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FIRST PLACE TROPHY: Fisher County 4-H Junior Livestock Judging team placed first at the District meet and will advance next month. L to R: Stephen Henington, Matt Floyd, Reggy Spencer, Joey Teague and Kenlee Dennis.

# Hospital Board Establishes \$100,000 Account For Building Fund, Occupancy Up

The members of the Fisher County Hospital District board of directors took a major step toward future expansion of the Fisher County Hospital last Monday night by voting to establish a "building fund" and transferring \$100,000.00 to the ac-

The hospital did experience a shortage of beds on three occasions during the peak periods in the past 6 months, according to a report to the board by Administrator Gary Mc-Gee.

Kirmit Terry, hospital board member, suggested that some excess funds currently on deposit in the two Fisher County banks, be placed on time deposit and "earmarked" for the building fund.

McGee was instructed by the board to contact both the First National Bank of Rotan and Citizen's State Bank of Roby as well as Homestate Savings to obtain interest quotes on depositing the \$100,000.

The Fisher County Hospital currently has \$380,000 L Citizen's State Bank.

It will be a portion of these funds (total \$477,000) that will be transferred to time deposits and earmarked for the building fund.

Board members reviewed bids to enclose the nurses station with a glass partition at Monday's meeting. Two bids were submitted. Board members voted to award a \$1,800.00 bid, submitted by Wadleigh Construction Company in Snyder for the enclosure

According to McGee, the nurses station will be enclosed in glass from one approximately 12 inches doors on either side of the station will be built with a sliding glass window in the center of the station constructed in order to com- ed all board officers. muicate with nurses.

# Rotan Spring Banquet Set For Tuesday, April 24th

Rotan High School students having participated in various University Interscholastic League activities will be honored at the first Spring Banquet scheduled to be held on Tuesday, April 24th beginning at 7:30 p.m. at the Rotan High School cafeteria.

The banquet will honor students in all sports as well as UIL and other school activites.

The spring banquet will open with a barbecue dinon deposit at the first ner catered by Woody National Bank of Rotan Crawford at a cost of and \$97,000 on deposit at \$5.00. Tickets may be purchased in the Hgh School Principals office. A total of 79 high school participants have signedup to attend and numerous adults have purchased tickets. The public is urged to attend and honor those students who have given that extra effort and made our school and community a better place to

Due to a limited seating capacity, adults desiring to attend the banquet are ce. encouraged to purchase tickets as soon as possible in order to assure themselves of seating.

Engineering proposal concerning energy conservation but did request Gary McGee to request that inch above the counter to Norvelle Kennedy, Jr., meet with the board in from the ceiling. Two half May to present a formal proposal on energy management from the company he is representing.

Board members re-elect-Glenn Copeland was re-Board members voted to elected Board President; table action on the Burr Frank Mithcell was renamed Vice President and Raford Hargrove was reappointed board secretary. Board members voted to

accept recommending the sale of tax property involving the old theatre building in Roby and a private residence in Roby to the Roby Independent School

Administrator Gary Mcgee reported 1984 occupancy at 72.94 which represents an increase over March 1983 which figured

The hospital showed a \$41,963 gain from operations, after depreciation, for the month of March



STATE BOUND: The above members of the Fisher County Senior Livestock team placed second in 4 H competition and will advance to state next month. L to R: Ricky Spencer, Gary Teague and Greg Gruben.

Randy Marble, Youth

# Easter Sunrise Service Set By Alliance

terial Alliance spokesman.

The members of the Rotan Ministerial Alliance will be sponsoring an "Easter Sunrise" service beginning at 7:00 a.m., at the Sardis Baptist Church, according to Rev. Fred Brown, President of the Rotan Ministerial Allian-

The morning message

Absentee voting for the

upcoming May 5th Fisher

County Democratic prim-

ary election officially open-

ed last Monday and accor-

ding to Fisher County

Clerk and Absentee Elec-

tion Judge Bettie Rivers

"a total of 39 ballots were

mailed out to prospective

voters and two cast ballots

Absentee voting contin-

ues through 5:00 p.m.

over the counter."

will be presented by Rev. Paul Cheatham, pastor of the Sardis Baptist Church. Special music and congregational song will be conducted. Refreshments will be served after the ser-

The sunrise service will be conducted outside, weather permitting, ac-

Absentee voting may be

done in two manners, (1)

voting in person at the

office of the Fisher County

Clerk (2) requesting a mail

absentee voting ballot. If

mail ballots are requested,

the person requesting the

ballot must be 65 years or

older to return the ballot

with a Fisher County post-

mark or if under 65 must

postmark ballot returning

to the clerk with an out-of-

county postmark.

# Absentee Voting Opens, Registration of Rotan

Kindergarten students for 1984-85 school year will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 P.M. Friday, May 4, 1984 in the Primary Library.

Boys and girls who will be 5 years old on or before September 1, 1984 will be eligible for enrollment.

Parents should bring an official (not hospital) birth

certificate and immunization records for their child at the time of registration. Copies of official birth certificate can be attained

There will be no classes for the students presently

### Three Directors Registration Set For Elected To DPR Rotan Kindergarten

from the county courthouse where the child was

> in Kindergarten on this date (May 4, 1984.)

# **Appraisal Board Appoints Review Board Members**

cording to a Rotan Minis- Easter Sunrise Service.

Each pastor who is a and Music Director of the

member of the Alliance, First Baptist Church in

will have a part in the Rotan, will be leading the

The Fisher County Appraisal District Board of Directors, at their April 10th meeting, recently appointed the following citizens to serve on the Appraisal Review Board: Joe Dale Burk, Roy Noles, and L.B. Berry will serve two year terms and Harvie Davis and John Edd Reed

beginning April 24, 1984. Dick Edwards will serve as an alternate for a two year

period. The new Appraisal Review Board will meet for an organizational meeting ir the Fisher County Courthouse Hospitality Room, Tuesday, April 24,

# **Water Board** The membership of the

A special offering will be

takne to aid the Rotan

Ministerial Alliance in

their work.

DPR Water Supply Corporation conducted their annual meeting last Saturday at the Rotan Community Center with approximately 50 people in attendance. Three new directors were

elected for terms on the board from a slate of five candidates. Those elected were: Dub Rushing (reelected): James Branch and William Cleveland, Jr. Board members going off the board included: Bret

Holdover directors included: Walt Cave, L.W. Sparks, I.T. McArthur, and W.J. (Tuner) Coff-

Clements and Bill Cade.

The board of directors will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 24th at 7:00 p.m. to reorganize the board and elect new officers.

# will serve one year terms Two From Roby

# **FHA Meeting**

Attend State

Representataives of the Roby Future Homemakers of America Chapter attended the 1984 State Meeting, along with the 7,000 members and advisors from Texas. "FHA/ HERO: A Step into the Future" was the theme of the 1984 meeting, which was held in the San Antonio Convention Center in San Antonio on April 12-

Attending from Roby were Penny Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Price, and Patricia Parks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Parks. Also attending was Mrs. Kenneth Martin, the Roby FHA sponsor.



ATTENDS STATE MEETING: Two members of the Roby FHA attended the State meeting in San Antonio recently. L to R: Penny Price and Patricia Parks.

# Little League Registration

Continues Through May 1

Little League registration and try-outs will be conducted on Saturday, April 21st beginning at 2:00 p.m. at the community room-Homestate Savings Assoication, according to Don Hull, Little League

Registration will be conducted from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m.

Registration fees will be \$10.00 for the first child and \$8.00 for additional children participating in the Little League program.

Tryouts will be conducted at the Little League Field beginning at 4:00 p.m., Saturday, April 21st, according to Hull.

