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TWELVE PAGES

County Appraisal Board Names Ginger Green Chief Appraiser

The Fisher County Appraisal District board of directors, after being Kathy Smith to replace Billie Lou Holcomb as Chief Appraiser, made another move last Monday night that they are in hopes will squelch the problems surrounding the naming of an appraiser for

The board voted to hire temporary Chief Appraiser Ginger Green on a permanent basis at a salary of \$1,000.00 a month for the re-considered and filed to remainder of 1983. She has been an employee of the Fisher County Appraisal District for the past 2 years, was named tempor- after having numerous ary Chief Appraiser effec- people call and contact me tive January 1, 1983 and is expressing a desire to see a former Tax Assessor- me serve another term." Collector for the Mc-Caulley Independent School District.

In other action last Monday night the board zen's Center Coordinator voted to accept a contract and W. L. "Bill" Gribbins with the Sweetwater Appraisal District for computer work at a cost of .25 cents per parcel based on approximately 10,000 par-Total cost is expected to be \$2,500 to be paid in four quarterly

State Representative

Steve Carriker (D-Roby)

has filed a resolution for

action by the House of

an administrative burden

on banks, thrifts, and even

small farmer coopera-

commented Car-

Representatives which

board authorized the payment of two quarterly challenged on naming payments last Monday

The board voted to send the appraisal district employees to a school in Austin on March 14, 15, & 16 and discussed over/

Five Seeking Spots On County Hospital Board

Fisher County Hospital Board member Glenn Copeland, after previously announcing that he did not intend to seek re-election to another term, has have his name placed on the ballot. Copeland said "I did not intend to re-file, but have re-considered

Two other new announcements concerning candidates filing were made this Fisher County Senior Citiof Roby filed along with Kim Pease for two vacant Fisher County Hospital Board slots.

Another new development was the addition of County Hospital. Kirmit Terry, former

"I'm afraid that the

red-tape involved in gett-

ing money back from the

IRS will cause many small

the outpouring of citizen

sentiment against the

withholding proposal,'

Carriker said.

Fisher County Hospital Board member, to the growing list of candidates filing. Terry officially filed for the board last Tuesday afternoon.

The terms of Board

President Albert Maberry and Board Member Glenn Copeland expire this year. Board members Dave Williams, Frank Mitchell and Raford Hargrove all have an additional term remaining on their elected

The deadline for filing for one of the two open Fisher County Hospital Board slots terms is prior to March 2nd with the election set for Saturday, April 2nd. Individuals interested in filing can complete the necessary forms at the office of the Administrator, Fisher

under payments by taxing

entities. Board members accepted a letter of resignation by L. W. Knox as a member of the Fisher County Appraisal Review Board and named Roy Noles to take his place on the board. Terms of Blair Berry and Harvie Davis expire this year. Others serving on the Appraisal Review Board include Joe Dale Burk and Julius Decker. In final action the board

Two At Rotan Namedto McM Dean's List

Two students of Rotan have been named to the Dean's List at McMurry College for the Fall 1982 semester.

They are: Conrad Hamric and Angela Pack. To be eligible for the must have a grade point average (GPA) of 3.5 or better on a 4.0 scale. Students who continually make the list and maintain a certain academic standards may qualify for additional financial aid at McMurry.

authorized an advertisement to be placed in the Rotan Advance-Roby Star Record outlining the various deadlines for exemptions. It was noted that 92% of the farmers entitled to sign-up for agricultural use exemp-

Approximately 10 visitors were in attendance at the meeting that lasted until 9:50 p.m. The next regular meeting of the Fisher County Appraisal Board will be on Monday, March 14th, 1983.

tions had exercised that

Sardis Church Family Banquet

Sardis Family Banquet be at 7:00 p.m. Saturday night at The Roby Fire Hall.

Speaker for the event will be Floyd Miller of Abilene and music will be presented by Danny and Linda Murphree of Friona,

During the Sunday morning worship service, the Murphrees will present a mini-concert following the Sunday School hour when Danny will be speaking to the youth.

Race For Rotan School Board

Blackwelder, Landes Enter

A total of two individuals have authorized their names to be placed on the ballot for the Rotan Independent School District trustee election. according to Superintendent Jerry Dickson.

Board member Roger Blackwelder has filed for re-election and Larry Landes has announced his intention to seek a spot on the board.

The terms of James Carter, Blackwelder and Donnie Gruben expire in 1983. The term currently being filled-out by Bobby Smith will also be voted on

Soil, Cotton Meeting Set **For Wednesday**

A meeting on soil fertility and cotton pest management will be held Wednesday, February 23 at 7:30 p.m. at the Court House Annex in Roby according to Richard Spencer County

Dr. Dale Pennington area extension soil chemist from Lubbock will speak on cotton, wheat and sorghum fertility. The roll of phosphorous in this area will be emphasized.

Emory Boring, area entomologist from Vernon will speak on cotton pest management and the importance of the uniform planting date.

D. Leverton Named To Get Scholarship

Darrin Wayne Leverton of Rotan has been named to receive a Presidential scholarship at McMurray College for the coming year, according to Dr. Thomas Kim, McMurry

To be eligible for a Presidential scholarship at McMurry, a student must graduate in the top quarter of his high school class. A score of 21 or better on recipient for additional presidential scholarship

Mr. Leverton is a May 83 graduate of Rotan high school. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Leverton, 502 E. Lee Street, Rotan, Texas.

the unexpired term of Allan Houston.

Other board members Fowler and Wayne Harris. The deadline for filing for Rotan School Board posi- Dickson.

in April. Smith is filling tions is prior to March 2nd, 1983. Election day is April 2nd. Those desiring additional information include Leo Long, Pete concerning the filing for positions can contact Superintendent Jerry

Morgeson, Wright Re-File For Roby School Board

Roby School Board President Gayle Morgeson and Board Member June Wright have both re-filed for positions on the Roby Independent School District Board of Trustees, according to Superintendent Jimmie Laurie.

The Roby election has been set for Saturday, April 2nd. Other board members with terms remaining include: Judy Mauldin, Mike Terry, Calvin Elkins, Jerry Upshaw and Scott Feagan.

Deadline for filing for one of the two open slots is prior to March 2nd. Additional information can be obtained from the Office of Superintendent, Roby, Texas.

Commissioners Award Hay Bid, Grant Depository

The members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court met last Monday and awarded the county depository to the First National Bank of Rotan and the Citizen's State Bank of Roby for 1983 and 1984. County officials will continue to use each of the two banks 6 months out of the year for checking purposes.

In other action the commissioners approved a bond for Karen Counts, as Deputy District Clerk to work as needed in the office of District Clerk Betty Hargrove.

Annie Mae Weems of the Fisher County Senior Citizen's Center reported to commissioners that a total of 1254 meals had been served Fisher County residents during January for an average of 114 per day. A total of 430 home meals were served and a total of \$722.76 was collected from donations for those meals. Judge Marshal Bennett

informed the commissioners of a meeting of the Emergency Management team from Dyess Air Force Base. At this meeting the crisis re-location program was to be reviewed with county officials. Bennett indicated that in the near future a drill would be conducted to see the probability of Fisher County providing re-location space for 13% of the Dyess AFB personnel in the event of nuclear attack.

Commissioners opened one bid from M&C Lumber and Hardware in Rotan for \$12,500.00 to panel 11 offices in the Fisher County Court

rejected after commissioners decided to pursue a less costly avenue of paneling.

