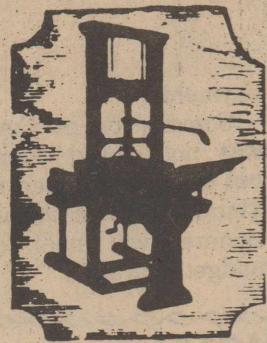


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## ROTAN ADVANCE

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### Rotan Little Leagues Defeat Hamlin In Opening Round, Helms Single Wins

The Rotan Little League All-Stars, in the first round of playoff games with Hamlin, last Monday night, defeated Hamlin by the score of 5-4.

The Rotan All-Stars, after jumping out to 2-0 lead in the early innings, coasted through 5 full innings of play.

In the top of the 6th inning, Rotan All-Star pitcher Steve McClain ran into his first bout of fatigue. He walked the first two Hamlin batters and allowed a Chuck Connelly single to left field loading the bases. Rotan was leading 4-3, Hamlin had the bases loaded and there were no outs. Manager Manuel Yanez replaced the tired Rotan All-Star hurler. McClain received applause from the crowd present having pitched near perfect ball for a full 5 innings. Yanez selected Blake Morrow to replace McClain at the plate.

Morrow took over as pitcher in a sticky situation. Bases were loaded, Rotan's lead had been cut to 1 run (4-3) and there were no outs. Morrow walked the first batter he faced and in doing so walked in the tying run. Now the score stood at 4-4 and bases were still loaded with no outs. It looked as if Morrow hurled all his pitches to the first batter high above the letters, which could have indicated that he was not accused to the elevation of the pitchers mound. The mound at Snyder is almost level. Morrow and the other Rotan pitchers have been used to pitching from an elevated mound at the Rotan home field.

Morrow settled down as he pitched to the second and third batters, striking out both Davis Everett and Kyle Cooper. His confidence mounted as he faced the Hamlin "clean-up" batter Michael Tomlinson. Morrow rocked back and fired three straight strikes retiring the sides.

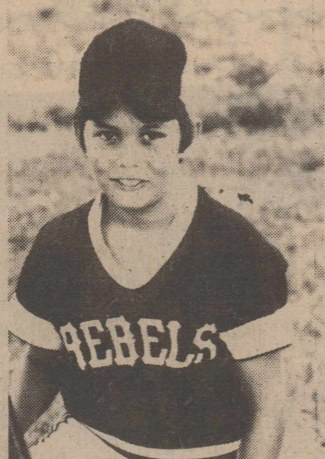
With the score tied

through 6½ innings of play, it was up to Rotan to score a run in the bottom of the 6th inning or face extra innings of play.

Jerry Carreon was the lead off batter in the bottom of the 6th inning for Rotan. Hamlin pitcher Michael Tomlinson walked

Carreon. Carreon stole 2nd and stole 3rd on passed pitches to Jay Linn Helms. With the count standing two balls and one

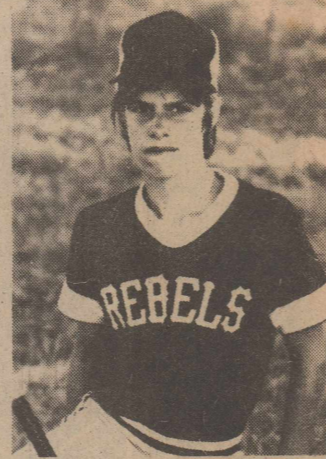
strike against Helms, he connected with a single over the second baseman that fell in short center field. Helms, who came in to the game in the third inning replacing Jason Terry in right field, just hit the game winning single. After the game Helms commented to his mother, Mrs. Leon Helms, "How did you like that hit?". She didn't really need to comment, her hug was enough to tell the story and Jay Linn was on cloud-nine.



Blake Morrow..... relief pitcher in first play-off win.



Jay Linn Helms..... Singles in the game winning run.



Steve McClain..... Starting pitcher, hurling five flawless innings.

### Library Board Votes Roof, Financial Help Needed

The members of the Rotan Public Library board of directors met on Tuesday, July 6th and voted to install a new roof on the library building. The approximate cost of the new roof is expected to cost \$4,000, with \$2,300 set aside in a "roofing fund" to pay for the project.

Library board members and "Friend's of the Library" have scheduled a joint meeting for Tuesday, July 20th at 7:30 for the purpose of organizing a fund raising team to raise the additional \$1,700 for the roofing project.

Those desiring to make a donation to the "Library - Roofing Fund" are urged to do so immediately in order that the project can be completed on schedule. Local residents are asked to mail checks to ROTAN PUBLIC LIBRARY\* c/o Lester Sescil, 911 North McKinley, Rotan, Texas 79546.

In commenting about the roof Sescil said "This project has been pending

for a long time, I'm anxious to see the new roof installed so we can get on to working toward some

### Roby School Board Hires Personnel

The members of the Roby School Board held their monthly meeting last Monday night and voted to hire lunch room personnel and bus drivers for the 1982-83 school year.

The following lunch room personnel were hired by the board- Edith Lankford, Nae DeLos Santos, Zelma Mauldin and Minnie Rivas.

Hired as bus drivers for the 1982-83 year were: Alvin Seaton, Edith Lankford, Francis Morgan, Norma Lou Parks, and Joe Coleman (part time).

The board accepted the milk bid submitted by Gandy's Dairy for 1/2 pints of homogenized milk at 16.4c and 1/2 pints of low fat milk at 14.0c.

### Reunion

The Strickland Reunion will be held Sunday, July 11th, at the Community Center in Rotan. All friends and relatives are invited.

### Meeting

The members of the Rebecca Lodge will hold a meeting on Monday, July 19th with a visit to Snyder planned on July 20th to meet with the State President.

### Reunion

The annual Turnbull Reunion will be held the third Sunday in July (17 and 18th) at the Northeast Community Center west of Camp Springs.

### Practice For Queen Of FC Fair July 17

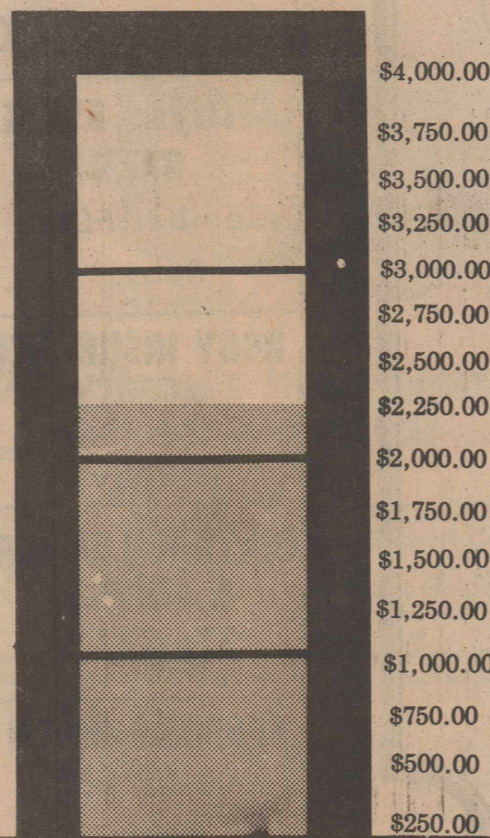
A free practice session for all girls that are interested in being a Fisher County Fair and Rodeo Queen Contestant will be conducted on Saturday morning, July 17, from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. at the Roby rodeo arena. This session is not required for contestants but offers girls a chance to practice the riding pattern in the arena as well as receive tips on how best to present themselves and their horses to the judges. Entry blank deadline for the contest is August 1st but early entry is strongly encouraged in order to prepare prizes. Please do not delay! Contact Myla Black, Box 75, Rotan (735-3091) or Tempie West, Roby, (776-2249).

### Library

### ROOFING FUND

Goal Is \$4,000.00

Deadline Sept. 1, 1982



### Roby Church Christ To Hold Meeting

The Roby Church of Christ will be conducting a series of gospel meetings beginning Monday, July 19, 1982 and continuing through Sunday, July 25, 1982. Tommy Hicks who preaches for the Handley Church of Christ in Ft. Worth, Texas will be doing the preaching. Services will be each Weekday evening at 8:00 o'clock and at 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Sundays. A cordial welcome awaits all who will come.

### Rotan Class 1972 Will Have Reunion

The Rotan High School Class of 1972 will hold its 10 year reunion Saturday, July 17th at the Rotan Community Center beginning at 5:00 p.m. Friends, family and former teachers are invited to come for visitation at 5:00 prior to a dinner to be served to class members and spouses at 7:00 p.m.

### Britt Stuart Named To Dean's List

Britton Shane Stuart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Stuart of Sylvester, Texas, was one of 570 students named to Abilene Christian University's Dean's Honor Roll for the spring 1982 semester.

A student must earn a 3.5 grade point average, based on a four-point scale, on a minimum course load of 12 semester hours.

Mr. Stuart is a Sophomore General Agriculture major from Sylvester. He is a 1980 graduate of Roby High.

Abilene Christian University offers bachelor's degrees in 22 fields and master's degrees in 11 fields to more than 4,500 students from 46 of the United States and more than 25 foreign countries.

### Appraisal Board Has July Meet

The members of the Fisher County Appraisal Board met last Monday night in Roby for their monthly meeting and set the date for the Appraisal Review Board to hear items concerning oil companies for July 21st at 10:00 a.m., in the District Court Room.

In other action the board voted to pay a \$35.00 a year insurance fee on a recently rented additional computer CRT (Display Screen Station).

The board agreed to pay all of the funds currently being placed in each employee retirement fund and agreed to pay one-half of the cost of employee insurance coverage.

In final action the board heard a financial report from Billie Holcomb, Chief Appraiser, indicating a balance on hand at the end of June 1982 of \$19,915.28. June expenses were \$7,052.42 and June receipts were \$15,621.61.

### Roby Band Parents To Have Meeting

There will be a Band Parents meeting at 8 p.m. at the Roby Band Hall on August 2nd. All parents are urged to attend. This is an organizational meeting and a time to plan the new year.