A work day schedule has been established in order

to prepare the Little League field for play. Work days have been set for Saturday morning, beginning at 9:00 a.m., starting

on Saturday, April 14, again on Saturday, April 21 and ending on Saturday, April 28th. All parents and interested individuals are asked to meet at the field at 9:00 a.m. with rakes, hoes, shovels and equipment to get the playing field in shape.

The first Little League game of the 1984 season will be on Monday, May 14th. Farm teams and T-ball teams begin play on Tuesday, May 29th.

Children ages 6 through 12 residing in the Rotan, Roby and Hobbs school districts and residing in Fisher County are elegible to play in the Little League programs.

Additional information can be secured by contacting Donald Hull, Rotan Little League President at

gave Roby parents a tour of Roby's new gymnasium and band hall last Monday, L to R: Jimmie Laurie, Judye Mauldin, Jane Branson and Judy Streety.

NEW GYMNASIUM OPENING: Roby School Superintendent Jimmie Laurie (Left)

ADVANCE TO STATE U.I.L.: The above three Rotan High School students will be taking part in the State UIL competiton at the end of April. Advancing L to R: The Debate Team of Tony Gruben and Robin Harris and Teresa Cantu in Number Sense.

# First Baptist Chruch, Rotan Sets Revival, Rev. Travis Hart, Speaker

April 20-May 2 marks the time of Spring Revival at First Baptist Church. The members of the church are praying for God to send a true spiritual awakening. The whole community is invited to join in this prayer and to participate

### Roby Ag. Mech. **Team Qualifies** For State

The Roby Ag. Mech. team qualified for state at the Texas Tech FFA Judging Contest Saturday, the 14th. This team placed 1st in District. 2nd in Area II. and 8th overall out of 25 teams.

Team members are John Etheredge, Todd Coker, Bubba Doty, and Chad John was the over all High Individual in the contest and was awarded a Texas Tech Judging Cap and Ribbon for his outstanding accomplish-

The contest lasted for 41/2 hours and consisted of a written quiz, problem solving and skills in small engines; electrical wiring, hot and cold metals, and arc welding. In addition, the team members prepare for electrical processing and tractor power which are part of the contest but were not included in the Tech contest.

The Ag. Mech. team will travel to Texas A&M for state competition on April 28th. The team has prepared hard to achieve this goal and should do well in the state competition.

### Fund For Pony League Set Up At Rotan Bank

Officers of the Rotan Pony League are asking interested Rotan residents and merchants desiring to donate funds for the purchase of equipment for the new team to make such donations to the First National Bank (Pony League), Rotan, Texas, according to Manuel Yanez, Pony League President.

The Rotan Pony League team has joined a league in Anson with three Anson teams, one team from Hawley and one from Hamlin.

Funds donated will be used for the purchase of equipment and uniforms.

Elect

in these revival services. There will be a men's

prayer breakfast on Sunday the 29th at 7:00 A.M. in the Fellowship Hall of the church. Then during Sunday School is "MPO DAY" when every member is encouraged to be present and bring someone with them--MPO, ME PLUS ONE. Sunday's services will be at the regular scheduled times.

The week day services will be at 12:00 noon with a nary with his Master of

meal served. The services will end in time for everyone to be back to work by 1:00. The evening services will begin at 7:30 each night with the choir meeting at 7:00.

Divinity degree, and the

Graduate Seminary of Phi-

llips University with his

Doctor of Ministry degree.

He has pastored at Olton

since 1978. He serves in

several associational capa-

cities and has had numer-

ous articles published in

denominational periodi-

cals. Dr. Hart will do a

great job sharing God's

Bob Griffin, Minister of

Music at Elmcrest Baptist

in Abilene, will lead the

music for the revival. Bob

is an experienced music

man and has worked in

camps and churches in the

area. He comes with a

great talent for magnifying

First Baptist Church in-

vites you to join us in

making II Chronicles 7:14

"if my people, who are

called by my name, will

humble themselves and

pray and seek my face and

turn from their wicked

ways, then will I hear from

heaven and will forgive

their sin and will heal the

land." (NIV)

Christ through music.

become a reality:

Word.

Travis Hart, pastor of First Baptist Church Olton, Texas, will be the preacher for the week. Dr. Hart graduated from Wayland Baptist with his BA degree, Southwestern Baptist Theological Semi-

Golden Haven **Nursing Home** 

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Carl Hitt is in the hospital. We wish him a speedy recovery and hope he is back with us soon. We are happy to have

from the hospital. We want to thank the Guy Johnson family for the

Myrtle Woodson back

beautiful Easter Lilies. Visiting Ruth Webb was Jill and Rick Craig of Hamlin. Visiting Ezell Whitten was Mrs. R.S. Hulsey of McCaulley. Visiting Elizabeth Hale was Joe and Vera Jennings of Throckmorton. Visiting Eva Chapman was Raymond and Nanie Keating of Sweetwater. Visiting Johnnie Mulanax was Gail Lobdell of Sweetwater. Visiting Letha Meek was Judy Justiss and Misty Peoples. Visiting Carra Perkins was Inez Purser of Merkel. Reta Fee of Sylvester visited with residents. Visiting Mayme McCanlies was Rick and Kathy Rickman and children of Brady.

## **Roby Sets** Kindergarten Registration

Our bingo winners this

All pupils living in Roby School District born on or before Sept. 1, 1979 are eligible to attend the Roby Kindergarten program which will start in August

It will be necessary for you to furnish the school with a copy of the birth certificate or a certificate of baptism and a record of the required shots. Pre-registration will be April 24-27 from 2:45-3:30 in the kindergarten room.

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## Card of Thanks

I would like to say thanks with sincere appreciation for all the nice things done for me while in hospital with broken leg and after returning to Rotan. Special thanks to Dr. Maurice Callan and his nurses. The beautiful cards, letters, phone calls, gifts, food and especially for the prayers and the visits from my friends while in hospi-

Thanks again to everyone. Every little thing was really appreciated.



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hroughout our earthly history, The Easter message, you'll agree, Has given to humanity A lesson in humility, And joy evolved from tragedy. Upon that day of infamy When Christ, for all the world to see, Was crucified on Calvary, And then, with magnanimity, For their forgiveness made his plea; Thus Jesus died to set us free From sin and all iniquity. So let His resurrection be

# Worship This Week At A **Fisher** County Church

Worship 11:00

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Sunday Evening-Church Training 5:00 Worship 6:00 Wed. night 7:00 Rev. Paul Cheatham-Pastor

Sunday School-9:45

CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH 735-2178 Rotan, Texas Worship 11:00 Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening-Training Union 6:00 Worship 7:00 P.M. Wed. Night-7:00

Rev. Mike O'Neill-Pastor

LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. James Carrington-Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 AM Worship 11:00 Wednesday Night 7:00 PM Sunday Evening 6:00 Worship 7:00 p.m. 776-2159 Roby, Texas Rev. Jim Ritter-Pastor

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship Service 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Bible Study Worship Wed. Night 6:30 **Prayer Meeting Bubba Stahl-Pastor** 735-3464

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 5:30 Wed. Night 7:30 735-2478 **Art Flores-Pastor** 

SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 P.M. 993-4479 Bill Fee Pastor

HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 776-2593 L.D. (Dutch) Parks Pastor

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Wed. (second wed. in each month family night 7:00 695-1350-Abilene Barbara K. Gammeter-Pastor

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— Church Of Christ-

**CHURCH OF CHRIST-Rotan** Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Morn. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 Wed. Evening 7:30 Bible Study Mike Dennis-Minister

**CHURCH OF CHRIST-ROBY** Sunday School 10:00 Worship 10:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 P.M. Wed. Night 7:00 P.M. Nov.-April 8:00 May-Oct Wardell Halliburton-Minister 776-2496

-Nazarene

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Sunday School 9:45 Worship Service 11:00 Wed. Night Worship 7:30 Pastor-Joe Norton

Foursquare -

FOURSQUARE CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 735-2553

Nondenominational

MARANATHA CHURCH Sunday Sunday 9:45 Roby, Texas Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 5:00 Worship 6:00 Bible Study

Wed. Night 7:30 Bill Dickson Pastor

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## **Rotan Nursing Center**

The weather has been both pretty and windy this week. Don't mind the wind so much if the sand wouldn't come with it. We get out and walk when the weather is where we can. When we can't get outside we play games or do some other activitiy. We are boiling our eggs so we can start coloring them for our egg hunt.