Commissioners received 6 bids on mowing and bailing hay at the Fisher County Airport. The high bid was submitted by Kyle Moore for \$480.00 a year with a option to renew for 4 years. Others bidding included: Counts-\$270.01; Ivin Martin-\$475.99; E. J. Kiker-\$301.10; Carroll Murphree \$351.00 and Fred Cross-\$455.00.

Commissioners received three bids on remodeling at the "Pink Building" in Roby. Bids were received from AM & E Enterprises (Lee Mauldin) for \$11,975.00 and Reese Welding of Rotan for \$12,769.16. Both of the above bids met advertised specifications. A third bid, not meeting specifications, was submitted by Centeral Lumber at Roby. It was submitted for \$11,885.00. After opening the bids the commissioners voted to reject all bids, re-submit specifications and accept bids again on

Opened bids on the liability insurance program for the county. Two bids were received, one from Roby Insurance Agency for \$15,765 and one from Rotan Insurance Agency for \$15,535. After considerable discussion on the program, Rotan Insurance Agency withdrew their bid. The bid was awarded to Roby Insurance Agency. however commissioners are expected to study alternative insurance The bid was plans in the future.

Hits & Misses

the project.

By The Newspaper Staff

DID YOU KNOW???

*There are only two places on earth where a moonbow can be seen. One is in South Africa, and the other is over Cumberland Falls in Kentucky. It occurs when the moon is full(four or five days a month) and when atmospheric conditions are right.

*The San Antonio Zoological Gardens and Aquarium in Texas is the only zoo in the world where whooping cranes may be seen in captivity. The cranes once dwindled to an all-time low of 15(!) but now number more than 120. The majority of them live in the migratory flock that winters at Aransas National Wildlife Refuge, also here in Texas.

*Wakulla Springs near Tallahassee, Florida, ranks among the largest, clearest, and deepest springs in the world. About 600 gallons of water per minute flow from an underground cavern, never varying from year-round temperatures of 70 to 72 degrees. The spring is so clear that a penny dropped at the surface can still be seen 185 feet below when it reaches bottom.

*The New River, which flows through North Carolina and Virginia, is believed to be the second oldest river in the world-second only to the Nile.

KNOW... Debby Wilfong, Production

I want to congratulate the Roby Girls and boys basketball teams on their winning season. Hope you go all the way to state and win!!!

Janeece Pease, Associate



1983 FFA WEEK FEBRUARY 19-26

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Future Farmers of America with vocational agriculture education is a strong force for America's agriculture; and

WHEREAS, members of the FFA are playing an outstanding role in assuring the

future progress and prosperity of our nation; and WHEREAS, the FFA motto--"Learning to do, doing to learn; earning to live, living to serve''--gives a direction of purpose to these future leaders for tomorrow's agriculture; and

WHEREAS, the FFA performs the valuable service of developing leadership, encouraging cooperation, promoting good citizenship, teaching modern agriculture information, and inspiring patriotism among its members,

THEREFORE, we, W. C. Matthies, Mayor of the City of Roby and Lester Sescil. Mayor of the City of Rotan do hereby designate the week of February 19-26, 1983 as

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savers, especially elderly would put the State of people, to forfeit money to Texas on record as the Federal Government opposing the Reagan Adthat they don't owe. ministration's proposal to Carriker's house Concurwithhold ten percent of a rent Resolution, which was saver's earnings as an filed today, will, if adopted income tax advance payby the Legislature, be sent ment. The resolution, to the Presidnet, the which Carriker authored, Vice-President, the calls on Congress to Speaker of the House, and reverse the new policy. the Texas Congressional "This withholding propo-Delegation. This resolusal is patently unfair. It is tion will "lend support to

Carriker Opposes Proposal

To Hold-Out Savers Earnings



VALENTINE SWEETHEARTS: Johnnie Trejo was named queen and Gaines Smith was named King at the annual valentine part at the Rotan Nursing Center last

Roby School Board Grants **Two Contract Extensions**

School Board met last Monday night for their

The members of the Roby and re-hired Principals George Price and Mickey Early. They accepted the regular monthly meeting resignation of Rita Ray,

Nat. Honor Schol. Soc.

Tammy Stuart Named To

Tammy Stuart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stuart was notified this week that she has been selected to be a member of the Texas Alpha Iota Chapter of Alpha Chi, the National Honor Scholarship Society at Angelo State University. Selection is limited to junior and senior students who have the highest scholastic achievements at the school. To be named a member of the National

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Legal Notice

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the Texas Legislature, the Wildlife Regulatory Act, of seasons, bag limits, sources in Fisher County. All interested persons are comment upon the pro-

concerning the public hearing may be obtained by calling our Toll Free Number 1-800-792-1112 or 512-479-4974.

school year. The board accepted the resignation of Harmon Holcomb, Roby School Tax The Fisher County 4-H Assessor Collector and clubs are currently in full

swing, participating in hired Billie Lou Holcomb for the same position. Board members named Joe Dickson, Fisher County Juvenile Officer as the Roby School Probation officer and approved the establishment of a flag

At Monday's meeting the board hired Linda Dickson as the driver education instructor beginning in May and approved George Price to take part in a Alcohol and Health Education plan with the Texas

corps for the Roby band.

high school math teacher

at the end of the 1983

Method Demonstrations, illustrated talks, range and grass judging, leathercraft and stock shows. Also

livestock judging and rifle club picking up momentum. However, program leaders for the 4-H clubs is still in first gear.

The different 4-H clubs are extending an invitation to any adult who is

loan building February 3.

present and one visitor.

Jessie Atkins was hos-

The President Jessie

Adkins presided. Oma

Long led in a quiz session.

roll. We answered with

our favorite type of

Report on council meet-

ing was given by Eda

Jessie Adkins gave us a

report on the plans, the

Jessie Adkins was nom-

inated as a delegate for the

District meeting at Ben-

jamin, Texas April 19. She

Wanda Floyd and Jessie

Moore showed some

beautiful plastic canvas

needlepoint art and in-

structed the club how to

work it. The art was

Refreshments were ser-

ved to Ardell Floyd, Dollie

Curry, Effie Murphy, Eda

enjoyed very much.

meetings and dates.

handwork.

Biggerstaff.

was elected.

Ardell Floyd called the

interested in helping with the 4-H to please come to the meetings.

Barn Talk

Asst. Fisher County Agent

By Pete Flores

What is a program leader? Program leaders are the cornerstone of the 4-H program. organize and manage 4-H clubs, conduct educational and recreational activities.

These leaders can be referred to as coaches, because young people do not develop their understanding, attitudes and skills overnight. need and want guidance and encouragement as they strive to discover their own abilities.

Volunteer 4-H leaders are the key to a successful 4-H program. They have the opportunity to help young people develop into responsible and productive individuals. Working with youth is exciting and challenging and provides personal satisfaction.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

On January 25, 1983, Texas Electric Service Company, a subsidiary of Texas Utilities Company, in accordance with procedures established in PUC Docket No. 4224, filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas a request for approval of certain payments to affiliates. Such payments will be reflected in the Company's fuel cost factor for all classes of customers during the billing quarter April through June 1983.

A public hearing concerning this request will be held at the offices of the Public Utility Commission, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Austin, Texas, March 7, 1983 at 9:00 a.m.

Payments to Texas Utilities Generating Company for which approval is requested are in accordance with the following prices:

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Extension Homemakers Commission of Alcohol-Conduct Meeting In Rotan

Notice is hereby given by the Parks and Wildlife Department that a public hearing will be held at 2 p.m. on March 22, 1983 at the County Courthouse at Roby for the purpose of gathering information concerning proposed hunting and fishing regulations for

As the result of action by Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission, under the authority of the Uniform Chapter 61, Texas Parks and Wildlife Code, is responsible for the setting means and methods for taking the wildlife reurged to attend and posed regulations.