### Hits And Misses

Column By The Newspaper Staff

Our government does not learn very much from past experiences. I thought that we would learn our lesson from South Korea and South Vietnam about "Police Action". But now the President has volunteered U.S. troops to help evacuate the Palestine Liberation Organization from West Bierut in Lebanon. We have gotten a black eye and a bloody nose in our last two ventures. And we need to quit sticking our nose into affairs that do not pertain to us.

Let the Lebanese people handle the evacuation of the PLO, no doubt that they will have plenty of help from the Israelis, the Syrians, and whoever else wants to help. Since the PLO has no place to go, they might talk to the British who could sell them a couple of islands.

Jimmy Markham, Bookkeeping

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Several members from Sardis Baptist Church, which is where I attend, were present at the Fourth of July Celebration held by the Ministerial Alliance in Rotan last Sunday. I must say I am very glad I went. The fellowship was great and so was the celebration. Our country was founded on freedom of religion and the right to worship God in one's own personal way. The main thing I was so impressed with is the fact that no one was termed as members of this church or the other, but the fact that we are all the family of God and we worship the same Lord and we are all his children. Bro. Larry Ramsey brought a very good message and special music was brought by Glen Cantu of First Baptist in Rotan, Mike O'Neill, pastor of Cross Roads Baptist, and Glen Copeland of Cross Roads. The Sardis Youth Group also brought special music. I would like to thank the Ministerial Alliance for the effort they went to to present this celebration and for the opportunity to attend. This brings the community closer together and I think it is a very good thing. The other pastors who participated in the celebration and attended were, Barry Beames of Calvary Baptist, Joe Norton of the Church of Nazarene, Henry Dickson of Sardis Baptist, Father Austin Kitteridge of the Catholic Church. I am hoping this event will be repeated each year. It's a beautiful way to celebrate the fourth.

Rosemary Donham, Advertising

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Lots of people are spending every spare minute in the sun. But, be careful, because the summertime sun, heat and humidity can be rough on your skin. Too much sun can do more than tan - in fact, years of exposure can be harmful to your skin. Long hours in the sun may cause premature aging, wrinkling, leathery texture and precancerous skin conditions. Some protection tips: (1) avoid exposure during hottest part of the day; (2) wear protective sunscreen lotion; (3) don't be fooled by clouds in the sky; (4) be aware of certain medications; and (5) avoid prolonged exposure to direct sunlight.

Carol Weatherly, Typesetter

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Senator Lloyd Bentsen said that the number of medical emergencies resulting from abuse of the drug "angel dust" in the United States has declined by almost half since 1978.

Legislation authored by Bentsen, clamping down on the illegal manufacture and sale of "angel dust," was signed into law that year.

"It's the most dangerous drug I know. It really scrambles people's brains."

Bentsen said Jack Lawn, the new deputy administrator for the Drug Enforcement Administration, visited him to report on the sharp decline in medical emergencies resulting from abuse of phencyclidine, more commonly known as "angel dust."

"He told me that we'd had the most dramatic reduction in that drug, by legislation, than he'd ever seen in any drug before," the Senator said.

"He said that we'd cut down the emergency cases at hospitals from 10,000 approximately in 1978 to some 5,000 last year -- almost a 50 percent reduction."

Lawn advised Bentsen that, according to statistics compiled by the Drug Abuse Warning Network, (DAWN), hospital emergency rooms reported 9,871 incidents involving "angel dust" in 1978, a 97.8 percent increase over the previous year. Projections based on data for the first seven months of 1981, he said, indicate that there were 5,094 such medical emergencies last year for a decline of 48.5 percent between 1978 and 1981.

The Bentsen bill making it harder to obtain piperidine, one of the three key ingredients in "angel dust," was signed into law in November 1978. The law also increases criminal penalties for trafficking in "angel dust."

The number of emergency room incidents involving "angel dust" abuse in Texas fell from 24 in 1978 to 10 in 1981.

I think this report is great news. I hope people realize that things are never bad enough to try this just one time because that one time could leave you a vegetable for life.

Janece Pease, Associate

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What's the first thing you want when you go to a movie? Popcorn! Right?! Seems popcorn has been around for a long while. Scientists have found kernels of popcorn in a New Mexican cave 5,600 years old. Indians were eating popcorn as a staple in their diet thousands of years before it became one of America's favorite snacks. Columbus found the Indians also wearing and selling it as decorations. The early English colonists were delighted with the popped corn the Indians offered as a dinner dish at the first Thanksgiving feast. Soon the first settler women began to serve the new food with their meals. Popcorn became one of the first breakfast cereals when it was served with cream and sugar by the settlers. Gradually the method for popping the corn improved from the Indians primitive methods of popping the corn on hot stones or in open fires; and today Americans alone eat 9.6 billion quarts of popcorn annually, or 41 quarts per person. I'll have mine with butter and salt.

Debbie Wilfong, Production

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**Rotan's "Diamond Anniversary" 1907-1982 75 Great Years The "Keepsake Edition" Is Coming**

## The Recipe Box

Favorite Recipes From Fisher County Folks  
By Carol Weatherly

The first recipe is a good one for this busy time of the year. It can be made ahead of time and refrigerated or frozen until needed.

### Mexican Casserole

1 1/2 lbs. ground meat  
Salt, garlic salt, chili powder, pepper - to taste  
1/4 can: chopped green chilies  
1 can mild Enchilada sauce  
1 can cream of mushroom soup  
1 can cream of chicken soup  
1/2 can (small) evaporated milk  
1 medium onion, chopped

Brown ground meat and onion. Add salt, garlic salt, chili powder, and pepper (according to taste). Add 1/4 can chopped green chilies.

Add 1 can mild enchilada sauce to meat mixture; then add mushroom soup and chicken soup, and evaporated milk.

Pour mixture over grated cheese and Nacho-flavored Doritos (in 9x13 pan). Put cheese and Doritos on top. Put in oven and bake until bubbly. Can be frozen.

A light and fluffy refrigerator dessert is the next recipe. Only the crust is cooked.

### Luscious Lemon Dessert

Crust:  
1/4 cup (1/2 stick) butter or margarine  
1/2 cup all-purpose flour  
1/2 cup chopped pecans  
Mix ingredients together and press into an 8-inch square baking pan; bake 15 minutes at 300 degrees.

Filling:  
4 ounces cream cheese, softened  
1/2 cup unsifted powdered sugar  
1 teaspoon lemon extract  
1/4 cup whipped cream or substitute  
Whip cream cheese in mixer until fluffy. Add powdered sugar and lemon extract. Blend well. Fold in whipped cream.

Put filling on crust. Spread over cream cheese filling. Top with whipped cream or whipped cream substitute. Chill. Makes 9 large servings. Curl a piece of lemon rind to garnish, if desired.

Everyone is invited to send in your favorite recipes to share with our readers. To submit your recipe, type or print clearly and mail to The Recipe Box, Drawer A, Rotan, Texas 79546.

For quick, easy entertaining you might like to try the following snack recipe.

Cheese Snack Rounds  
1 jar (5 oz.) sharp pasteurized process cheese spread  
1/2 cup Bisquick baking mix  
2 tablespoons toasted sesame seed

Mix cheese spread and baking mix. Shape into roll, about 1 inch in diameter, on lightly floured cloth-covered board. Roll in sesame seed, pressing lightly if necessary. Wrap and refrigerate until firm, at least 2 hours.

Heat oven to 375 degrees. Cut roll into 1/4-inch slices. Place on lightly greased cookie sheet. Bake until golden brown, 8 to 10 minutes. About 42 appetizers.

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## New Prisoners Accepted

The members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court met last Monday morning and approved a motion to house Stonewall County prisoners in the Fisher County Jail at a cost to Stonewall County of \$25. a day. The Fisher County Sheriff is to receive \$10.50 of the \$25.00 for feeding prisoners and the County is to receive \$14.50. The motion to house prisoners was made by Commissioner Cross and seconded by Commissioner Hendon with all voting in favor of the motion.

In other action the commissioners approved a report from the ASCS office Emergency Board declaring Fisher County a disaster area. The report is to be sent to Governor Clements.

The Commissioners approved the Fisher County Treasurers "Quarterly Report" and agreed to accept a bid from Texana Corporation to lease a 1 acre tract in Section 184 of Block 2 HTC Hwy survey.

The Fisher Co. Sheriff's Possee met Monday night at Homestate Savings to elect officers, new members were also voted on. For the first time, the group will be represented by twin queens. They are Julie and Christy Parr, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Parr. The following officers were elected: President, Jay Hendon, Vice President, Maurice Callan, Sec. & Treas., Billy Joe McCombs, Parade Chairman, Danny Parr, Reporter, Ruth Callan, Arena Director, Charles Shipp, Assistant, Pete Elrod, New Directors, Darmon Bratton and Billie Eaton, Carry over Directors, Lon Weems and Roy Kingsfield.

The meeting night for the group was changed to the first Monday of each month.

payments. Commissioners Court was not closed Monday but will remain open until Thursday when commissioners will meet for a budget hearing.

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## Fifty-Five In Summer Reading Club

Since June 7, 1982, 55 young people have joined the Summer Reading Club at the Rotan Public Library, five of whom have already read the ten books required to receive a certificate of participation. The Texas Reading Club, which libraries are free to participate in any time during the year, has been reaching out for over twenty years into communities all over the state, encouraging young people to read and to support their libraries. The reading logs and certificates are provided by the sponsoring agency, Texas State Library.