Visiting in the home this week were Mr. and Mrs. James Huckaby from Big Spring visiting Clarence Huckaby. Dorris Lane and Gwynn Nelson, both of Abilene visited Frank Faulkner. Odell and Oberia Crawford of Odessa visited B.B. Crawford and others in the home. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Singley of Dallas visited Minnie Zimmer-

## Students May Apply For Scholorships

High school seniors who will graduate in the top 10 per cent of their class are invited to apply for a Cunningham Academic Scholarship at Western Texas College, Jimmy Parker, WTC Financial Aid Director, has announced.

Students who are members of the National Honor Society but not ranked in the top 10 per cent may apply for a Nancy Caton Scholarship.

The Cunningham scholarships provide \$200 per year and the Caton scholarships provide \$150 per

Students wishing information about these and various other scholarships available at WTC are invited to contact Parker's office in the WTC Administration Building. The office is open each weekday during regular office hours and can be reached by telephone at 915-573-8511, extension 309.

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man. Martha Todd visited with Annabell Hudnall. Murine Mitchell's son, Tom Hyer was here visiting with her this week. Mr. and Mrs. Adams went out to a birthday dinner Sunday. Their great granddaughter was 3 years old. The residents

would like to thank Annie Weems for the bananas. They really enjoyed them. Once again, we want to invite the community to come out, bring a covered dish and enjoy lunch with us here at the nursing

home, this Wednesday the 18th.

We also want to remind everyone that this Sunday is Easter and everyone would certainly enjoy visitors on this special day. We want to extend our wishes for a Happy Easter to family and friends.

Russell Ahrlett would like to plant some grape vines, if anyone might have some starts we would appreciate them. Our roses are coming along nicely in spite of the wind.

Lora Cleveland

## Kim Hunt And Melodie Way Advance To State

Roby High School students competed at the Regional UIL Academic and Literary Meet held this past week at McMurry College.

Kim Hunt placed 2nd in Editorial Writing, Melodie Way placed 3rd in Prose and 4th in Feature Writing. Both Junior girls will compete at the State level at the University of Texas in Austin on April 26 and

The One-Act Play also competed at Regional last Wednesday, but did not

advance to State. Three students received honors: Wright received Honorable Mention and Melodie Way was named to the All Star Cast.

Kim is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hunt of Roby, Melodie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Templeton of Hobbs, Greg is the son of Charlotte Rainey of Snyder, and Jennifer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright of Roby.



Kim Hunt & Melodie Way

ERST UNDERD METHODIST CHURCH-ROTAN

Well, still no rain, and we are really getting dry out this way. We did get some cloudy weather several days the past week, but the wind blew every day, and all the clouds blew away. Maybe this week will be the one we will get a good soaking rain. That would sure be nice, although I am expecting a cool spell next week-end as it is Easter.

Mrs. Bea Hardin attended a Wedding Shower on Saturday in the home of Mary Daniel in Rotan. It was held for Bea's grandson, Wes Hardin and his new wife, who is the former Twyla McCright. They were married in March, so congratulations to them.

Lealon Wilburn has been Greg Moesch and Jennifer in the Rolling Plains hospital at Sweetwater; he was there from Tuesday until Friday and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and the remainder of the family have been visiting with him during the time he spent in the hospital. We hope to hear that he will soon begin to feel very much better.

Jim and I went to Abilene for the day on Tuesday. Thursday I went to Lubbock to watch the Regional One Act Plays; Rotan was picked as Alternate behind Spur and Seagraves.

There were 6 plays in all, some of them real good and some pretty weird. I drove to Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gruben and we attended the big Ginners Convention at the Civic Center before going on to Texas Tech. where the plays were held. I came back late that night with Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben. Saturday Jim and I attended the 1984 West Texas Barrel Racing Futurity which was held in Abilene this year at the new Taylor County Expo

# Hustling Around Hobbs By Joy Walker

special competition for 5

year old horses, and 70

riders in the Open Barrels

competition, so we saw

Center on the West Texas Fairgrounds. We saw some real good barrel racing with some of the top barrel racers from all

### **Roby Students** Will Compete At WTC

Students from Roby High School will be competing in a Social Science Contest at Western Texas College on Thursday (April 19), Dr. Franklin Pruitt, contest director, said.

Participants will register from 9-10 a.m. in the Student Center and will be taken on guided tours of the campus from 10-10:45. Competition will get underway at 11 a.m., with individual contests in U.S. History, U.S. Government, Texas History and Government, and Current

Following lunch in the college cafeteria, awards will be presented at 1:30 p.m. in the Fine Arts Theatre. Medals will be awarded the top three students in each contest area and will accumulate points for their schools. The school with the most points in each division will receive a plaque.

In addition, the senior with the highest score in each contest area will receive a scholarship to WTC.

High schools planning to attend include Snyder, Sweetwater, Abilene High, Clyde, Seagraves, Roby, Hermleigh, and Coahoma.

### Cottonwood Work Day

The Cottonwood Flat Cemetery will have a cleaning day, Thursday, April 19th.

plenty of good runs and around the state, and we got to visit with lots of old knew quite a lot of the girls friends some of whom we who were competing. hadn't seen in a long while. There were 100 barrel racers in the Futurity, 49 in the Derby, Elect which is barrel racing in a

Well, no one has been anywhere this week, and

there hasn't been too much visiting done, so its short. Have a very happy Easter, and we'll see you next Thursday.

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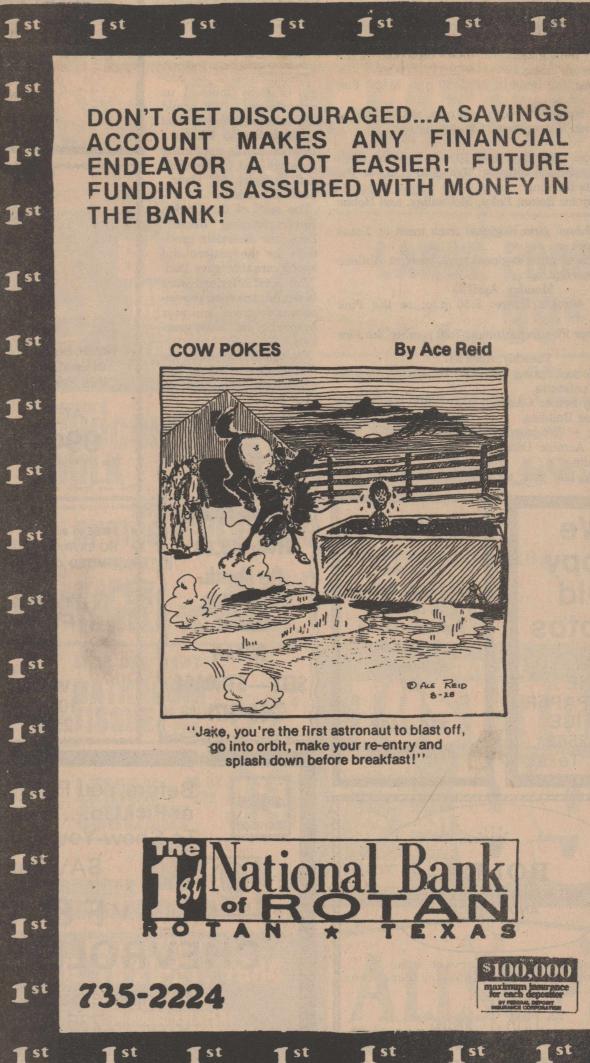
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**TEDDY KRAL** May 5th