Additional information

The Extension Home-Biggerstaff, Mary and Louada Posey, Tennie makers Club met in the Bostick, Hilda Rollins, Homestate Savings and Wanda Floyd, Oma Long, Jessie Adkins, Lois Sparks Twelve members were and one visitor Jessie Moore.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mary and Louada Posey February

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Among the many kinds of trees in existence, very few retain their foliage during the cold winter months. Only a few withstand the driving winds and storms and still maintain beautiful green branches.

The graceful scene below shows a remarkable characteristic in the pine tree. Some miraculous element within the pine enables it to display its lush greenery amid the whiteness of fallen snow.

Such are the amazing qualities of nature — the millions of wonders in God's

In order to understand more fully the God-given powers within ourselves, we must study the Holy Word and attend regularly the services of our church or synagogue. By doing this we will come to realize our potentialities and talents and will learn to live a fuller more useful life.

Sunday Genesis 1:1 2:4

Scriptures selected by The American Bible Society

45:9-19 Friday Psalms 95:1-11

Saturday Psalms' 19:1-6

Monday Genesis 2:5-25 Tuesday Psalms 104:1-35

Wednesday

Isaiah 45:1-8

Thursday

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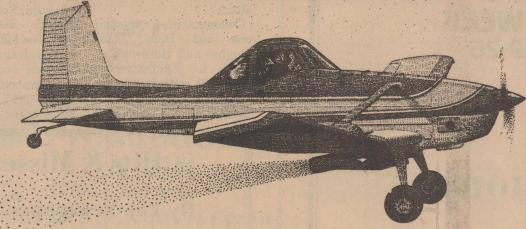
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Senior Spotlight by Teresa Cantu Name: Eddie Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Byrle Martin Birthdate: February 18, 1965

Height: 6'3" Color of Eyes: Brown Color of Hair: Brown Favorite Color: Blue Favorite Food: Bar-B-Que Chicken Favorite Music/Group/ Song: Country/Alabama/ You and I Favortie T.V. Show/

Movie: Fall Guy/Escape From New York Favorite Sport/Hobby: Fishing and Hunting/ Causing trouble Career Choice: Work at Gypmill

Person You Consider a "10": Sally Field Comment: I'm ready for the year to be over with.

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On Mondays

In Mexican

by Trina Ortiz This week's interview is from our high school secretary. Name: Nell Crawford Birthday: June 20 Hometown: Rotan Color of Hair: Grey Color of Eves: Brown Favorite Food: Mexican

High School Attended: Rotan High School Favorite Hobby: Sewing Family Portrait: Husband, Woody, 2 daughters, 1 son, and 4 grandchildren Dream Occupation: To own children's shop. Occupation: Secretary Comment: It has been a good year: busy, but fun.

Birthdays Michael Simmons on February 2, Armondo Yanez on February 4, Randy Martinez on Feb-

ruary 5, Annette Martinez at 50 miles per hour on on February 7, and Sidney Hoyle on February 9.

Quote of the Week We should all be conspend the rest of our lives 1970.

Mystery Student

by Stephanie Pack This week's mystery student is a Junior guy. He was born on January 26, 1966, in Rotan. He is 5'11" tall, has brown hair, and dark brown eyes. He enjoys tennis and fooling around. He likes the color blue, and his favorite foods are steak and hamburgers. His favorite group is Journey, which performs his favorite song:

"Don't Stop Believin". He likes to watch the Bozo Show, and believe it or not, his favorite movie is Grandpa Goes to Washington. For further clues as to the identity of this mysterious guy, here is his class schedule: English III, Typing I, World History, Math, American History, and Biology. The last mystery student was LaTonya Daniel!

Did You Know? Stephanie Pack Did you know that one of the most expensive cars ever built was the Presidential 1969 Lincoln Continental Executive for the U. S. Secret Service? It was 21 feet long and weighed 12,000 pounds. The cost was estimated at \$500,000 for the research, development, and manufacture of it. Even if all 4 tires were shot out, the car would still be able to travel

inner rubber-edged steel discs.

Did you know the longest prison sentences were those of 7,109 years? They cerned about the future were given to two tricksbecause we will have to ters in Iran on June 15,

> Your Opinion by Robin Harris Do you think our school should have more assemblies? If so, what kind?

Joe Paul Soliz-Yes, we should have more assem-I would like anything that's entertain-

Deanne Harbin: Yes, I would like to see bands and musical entertainment because it would give us the opportunity to decide if we want to do something like that or go to that school.

Russell Smith-Yes, I think we should be able to have more assemblies such as bands, musical acts, and maybe a few

Allen Coventry-Yes, I do think we should have more assemblies, like jazz bands, movies, and stage

Mystery Plate The license plate number this week is BXV-798. Last week's belonged to Mr. Hargrove.

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On Thursday, February 3, the All-District Concert Band students will be traveling to Hardin-Simmons University. After a

practice session of six

hours or more, a concert

was held that evening. Students participating in this event from Rotan include John Underhill, Tish Fowler, and Allen Coventry. Good Luck!! Hobbs School Menu

Ronald B. Green

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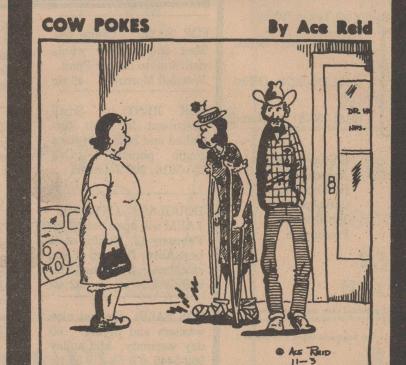
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Bryan Keith Copeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Copeland of Rt. 2, Rotan, Texas recently enlisted in the U. S. Naby's Delayed Entry Program in Dallas in the Advanced Electronics Field.

In the Advanced Electronics Field, a specialized six-year advanced electronics program, candi-

pay grade E-3 and automatically advanced to E-4 upon successful completion of the preliminary phase of basic technical school in the electronics field. Occupations in this field include Data Systems Technician; Electronics Warfare Technician; Cryptologic Technician (Main-

dates will be enlisted in tenance); Fire Control Technician or Polaris/ Poseidon electronics. Applicants must be high school graduates 17-31 years old.

Keith departs August 29 enroute to Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill., where he will attend an eight-week Basic Military Training course. Upon completion of the training course, Keith will then report to technical

training in his chosen field of Aviation Electronics. Keith is a 1982 graduate of Rotan High School, where he was active in FFA, 4-H, Band, football, basketball and track. When asked why he chose

the Navy, Keith replied, "The Navy gave me the best opportunity for the enrichment of my desires. I love ships and open

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yet to file for any of the open positions on the 8 steals. Rotan Council.

Additional information on the team were: Jana filing for Rotan Council Smith, Kellie Pease, Elisa posts can be obtained by Carrillo, Pat Martinez, contactilng Rotan City Donna Martinez, Annette Secretary Kenneth Vann.

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The Rotan varsity girls ended the season on a positive attitude last week playing "a great game" according to Head Coach Jo Damron but falling 8 points shy of a win against visiting Seymour.

Dana Nowlin was the high point individual with 15 points in the Seymour loss. Others scoring were Pat Martinez 10; Jana Smith 9: Cathy Conner 5; Kellie Pease 5; Elisa Carrillo 2 and Donna Martinez 3.

