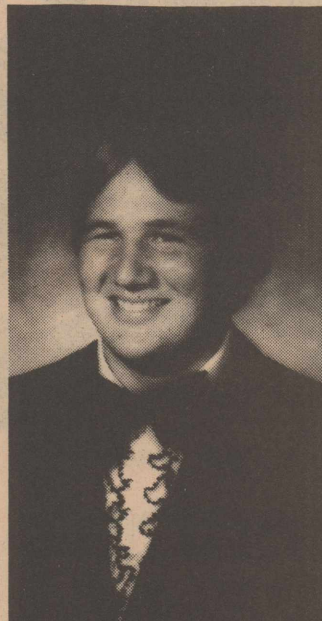
**SESTIL RAMON**

Daughter of Israel and Alosia Ramon. Born June 5, 1964, in Roby. Entered Roby School in 1st grade. Future plans are undecided.



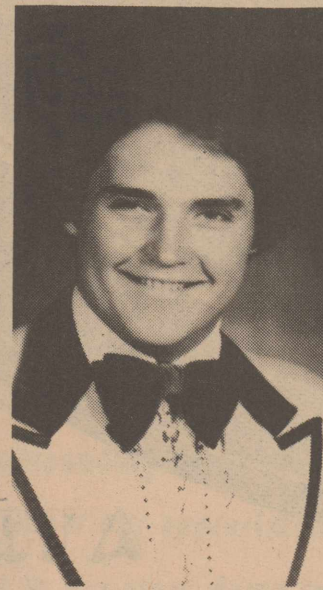
**MIKE HENINGTON**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Olen Dennis. Born March 6, 1964, in Sweetwater. Moved to Roby in 1980 as a Sophomore. Future plans include attending T.S.T.I. in Sweetwater, majoring in Drafting.



**JEFFERY T. POSEY**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Posey. Born December 28, 1963, in Wichita Falls, Texas. Moved to Roby in 1967. Entered Rotan School in 1976. Future plans include attending Cisco Jr. College and A.C.U., majoring in Physical Ed.



**TODD WAYNE JEFFREY**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy W. Jeffrey. Born December 13, in Hamlin. Entered McCaulley School as a kindergartener. Future plans include attending the University of Texas to major in Drama and minor in Voice. Would like someday to become a professional actor or singer and hopefully become famous in one of or both fields.

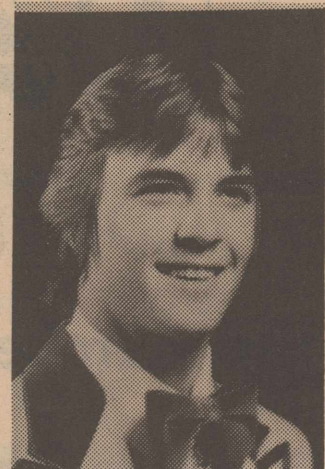
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**Rotan, Texas**



**JEFFERY LYNN UPSHAW**

Son of Jerry and Sano Upshaw. Born June 24, 1964, in Sweetwater. Moved to Roby in 1975 when in the 5th grade. Future plans include attending T.S.T.I. at Sweetwater, majoring in air conditioning and refrigeration.



**MARGIE BUTT**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Butt of Arizona, and sister of Mr. and Mrs. R.R. Beatty of Rotan. Born June 11, 1964, in San Angelo, Texas. Entered Rotan High in August, 1980. Future plans include working right now, but with the possibility of attending school in Snyder and majoring in Business.



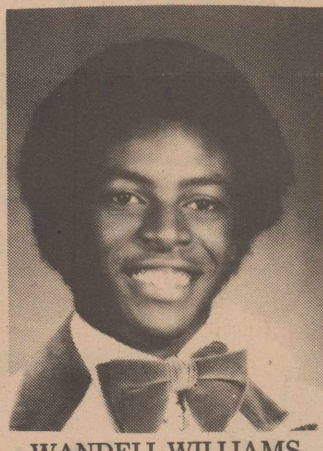
**DIANE CARREON**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frutoso Carreon, Sr. Born September 30, 1963 in Roby. Entered Roby School when in first grade. Future plans include working.



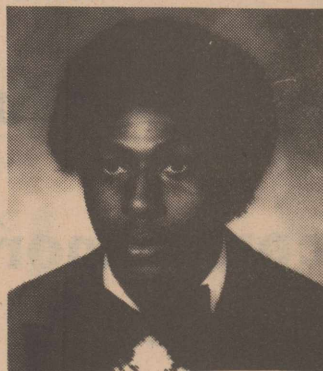
**DEBBIE MANN**

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Mann. Born December 3, 1963, in Rotan. Entered Roby High School in November, 1981. Future plans include attending W.T.C., majoring in Accounting with Business Education as a minor, then on to Texas Tech.



**WANDELL WILLIAMS**

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Williams. Born Sept. 30, 1963, in Hamlin. Entered McCaulley School in 1969.