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ach of us can recall some incident in which a specific prayer was not answered, with a vivid memory of the bitter disappointment we experienced at the time. Indeed, in some cases the resentment may have aroused serious doubts about the validity of faith in the Almighty. Nevertheless, the fault lies in praying for the wrong things, such as unwarranted material benefits or for some advantage to be gained at the cost of another's downfall. The right kind of prayers will always be answered, because they ask only for wisdom, guidance and the strength to accept whatever comes along; which, as you will learn at the Church of your choice, will bring you a state of contentment and serenity that you can achieve in no other way.

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# Tax Planning James Rodgers,



PARTNERSHIPS-WATCH OUT

Joint ownership of business ventures can cause many problems. It makes little difference whether the business is large or small.

If you met someone on Friday night and got married the following Monday, you would probably be considered hasty and unwise. Yet in business it happens all the time. We have no cultural requirement for a business The shortcomings to hasty business marriages are endless.

Don't form a partnership unless you have a good reason to do so. If you don't need the technical expertise or financial backing of another individual, don't take him on

All joint ventures, whether they be partnerships or closely held corporations, are going to terminate. It's possible, but rare, that they terminate because one of the partners dies of old age. More commonly, the termination is due to business failure, disability of one of the partners, disagreement of the partners or disagreement of the spouses.

What happens to your joint venture assets if you become totally disabled? What if your partner dies? Will his spouse become your partner? What happens if one partner simply wants out? What if all this happens just months or weeks after the joint venture is formed? What if it happens after the business is worth mega-bucks?

Engage the services of an accountant and an attorney to help draft a complete partnership agreement. Entering a partnership is not the time to try to save money on professional fees. All of the unpleasant contingencies should be covered in the partnership agreement so that the inevitable termination is provided for. This partnership agreement will not substitute for a courtship, but it will help eliminate some of the problems inherent in joint ventures.

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## **Fisher County Weekly Activities**

Thursday, April 19

Rotan High School boys track: District meet at Hamlin at

Fisher County Senior Citizens: 9:00 - 3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building

Roby Volunteer Fire Department: 7:30 p.m. at the Fire

Rotan Water Authority Board: 2:30 p.m. at City Hall Rotan Extension Homemakers Club

Friday, April 20

Fisher County Senior Citizens: 9:00-3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building School Holiday for Rotan, Roby, McCaulley, and Hobbs

Rotan High School girls Regional track meet at Texas

Tech in Lubbock Roby High School girls Regional track meet at Abilene

Christian University. Monday, April 23

Roby Ladies Aerobic Dance: 5:30 p.m. in the Pink

Rotan Volunteer Fire Department; 7:30 p.m. in the Fire Hall.

Tuesday, April 24 Rotan High School Spring Activities Banquet: 7:00 p.m.

in the school cafeteria. Fisher County Senior Citizens: 9:00 - 3:00 p.m. in the

Senior Citizens Building

Wednesday, April 25 Roby Ladies Aerobic Dance: 5:30 p.m. in the Senior

Citizens Building. If you would like your activities in this section, call

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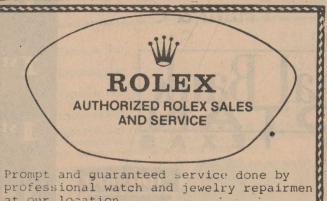
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## Roby Jr. High Honor Roll

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4th Grade Jennifer Kincaid Jennifer Elkins Stephanee Frierson **Audra Lewis** 

5th Grade Jeremy Terry Suzanne Maxwell Shana Feagan Bryan Mauldin

6th Grade Jennifer Pullig Gilbert Carreon Tina McClure

7th Grade Carter Edmondson Patricia Gonzalez Teresa McClure Rose Ann Miers Rick Onofre **Maxine Perales Belinda Ramirez** Melanie Ray Larry Van Liew

8th Grade Paulina Rodriquez Reggy Spencer Shalon Thompson Jill Branson John Everett Greg Meek Kathy Hunt James Gantt Shad Rasco

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young people do it for you. Just call the church office at 735-3471 and let us know what work you have. Then on Saturday we will send out a team of young people to do the work. You then pay the youth what you feel the job was worth. All of the money will go to finance the youth's trip to Glorieta this June. If you have any questions call First Baptist Church and talk to Randy Marble or Mildred Mc-Queen. Thank you for

## Four Rotan Students On Honor Roll

helping our young people.

Four Rotan students have been named to the Winter Quarter honor rolls at Texas State Technical Institute in Sweetwater, according to Dr. Herbert C. Robbins, Campus Presi-

A minimum of 12 hours must be taken before a student is eligible for the honor roll. Students maintaining a 4.0 grade point average in all classes qua lify for the President's Honor Roll. A 3.5 or higher grade point average qualifies the student for the Vice-president's Honor Roll.

Listed on the President's Honor Roll were David W. Smith, a student in the Air-conditioning and Re7 frigeration Technology program; Pamela Shirley, in the Computer Science Technology program; and Gwelda Neeper and Betty L. Simmons, in the Vocational Nursing program.

## State Representative Steve Carriker Attends Subcommittee Meeting

State Representatiave Tech University in Lub-Steve Carriker, D-Roby, bock. announced today the House Agriculture Subcommittee to study the Economic Feasibility of the Utilization of Water Efficient water legislation for the Crops and the Conversion next legislative session. of Irrigated Land to Dryland Farming will meet on April 16, at 1:00 p.m. in the Harold Hinn Conference Room of the Textile Research Center at Texas

Three Rotan High School

students will be participat-

ing in the seventy-fourth

annual U.I.L. State Meet

Teresa Cantu, Tony Gru-

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Carriker, chairman of the Subcommittee, says the committee will make recommendations regarding

"This is an extremely important issue for West Texas, especially farmers, and this hearing will provide us an opportunity to

placed second in Debate

The group will be accom-

panied by sponsors, Bar-bara McCain and Betty

Strayhorn. Teresa, who is

the daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Rogelio Cantu, is a

senior. Robin Harris, also

a Senior, is the daughter of

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hear from farmers in this area," said Carriker.

The Subcommittee will hear testimony from farmers, government and university experts, environmentalists, bankers, and representataives from various water districts. Carriker said the meeting was open to the public and encouraged those interes-

In addition to Carriker, Agriculture Committee members Rep. Robert Saunders and Rep. Dudley Harrison will be in attendance as well as State Senator John Montford from Lubbock, Rep. Pete Laney from Hale Center, and Water Commissioner Ralph Roming.