Dana Nowlin led rebounds with 10 while Kellie Pease had 8 rebounds. Pat Martinez had

Seniors graduating off

Roby, Texas

Martinez and Jerilyn Mar-

Rotan Girls Finish 11-11

"I would like to thank Coach Lepard and the boys

Rotan Boys Win Final Game **OverSeymour**

The Rotan varsity boys team ended the season on a winning note by defeating Seymour 87-73 with Scott Bryan scoring a season high 27 points for the Yellowhammers.

Two other Rotan players were in double figures for the night. Greg Gruben had 19 points and Sammy turner had 12 points.

Others scoring were Ben Bryan 7; Darrin Leverton 6; Kevin Copeland 4; Endgate Adkins 6; Charles Williams 5.

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Silver Spur Cafe

Sunday Menu

or Buttered Carrots Green Salad

Beef Brisket or German Sausage

With Kraut Creamed Potatoes English Peas

Chocolate Cake

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basketball team for the flowers presented the girls before the game against Seymour. Also, thanks to our fans for supporting us this year. Parents of these girls should be very proud of them because they work

so hard and are truly fine

young women. It's been a pleasure coaching them". said Coach Damron.

The girls ended the season with an 11-11 record including scrimmages. They lost 5 games by only four or less points.

Two Nursing Homes Will Conduct "Pet Day" Soon

TOMMY MARRICLE WELL SERVICE

WINDMINS & DOMESTIC PUMPS, MOVE, REPAIR & REPLACE

The residents of the Fisher County Nursing Home and Golden Haven Nursing Home will be taking part in a special "Pet Day" arranged through the Rotan Veterinary Hospital and Dr. Vick

The "Pet Day" has been set for 2:00 p.m., Thursday, February 24th at the

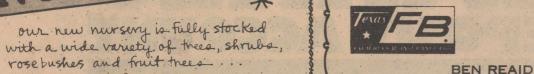
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Fisher County Nursing Home and for 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 23rd at the Golden Haven Nursing Home.

Both homes have invited various youth organizations, GA's, 4-Hers to take part in the pet day by bringing their animals to the nursing homes.

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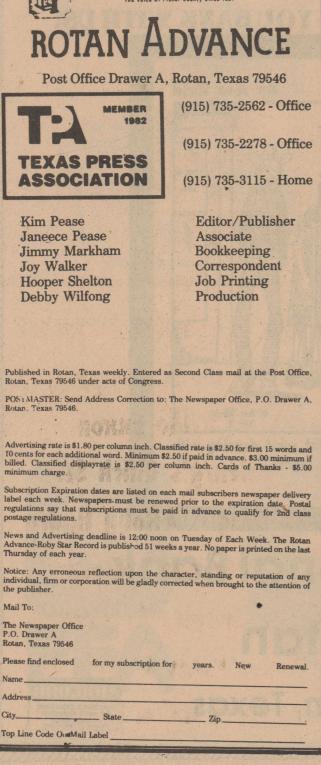




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Hustlin' Round Hobbs By Joy Walker

Well its almost like Spring and the weather has been pretty good this past week, although we have been having some strong winds, but that is only normal as its getting about time for the sandstorms; I believe I will take them over all that snow and ice any day.

Morris Hardin and Alton White from Lubbock visited

with Mrs. Bea Hdardin all day Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lealon Wilburn and Mrs. J. W. Etheredge all went to Abilene Friday night to watch the Roby girls play Novice in a practice basketball game. The Roby boys also played a practice game against Eula the same night. Good luck to both Roby teams as they prepare for the Play-offs.

Jim and I went to Jayton on Monday night to watch the 8th grade boys and girls play basketball. Donnie Carl Gruben accompanied us. Tuesday we went that long trip to Seymour and watched the Varsity girls and boys play there. We went with Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben. Thursday went to Rotan to watch the basketball games as we had a make-up game with Seymour. Thats all of the basketball for this year and now its track season; I can tell by the windy days we are already having. Melody came home for the week-end and we sure enjoyed her visit; it was the first time she had been home since Christmas. Mark was in San Antonio with his FFA boys at the Stock show; he is now teaching AG. at DeSoto, and lives in Arlington, so is sure busy. Melody is in charge of the UIL Math at her school in Saginaw, so will sure be busy for the next few weeks.

We are glad to hear that Wendle Kincaid is now out of the hospital and seems to be feeling pretty good.

Not too much news this week, as everyone was enjoying the warmer weather and have been catching up on all the things they have been putting off doing when the weather was so bad. It will soon be time to start gardening, and I know the weeds will grow as we have had quite a bit of moisture.

Hope that you had a happy Valentines Day. See you next week

Hustling

We have had another week of bad weather, but not as much snow as was predicted, thank goodness. The roads were sure bad around Snyder on Friday, although out this way, the roads were freshly graded and we didn't get much moisture, so were able to get in and out without any difficulty

Glenn Phillips and Mrs. Opal Phillips went to Whitney on Thursday, and they returned home Friday. They attended the funeral of C. A. Stewart, who is Opal's

Mrs. Marcus Medrano and Mrs. Bea Hardin went to Sweetwater last Tuesday, and then on Sunday they visited with Mrs. Polly Helms. She had surgery before Christmas and is slowly but surely improving. Mrs. J. W. Ehteredge attended a Wedding Brunch Saturday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs Doug Weathersbee. Mrs. Sam Etheredge, Mrs. James Sherrill from Sweetwater, Mrs. Debra Yearwood from Houston, Mrs. Lealon Wilburn, Mrs. Jim Wilburn and girls and Mrs. David Etheredge all attended the brunch. The rehearsal supper for Vicki Moore and Randy Etheredge and the wedding party was held Friday night at the Hobbs school cafeteria-50 guests attended. Then everyone attended the beautiful wedding at Crossroads Baptist Church on Saturday afternoon, and the weather was really nice for a change.

Teressa Ratliff went to Fort Worth Thursday morning and came back Saturday afternoon. She went with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roberts and Robin Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harris. They all showed their lambs at the Fort Worth Stock Show, and they sure had a

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kincaid have been visiting their son, Windle, who is in the Fisher County Hospital. He has really been feeling bad, and we hope that he will soon begin to feel very much better. We went to Paducah on Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben and Evette. and boy, did it snow while we were there. We visited in Paducah with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Yarborough, before going to the basketball games.



was named the 1982-83 Basketball hero at Rotan.



SWEETHEART: Pat Martinez was elected Basketball Sweetheart at Rotan



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Roby Boys VS Greenwood

Snyder Coliseum Thursday, Feb. 17 at 8:00 P.M.

Practice Game

Roby Girls VS Paint Creek

At Aspermont Friday, Feb. 18 at 7:00 P.M.

Bi-District Game

Roby Boys VS Cristoval At Highland Monday, Feb. 21 at 7:00 P.M. **Practice Game**

Roby Boys VS Rule At Abilene Cooper Thursday, Feb. 24 at 7:30 P.M. Bi-District Game

This Week's Featured Basketball Page Supporter:

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County Agent Report By Richard Spencer

Pesticide products containing the active ingredients 2,4-D (2,4-dichlorophenoxyacetic acid), 2,4-D B (4-A[2,4-dichlorophenoxy], butyric acid), 2,4-DP (2-[2,4-dichlorophenosy] propionic acid), 2,4,5-T (2,4,5-trichlorophenoxyacetic acid), MCPA (2methyl-4-chlorophenoxyacetic acid), silvex (2-[2, 4,5-trichlorophenoxy] propionic acid), dicamba (3,6-dichloro-o-anisic acid) propanil (3',4' -dichloropropionanilide) and arsenic acid (orthoarsenic acid), alone or in mixtures, when distributed in containers of a capacity larger than one quart for liquid material or two pounds for dry or solid material (if marketed using metric measures--containers larger than one diter or one kilogram, respectively) have been classified as state-limiteduse pesticides by the Texas Department of Agricultute (TDA).