The theme for this year, "Space Capers", is timely, as the stars and planets are of increasing interest to our "space-age" child

## Roby Band Director Deadline

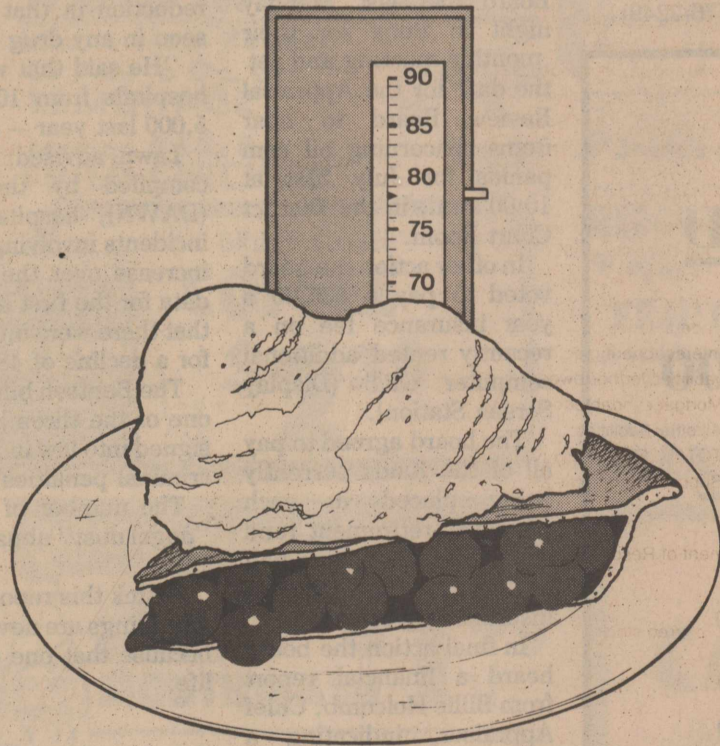
The new Band Director of Roby, Steve Ratliff has set the following dates and times for summer band practice for the Roby High School Band. Band will practice at 6 p.m. and last until 8 p.m. each evening beginning on Monday, August 2nd. There will be practice on Mon., Tues., Thurs., and Friday for two consecutive weeks, and no Wed. night practice. Practice dates are August 2, 3, 5th, 6th, 9th, 10th, 12th, and 13th. These pre-school practices are very important and all students, including football players, are requested to attend. If practice is missed for any reason, please contact Mr. Ratliff at the school.

The Roby Band Hall will be open from 10:00 to 2:30 each Mon., Tues., Wed., for parents and students who have questions or want to meet the new Band Director.

The marching music is ready to be picked up for students who wish to practice at home. White shoes and socks will be required for each student before the first football game, athletic shoes with cleats are not acceptable. If you wish further information please contact Steve Ratliff at the Roby Schol.

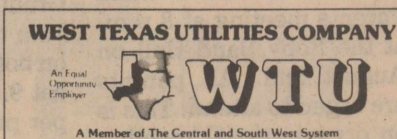
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## Important Things

The morning sunlight catches the cascading water and bands it with rainbow colors. The little girl watches, transfixed. Later, if someone asks her how she liked the waterfall, she'll struggle with words. Most of us are inadequate when it comes to describing something important.

The waterfall is very important, not only because it is beautiful but because it shows God's workings in a tangible form. The water cascades down over rocks, seeking

union in the pool at the bottom. In turn, that pool will spill into a brook and the brook will merge with a river and the river with the sea. It's a kind of master plan that is mind-boggling in its scope.

So, the little girl senses a kind of miracle, even if she can't put it into words. No one can be precise about miracles. But the Church can help you to better understand.

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## David Hargrove Installed Rotan Lion's President

The Rotan Lion's Club installed new officers for the 1982-83 year at their meeting recently with David Hargrove assuming the helm as president of the local organization. Other officers installed include First Vice Presi-

dent-Lester Sescil; Second Vice President-Jerry Dickson, and Third Vice President-Jim Finch. Dr. Jerry Marshall will again serve as the club secretary-treasurer. Lion Tamer Program Chairman is John Jackson with Tail Twister-

Rev. Mike O'Neill. John Burtoft is the Lion's Club song leader while Dilana Long is the Lion's Sweetheart for the 1982-83 year. Directors of the club are: Phil Springer, Joe Dickson, James Carter, and Cleburne Murdoch.

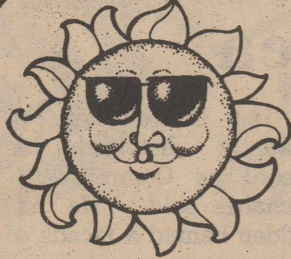


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## LOOKING BACK

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

Ten Years Ago  
July 20, 1972

Randy Etheredge was awarded the high point individual belt buckle at the Roby Rough Rider's Open Play Day. The Rotan All Stars were defeated 12-3 by the Stonewall Kent All Stars. Jesse Hudnall was promoted to Sergeant in the Marine Corp. Connie Byrd rode in the Dodge City Days Celebration and Rodeo in Abilene at Hardin-Simmons University. Four students were named to the Distinguished Students list at Tarleton State College, they were Danna K. Maberry of Sylvester, Patricia S. Evers and Donnie A. Kiker of Roby and Larry D. Helms of Rotan. Terry Posey represented Fisher County from District 3 at the reunion of the 1971 4-H National Citizenship and Heritage Tour. Mr. and Mrs. E. Weems celebrated their 50th wedding Anniversary. Glen Wilfong was pitcher for the Jets who defeated the Colts. Some of the members of the Rotan All Stars team were, Mark Henderson, Dale Roa, Gary Dickson, Ray Weathersbee, and Wes Morrow.

Five Years Ago  
July 21, 1977

Shelley Boyd, Kathy Deaton, Leslie Carey, and

Cathy King attended Southwest Twirling Camp at Cisco Junior College. Vic McElrath was hired as Hobbs Boys Coach. National Gypsum and the United Gypsum workers failed to reach a settlement with the strike reaching its 20th day. Nine at Rotan qualified for State Track finals, they were Mark Harris, Roger Hooper, Eli Huitt, Tony Perales, David Thornton, Albert Campos, Greg Hayes, Sam Helms and Cecil Turner. The Rotan All Stars won over Hamlin 7-5. Some of the members of the Rotan All-Stars were Henry Williams, Roland Rumon, Ricky Gibson, and Larry Ramirez.

One Year Ago  
July 12, 1981

Jim Gruben was named the new manager of the Rotan Gin. The Rotan All-Stars defeated Snyder and won the tournament. The 18th annual Johnson Chapel Homecoming was held at the Johnson Chapel Church. Alan Kiker, Kip Pease, Joyce Lynn Harkey, Mike Morrow and Gary Don Harkey attended the State wide Texas 4-H congress in San Antonio. The Rotan High School class of 1956 held their reunion. Conrad Hamric, Melett Rowland and Lyle Hale attended the Regional C.A.R. Convention in Ft. Worth. Four new teachers were hired

by the Rotan School Board. They were Carla Beames, Lenice Dennis, Barbara McCain and Kathy Ragan. Lori Garcia and Charla Wiley were winners in the 4-H Dress Revue. Robin Harris, Dilana Long, Jerilyn Marshall and John Underhill attended Band Camp at San Angelo.

### Ladies Aux.

### Meeting Held

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Rotan Fire Department met last Tuesday for a salad supper and short business meeting. A report was given on the State Ladies' Auxiliary meeting held in Abilene, by Rheta Thomson, Letha Lee, and Frances Neeley. The group planned a swim ming party and ice cream supper for the Firemen and their families. Other members present were: Jan Wetsel, Tammy Kelley, Candy Dycus, Aurora Nowlin, and Carol Price. Mandy Dycus was a special guest.

**PHOTOGRAPHS**  
of the Perfect Wedding

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## Wedding Date Is Set For Fullen, Whitefield

Lonnie Aleen Fullen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Ray Fullen, Sr., of Odessa and Tommy Ray Whitefield, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Ray Whitefield, Sr., of Rotan announce the engagement of their children.

The wedding date has been set for Saturday, July 31st 1982 at the Midessa

Heights Baptist Church with the Rev. Bobby Peak scheduled to perform the ceremony.

Lonnie Aleen is a 1980 graduate of Midland High School and is employed by Fulco General Machine Works. Tommy is a 1977 graduate of Rotan High School and is employed by N.L. McCullough Company.

## Gruben-Ogden Reunion

The Gruben-Ogden Reunion was held Saturday, July 3, in the Rotan Community Center. Those present and enjoying the day were: Glen, Billie, Maury and Jim Gruben, Bob, Ellen, Tony and Todd Gruben, Billie Joe and Vera Ellen McCombs, Norvelle, Donna, Katie and Byron Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gruben, Carol Ann, Wilber, Evette and Greg, all of Rotan; Kathy and Mike Barker, Edd and Ollie Ogden, Ernestine (Glass) Brown, and Mrs. Minnie Glass, all of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seaton, Judy and Wes of Jayton; Ray and Alma Ogden, Floydada; Karen Ogden, Garland; Mrs. George (Margaret) Watkins, and Dwayne, Teresa and Angela Watkins of Mena,

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Comptroller of the Currency  
Administrator of National Banks

**REPORT OF CONDITION**

Consolidating domestic subsidiaries of the  
The First National Bank of Rotan  
Name of Bank City  
Texas at the close of business on June 30, 1982  
published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under title 12, United States Code, Section 161.  
Charter number 8693 National Bank Region Number 11

Statement of Resources and Liabilities		Thousands of dollars				
ASSETS	Cash and due from depository institutions	1 088				
	U. S. Treasury securities	4 434				
	Obligations of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	3 800				
	Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States	4 280				
	All other securities	39				
	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	2 425				
	Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	11 050				
	Less: Allowance for possible loan losses	117				
	Loans, Net	10 933				
	Lease financing receivables	0				
	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	191				
	Real estate owned other than bank premises	0				
	All other assets	914				
	<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>28 104</b>				
	LIABILITIES	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	4 368			
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		18 315				
Deposits of United States Government		8				
Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States (State of Texas = \$300,000)		1 995				
All other deposits		0				
Certified and officers' checks		113				
Total Deposits		24 802				
Total demand deposits		4 984				
Total time and savings deposits		19 818				
Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		0				
Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U. S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money	0					
Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases	0					
All other liabilities	641					
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)</b>	<b>25 443</b>					
Subordinated notes and debentures	0					
Statement of Resources and Liabilities (Cont'd)						
MEMORANDA EQUITY CAPITAL	Preferred stock	No. shares outstanding	none	(par value)	0	
	Common stock	No. shares authorized	1 000			
		No. shares outstanding	1 000	(par value)	100	
	Surplus				200	
	Undivided profits and reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves				2 361	
	<b>TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL</b>				<b>2 661</b>	
	<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL</b>				<b>28 104</b>	
	Amounts outstanding as of report date:					
	Standby letters of credit, total					0
	Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more					2 746
Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more					295	
Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date:						
Total deposits					24 863	

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Francene McKinney  
Name  
Vice President  
Title

of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Phillip Springer  
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# Senator Mike Richards Brings Comptroller Candidacy To Rotan Area

State Senator Mike Richards of Houston, Republican candidate for Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts, brought

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Following a meeting with supporters, the senator and his wife walked through the downtown business district of Rotan and visited with several business owners and employees.