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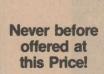
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# Let's from Jim West, Manager-Community Relations

## A look at "local measured service"

Perhaps you've heard about a new optional type of service that Southwestern Bell Telephone is proposing for its Texas customers. It's called Local Measured Service (LMS). Simply put, LMS would give you the option of paying for your direct use of the telephone network

Southwestern Bell Telephone's LMS proposal to the Public Utility Commission (PUC) includes an option that would lower fixed monthly charges while adding a low usage charge for each completed outgoing call. Those calls would be billed on the basis of distance, duration of the call and the time of day. Another option would be

a "LIFELINE" service at a \$5 monthly fee. This service would be targeted to the elderly on poverty-level income. The rate would include a usage allowance of 25 completed outgoing local calls. Additional completed outgoing local calls would be billed at the rate of 8 cents each. Customers would not be charged for incoming calls under either plan.

It's your option

LMS is for residence customers, as well as single-line, oneparty business customers. And of course you could keep the current "flat-rate" monthly service if you'd prefer. These new local service pric-

ing plans would be available within 60 days of Commission approval in 89 offices which currently serve over 2,500,000 customer lines. The company plans to equip the remaining offices within two years after approval.

I think you'll agree there are several benefits to measured service. It would give you options for choosing the plan that gives you more control over your phone bill. You'd also have the option of paying for the service you used, rather than subsidizing those who use their phones a great deal more than

you do. While LMS as a standard service offering would be new to Southwestern Bell Telephone's Texas customers, it isn't new in Texas. Customers of three other companies in the Lone Star State — General Telephone, Continental Telephone and Cen-Tel — are taking advantage of LMS. And like us, other companies — United Tel, Palo Pinto Tel and Mustang Tel — have requests pending with the PUC.

## **Customer interest**

We're proposing the service because we've known there has been a need for optional pricing in Texas. Last summer we conducted a survey to determine customer interest in LMS. We found that interest was

strong, particularly among those customers making fewer local calls or shorter-duration calls. The results also showed that customers want wider choices in how they pay for service by having the ability to match their cost to their calling needs. At this time, PUC hearings on

LMS are set to begin Sept. 24 in Austin. You can look for more information about LMS in the special insert in your telephone bill.

A new brochure, "Services for Disabled Customers," is now available. It has information on disabled services and how to contact AT&T's National Special Needs Center. You can get a copy by writing to:

Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. "Services for the Disabled" P.O. Box 225265 Dallas, Texas 75265

If you have any questions or comments about Local Measured Service, please let me know.

Jim West SW Bell Telephone 916 Denver Plainview, TX 79072



# Roby Judging Teams Advance

Teams representing 21 counties in the Rolling Plains District matched their skills in evaluating livestock, horses and soils in the district 4-H judging events here Wednesday, April 11.

More than 200 youths, leaders and spectators were on hand for the annual event, with ribbons and trophies going to the top competitors in Junior and Senior divisions.

teams captured one first, second and eight place. Placing First was the Junior Livestock team,

team placed second, but earned a trip to state, held in June at Texas A&M. The Team members were, Ricky Spencer, Gary Tea-Fisher County Livestock gue, Tricia Kiser, and Greg Gruben. In the individual standings, Ricky Spencer was second

high individual with Gary composed of Kenlee Den-Teague being eight high

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Spencer, Matt Floyd and

Stephen Henington par-

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team members, Jerry The Junior Horse team Wayne Stuart, David

and Cherie Feagan. Shana Feagan and Buster Frierwas eighth overall, with Shipp, Stephanie Frierson son also competed as in-

# Rotan 4-H Club Pet Show

The Rotan 3rd and 4th grade 4-H Club held their monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 3rd. A Pet Show was held. The winners were: Best Pet-Traci Hull; Ugliest Pet-Scott Nowlin; Most Trained-Czrena West; Wildest-Brandon Sheehan; and Smallest-Chris Boone.

The winners were awarded ribbons. Amber Martin was elected reporter. Refreshments were served by Traci Hull following the Pet Show.

Club members attending don Sheehan, Chris Boo-

ne, Scott Nowlin, Traci Hull, Czrena West, La- Trae Thomas, Valeska Kinney, Eric Smith, Ruple tin.

Weems, Tina Daniels, Shell Munday, Missy Mc- Weems and Amber Mar-



PET SHOW PARTICIPANTS: The above 19 members were David Daniels, Bran- of various Fisher County 4-H clubs participated in a pet show recently.

dividuals. The Horse Judging team is coached by Gene Turnbow of Roby. All three teams did an outstanding job incompetiElect

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Charges for announcements must be paid in advance, and the same policy applies to all political advertising carried in the columns of this newspaper.

Names of candidates for each office will be listed in the Political Column in the order that they are received at the newspaper office.

The Rotan Advance-Roby Star Record has been authorized to announce the following candidates for

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> **Fisher County Sheriff** MICKEY A. COUNTS

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TOMMIE JACK STUART Fisher County Tax Assessor-Collector TEDDY KRAL KATHY SMITH LYNN RANDOLPH

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> > DAN BARBER WITHDREW

County Attorney **RUDY HAMRIC** 

State Senate **RAY FARABEE** 

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10:6tc NOTICE: Having Easter weekend visitors? Let us help!! Rotan Eastern Star Chapter #52 will have a bake sale on Saturday, April 21, 1984. Some of the best cooks in the county will have their goods for sale at the Thriftway Grocery. If you have special request, call any members of O.E.S. and place your order. Sale starts at 9:00 a.m.

10:1tp ESCAPED: 9 feeder calves, approximately 350 lbs. from Sylvester, are eartagged and marked. If found call Gary Daniel, 776-2718.

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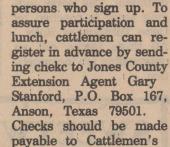
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# Special Clinic Set For Sat. April 21, At Truby

Cowmen and stocker operators in Fisher County have a chance to pick up first-hand tips from other cattlemen as well as from county Extension agents and specialists at a special clinic Saturday, April 21, at the Beasley Sales Pavilion in Truby.

"We're going to have local leaders in the cattle industry telling their secrets," said County Agent Richard Spencer.

Registration begins at 9 a.m. at the pavilion, just north of Truby on FM 707, south of Anson. The \$7.50 registration fee includes



lunch for the first 100

Clinic. The clinic will open with Dr. Nelson Adams, livestock specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Vernon, explaining mother cow nutritional needs and condition scoring. Richard Spencer. Fisher County Extension agent, will discuss how to get the most for your

money in selecting herd bulls. Gary Mathis, manager

for the Swen R. Swenson Ranches, will discuss using palpation in a range cow-calf operation. Johnny Edmondson, manager of Big Three Pork Produeers in Fisher County, will discuss managing bermuda grass pastures toa and B.C. Sprayberry of get the most for what is Anson.

Participants will get an opportunity for hands-on experience in implanting stocker cattle during an explanation and demonstration by Extension agents Joe Wilson of Taylor County and M.D.

Throckmorton County. A panel of order buyers will demonstrate with cattle in the pens the qualities and characteristics of animals that help them decide whether or not to buy. Panel members will be John Bill Oman of Avoca, Cecil Sellers of Hamlin

"'Corky" Redden of

Following this, a panel of fulltime stocker operators will share tips and ideas with the participants. This panel includes Carl Thompson of Anson, Garland Cox of Stamford, Matt Davis of Haskell and Throckmorton counties, Oman, Sellers and Spray-

Ed Garnett, director of the Rolling Plains Extension District, will summarize the presentations.