Specialty fertilizer mixtures containing one or more of these active ingredients packaged in containers of 50 pounds or less that are labeled for ornamental use and registered with the Texas Feed and Fertilizer Control Service for sale and distribution in this state are exempt from the classification as statelimited-use pesticides.

containing one or more of these active ingredients requiring no further mixing or dilution before use and packaged in containers with a capacity of one gallon or less for liquid formulations or four pounds or less for dry or solid materials are also exempt from the classification as state-limited-use pesticides.

Products for home use

State-limited-use pesticides and restricted-use pesticides may only be sold to certified applicators, persons acting under the direct supervision of a certified applicator, or a licensed dealer. County producers who anticipate use of a statelimited-use or restricteduse pesticide and who do not currently hold a private applicator certificate may wish to obtain a certificate from the Texas Department of Agriculture.

A person is a "private applicator" if the person uses or supervises the use of a restricted-use or state-limited-use pesticide for the purpose of producing an agricultural commodity 1) on property owned or rented by the person or the person's employer or under the person's general control; or 2) on the property of another person if applied without compensation other than trading of personal services between

producers of agricultural Persons commodities. meeting these qualifications may obtain certification as private applicators from the Texas Department of Agriculture through completion of an approved training program conducted by the county Extension agent or through home study using materials available at the county Extension office. Dates, locations and times of private applicator training program sessions, scheduled as needed, will be announced.

Many persons holding private applicator certificates responded to a 1981 Texas Department of Agriculture request to "recertify" and in so doing received a current private applicator certificate which may be identified by a two-digit prefix--81, 82 or 83--or the certificate number (example: 81-17952). Initial issue certificates (certificate number not preceded by a two-digit number) are considered valid according to a TDA source, however, TDA encourages holders of such certificates to

submit an "application"

for renewal. A limited

supply of the TDA Appli-

cation for Private Applica-

tor Certificate Renewal is

available at the county

Richard Spencer Regulations encouraging

Extension office.

vaccination for brucellosis control have gone into effect in Texas.

The regulations apply to cattle being shipped into Texas as well as cattle being moved intrastate.

The two-area program for Texas has become Class B and Class C, effective January 12. The Class B area is comprised of 140 counties in the western half of the state, and the Class C area is composed of 114 counties in the eastern and coastal areas of Texas. These areas re previously known as the Class A control and Class B control areas, respectively.

New vaccination requirements for cattle entering either area of Texas from outside the state include: After July 1, 1983, female breeding cattle four months of age or older must have been vaccinated before entering Texas with these exceptions: a. Cattle from a certified free herd. b. Cattle being shown in fairs or exhibitions. c. Cattle from commuter herds. d. Cattle for slaughter or

quarantine feedlot. Female cattle four months of age or older born after January 1, 1983 must have been vaccinated when moving from one area to another in Texas, while those born

before that date can move within Texas without having been vaccinated.

Cattle born after January 1, 1983 changing ownership within the C area must have two negative tests at least 60 days apart unless they have been officially vaccinated. Officially vaccinated heifers of dairy breeds under 20 months and beef breeds under 24 months which have not calved and are not pregnant are exempt

Non-vaccinated female cattle entering either B or C area of Texas from a Class C state or area require two negative tests 60 days apart until July 1 of this year, after which all females will need to have been vaccinated.

The major stock show circuit begins this week with Ft. Worth followed by San Antonio, Houston, and San Angelo. Fisher County 4-H members have some good steers and lambs to exhibit at these

Take time to give thanks.

.for the beauty of today.

Our visitors this week-

Visiting Lucille Wright-

Doris Branch of Asper-

Sartar-Mary Addington of

Possum Kingdom Lake.

Visiting Beulah Moffett-

Rev. and Mrs. Babbs of

Sylvester. Visiting Cora

Roberts-Hoarace Mitchell

of Roby and Rev. Bill Fee

Visiting Josephine Martin-

J. D. and Juanita Martin

and son of Sylvester.

of Edmond, Oklahoma.

Visiting John Cox-Mrs. E.

M. Toeele of Garden City

Visiting Elvia

Girl Scouts Begin Cookie Sale On Friday The 1983 Girl Scout

Cookie Sale will begin Friday, February 18 at 4:00 p.m. Brownie, Junior, Cadette, and Senior Girl Scouts throughout the West Texas Council

will be selling the delectable variations of Girl Scout cookies until March 5. The theme for this year "COOKIE BEE IN

Seven varieties of cookies

Final Rites Held For R. C. Edwards

Richard C. Edwards, 86, of Sweetwater formerly of

Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital February 8 thru February 14 were Maria Mize of Colorada City. Patricia Acorn, Abbie Tankersley, Hortencia Yanez, Danie Gruben, Mark A. Marshall, Edna Taggart, Lurline Murff, Zora McBeth, Minnie McKinney, Robert L. Harrison, Chris Reyes, Sylvester T. Martin and Alice Dodd of Rotan. Carolina Rivera and Willie John May of Snyder. R. B. Jenkins of Asperment. David Estes of Sylvester. Emmit M. Hicks of

and Lowell Forrestt of

Thank you to the First

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Choir for their singing: To

the sixth grade that

brought valentines, Fran-

cis Morgan for the cake,

Diddle Hardy for the

beautiful flowers. The Joy

Sunday School Class for

their birthday and Valen-

Please remember our

residents and come by

and share a part of your

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McCaulley.

Fisher County Nursing Home

Snyder.

tine Party.

day with them.

Roby died at 6:50 p.m. Thursday at Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater after a long illness. Service were at 2 p.m. Saturday at First Church of God in Sweet-

Roy DeBusk, lay minister officiated. Burial was in the Palava Cemetery in Fisher County, directed by Weathersbee Funeral Home

Born March 27, 1896, in Mississippi, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dabney E. Edwards, he moved from Hobbs, N. M. to Roby in 1971. He had lived in Sweetwater the past 3 1/2 years. He was a retired employee of the New Mexico Highway Department. He was a Methodist.

Survivors include a brother, W. W. "Bill" of Clifton; and several nieces and nephews.

will be available for purchase: Caramel de-Lites. Peanut Butter Patties, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Shortbread, Thin Mints, Assorted Sandwich Cremes, and the new Nutty Chocolate Chip. The cost per box is \$2.00. Proceeds from the Cookie Sale go toward troop activities and to help maintain Council proper-

Girs Scouts are eligible to receive awards for their

Kris Ivey Gets Phone Call From Star

Kris Ivey has been chosen from among hundreds of members of the Josh Taylor fan club to receive a personal phone call from this "Days of Our Lives" soap opera star. Josh plays the role of Chris Kositchek in "Days of Our

Lives." Kris received the call on Sunday February 6, at 6:30 p.m.

newspaper clippings about Mr. Taylor told Kris that

he could possibly be in Limousin also placing 6th. Abilene in the very near future.

Quarters

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Paper

Towels

17c

With One Super Six Card

5 lb. bag \$1.19

Folgers Instant

Coffee 10 oz.

\$3.79

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Grapefruit

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Tab. Sunkist Orange &

16 Oz.

48¢

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Bara's Root Beer

hard work during the sale. By selling 3 cases of cookies, a Girl Scout will receive a "Cookie Bee in '83" patch. For 5 cases she receives the cookie patch and a Cookie Bee Wallet. First and second grade Brownies, who sell seven cases are awarded a special Brownie/Dad Weekend at Camp Boothe Oaks in Sweetwater.