Declaring that "the people of Texas want elected officials who are willing to represent their interests and serve them

in a way that brings credit to our great state," Senator Richards added, "they deserve to have a comptroller, who fits these qualifications."

He pointed out that meeting with the people of Rotan is a very important part of his campaign.

"When a man decides to ask the people of Texas to give him the opportu-

ity to serve them in a state-wide office, he also assumes a great responsibility. He must make himself available to the people. He should be willing to visit them in

their homes, schools, businesses and churches."

Richards, who was obviously enjoying his travels, continued "and, I'm not only willing to

spend time in Rotan; I'm eager to be here. Besides, you are probably not going to get a chance to see or talk to my opponent, Bob Bullock, in this race."

"Bob Bullock has consistently distorted his record as Comptroller," Richards said. "He has hidden behind a facade of

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NOTICE: The Mrs. W.H. McCright reunion will be Sunday July 18th at Rotan Community Center. All relatives, friends, old classmates and neighbors are invited to come visit our family on this day. 22-1tp

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Donnie Gruben



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Rebels  
Age 11  
Son of Mr. & Mrs.  
Joe Morrow



Reggy Spencer  
Yankees  
Age 12  
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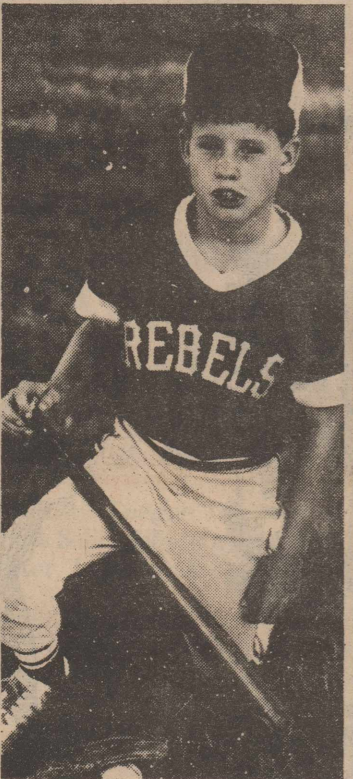
Kenneth Warren  
Vets  
Age 11  
Son of Mr. & Mrs.  
James Warren



Felix Yanez  
Rebels  
Age 11  
Son of Mr. & Mrs.  
Manuel Yanez



Heath Dickson  
Pirates  
age 11  
Son of Mr. & Mrs.  
Thomas Dickson



Carter Edmondson  
Rebels  
Age 11  
Son of Mr. & Mrs.  
Johnny Edmondson



Jerry Carreon  
Yankees  
Age 11  
Son of  
Roy & Alecia Carreon



Jay Linn Helm  
Vets  
Age 12  
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Rebels  
Age 12  
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Larry McClain



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J. Donham



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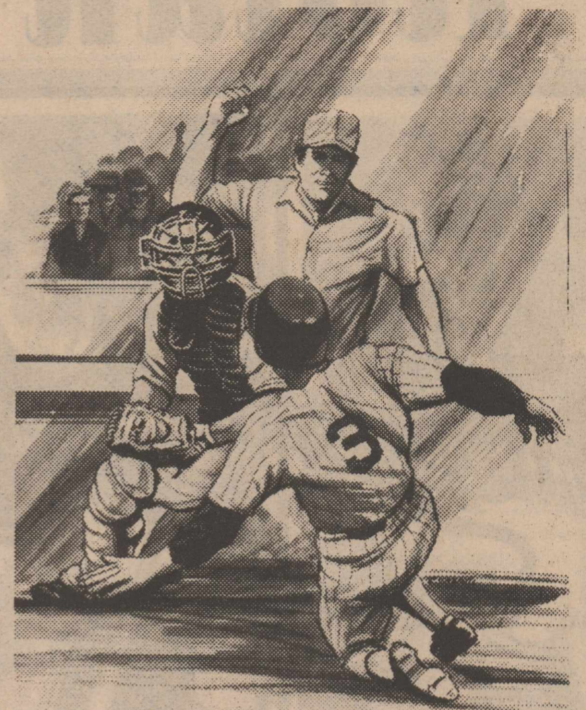
PARKER WETSEL-MANAGER

ROBY, TEXAS

# CONGRATULATIONS 1982



Rebels Little League Team: Front row left to right: Rick Onfre, Carter Edmondson, Ed Hughes, Steve McClain, Mitchell Whitefield Blake Morrow, Jerry Harbin, Bat Boy, Jason Garcia. Second- Randy Randolph, Felix Yanez, Matt Floyd, James Gant, Junior Daniels, Johnny DeLoSantos. Coaches, back- Manuel Yanez, Lewis Yanez, John Pearson, Joe Morrow.



Eagles Farm Team: Front row left to right: Christopher Gaspar, Bat Boy, Rodney Matthies, Larry Whitley, Travis Whitley, Efen Pizarro, Paul Carrillo III, Landon Alls. Second- John Ortiz, Bill Howard, Joey Thomas, Ben Alaniz, Luis Garcia, Robert Alamanza, Leticia Martinez. Coaches- Frankie Gaspar, Renda Alls, Paul Carrillo. Not pictured Karen Barerra.



Bears Farm Team: Front row left to right: Shannon Hull, Steven McQueen, Ysabel Alamanza, Jr., Jerri Lynn Boone, Cathy Jones, Shannon Boone, Terry Acorn. Second- Jess Weatherly, Monty McKinney, Brad Foster, Brandon Sheehan, Richard Alamanza Bradley Williams. Coaches- Ysabel Alamanza, Curtis McQueen. Hornets Farm Team: Front row left to right: Nick Dickson, Terri Warren, Jeremy Terry, Glory Neeper, Gene Neeper, Michelle Beauchamp, James Davis. Second: Aaron Wickham, Richard Dennis, John Bland, Ruple Weems, Windy Wickham. Coaches- Thomas Dickson, Chad Terry, Carolyn Weems, Terry Neeper.



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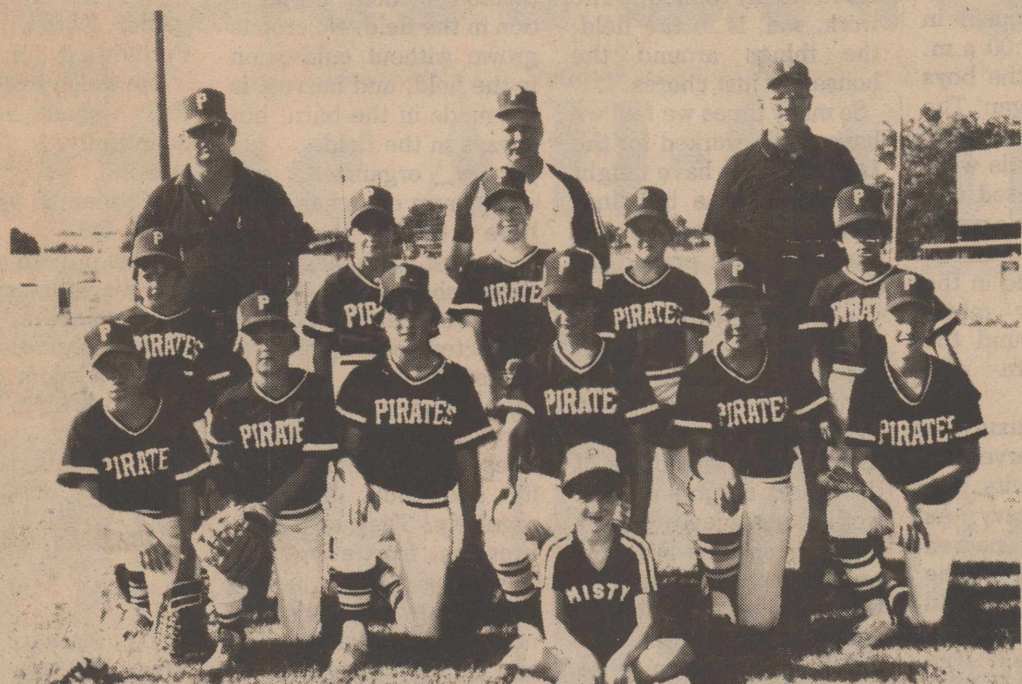
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# LITTLE LEAGUE & FARM TEAMS



Hornets Farm Team: Front row left to right: Nick Dickson, Terri Warren, Jeremy Terry, Glory Neeper, Gene Neeper, Michelle Beauchamp and James Davis. Second row: Aaron Wickham, Richard Dennis, John Bland, Ruple Weems and Windy Wickham. Coaches: Thomas Dickson, Chad Terry, Carolyn Weems and Head Coach, Terry Neeper.



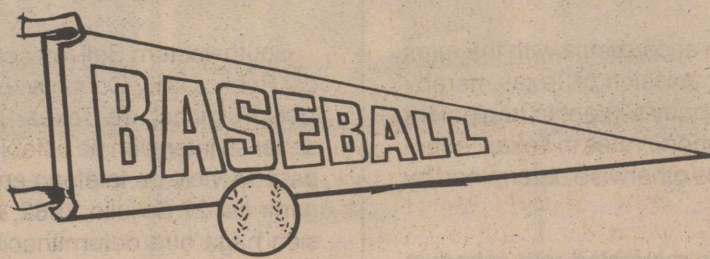
Pirates Little League Team: Front row left to right: Billy Cook, Randall Clawson, Heath Dickson, Darrin Ragan, Lance Ragan, Mark Hargrove, Misty Tankersley, Bat Girl. Second- Jerry Wayne Stuart, Casey Green, John Everett, Billy Wayne Vaughn, Brian Hernandez. Coaches- Rodney Tankersley, Cotton Clawson, Rafor Hargrove.