In addition, a variety of commercial firms will exhibit equipment and supplies for cattle operations. Exhibitors include Elanco Products, Tramisol, Alderman-Cave Feed Co., Ralgro, Jim Barr Braham Ranch, Donnell Ag. Producis, Jeffrey Cattle Co., H.G. Henderson Grain Co. and D & D Feed and Seed

The clinic was planned and is being presented by the livestock and crops subcommittee of the Jones County Extension Program Building Committee. Sponsors include Abilene

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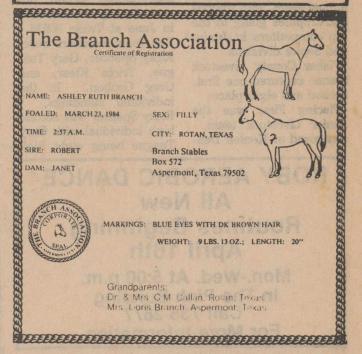
> Friday Burritos **Red Beans** Salad Jello Milk

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Miss Dunlap graduated from Pine Tree High School in 1979. currently attending Abilene Christian University and plans to graduate in May with a degree in Interior Design.

Stuart was a 1980 graduate from Roby High

He will graduate in May

from Abilene Christian University with a degree in General Agriculture. Stuart is engaged in farming und ranching.

NEW GYMNASIUM: Superintendent Jimmie Laurie gave interested Roby citizens a tour of the new gymnasium during opening ceremonies last Monday.

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**JUNIORS** All A Jimmy Carreon Marcy Mauldin Mike Meek Steve Turpin A-B Laurie Des Rosiers Susan Gaona Sabrina Herron Ricky Spencer

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Jennifer Wright

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Mrs. Dwaine Rivers

## Janice Lynn White And Archie **Dwaine Rivers Are Wed**

Janice Lynn White and Archie Dwaine Rivers exchanged wedding vows, Saturday, April 14 at the Park Heights Baptist Church in San Angelo. The Rev. Walter Johnson of San Angelo officiated.

of Mr. and Mrs. George K. White, of San Angelo. The groom is the son of

The bride is the daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Rivers of Roby. Mrs. Bryce (Rhonda) Cole served as Matron of in San Antonio.

Honor with Mrs. Steve The groom graduated

bridesmaids.

Ricky Faught of San Angelo served as best man with Randall Bird of Hous ton and Kevin Rivers of Roby serving as groomsmen. Ushers were Steve Evers and Clint Steib both of San Angelo.

The bride graduated from San Angelo Central High School and attended Angelo State University. She is employed as a secretary of U.S. Life Title Company

(Lavonne) Evers of San from Roby High School in Angelo and Miss Donna 1976 and graduated from Hataway of Abilene as Angelo State University in

patrick lived near Rotan

most of her life until

moving to Brownwood in

1960. She had lived in

Trinity the past two years.

She was a member of the

She is preceded in death

by a daughter, Shirley Ann

Baptist Church.

## **Funeral Services Held For** Clinna B. Kirkpatrick

Clinna B. Kirkpatrick, 81, rick in 1960. Mrs. Kirkof Trinity, Texas, died 1:30 AM, Wednesday at Stoniebrook Nursing Home in Midland. Funeral services were held at 2 PM Thursday, at Weathersbee Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Derrell Monday, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery of

Rotan. Mrs. Kirkpatrick was born October 2, 1902, in Ardmore, Oklahoma. The daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ben Carriker, the family moved to the Rotan area in the early 1900's. She married Thomas Parker in 1920 at Royston. He died in 1934. She married T.H. Kirkpat-

## Hobbs School **Easter Holidays**

Hobbs I.S.D will not have school Friday, April 20 in observance of the Easter Holiday.

There will be no school on April 23, the Monday following Easter due to a teacher in-service day.

Buses will run at the regular time on Tuesday, April 24.

## **Bradly Williams Fund Set**

A special fund has been set up for Bradley Williams, son of Lewis and Loretta Ray. Bradley was hurt in an accident Friday evening. He is in Hendricks Hospital, doing much better after surgery

Friday night. This fund is to help with hospital expenses. The family greatly appreciates your help due to no insurance.

Gemcraft Homes. After a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple will make their home in

1982. He is employed by

San Antonio, Texas.

The Roby FFA traveled to Lubbock Saturday, the 14th to compete in the annual Texas Tech FFA Judging contests. This contest is used for District and Area II elimination. Our chapter placed well in both of these phases of the contest as well as in overall standing.

The Ag. Mech. team of John Etheredge, Todd Coker, Bubba Doty, and Chad Terry placed 1st in District, 2nd in Area, and 8th overall out of 25 teams that were entered. John was the overall High Individual in the contest and received a Tech Judging cap and the 1st place ribbon.

Roby's Meats Judging Team of Ricky Spencer, Wenzal Hardwick, Jimmy Carreon, and Steve Turpin placed 3rd in district, 8th in Area II, and 22nd overall out of 47 teams. Ricky was the 14th High Individual out of 165 participants and received a ribbon for his outstanding job. The Meats Contest places beef, lamb, and pork carcasses; places a beef loin class and a ham class; yield graded 5 beef carcasses and qualify graded another 5; and I.D. 25 retail cuts out of 101 possible. In the I.D. they give the species, primal, and retail name.

The Crops team of Marlon Terry, Mark Gordon, Benny Carreon, and Gerry Streety placed 2nd in district and 4th in Area II. Their contest consisted of I.D. of 60 seeds out of 78, seed analysis, and seed grading.

The cotton team of Jeff Branson, Paul Hver, Jody Mauldin, and Rodney

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Hale, July 13, 1963, and a brother, Calvin in 1973. She is survived by: her

husband, T.H. Kirkpatrick of Trinity, a son, Tom Parker of Midland, a sister, Mae Rodgers, of Lubbock; 3 brother's, Coy Carriker of Royston, Claude Carriker of Lubbock and Bennie Carriker of Jayton. Five grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.



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# ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

There will be a meeting of Stockholders of the Rotan Gin Co., at the gin office Saturday, April 21, 1984

2:00 P.M.

ROTAN GIN CO.

# Roby FFA Team Places First In District, 2nd In Area

Green placed 3rd in district, 8th in Area II and 12th out of 29 teams. The team had to identify 25 cotton samples by grade and also staple 25 sam-The Land team of Freddy

Perales, Billy Fee and Jeff Green placed 10th overall out of 35 teams. Freddy was the 2nd High Individual out of 105 participants. He received a Tech judging cap and ribbon for his accomplishment. This was not a district or area contest for this team, but they have improved greatly and should do better in next year's district and area competition held at

Sweetwater. Roby's Dairy Products team of Darry Thomson, Murray Wright, and Jeff Morton placed 4th in district competition. They did a good job in identifying 5 cheeses and quality grading 10 samples each of milk and cottage chee-

The Livestock team of Kevin Stuart, Bruce Williams, Gary Teague, and John Shipp did not place in district or area competition but are a much improved team from when they began. They should be a very good placing team next year.

The Dairy Cattle team of Joe Acevedo, Warren Huff, Clifton Terry, and Pat Martinez also didn't place in district or area competition, but did a good job this year. They will return next year an even better Dairy Cattle

Covers The Big Countrynot just Abilene

competition.

## Registration For Summer Classes Set

Registration will be held May 24 for summer classes at the Rotan extension center of Western Texas College.

Classes will begin on May 30 and continue for nine weeks. All classes will meet during evening

Persons wishing additional information about the Rotan classes are invited to contact Pat Hamric at 735-3041 or Dr. Wendell Jones, extension center director, at WTC in Snyder, 573-8511.

All of these students worked hard in preparing for these contest this spring. They are all winners for their learning and extra time in preparation for

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J:N. McGinnis was presented with a gold pocket watch for over 50 years of service to the Roby Volunteer Fire Dept. Ola McGinnis was presented with a music box from the Fire Dept. Auxiliary. Ola is a charter member. The Fire Dept. and wives made the presentation.