Susan Martinez is in charge of the Rotan Brownie Troop 391 that will begin selling cookies. The brownies are Kristi, Martinez, Christi Parr, Jennifer Martinez, Leticia Martinez, Jody McClain, Kelli Weaver, Lychelle Monday, Elizabeth Gonzales, Sharilyn Murdoch, Misty Tankersley, Aletha Flores, and Czrens West.

Roby Boys Now 20-5

The Roby boys basketball team upped their season recokrd to 20-5 last week by defeating Eula 69-48. Robby King and Jerry

Wallace pumped in a total of 45 points between them to capture scoring honors in the Eula game. King has 22 points while team-member Jerry Wallace had 23 points. Others scoring were Terry Coker 9, Danny Carreon 2 and Chad Terry 13 points.

The Roby boys take on Greenwood in a practice session on Thursday night, February 17th at Snyder Coliseum beginning at 8:00 p.m.

County 4-H Winners

The Fisher County 4-H exhibitors took four steers To win the prize each to San Antonio Livestock club member had to send Show and placed two in puzzles, poems, and steers. Ryan Jeffrey's Lightweight Chianina placed 6th with Mike Byrd's Middleweight

Fifteen exhibitors are currently preparing for the Houston Livestock show, which will be held in March. These exhibitors will participate in the Junior Steer, Lamb and Heifer Divisions.

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Bulldozer-Leon 10 ft. Model 1020 Reg \$3185.00 Bulldozer-Waldon 8 1/2 ft. Reg \$2385.00 Sale

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excellent cond, new tires, \$29,500 '79 4640, SGbody, PStrans, 3SCV, 2683 hr. excellent Cond., \$27,500

'69 4020, Cab-Hinson, SR trans, 2 SCV good, \$7985 '79 4840, SGbody, PStrans, 3SCV, 2500+ excellent cond., \$31,500

USED TILLAGE EQUIPMENT

JD1608 chisel plow, 18ft., 16 shank folding w/cyl., 2 pr GW, \$2950

Bush Hog tandem, 21 ft., good disk, \$3000

JD Fertilizer applicator, 2 row w/shank 680 capacity, \$750

Case offset Tandem, 12 ft., new disk on front,

Noble Field cultivator w/rake, good, drag type 28

Athem 10 disk one way, \$950

USED PLANTING EQUIPMENT

DRB Grain drill 16 x 10, good cond, \$1250

PA804 planters w/beamw/press wheel, good cond, \$275 per row

USED CROP CARE EQUIPMENT

400 Rotary hoe(extended to 21'-braced) open in center, \$1350

FM cultivator, excellent, less cylinders \$1785

AT20 Cultivator, good, \$450

Rear Cultivator, 9 row, folding w/cylinder \$2135

IH 4 row cultivator, \$550

Double tool bar, 7 ft., 3 shank & GW, \$125

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\$1.49

Gladiola Flour 5 Lb All Purpose

49c

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Lettuce 39° a head

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Back in my old high school days (the late 60's), about the only thing to do was to go downtown and make the "drag". If my memory serves me right it, the drag, started at the swimming pool. you go down hospital hill until you get to the red-light, turn right (North), and go until you get to the old rock building. Turn around and head back to town, at the light, turn right and go west until the end of town and then turn back east. At the light, turn south and go to the old Drive-in (Kid's Kollege) turn back north. At the light turn east and go

After countless times around the drag you finally get the hang of it. You get so good that you timed the light so that you never have to stop. That conserves gas, you do not have to do all that stopping and starting. After a while, you are good enough to start your own variation of the drag. You go around and around the main drag or go north and south until your heart's content.

This is almost a lost art, high school students these days do not have gas money to do this for long periods of time, like we used to. I guess that they stay home and study,

Jimmy Markham, Bookkeeping

The 1982-83 Pro Football season will down in history as the season of changes. The prolonged players strike which damaged every phase of the organization. Even tho super bowl and pro bowl games had capacity crowds, many of the games resumed after the strike played to much smaller crowds, with few exceptions.

Then comes the bombshell--United States Football League formed and ready to start this spring. It remains to be seen, success of the new league. 12 months of pro football it may dull the appetite. NFL autumn and winter and USFL in spring and summer. History tells us the World Football League, American Football League and All America attempted to break NFL monopoly, with the last two being absorbed by NFL, and the WFL failing miserably.

USFL is reportedly well financed, has a group of capable coaches and players to start the season. The organization does not view itself as rival to NFL but we feel fans will consider them arch rivals.

Only time will tell if we need 12 months of Pro Football. Hooper Shelton, Printing

Can Changing your name change your life? by Antonia van der Meer. When my grandfather first met my grandmother, he introduced himself as Leo: she told him her name was Helen. When he decided to ask my grandmother to marry him, he nervously told her the truth-his real name is Albert. Although fearful of rebuke, he received a startling confession instead-her real name is Concetta. They decided they were perfect for each other anyway and got married. In fact, they just celebrated their 50th anniversary, as Leo and Helen. Although there are no accurate statistics available, it appears that changing one's name is becoming an increasingly popular trend. About 25 name-changes a week are reported in Los Angeles alone. There seems to be something particularly American about name changing. As immigrants arrived at Ellis Island in New York during the early 1900s, foreign names were often immediately abbreviated and Americanized. Today many people are switching first and /or last names simply because they've decided that the names they received at birth just don't suit them. Its silly to stick with a name you don't like, its like wearing clothes that don't look good on you, or wearing shoes that are too small. A new name can make a difference in how ed. people perceive you, but often that's because the change allows you to perceive yourself differently. Changing your name usually involves no legal complications. In the U.S. you can call yourself anything you like as long as there is no attempt at fraud. Its not necessary to have your name legally changed in court, but the procedure is suggested to avoid confusion. If you do decide to take this route, contact your county clerk for details. The procedures vary from state to state. Even if you don't legally change your name, you should inform Social Security, the motor vehicle department and board of elections of your switch.

Joy Walker, Correspondent



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Eighteen 4-Hers Making Houston Stock Show

Eighteen 4-H members from Roby and Rotan wil participating in the 1983 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, February 19-March 6. With more than 30,000 expected livestock entries, the Houston Livestock Show is once again the world's largest.

The Houston Show holds the world's record for prices paid for all grand and reserve grand champions in each of its five market divisions. With the 1982 Grand Champion Steer bringing \$127,000, it's easy to see why

Houston is the place to be. Among those participating in the Houston Stock show are Mike Byrd, Danny Carreon, Matt Floyd, Robin Harris, Ward Hayes, Ryan Jeffrey, Alan Kiker, Stephanie Long, Rodney Matthies, Todd Matthies, Dana Nowlin, David Shipp, John Shipp, Reggy Spencer, Ricky

Rotan School

Board Hires

Personnel

The members of the Rotan School Board rehired three principals and Athletic Director Robert Damron at their regular meeting last Monday night, according to Superintendent Jerry Dickson.

The board extended the contracts of principals David Hargrove, M. T. Hill and Donald Bryan through the 1983-84 school year. Damron's contract was also extended through 1983-84 as athletic director and head football coach. Board members met with Gary Graham of AHAM, Inc and voted to renegotiate the oil lease

Joe Dickson, Fisher County Probation officer was named Rotan School Attendance Officer and Ima Berry was named as the election judge with Helen Heathington named as absentee judge in the upcoming election.

contract originally execut-

F.C. Hospital **Board Will** MeetMonday

The members of the Fisher County Hospital Board are scheduled to meet for their regular monthly meeting on Monday night, February 21st at the Fisher County Hospital, according to Administrator Gary Mc-Gee.