Vets Little League Team: Top row left to right: Jay Linn Helm, Brian Sheehan, John Frank Soliz, Billy Wayne Speck, Trey Gardner, Lanette McQueen. Bottom Row: Aaron Porter, Lane Landes, Danny Warren, Wally Reyes, Shad Rascoe, Kenneth Warren.



Yankees Little League Team: Front row left to right: Jerry Carreon, Glen Overby, Jason Terry, Todd Gruben, Reggy Spencer, Jessie Carreon, Donnie Carl Gruben. Second- George Patterson, Joe P. Barrera, , Kevin Smith, David Shipp, Brandon Alls, Shawn Donham. Coaches, back- Freddie Alls, Hoss Carrillo, Donnie Gruben, Alex Garcia.



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## Church Review

By Mike O'Neill

A young man from the city visited his cousin in the country. At 5:00 a.m. the uncle awoke the boys and the chores began. The cows, several cows, were milked. The animals were fed, harnesses and readied for the day's work, the barn was cleaned, some restacked in the barn and a few minor repairs made around the house, the barn and chicken pens.

At 8:30 a luxurious breakfast was served of golden crisp biscuits, bacon, eggs and gravy. As the young man neared finishing his breakfast, the uncle stood up and announced, "It's time to go to work, boys." The astonished young city dweller looked up at his uncle and asked, "What

have I been doing for the past 3½ hours?" The uncle simply replied, "The work, son, is in the field; the things around the house are just chores."

So many times we feel we have really worked for the Lord when we have taught a class, built a building, tithed of our income, read our Bible, and prayed for the lost. Like the naive, young, and inexperienced, we often, very often, fail to see that the work of the Lord is in the field. As Christians, it is imperative that we go to the homes of the world around us and work to achieve proper relationships for the presentation of the Gospel. If we and our local unit of believers stay at home, though our barns may be clean, our houses superb, and all chores done around the church, it still remains

that no preparation is done in the field. No seeds are planted without preparation in the field. No crop is grown without cultivation in the field, and harvest is not made in the barn, but always in the field.

Pretty, organized, and even warm churches often have fields that are neglected. As neglected fields shame the farmer that owns them so it is that neglected souls in need of ministering are a shame to the congregations that serve them.

Yes, chores are a necessity and must be done regularly. They are often tiresome, frustrating, and rewarding but chores, though they are work, will never make a living for us and cannot be substituted for hard work in the fields.

"In the morning sow thy seed, and in the evening

withhold not thine hand." Ecclesiastes 11:6.

"We are labourers together with god." I Corinthians 3:9.

"He which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully." II Corinthians 9:6.

"Here am I; send me." Isaiah 6:8.

Let us pray to our Father that we will fear sin, and be obedient to his commands, regardless of the lack of wisdom this world may think us to have.



### Card of Thanks

The class of 1957 would like to thank everyone who made our reunion a special one for us. Thank you.

## Hustlin' Round Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well another week of rain and some places measured a lot more than others, but in general its been wet, and this little cotton is really going to grow if it ever dries up and we get some hot days and sunshine. We measured just a little over an inch here on Saturday afternoon, with a little hail, and some folks got a heavy rain on Wednesday.

Jackie Cave from Farmington, New Mexico, is in Houston for a check-up and some tests. We hope that he will get a good report. He called his mother and dad Monday morning from Houston and said he was feeling real good.

Sorry to hear that Wayne Anderson of Clovis, New Mexico, is in the hospital there. We hope that he will soon feel very much better. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Fowler and three children from St. Louis, Missouri, visited with the Martinezs this week-end. She attended the Rotan Class of 57 reunion which was held on Saturday. Mrs. Fowler is the former Delores Martinez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martinez of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry McBeth and three children from Abilene spent the week-end visiting with Mrs. Bea Hardin.

Mrs. Frank Hackney returned to Greenville on

Wednesday and she was feeling a little better when she left here. She and Mrs. Opal Phillips visited with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips in Post on the way to the Lubbock airport on Wednesday. Glenn Phillips visited with Opal on Sunday.

Mrs. James Ratliff and Teresa went to Seymour on Thursday night and Teresa rode in the Open barrel race at the Seymour Rodeo. Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid went to Andrews on Saturday and they attended the wedding of Neil Hyer. They returned home on Sunday afternoon. They were accompanied by Mrs. Windle Kincaid.

Mrs. Pauline Chandler from Stephenville, Mrs. Millie Jordan from Dublin and Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Williams, also Mr. and Mrs. Windle Kincaid all ate dinner and spent the day, so they all enjoyed a good visit.

We went to Sweetwater on Tuesday and ran into a heavy rain just outside of that area. We went to Snyder on Thursday and visited for a short while with Blake Walker at Ennis Creek. Went to Abilene on Saturday and although it was hot and humid and looked like rain, they didn't even get a sprinkle down there. This is about all for this week. Sorry I missed some of you, but the phones have been acting up again this morning.

## Miss West Texas Queen Pageant Opens

The 1982 MISS WEST TEXAS RODEO QUEEN PAGEANT will be held this year on Friday, September 10th.

The competition is open to any young woman in the Big Country area between the ages of 18 and 24. The entry deadline is August 25. Applications are now available at the West Texas Fair general office, Bill Reed Distributing Company, 4290 So. Treadway and various western stores in Abilene. Applications may also be obtained by mail from Miss West Texas Rodeo, c/o Sandi Ireland, 4290 So. Treadway, Abilene, TX 79602.

The new MISS WEST TEXAS RODEO QUEEN will be crowned on Friday,

September 10th, by Fara Page, the reigning queen, and then reign over the five performances of the WEST TEXAS RODEO,

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The new queen will travel to San Antonio in January to compete for the title of MISS RODEO TEXAS.

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## Public Notice

Southwestern Bell, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, hereby gives notice of the company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas, effective July 27, 1982, unless otherwise determined by the Commission.

It is expected that the requested rate schedule will furnish a 13.4 percent increase in the company's intrastate revenues.

A complete copy of the new rate schedule is on file with the Public Utility Commission at Austin, Texas, and with each affected municipality served by Southwestern Bell, and is available for inspection in each of the company's public business offices in Texas. The Commission staff has contended in the past that all rates are subject to change as a result of Southwestern Bell's rate application.

### Notice to El Paso Area Customers

Effective January 1, 1982, Southwestern Bell adopted the Mountain States tariffs in effect for El Paso County. Southwestern Bell proposes to merge the separate El Paso tariffs with its tariffs applicable to the rest of Texas. The resulting new rate schedule is on file with the PUC and the El Paso area municipalities served by Southwestern Bell, and is available for inspection at our El Paso business office.

### Notice to Customers of Other Telephone Companies

The filing includes, but is not limited to, proposals to increase rates for interexchange private line and foreign exchange (FX) service. Changes in such rates would also affect customers of other telephone companies because such companies provide interexchange private line and foreign exchange service in accordance with rates specified in Southwestern Bell's tariffs. While Southwestern Bell has proposed no increase in long distance rates, any change in those rates would also affect customers of other telephone companies.

## Aviso Público

Southwestern Bell, en conformidad a las reglas del Public Utility Commission (Comisión de Servicios Públicos) de Texas, por la presente hace saber su intención de establecer un nuevo arancel para servicio de teléfono en Texas con vigencia a partir del 27 de julio, 1982, a menos que la Comisión haga otra determinación.

Se espera que el nuevo arancel que se ha solicitado rendirá un aumento de 13.4 por ciento en los ingresos intraestatales de la compañía.

Una copia completa del nuevo arancel se ha archivado en las oficinas del Public Utility Commission en Austin, Texas, al igual que en cada municipalidad afectada y servida por Southwestern Bell, y cada una de las oficinas de la compañía para negocios con el público en Texas tiene una copia para lectura pública. En el pasado, la Comisión ha sostenido que toda tarifa está sujeta a cambios que resulten de la manera en la cual Southwestern Bell aplique sus tarifas.

### Aviso a Clientes en la Región de El Paso

Con vigencia a partir del 1o de enero de 1982, Southwestern Bell ha adoptado las tarifas de Mountain States efectivas en el condado de El Paso. Southwestern Bell propone unir las tarifas de El Paso con sus otras tarifas que se aplican al resto de Texas. El nuevo arancel que resulta de ésta unión se ha archivado en la Comisión de Servicios Públicos (Public Utility Commission), al igual que en las municipalidades de la región de El Paso servidas por Southwestern Bell, y está disponible para inspección pública en nuestras oficinas de El Paso.

### Aviso a los Clientes de Otras Compañías de Teléfono

El registro incluye, pero no se limita a, propuestas para aumentar las tarifas para servicio de línea privada entre centrales telefónicas (interexchange private line) y servicio de central telefónica extranjera (foreign exchange FX). Cambios en dichas tarifas de servicio también afectarían a clientes de otras compañías de teléfono porque dichas compañías proveen los servicios ya mencionados en conformidad a tarifas especificadas por Southwestern Bell. Aunque Southwestern Bell no ha propuesto un aumento en las tarifas para larga distancia, cualquier cambio en las mismas también afectaría a los clientes de otras compañías de teléfono.

Southwestern Bell



## Fisher County Grandparent's Corner

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.



Mikeal, age 3 years, and Jessica, age 1 1/2 years, are the children of Brian and Teresa Harrison of Rotan. Maternal grandparents are Vernie and Dueaine Coan of Rotan and Paternal grandparents are Tye and Laverne Harrison of Rotan. Maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. Bert Rushings. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. E.D. Jenkins of Hamlin.