CONCESSION STAND: Barbara Martin and Stacy Toole served Violet Upshaw from the new Roby concession stand at the gym.

# **Legal Notice**

CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

A pre-bidders conference concerning contract mowing on highway right-of-way will be held at the district headquarters building, State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, U.S. 83-84 by-pass, Abilene, Texas, at 10:00 A.M., April 30, 1984.

Sealed proposals for contract mowing on various tracts in Callahan, Haskell, Jones, Nolan, Shackelford, and Taylor counties, Texas, for 1984 will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. Each completed proposal shall be placed in a separate sealed envelope so marked to indicate its contents, and submitted to Mr. Roger G. Welsch, District Engineer, State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, P.O. Box 150, Abilene, Texas, 79604; or, it may be hand delivered to Room 225, District 8 Headquarters building, U.S. 83-84 by-pass, Abilene, Texas. All sealed bids for these counties will be received no later than 10:00 a.m., May 7, 1984, and then publicly opened and read.

Sealed proposals for contract moving on various tracts in Borden, Fisher, Howard, Mitchell, and Scurry Counties, Texas, for 1984 will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. Each completed proposal shall be placed in a separate sealed envelope so marked to indicate its contents, and submitted to Mr. Roger G. Welsch, District Engineer, State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, P.O. Box 150, Abilene, Texas, 79604; or, it may be hand delivered to room 225, District 8 Headquarters building, U.S. 83-84 By-Pass, Abilene, Texas. All sealed bids for these counties will be received no later than 10:00 a.m., May 8, 1984, and then publicly opened and

The specifications and proposals are available at the District Maintenance Office, Abilene, Texas. Usual rights reserved.

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### **Easter Coloring Winners Named**

The Rural Wren Extension Club would like to thank the judges for taking time to judge the many pictures. We also would like to thank Roby Drug and West Texas utilities Co. for displaying the pictures and the kids that did the coloring.

Easter baskets filled with goodies will be given to Kindergarten-5th grade Thursday at school, 2-5 year old will be able to pick up their baskets at Roby Drug Thursday only.

Winners are: 2 & 3 year old: 1st-Tovia Guerra; 2nd Autumn Daniels: 3rd-Matt Gaona; Honorable Mention: Chance McClure, Monte Green, Joshua Griffith, Ashley Smith, Julie Terry and Wesley Pullig. 4 & 5 year old: 1st-Jaycee Carey; 2nd-Joseph Guerra; 3rd-Travis Clark; Honorable Mention: Bradley McDaniel, Sonya Gaona, and Ty West.

Kindergarten and First ed buffet style from an grade: 1st-Kendra Kiser; 2nd-Crissi Kiser; 3rd-Byran McDaniel; Honorable Mention: Coby Moore, Kevin McDonald, and Amanda Moore.

2nd & 3rd grade: 1st-Joel Coller; 2nd-Becky Terry; 3rd-Elliott Mize; Honorable Mention: Alfred Rivas, Esqeuiel Anaya, Jr., Tonya McClure.

4th & 5th grade: 1st-Stephanie Frierson;2nd-Elizabeth Zapata; 3rd-Jennifer Elkins; Honorable Mention: Joe Don Helms, Suzanne Maxwell.

We invite all interested young women to our next meeting April 30 at 7 P.M. at the Courthouse Annex.

Don't forget the District meeting April 26th at the Rotan Community Center. Registration will begin at 9

### Jan Sparks **Named Contest** Winner

In September of 1983, Allsup's Convenience Stores, instigated a "Name The Cup Contest" and offered a \$500 cash prize for the winning name. There were approximately 15,000 entries sub-

Jan Sparks of Rotan was the first to submit the winning name and was recently awarded the \$500. Her name for the cup was the "Tallsup"

Hobbs Honor **Roll Named** 

3rd Grade Robert Dace

Jeriami Martinez

4th Grade Ronda Gantt J.P. Martinez

5th Grade **Eddie Onofre** 

6th Grade A **Aaron Porter** 

# **Rotan Girls Track Team Wins**

The Rotan High School girls track team continued its winning ways at the Regional Qualifiers meet last Saturday at Plainview. Rotan's 400 and 800 relay teams earned gold medals with first place times of 52.12 and 150.03 respectively. Shelly Hayes won the discuss competition with a toss of 118' and Cathy Conner got 3rd in

## the 100 meters dash. Roby Garden Club Meets, **Easter Party Held**

The Roby Garden Club met Thursday, April 12 at 9:30 a.m. at the Mid-West Electric Co-op. in Roby. Hostesses were Mrs. L.L. Stuart and Mrs. Eugene

Since it was Easter time business was dispensed with, and an Easter party was enjoyed. The room was attractive with Easter decorations.

Refreshments were serv-

appointed table that was covered with a white cloth. A silver service was on one end of the table and a large container of jonquils on the other end.

Members present were Mrs. Thurman Terry, Mrs. Richard Ray, Mrs. Jesse Goforth, Mrs. Earnest Hammer, Mrs. W.W. Morton, Mrs. Dwalyn Parker, and the hostesses. Mrs. Stuart and Mrs.

## Rotan Track Teams To Compete In District Meet

The Rotan varsity, junior varsity and junior high school track teams will be taking part in the District 4-AA track meet at Hamlin this Thursday, April 19th beginning at 8:30 a.m., according to Head Track Coach Ted Posey.

Posey indicated that the team has the capability of scoring approximately 90 points in Thursday's competition providing that "we hit our peak". He expected good finishes from Charles Williams in the 800 meter run and is counting on the sprint relay team and mile relay team to finish in the top

"Hamlin and Munday should be the two top teams from District 4-AA," said Posey.

two going to regional.

The teams took part in a meet at Glen Rose last weekend with the 1600 and sprint teams taking second place. The 1600 meter team composed of Randy Martinez (53.0)

Sammy Turner (52.3) Charles Williams (49.9) and Rodney Pearson (52.7) finished second with a combined time of 3:27.7 their best time of the year.

The sprint relay team of Pearson, Turner, Martinez and Williams recorded their best of the year with a time of 44.8 to finish Charles Williams finish-

ed 2nd in the 800 meter run with a time of 1:58.6 and was 5th in the long jump with a distance of 20ft. 3 inches.

Pearson had a 5th place finish in the 400 meter run with a time of 53.2.

In the junior varsity division, John Pease was 3rd in the pole vault with a jump of 10 feet and was 5th in both the high jump and 200 meter run.

The 1600 meter relay team of Nat Wynn (58.0) Darrin Pinkard (55.0), Leo Castillo (57.0) and Scott Toliver (61.0) finished fifth with a combined time of 3:52.0.

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ish Cathy's time was 12.3

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school record of 12.29 set

the Austin for the State

Our Sprint Relay team of Barbara Williams, Mary Williams, Cheryl Reese, and Cathy Conner (Latonya Daniels, alternate) currently has the 2nd best time in our region. Our 800 team (the same girls but with Helen Reese as the alternate) also has the

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Donna Hataway & James Norman Hollowell

# Donna Gail Hataway & James Norman Hollowell Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hataway of Roby, announce the engagement of their daughter, Donna Gail to James Norman Hollowell

> Rotan Lunch Menu

Monday Pizza W/Meat & Cheese **Butter Corn** Green Salad **Mixed Fruit** 

> Tuesday Barbecue on Bun Potato Salad Sweet Relish **Peach Cobbler** Milk

Wednesday Bean Chalupas Cheese **Buttered Corn** Cabbage, Pineapple Salad **Peanut Butter Cookies** Milk

Thursday Oven Fried Steak W/Gravy Seasoned Green Beans Whipped Potatoes Orange Wedge Hot Rolls Honey Butter Red Velvet Cake

Friday Hamburgers W/Cheese Lettuce, Tomato Pickles & Onions **Baked Beans** Potatochips Pineapple Pudding Milk

Milk

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The couple has set a wedding date of July 28, 1984 at the Wylie Baptist Church.