The board is expected to review a contract proposal submitted to Dr. V. Carandang and will hear from Parker Wetsel who is expected on some cost saving measures on the heating and air condition system.

Dr. V. Simpao's last day to see patients was Thursday, February 10th, according to McGee, he has moved to the Gorman-Rising Star area to continue his practice.

Spencer, Jennifer Wright, Chris Young, and Scott

Ward Hayes and Rocky Roberts, 14 year old FFA members from Rotan, will participate in the calf scramble at the 1983 Houston Livestock Show Rodeo.

They will both scramble during the February 26th performance in the Astrodome. The contestants who manage to catch a calf, halter it and drag it across a finish line, the scrambling is only the start of a year-long educational experience.

Each winner in the calf

scramble receives a \$600 calf purchase certificate which enables the winner to purchase a purebred, registered heifer that he or she agrees to feed, fit, groom and return to the Houston Livestock Shkow for special show ring competition the following year.Each winner also agrees to keep accurate monetary records, submit monthly progress reports both to the Livestock Show and the individual sponsor, photographically chronicle the progree of the calf and prepare a 500 word essay on the project.

Inside The Lions Den By Mickey McCarty

Roby won their eleventh game in a row to run their record to 20-5. We beat Eula in a practice game 69-48. Eula was the best team we have played in the last couple of weeks. We played good in spots but were not consistent. We also looked out of shape. All the teams we have left will be better than Eula.

If we can play with Zephyr 22-2 and Greenwood 22-2 and ranked 3rd in the State and also state runner-up last year, we can play with anyone in the state. We will find out this week if we deserve to be in the play-offs.

Greenwood has been to the State Tournament the last two years in a row. Two years ago they beat us in the regional semi-finals, so we have an added incentive. Greenwood has lost only to one class A team in two years. Snook beat them in the state people I tell we're playing Greenwood, think I'm nuts. I might be but we have to play these type of teams if we plan on going very far. I actually think we have a chance to pull the upset. I do not think we will play many teams better than Zephyr and Greenwood. Zephyr will be one of the strongest teams in our region and Greenwood in the state.

Greenwood is a very big team 6'6", 6'5", 6'4", 6'2" and 5'9". The 6'2"

player was All state last year and can dunk it backwards, he also won state in tennis, and set the state record high jump at

You will get your money's worth by going to the Snyder Colesium and watching the game Thursday the 17th at 8:00.

Also there will be a good game before ours. Roscoe will play Sands at 6:30 adn our game will follow. I would like to see a big crowd, cause I know Greenwood will bring a good crowd. You will get to see one of the best teams in the state, and hopefully see us pull the

We need these tough games cause I felt like we lost some of our sharpness during district play. We got into some bad habitsfinals last year. Most now we must play good to beat these teams. Maybe we can reach our form

> Remaining tenative schedule is February 18th-Roby Girls Bi District vs Paint Creek at Asperment at 7:00. February 21st Roby boys vs Christoval at Highland at 7:00. February 24th Roby boys Bi-district vs Rule at Cooper High School at



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Gribbins Files For Roby Council

Rotan Nursing Center

W. L. "Bill" Gribins, a Roby farmer and-resident of Roby for the past year, has filed for one of two

vacancies on the Roby City Commission, according to Jimmy Price, Roby City

Crawford. Mrs. Calvin

Danial and son David of

Sweetwater visited the R.

T. Shipps and Hubert

Our deepest sympathy to

R. T. Shipp in the loss of a

sister on Sunday. Mr. and

Mrs. Charlie Smith of

Sweetwater visited Gaines

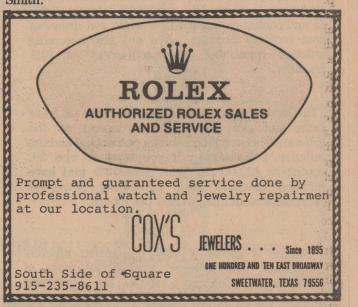
Welcome home to Susie Ahrlette and Osbay Owens from Fisher County Hospital. Happy to have them home.

Mr. Rollie Curlee celebrated a birthday this His children month. brought him a lovely birthday party on the weekend. They were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coonce and family of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Acker and family of Monahans, Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Curlee of Colorado City and Mr. and Mrs. Max Stuart of Roby. Needless to say Rollie and other residents really enjoyed the party. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Waddell of Muleshoe, Texas visited Emily Garrett. Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Bredemeyer and family of Snyder visited Romie Kersh.

Mrs. Inez Purser of Merkel visited Maud Gruben. Mary Lynn Crawford of Denton visited Mr. Bud

Gribbins moved to Roby from Roscoe about a year ago and has also filed for the Fisher County Hospital Roby Mayor Carl

Matthies and Roby City Commissioners Ed Deaton and Jack McClure have all re-filed for positions on the ballot in the upcoming Roby City election set for Saturday, April 2nd, 1983 Deadline for filing is March 2nd. interested in additional information on filing for a position can contact Jimmy Price, Roby City Manager.



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your monthly benefits. We are also assuming

The following schedule has been prepared with the assumptins that you contribute a full \$2,000 each year, that your IRA earns 12% interest to age 65 and continues to earn 12% while you draw out

inflation from now until retirement at 10% annually.

The actual purchasing power benefits at your retirement age are going to depend on the difference between the eanings percentage and the inflation percentage. If you start at age 20, contribute \$2,000 per year, earn 12% and have inflation of 10%, your purchasing power at retirement would be \$372.98 per month.

Column 4 shows a very impressive monthly retirement benefit for a total of 20 years of retirement. Column 5 shows the equivalent purchasing power if inflation remains constant at

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25	\$80,000	\$1,534,000	\$16,890	\$339.26
30	\$70,000	\$ 863,000	\$ 9,502	\$307.38
35	\$60,000	\$ 482,665	\$5,314	\$276.85
40	\$50,000	\$ 266,667	\$ 2,936	\$246.35
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With a difference of 2% between the inflation rate and the earnings rate, it isn't likely that your retirement will be very comfortable at the equivalent purchasing power of \$372.98 per month.

If inflation averaged only 8%, your equivalent purchasing power would be a more appealing amount of \$867.46. Despite the possible negative aspects that could result as shown by the above assumtions, the IRA is still a solid investment for provideing supplemental income during your retirement years.

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interested in some form of food preservation. In early March, I will be attending a two day inservice training to update my knowledge on food preser-The training includes canning, pickling, jelly, proper equipment to prevent spoilage, and testing pressure canners.

Following this training, I will be conducting a series of programs in the county on all phases of food preservation including the above mentioned, and adding freezing and drying methods to this.

This is planned to be five separate meetings emphasizing a different form of tood preservation in each class.

Keep this in mind if you are interested as dates, place, and other information will follow.

Don't forget that you can still enroll in the "Nutrition Today-Weight Control Tomorrow" mail out series to be offered through this office. The series is planned to begin March 7. We need your name and address as soon as possible in order to estimate the amount of material to be ordered for the mail out. The purpose of this mail-out is to help people analyze their eating behavior; learn how to determine overweight, normal and underweight; learn how to plan nutritionally adequate meals with low calories; and learn why people overeat and how to change eating behavior to lose weight and maintain normal

weight. If you wish to enroll in this class call me at

County Young Homemakers Mr. and Mrs. Coy Stuart Conduct February Meeting

Golden Haven Home

home.

feeling better.

The Rotan Young Homemakers met February 8, at the homemaking department at Rotan High School. Bart Strayhorn presented a program on income Tax and Household Bookkeeping. After the conclusion of his program, refreshments of brownies, cookies and cokes were served.