## Golden Haven Nursing Home

This has been a good week around the home. The weather is still unsettled but its been nice.

Aunt Myrtle Woodson was out to Sylvester over the week-end for a "Scott" family reunion also joined a "Scott" family in Bronte and enjoyed a "wild turkey" supper. Oscar and Wilda Jean Wyatt of San Francisco, Calif. visited Aunt Myrtle. Octavious Harrell has been visiting in Rotan with Effie Murphree and Dollie Curry. Visiting Martha Headstream-grandchildren of Ft. Worth and a host of local visitors. Leatha Meeks was out visiting Charles' family in Sylvester. Mrs. Cauble brought flowers to Ruth Webb. Visiting Ezell Whiten-Dorothy Lee Tankersley of Ft. Worth.

Leona Whitten of Ft. Worth and C.D. Whitten and wife of Midland. Visiting Lora Stephens-Carole Floyd of Roscoe, Elsie Rogers from El Paso Church. We're so glad that Sam Lambert is back from the hospital. We want to welcome Buster Lambert to our home. He is much closer to his family in Roby. We want you to meet Natalie Gibbins. She is assistant Administrator of Golden Haven. She is a lovely lady and we know you will want to come by the office to get acquainted with her. She is the daughter of Mrs. Joe Morris, all of Roby. Its so good to have you, Natalie!

Our thanks to the Methodist Church and their people for church service of music and song. Come to see us.

Bettie Hargrove  
Activity Director

## Hospital News

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## Appraisal Review Board

Beginning in 1982, taxpayers with property located in the Fisher County Appraisal District will have the opportunity to air their complaints before the new Appraisal Review Board.

This group of citizens is appointed by the appraisal district board of directors to equalize property values and consider claims for exemption and agricultural valuation. For the first time, taxpayers will be able to address a single equalization board instead of one for each taxing unit in which their property is located.

A property owner may protest before the appraisal review board the following actions:

- A property's appraised or agricultural value;
- Unequal appraisal of his property in comparison to the weighted average level of appraisals of other property in the appraisal district;
- Inclusion of his property on the appraisal records;
- Denial of a partial exemption, such as a homestead exemption;

- Any other action that applies to the property owner and adversely affects him.

The Appraisal Review Board will meet next Wednesday, July 21, 1982, for the hearings on oil and utility rolls as evaluated and appraised by Pritchard and Abbott, Oil

Consultants of Fort Worth. The meetings will be held in the District Courtroom, Fisher County Courthouse, Roby, beginning at 10:00 a.m.

For more information, contact Billie L. Holcomb, at the Fisher County Appraisal District office at Room 11f5, Fisher County Courthouse, or phone 776-2733.

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## Legal Notice

### REVENUE SHARING PROPOSED USE HEARING:

The Fisher County Commissioners Court will hold a Proposed Use Hearing on Revenue Sharing Monday, July 12, 1982, 10:00 a.m. in the Fisher County Courtroom, Courthouse, Roby, Texas.

The public will have the opportunity to give oral or written suggestions on the use of the funds. Fisher County estimates to receive approximately \$60,000.00.

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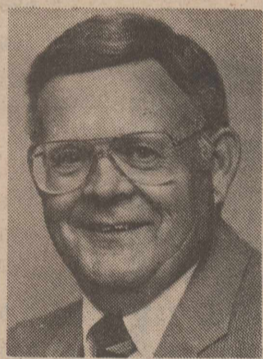
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### Industry changes will affect us all...

This is a time of significant change for Southwestern Bell and for the entire telecommunications industry. Decisions are being made as to how we are organized; in how we price and market our services; and in the policies that govern our industry.

These changes will touch everyone—customers, shareowners and our employees. They involve new concepts in home and business communications, and new ways of obtaining and using telecommunications products and services.

### Keeping Pace with Change and Its Impact on You

As the company restructures itself and adapts to these changes, you will want to know their impact on you and your telephone service. That's part of my job: keeping you informed about our plans. My duties also include recommending areas for service improvements, monitoring service problems and serving as the company's representative to the community.

Naturally, you'll continue to call the Business Office with questions about your bill or our Repair Bureau to get your telephone line fixed. But I'll try to keep you posted about changes that might affect your service.

While I've had the opportunity to visit with some of you about these telephone issues, it's impossible for me to speak personally to everyone. That's why I will be using this column to communicate with you. My address is listed at the end of the column. Please feel free to drop me a note anytime. I'll be glad to hear from you.

I can't guarantee that I will have

all the answers or instant solutions. But, I can promise that I will listen and help you in whatever way I can.

Most importantly, I will keep you posted on changes—local and national—that affect your telephone service.

### Company Files Application for Increase in Rates

Unless you've been out of the state the past few weeks, I'm sure you know by now we've filed with the Texas Public Utility Commission an application to increase rates. We are well aware this is not the way to win a popularity contest. It's unfortunate, but it's necessary.

The \$471.5 million we are seeking is more money than I can imagine, but so is the \$1.5 billion we've budgeted this year to expand and improve service in Texas. Incidentally, this is the fifth straight year we have committed more than \$1 billion in the state.

Almost a third of the total we've asked for is the result of rules the Federal Communications Commission recently adopted, requiring faster recovery of expenses for depreciation and other capital costs. The FCC's action was taken because competitive and technological developments have resulted in shorter service life for telephone equipment. It's a simple, but costly, fact.

Remember, if you have something to talk about, don't hesitate to drop me a line. Here's my address:

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I noticed with interest an article in a daily newspaper recently that said an international syndicate of 75 banks is lending the government of Mexico 2.5 billion, saying the agreement signals confidence in Mexico's recovery from an economic crisis. But the interest will be triple what Mexico was paying for syndicated loans a year ago.

Treasury Secretary Jesus Silva Herzog said the seven-year loan he signed recently was the biggest single borrowing transaction in Mexican history. Mexico already has one of the world's heaviest foreign debts, \$65 billion owed by the government and \$20 billion by private industry.

Mont McMillen, vice president of the Bank of America, who signed for the banking syndicate, defended Mexico's heavy borrowing, saying it had helped the country turn oil wealth into new jobs.

I'm personally tickled for the 75 banks involved. You can bet your life that the 2.5 billion loan was backed up by sufficient collateral. If the wells go dry in Mexico we'll probably read where 75 banks have repossessed the entire country of Mexico. It appears that they have really given Mexico a "good deal" on the interest rate too, triple what it was a year ago - great. That means the Mexican oil is going to be much higher to pay off the loan and interest and the United States is probably the biggest purchaser. I suspect that there is even a clause in that loan that says if Mexico defaults on payments to the government of the United States will guarantee pay-back.

I wonder why that same syndicate of 75 banks doesn't do something about the ailing United States economy with its 10 percent unemployment and skyrocketing interest rates? Gracias!

Kim Pease, Editor

Changing Times—We were vividly reminded of the change in people's habits, customs and conditions during the recent 4 day Texas Cowboy Reunion and Oldtimers Association at Stamford.

The affair which started in 1930 was the only rodeo between Ft. Worth and El Paso and drew enormous crowds—40 to 50 thousand spectators in the 1940 & 50's for the 3 days—many more than a town of 5 thousand could handle. During one year Stamford was low on drinking water, so it was shipped in by rail tank car and some cafes sold it for 25c per glass. Almost every town has its own Rodeo at present and the Stamford affair has simmered down to about 5 to 8 thousand visitors daily—just a comfortable crowd.

Fisher County now has its own Rodeos, but has supplied numerous cowboys for the events at Stamford and thru the years has had three winning girls in the Sponsors Contest—Mrs. Neal Collier of Roby in 1949; Mrs. Tennie Cade of Rotan in 1942 and Mrs. Becky Sumerlin of Roby in 1960.

The Oldtimers Association division of the Reunion also started in 1930. R.A. "Uncle" Bob Weatherby of North Roby was one of the original members and won the first saddle for Oldtimers Roping. This phase of the Reunion continues to be very active even the some 3 thousand deceased members names appear in our recent book, "50 Years of A Living Legend".

The late Will Rogers was an honorary member of the Oldtimers. He had a layover in Abilene between planes back in 1935 and having heard of the Stamford event, he hired a 'jitney' to bring him to Stamford and was sitting in the stands unannounced when Scandalous John Selman missed a loop on a calf. Rogers having in earlier years met Selman hollered "I'll help you John" and crawled down to the area, borrowed a horse and worked all afternoon helping clear the arena after each event. This was Will Rogers last public appearance as he was killed a few weeks later with Wiley Post in a plane crash in Alaska. A marble bust of Rogers is displayed in Oldtimers Museum at Bunkhouse.

Oldtimers Association continues an active role each year and active membership continues at between 400 and 500 members. Records show that for many years Fisher County supplied a number of members but presently Fisher is represented by L.R. 'Lon' Weems and myself.

A memorial service is held at each Reunion in honor of deceased members of the previous year. In researching for this Roll of Honor we found names missing for several years, but we do list the available roll; F.M. Steele, McCaulley, 1939; Dr. J.D. Davis, Roby, D.W. Stephens, Royston and J.W. Yopp, Rotan 1947; Mrs. W.B. Willingham, Rotan 1949; S.A.J. Willingham, Rotan, 1950; T.O. SoRelle, Rotan, 1959; R.A. "Uncle" Bob Weatherby, North Roby, 1960; Roy Underwood, Rotan, 1961; L.H. 'Hal' Burrow and Lee Fancher both of Rotan, 1962; Whitt Clark and W.B. Willingham both of Rotan, 1981.

In a move to keep the organization active in future years the group voted this year to accept children of deceased Oldtimers as members of the Association.