Donna is a graduate of Roby High School and received a Bachelor of Science degree at Angelo

have enjoyed being able to

go out on the porch. We

have planted some gerani-

ums. Also new to our

home, we have a parakeet

Out of town visitors this

week were Johnnie Dudley

and Steven Lewis of Ham-

lin visiting Nell McGuire.

Bill and Reta Fee and Ike

and Jiggs Roberts of Syl-

vester visited Cora Rob-

erts. P.R. Warren and

Patients admitted to the

Fisher County Hospital

were: Sue Medrano, Ro-

tan; Emsley Nolen, Rotan;

Ramona M. Almanza, Ro-

tan; April Marie Martinez,

Rotan; Alicia Wilkinson,

Rotan; Odell McQueen,

Rotan; Kendle Wilkinson,

Rotan; E.M. Nolen, Rotan;

Tilford Lear, Rotan; P.A.

Martin, Rotan; Bradley

Williams, Rotan; Joyce

Hill, Rotan; Daphene

Smith, Roby; Wanda

Moore, Roby; Thelma P.

and a fish aquarium.

State University. She is now employed with the Abilene Independent School District at Lincoln

Jr. High School. James is a graduate of Abilene High School and is employed at Central Texas Iron Works in Abilene.

visited Martin Warren,

also visiting him was Carl,

Neta, and Barry Hendricks

of Midland. Mr. and Mrs.

Jim Poteet of Midland

visited John Cox. Mrs.

Luther Maberry of McCau-

lley and Mrs. Floyd Mc-

Cain of Sylvester visited

Bingo winner this week

Moore, Roby; Alice Ball-

Chandler, Roby; Enke L.

Martin, Roby; Helen J.

Fowler, Snyder; Mary Mc-

Carter, Snyder; Bion Cole-

man, Snyder; Karen Rit-

chey, Snyder; Jimmy Ran-

kin, Hermleigh; Dena

Sharp, Hermleigh; R.H.

Hardin, Levelland; Jewel

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Woodson, Roby.

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enger, Roby; Geneva

Beverly McKinney

was Maebell Ogden.

Neda Kiser.

We have had another Mr. and Mrs. Cogburn

nice week. Our residents and Faye all of Snyder

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# County Agent Report

By Richard Spencer

The Fisher County Extension Crops Committee met recently and set May 21 as the Cotton Uniform Planting Date for the county. With cotton planted after this date and with the extremely cold winter, boll weevils should be at much lower numbers this year. The committee also planned result demonstrations for the year and discussed the other pest manage-

The Annual Stockhold-

Federal Land Bank Stockholders Meet

er's Meeting of the Federwill serve Farmers and Ranchers in Fisher, Nolan, al Land Bank Association of Roby was held in Sweet-Taylor, Mitchell, Scurry water, Texas on March 20, and part of Kent County. 1984. Stockholders pre-An Organizational Meetsent at this meeting aping of the newly formed. proved a merger with the Association was held in Roby on Friday, March Federal Land Bank Association of Colorado City. 23rd and the following The Principal office to be officers were elected. located in Roby, Texas Stergil K. Moore, Chairwith Branch Offices locatman, Herbert L. Williams, ed in Colorado City, Sny-Vice Chairman. der, Sweetwater and Abi-Directors are W.S. Etheredge, Jr., Audry Head, lene. The Federal Land

Card of Thanks 00000000

The family of W.T. Edwards come to you with a heart full of gratitude today. Your words of love and comfort have meant so much to each of us. We are grateful for the beautiful service at the church and we thank each of you who made it so special.

To the women who prepared such a bountiful meal at the church and to those who served us at home, we are truly grateful.

have touched our hearts. We appreciate them.

To the many people who have made contributions to worthy causes in W.T's name, we offer you our sincere thanks.

many cards of consolation from friends near and far and they have helped us bear our sorrow. We are trying to remember--there is no cloud too dark for

If we keep on believing

Jewell Edwards

Stephen & Genelle **Edwards & Christine** Mr. & Mrs. C.A. Edwards & Family

Mr. & Mrs. Herman Gladden (Clydese) & Family Mr. & Mrs. Walz Overbeck (Margie) & Family Mr. & Mrs. Roy Guinupp (Billie) & Family and Tommie Edwards ment items of interest. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Alfalfa weevils are showing up in alfalfa in the county. The weevils will destroy the first cutting if insecticidal applications are not applied. Alfalfa producers should check their fields for this pest. There are several materials available to control this pest.

Martin Murphy, Melvin D.

R.E. Clemmer and Donald

H. Smith. E.J. Richard-

son, Jr., President, John

Scott Lanford, Vice-Presi-

dent, Victor Jeter, Associ-

ate Vice-President, Lorene

C. Stuart, Office Manager,

Roby, Edna B. Bell, Office

Manager, Colorado City,

Donna A. Hargrove, Cleri-

cal Assistant, Roby and

Rhonda Kay West, Cleri-

Kelly and Kyle McWill-

iams announce the arrival

of a new brother, Klay

Davis, born Friday, April

13, at Rolling Plains Hos-

He weighed 7 lbs. 21/2 oz.

Parents are Lance and

Terri McWilliams of Roby,

maternal grandparents are

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Posey of

Roby and paternal grand-

mother, Deana McWilliams of Sweetwater; mat-

ernal great grandparents

are Mr. and Mrs. Dave

Posey of Rotan and Mr.

and Mrs. Max Stuart of

grandparents are Mr. and

Mrs. Dee Sharrock of

Roby; paternal great

Sweetwater.

and measured 201/2 inches

pital in Sweetwater.

It's A Boy

cal Assistant, Abilene.

Daily, Kenneth Smith,

mals. During winter months in northern climates, plants are dormant and their stems are cold with little heat to lose to the ambient environment. However, plants are affected by temperature and wind during the winter. All plants have a low cardinal temperature below which plant tissue is killed. The temperature Bank Association of Roby response will vary with an number of factors including species, plant part (flower buds, shoot buds, stems, roots), degree of dormancy at the time of low temperature exposure, and length of exposure

> period. Plant tissue that is warm by having been exposed to the direct rays of the sun for a period of time during a winter day is more prone to cold temperature injury than non-exposed tissue. It is here where wind may play a part by removing the plant's heat at a very rapid rate, causing supercooling or splitting of

Also, during It is often asked how a stems. warm, windy periods, low wind chill index affects evergreens may desiccate, exposed plants. Actually, especially if the soil about the wind chill index affects their roots is frozen. To only warm-blooded ani-

prevent this form of winter injury, it is desirable to construct a sun screen adjacent to sensitive spec-

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Weekly Special

Breakfast Special-2 Biscuits, 2 Sausage & \$1.69

Lunch- 3Tacos

Dinner- Fish Basket-2, 3 Oz. Pieces Battered Cod, With French Fries, Texas Toast & Tarter Sauce.

\$2.59

New Hours-5:30 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

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He is Risen!



May the Peace of the Risen Christ be with you this Easter and remain in your hearts in days to come. Celebrate the new life and hope that is Easter at your house of worship.

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776-2237 Roby, Texas

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Yoke Fleming Murl McKinney 735-2244 Rotan, Texas