During the meeting, plans for a bake sale to be held in March were

of Sweetwater. Visiting

Eva Chapman-Bill and

Bessie Pillow, Golden Pety

and Ruth Spence of

Roscoe. Bertha Carlile

and Nanie Keating of

Sweetwater. Visiting Julia

Harvey-Kathryn and Leigh

Harvey of Austin. Visiting

Johnnie Mulanax-Mr. and

Mrs. Author King of

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Elida Carreon as nurses

aids. Also Roxie Mc-

Donald who will be

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other hospital staff

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me while I was in the

Also, I want to thank

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acts of kindness to me and my family during

my stay in the

hospital.

hospital.

Maxine

illness and death.

Valentine cake.

Thank you Glenda for the

Tempie West

Activity Director

week was Eva Chapman.

Odessa.

discussed. Information on the bake sale will be announced at a later date. Members present were: Cindy Fryar, Becky Burk, Jaye Neice Clements, Jan Wetsel, Cindy Posey, Barbara Tankersly, Tammy Kelley, Patti Morrow, Irma Carreon, Terri Morrow, Katherine Ragan, Marilyn Ramsey, DeeAnn Mullins, and Mary Grace

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hospital. Hope she is

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Rev. and Mrs. Richard

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Rev. Bill Fee and son of

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Linda Jo of San Angelo.

Visiting Ester Morton-Don

and Marvin Hatter and

Beverly Rister. Visiting

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Whitten-Stella Kiser,

Celebrating Anniversary The family of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Stuart invite you to celebrate with them the 50th wedding anniversary

of their parents. The reception hosted by James of Lubbock, Landon (Jug) of Carrollton; Tommie Jack of Roby, and Don of Cisco will be from 2 until 5 p.m. at the Roby

Fire Hall. Life long residents of

Fisher County, Coy Stuart married Florene Carter on February 18, 1933 in Sylvester, Texas. They are the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. D. (Jeff) Stuart and the late Mr. and Mrs. T. L. (Sell) Carter, Sr.

The couple has 13 grandchildren and 3 greatgrandchildren.

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Mr. and Mrs. Coy Stuart

CONTRACTOR School Lunches

The Rotan Lunchroom menu for February 21-25, 1983 is MONDAY pizza w/meat and cheese, buttered corn, lettuce, tomato, salad, mixed fruit. TUESDAY and milk. Ground meat casserole. pinto beans, lettuce tomato, corn bread, butter, cherry cobbler, and milk. WEDNESDAY chicken salad and pimiento sandwich, tater tots, cole slaw, carrots, frosted cake, and

Roby School Spring Break Date Changed

The Roby Independent School spring break has been changed from March 14-18 to March 28 - April milk. THURSDAY chicken patties w/gravey, chipped potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, butter, apple sauce, cookies, and milk. FRIDAY hamburger w/ cheese, lettuce, tomato, pickles and onions, pork and beans, french fries w/catsup, chocolate pud-

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We are planning a family and friend night on February 28 at 7 p.m. Everyone put it on your calendar and plan to attend. We ask that each one bring either a vegetable, salad or dessert. We hope to have a country western band to entertain.

Also we are planning our Rock and Roll Jamboree for March 4th. Residents will rock and roll for donations for the American Heart Association. We will try to contact each one. If you would like a certain resident to rock or roll please call 735-2233 Nelda Cox of Midland and

Mr. and Mrs. James Welch of Sweetwater visited Gaines Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gaines Shipp of Roswell, New Mexico, Mrs Calvin Danial and son David visited the R. T. Shipps and Hubert Danial. Visiting Fay McClure was Mrs. H. T. Neves of Roby. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hallmark of Gorman and Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Sharp of Roby visited Pearl Sharp. Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Floyd of Snyder and Mrs. Rita Warren and girls of Hamlin visited Romie Kersh.

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Appraisal District of Fisher County.

PUBLIC NOTICE

EXEMPTIONS

Persons whose property lies with the Appraisal

district of Fisher County and who are due an

exemption for property taxes and did not sign an

application in 1982 must submit an application for

such exemption by April 30 of this year to the

Disabled Veterans must file an exemption each

In order for the application to be valid, all

AGRICULTURAL VALUES

Appraisal District of Fisher County office.

information required must be furnished.

Persons who signed for valuation of their property undert the open space application in 1982 do not need to sign up again. Any person who has purchased land from another person in 1982 must file an appication as the new owner for 1983.

RENDITIONS

All persons whose property lies in the Apraisal District of Fisher County whether it be real property or personal property shall render such property for taxation between Jan. 1 and April of this year.

Renditions and applications must be made on forms provided by the Appraisal District of Fisher County office. Rendition forms are available in the Appraisal District of Fisher County office which is located at the Fisher County Courthouse, Rooms 113, 114, 115, Roby, Texas.

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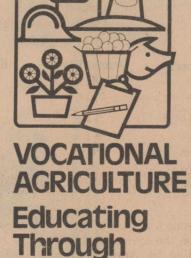












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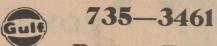
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The VA III class is Charles Adkins, Ben Bryan, Chris Duhadaway, Lance Greenway, Greg Gruben, Sidney Hoyle, and Jackie Ragan.

The General Ag Mechanics Pre Lab is Scott Bryan, kevin Copeland, Rodney C. Denton, Alan Kiker, Toby Moore, Larry Ramirez, Russell Smith, Darren Stevens and Dennis Warren.

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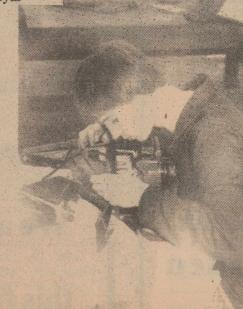


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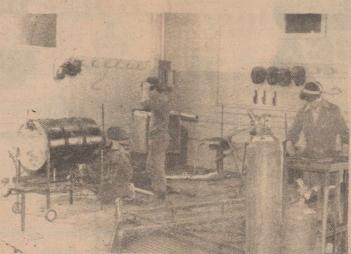
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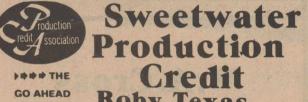
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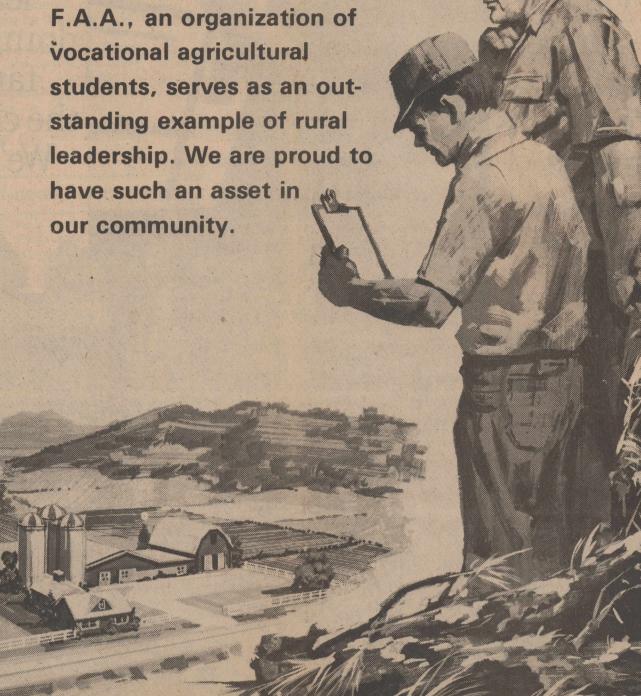
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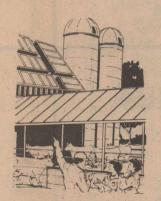
















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