Hooper Shelton, Job Printer

Just a few words this week about a very worth while cause - the Pink Ladies or the Ladies Auxiliary. This is a group of area ladies who give two hours of their time, and some many more hours, each week to go to the Fisher County hospital and dispense juice, newspapers and such to the patients. Its a very rewarding job and even though sometimes it is just listening to a lonely patient or helping them dial their telephone, you will be surprised at the satisfaction one can get from doing these small acts. Just little things, but it will brighten your day as well as theirs. The Ladies Auxiliary also has a Blood Drive twice a year, and a Blood Pressure drive twice a year, both very valuable services. We have also bought a "Baby Bird" for the Nursery at the hospital for babies born with respiratory problems. We have also bought a Fetal Heart Monitor and plan on buying another one. It is also our plan on buying, with the help of the Hospital Memorial Fund, a Heater for newborn babies, to be used in the Nursery. We have an Auxiliary Memorial Fund; money that is well spent for life saving equipment.

We have a monthly meeting the first Monday in each month, and would like to invite anyone interested in joining and helping us, to come to the meeting, or contact Mrs. Glenn Copeland, who is our President, or Mrs. Harold Roberts, our Vice President. Or any of the ladies you know who are members of the Ladies Auxiliary; we need everyone to help in this very worthwhile project. "Goodwill is the one and only asset that competition cannot undersell or destroy."

Joy Walker, Correspondent

## Roby Firefighters "Fill The Boot" Drive

Recent Texas-size rain storms aren't responsible for Firefighters with their boots in their hands this weekend. It's the annual "Fill the Boot" drive to collect contributions for "Jerry's Kids" here in the "Big Country."

Roby Firefighters will be sponsoring their "Fill the Boot" Friday Saturday, July 16 & 17, to join in the national Firefighter Crusade against neuromuscular disease. They will be located at street corners, banks, shopping centers and other areas asking people to help defeat muscular dystrophy by making a donation.

Last year, Firefighters throughout the state raised

ed more than \$320,000. Money raised in events such as "Fill the Boot" help support MDA's extensive patient care, research and educational programs. MDA currently fights 40 neuromuscular

diseases. Representatives of all participating departments in the "Big Country" will be invited to officially present their contribution on this year's local broadcast of the annual

Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon to be carried on KTAB-TV from the Mall of Abilene.

Watch for the Fire fighters this weekend in their efforts to fill their boots for MDA.

## Fisher County Nursing Home

The sun is shining today—the rain is falling tonight—All things are from Heaven—enjoy! Visiting Cordie Wade-Harlon and Sue Wade of Huntsville—Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith of Ranger—Sybil Wade of Hamlin. Thaddie Wilson is expecting a visit from great grandchildren out to visit Mayme Lois Johnson. Visiting Alice Sutton—Carolyn Roach of Abilene and Lorna Edwards of Abilene. Visiting Neda Kiser—Addie Maberry of

McCaulley and Dosia McCain of Sylvester. Visiting Emma Howard-Loveda Wiley and son Jerry Wiley of Odessa and Nancy Carvier of Beaumont. Visiting Granny Shipp—Althea and Tommy, Nickie and Jennifer Moyers of Houston. We're sorry to report Gertie Sanders is still in the hospital and Phronia Taggart went to the hospital today. Hope they are back with us soon. Bustred Lambert moved down the road to Golden

Haven—we will miss you Buster—but we know its closer for your children to visit you.

We appreciate the Church services by Cross Roads and Sunday School by First Baptist of Rotan. This is such a joy to our people. Do come to see us and visit. Remember—"If your going to soar with the Eagles in the morning—you can't hoot with the Owls all night."

Bettie Hargrove  
Activity Director

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## FISHER COUNTY QUARTERLY REPORT

On July 12, 1982 The Commissioners Court of Fisher County met in regular session, examined and compared the quarterly report of Inez Stephens, County Treasurer, for the quarter ending June 30, 1982 and found the same correct and the respective amount to have been received and paid out during the quarter.

FUND	BALANCE 4-1-1982	RECEIVED LAST QUARTER	TRANSFERS IN	OUT	PAID OUT LAST QUARTER	BALANCE 6-30-1982
JURY FUND	8 798 16	304 49	15 480 83	10 000 00	3 324 29	11 259 19
GENERAL FUND	191 672 03	63 505 49	309 895 05	210 000 00	158 113 24	196 959 33
ROAD & BRIDGE, OPERATING PREC. #1	37 511 81	14 747 17	25 769 31	-0-	43 636 61	34 391 68
ROAD & BRIDGE, OPERATING PREC. #2	29 089 85	14 747 18	10 384 66	-0-	36 968 55	17 253 14
ROAD & BRIDGE, OPERATING PREC. #3	31 122 18	14 747 18	25 769 31	10 000 00	30 617 67	31 021 00
ROAD & BRIDGE, OPERATING PREC. #4	32 833 68	15 464 91	25 769 31	20 000 00	22 815 17	31 252 73
SOCIAL SECURITY	5 791 88	16 563 62	-0-	-0-	16 680 12	5 675 38
COURTHOUSE CERTIFICATES OF OBLG.	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
LATERAL ROAD FUND, PREC. #1	10 927 09	-0-	-0-	-0-	10 927 09	-0-
LATERAL ROAD FUND, PREC. #2	2 919 47	-0-	-0-	-0-	2 160 00	759 47
LATERAL ROAD FUND, PREC. #3	320 79	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	320 79
LATERAL ROAD FUND, PREC. #4	11 645 68	-0-	-0-	-0-	6 076 29	5 569 39
REVENUE SHARING FUND	18 438 82	16 511 00	-0-	-0-	23 042 00	11 907 82
	381 071 44	156 591 04	413 068 47	250 000 00	354 361 03	346 369 92

On Deposit With County Depository Banks

### SECURITIES OWNED BY THE COURTHOUSE CERTIFICATES OF OBLIGATION

#### Series 1973

1 Certificate of Deposit, The Citizens State Bank, Roby, Texas No. 2765, 8% interest due 9-2-1982	26 409 83
1 Certificate of Deposit, First National Bank, Rotan, Texas No. 14394 8% interest due 9-5-1982	5 698 09
1 Certificate of Deposit, First National Bank, Rotan, Texas No. 13922 8% interest due 11-23-1982	11 160 89
1 Savings Account First National Bank, Rotan, Texas No. 010499 5.25% interest quarterly	83 30
	43 353 21

### INVESTMENTS

#### JURY

1 Certificate of Deposit No. 2863 Citizens State Bank, Roby, Texas 5-24-1982 due 8-22-1982 90 days interest 13.75%	10 000 00
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#### GENERAL FUND

1 Certificate of Deposit No. 2863 Citizens State Bank, Roby, Texas 5-24-1982 due 8-22-1982 90 days interest 13.75%	110 000 00
1 Certificate of Deposit No. 14652 First National Bank, Rotan, Texas 5-24-1982 due 8-22-1982 90 days interest 13.25%	100 000 00

#### ROAD & BRIDGE PREC. #3

1 Certificate of Deposit No. 2863 Citizens State Bank, Roby, Texas 5-24-1982 and 8-22-1982 90 days interest 13.75%	10 000 00
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#### ROAD & BRIDGE PREC. #4

1 Certificate of Deposit No. 2863 Citizens State Bank, Roby, Texas 5-24-1982 due 8-22-1982 90 days interest 13.75%	20 000 00
	250 000 00

### FISHER COUNTY PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND INVESTMENTS

25 Haskell County, Texas Water Improvement District, Waterworks Revenue and unlimited tax bonds 66-90 4 1/2% interest due, \$5,000.00 each year, 11-1-1986	25 000 00
1 U.S. Bond #268D, due 8-15-1992/87 interest 4 1/2% due 2-15 and 8-15 each year	1 000 00
11 Harris County, Texas Water Control and Improvement District No. 48 Water works Revenue unlimited tax bonds, Series 1961, Nos. 6-40 and No. 48, 5% interest due 4-1-1982-83, 4-1-1984	11 000 00
1 Certificate of Deposit, The Citizens State Bank, Roby, Texas issued 5-27-76, due 5-27-81, 5 1/2% interest #1075	1 000 00
1 Certificate of Deposit, The Citizens State Bank, Roby, Texas 1-1-79, due 1-1-82, 5 1/2% interest #1557	8 266 46
1 Certificate of Deposit Date 4-11-80, 11.75% due annually 10-11-1982, #1912	5 000 00
1 Certificate of Deposit, 5-19-80, #1943, 10 1/2% interest due 6 months for 30 months	3 000 00
1 Certificate of Deposit, 4-13-81, #2534, 13.750% interest due 6 months, 4-12-1982	10 000 00
1 Certificate of Deposit, 1-13-82, #2660, 13.75% interest due 6 months, 7-13-1982	12 000 00
1 Certificate of Deposit, 4-19-82, #2839, 13.154% interest due 6 months, 1-18-82	10 000 00
	86 266 46

### FISHER COUNTY BUILDING FUND BOND & WARRANT INDEBTEDNESS

Courthouse Certificate of Obligation	Original Issue	Redeemed Prior Years	Redeemed This Year	Outstanding 3-31-82
	357 000 00	280 000 00	40 000 00	37 000 00
Warrant Indebtedness Prec. #1 & Prec. #2	84 500 00	7 500 00	25 666 66	51 333 34

W.A. Cross  
W. A. Cross, Commissioner, Precinct #1

Billy Henderson  
Billy Henderson, Commissioner, Precinct #2

Marshall Bennett  
Marshall Bennett, County Judge

Jay Heaton  
Jay Heaton, Commissioner, Precinct #3

Jimmy Wright  
Jimmy Wright, Commissioner, Precinct #4

Beth Martin  
Beth Martin, Notary Public, Fisher County, Texas

## Services Conducted For Alva McHaney

Alva Palmer McHaney, 78, of Sweetwater, died at 7:45 p.m. Friday at West Texas Medical Center in Abilene. Services were at 2:00 p.m. Monday at First Baptist Church in Sweetwater.

Dr. Don R. Goates, pastor of First Baptist Church in Sweetwater, officiated. Burial was at Sardis Cemetery, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Born May 7, 1904 in Atlanta, Tex., she moved to Fisher County with her parents, the late Mr. & Mrs. Asher B. Martin, when she was a child. She

married Homer W. Palmer October 31, 1926, in McCaulley. He died on September 24, 1947. Then she married J.C. McHaney on January 1, 1959. He died August 15, 1962.