**CECIL TURNER**

Son of Mrs. Annie Lee Huitt. Born November 2, 1961, in Rotan. Entered Rotan Primary in 1967. Future plans are to get married and move to Sweetwater at the end of the summer.

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**Rotan, Texas**

*Well done kids...*

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**Gene Turnbow-Mgr.**  
**Rotan, Texas**

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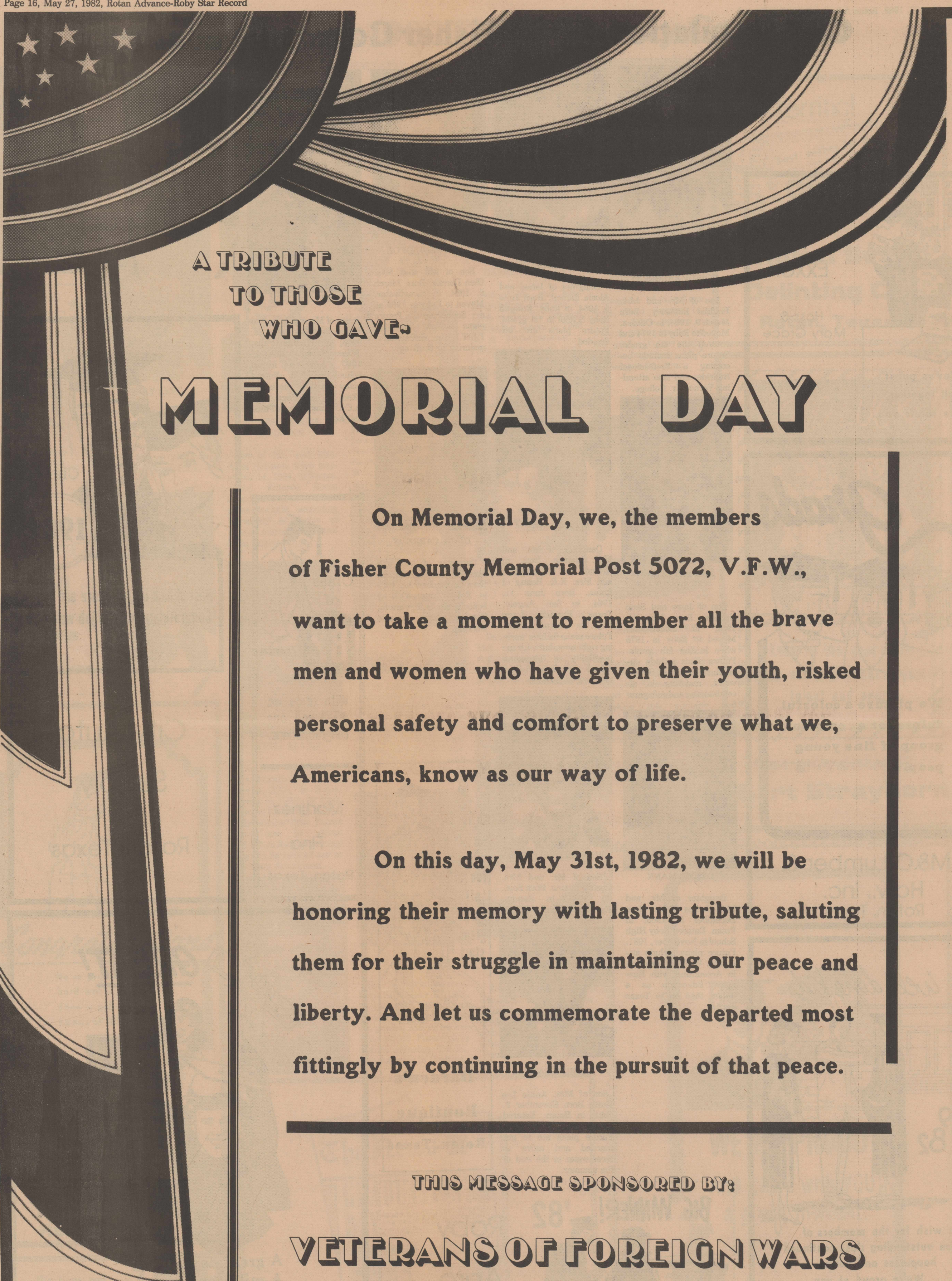
All is well on this fine day. Best of everything.

**GREAT!**

A great day. A milestone — but also a new beginning. Best wishes,

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**Roby, Texas**





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**On Memorial Day, we, the members  
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want to take a moment to remember all the brave  
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personal safety and comfort to preserve what we,  
Americans, know as our way of life.**

**On this day, May 31st, 1982, we will be  
honoring their memory with lasting tribute, saluting  
them for their struggle in maintaining our peace and  
liberty. And let us commemorate the departed most  
fittingly by continuing in the pursuit of that peace.**

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