She has made her home in Sweetwater since 1954, and was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include three sons, Martin Palmer of Roby, George Truett Palmer of Mesquite, and Harvey Palmer of Houston; two brothers W. Carl Martin and Pelham Martin, both of Rotan; a sister, Mrs. Lurline Unnerweher of Roby; 7

grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren; and a host

### Rural Wrens Homemakers Meeting Held

On July 12, Rural Wrens Extension Homemakers club met for their meeting. Jodie Brumfield called the meeting to order and read the scripture. Minutes were read and approved. We discussed our part in the Fisher County Fair and Rodeo that will be held August 26-28.

Our program was a tasting Bee with 6 members tasting and exchanging recipes. Members present were Jodie Brumfield, Bonnie Estes, Cindy Lewis, Marsha Smith, Jan Watson, and Tempie West.

of nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by 4 brothers and one sister.

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## Weekly Activities

Thursday, July 15

FISHER COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS: 9:00-3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building.  
PRE-TEEN GIRLS AEROBIC DANCE: 4:30 p.m.  
ROBY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT: 7:00 p.m. in Fire Hall.  
ROTAN WATER AUTHORITY BOARD: 2:30 p.m. in City Hall.  
ROTAN EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS CLUB

Friday, July 16

FISHER COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS: 9:00-3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building.

Saturday, July 17

RODEO QUEEN CONTESTANTS: Practice Riding Pattern and receive horsemanship tips at Roby Rodeo Arena. 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Sunday, July 18

SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH: Is presenting Focus on the Family Film Series. The title of this week's film will be "What Wives Wish Their Husbands Knew About Women: The Lonely Housewife." Starting time is 7:00 p.m. and everyone is invited.

Monday, July 19

ROTAN SCHOOL BOARD  
ROTAN VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT: 7:30 p.m. at Fire Hall.  
MCCAULLEY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT: 8:00 p.m. at Fire Hall.  
FISHER COUNTY HOSPITAL BOARD.  
FISHER COUNTY YOUNG FARMERS: 7:30 p.m. in the Roby Agriculture Building.  
RURAL WRENS EXTENSION HOMEMAKERS CLUB.  
ROBY AEROBIC DANCE: 5:30 p.m. Call 735-3165 for location.

Tuesday, July 20

FISHER COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS: 9:00-3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building.  
PRE-TEEN GIRLS AEROBIC DANCE: 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 21

ROBY AEROBIC DANCE: 5:30 p.m. Call 735-3165 for location.

If you would like your organization's activities in this section call 735-3165.

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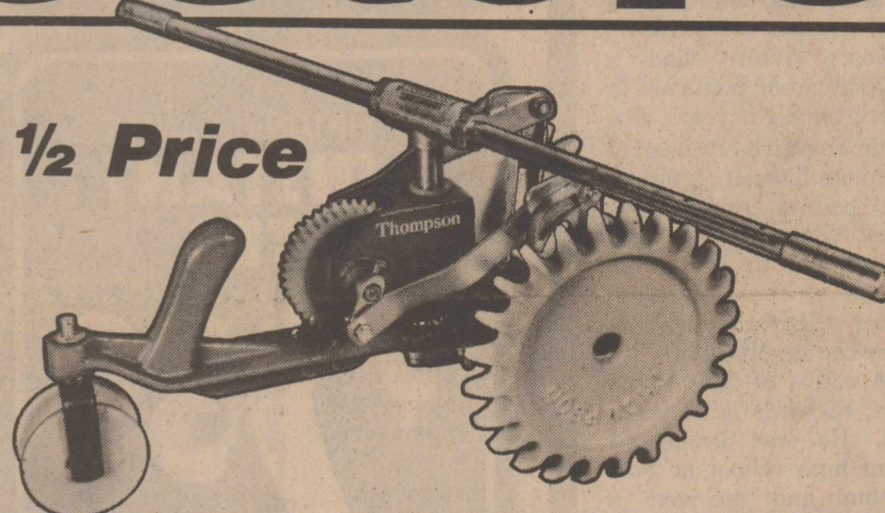
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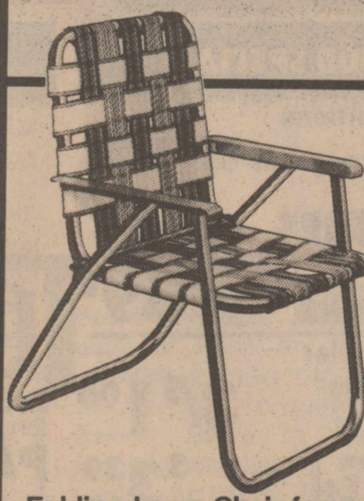
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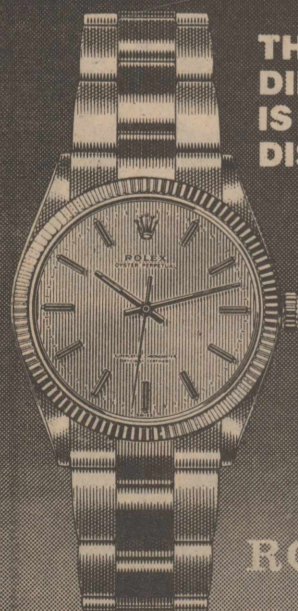


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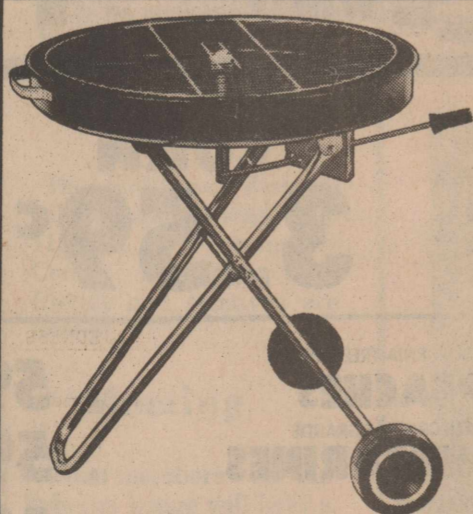
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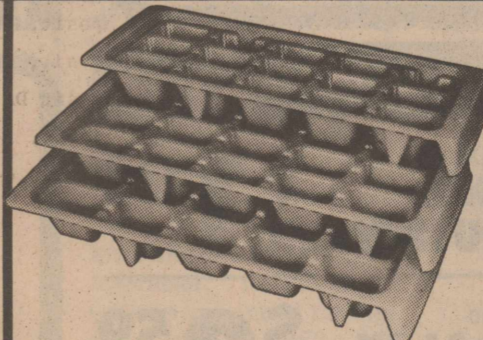


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## Mike Richards Visits In Rotan....Continued

distortion and attempted to bury the truth under a mountain of state funded press releases and politically motivated publicity stunts."

When asked about Bullock's record, Richards mentioned over \$1.6 million in outstanding judgments against the current Comptroller.

"Bob Bullock has made a mockery of our judicial system by evading these court orders. He has hidden from his creditors behind the prestige of his office. Bullock knows that the only thing separating him from bankruptcy and personal ruin is the power of that office. But, it's not his office. That office belongs to the people."

Another cause of Bullock's desperation, according to Richards, is the fact that "Bob Bullock is a liberal, and he knows that Texas is a conservative state. Bullock wants to see a corporate income tax. Texans are against that. Bullock wants to unionize state employees and Texans are against that too. But, even worse, Bullock has spent the state's money like there was a reward for being the biggest spender. Bullock's budget has increased by 468 1/2% and collections have only gone up 138 1/2%. The current Comptroller has been spending Texas into the poorhouse, while actually decreasing the effectiveness of the office."

If elected, Richards pledged to review and analyze the entire workings of the comptroller's office. "We've had a liberal career politician in there for eight years. His main objective has been to promote himself. It's time we had a conservative businessman whose main priority is to serve the people of Texas and give them a government that they can be proud of."

A native of San August time, Richards is 44 years old. He was graduated from high school at Port Arthur and received a degree in business from Abilene Christian University in 1959.

After graduation from college, he built a successful insurance business in Houston, and in 1973, he founded the financial consulting firm of Richards, White and Odem. In 1974, he became chairman of the board of Industrial Bank, and in 1977 Northwest Bank and Trust.

Senator Richards is married to the former

Kim Copeland

Bill Allen

Are Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Copeland wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Kim to Bill Allen son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Allen of Angleton, Texas. The couple plan a September 11th wedding at the chapel of the First Baptist Church in San Angelo.

Cynthia Reynolds of Brady, and they are the parents of two children, Melone, 21 a senior at Abilene Christian University, and Mike, Jr., 18, who attends Dulles High School in Houston.

The senator is a former chairman of the board of Youth for Christ and is an Elder in his church.

In 1980, Richards upset the heavily favored incumbent, Gene Jones, and was

elected to the Texas Senate.

He distinguished himself during his first term of the Texas Senate, scoring high marks for his leadership in co-sponsoring

important anti-drug and anti-crime measures. He co-sponsored SB-120 authorizing court-ordered electronic surveillance of suspected felony drug pushers and measures establishing stiff fines and

sentences for "kingpins", who profit from illegal drug traffic. His efforts were recognized when he was officially honored by the Texas War on Drugs Committee.

Richards' leadership in the Senate Education Committee helped the legislature score one of its biggest successes, a visionary education package designed to help the state meet its education needs

through the year 2000. He also serves with distinction on the Senate Administration and State Affairs committees and by his own resolution SR-795, the Lt. Governor's Select Committee on Education, an interim study committee.

In its wrap-up of the 1981 legislative session, TEXAS BUSINESS MAGAZINE said, "Richards worked quietly but effectively for his legislative

package, and many capital observers quickly tabbed him as a Republican with potential for statewide office."

Dallas Cowboy Coach Tom Landry is Richards' Honorary Campaign Chairman. Coach Landry said he decided to endorse Richards for the office because he's "interested in getting people of good moral character in public office."

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