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Hospital Board Approves Revision Of Admission Policy At Meeting

The members of the Fisher County Hospital Board met last Monday night and on a split vote of 4-1 approved the revision of a 1979 admission policy for the Fisher County Hospital. The policy remains the same except that two sections covering bad debts and emergency admission were added to the 1979 policy. The section on bad debts now reads

"If a patient comes in to be admitted whether for medical or surgical services and has a debt with the hospital and is not making current payments, the old bill must be paid in full before admission is permitted. They then must meet all of the previous requirements."

The motion to approve the admission policy as revised was made by

Board member Frank Mitchell and seconded by Dave Williams. It was given an affirmative vote by Williams, Mitchell, Rafor Hargrove and Glen Copeland. Kismet Terry voted against the revision. Terry said "I am not for residents of Fisher County being turned away from their own hospital."

In other action the board approved the district entering into a contract with the Fisher County Appraisal board to collect taxes; and approved permitting Medicare to hold-out a \$10,430 overpayment by that organization, discovered after an audit of 1983 activities.

In the report given board members by Gary McGee,

Administrator, he indicated that the hospital had a net gain from operations, before depreciation, of

\$18,049.00 for February. McGee gave a report on the liability insurance in force.

Rotan City Purchasing Sweeper For City Rotan

Rotan City Council met Tuesday, March 12 and heard a report from the Fisher County Appraisal District that it would like to collect the 1985 Rotan taxes. Cost of the service would amount to approximately \$875 per year if the Appraisal District collected all of the taxes. The proposal was taken under advisement by the Council.

In regular business the

Water Department reported on work painting the water towers. Painting and gauge work is to be finished soon.

The city expects to obtain a street sweeper to maintain city streets before the end of March. And a report on taxes showed \$70,806.09 in taxes were current as of March 8 (78.59% while \$11,176.77 (12.41%) were delinquent. Council also agreed to pay all current bills and to pay the deficit on the Community Center expenses.

Plans to discuss parking regulations on main streets in the city by local businesses was dispensed when the involved party was unable to attend.

Marantha Life Revival Dates Set For Roby

The Marantha Life Center will be holding a revival, March 20, 21 and 22 at the Marantha Life Center, corner of 1st and Water streets, Roby, Texas. Rev. Jerry Owens will be the evangelist for the revival. Mrs. Jerry Owens will be guest speaker on Thursday and Friday at a noon luncheon at the church. Everyone is invited to attend.

Seekers Will Hold Meeting Next Monday

Seekers would like to welcome all women of the community to come fellowship together and receive a blessing. We meet on Monday, March 25, at 7:00 p.m. in the Rotan Methodist Fellowship Hall. Our guest speaker will be Janie Ritter from Roby. Her husband is Jim Ritter, pastor of First Baptist in Roby. Janie will be sharing her personal testimony of what Jesus Christ has done in her life.

Herman Foster Receives New Assignment

Air Force Sgt. Herman B. Foster, son of Ken Foster of 807 E. Lee, Rotan, Texas, has arrived for duty at RAF Lakenheath, England. Foster, an aircraft maintenance specialist with the 48th Tactical Fighter Wing, was previously assigned at Columbus Air Force Base, Miss. He is a 1974 graduate of Rotan High School.

Hobbs School Dismisses Classes Fri.

There will be no classes held at Hobbs School on Friday, March 29, 1985. A teacher in-service is scheduled for that day.

Cade Vs. National Gypsum Cade Suit Sought Less Blast Powder

In an article concerning a 1.2 million dollar lawsuit that was brought against National Gypsum Company by E.W. Cade, Jr. of Stonewall County there was a mis-statement of facts that need to be corrected.

In paragraph one of the story last week, the article cited "A Stonewall County resident brought a 1.2 million dollar lawsuit against National Gypsum Company Gold Bond Building Products, Rotan Plant and sought an injunction asking that the gypsum quarry in Stonewall County be closed."

This newspaper accurately wrote what it had been told, but we now find that what we had been told is not accurate.

E.W. Cade, Jr. did seek in injunction against National Gypsum Company, and the injunction as written in Paragraph #7, First Amended Petition, #3573, did begin "where no further blasting operations be conducted," but it didn't end there. The petition went on to say "where the number of holes exceed 20

in number and amount of dynamite or other blasting material exceed a combined blasting strength of 1/2 a normal stick of dynamite or its equivalent."

So, the statement made last week that the "injunction asking that the gypsum quarry in Stonewall County be closed," was a mis-statement.

It more accurately should be read "an injunction asking that no further blasting operations be conducted using excessive amounts of dynamite."

The Rotan Advance regrets the error and makes public apology to the person or persons it may have inconvenienced as a result of the error in fact.

Little League Meet Set For April 20th

The 2nd organizational meeting for Rotan/Roby Little League was held Tuesday, March 12 at 7:00. The 1985 schedule was set for major league and minor league teams.

This year's registration will be held April 20 from 12:00-2:00 at Rotan Home-state Savings. Tryouts will follow from 2:30-4:30 at the Little League field and the player draft will take place immediately following tryouts. The registration fee this year will be \$11.00 per child and \$8 for each additional child in the

same family. We will publish a copy of the registration form in the April 11 issue which will need to be filled out and returned April 20.

A work weekend was scheduled for April 13 and 14 from 9:00-5:00. We are asking that anyone involved or wishing to participate with this year's Little League program come out and help get the field ready for the season.

The final business was designating Hoss Carrillo to head up a Donut Sale in the near future to help with our expenses.

Fisher County Building Program Committee Meet

The Executive Committee of the Fisher County Program Building Committee met March 13 in the Courthouse Annex. Rudolph Martinez, Chairman presided. Minutes of previous meetings were read by secretary Elizabeth Billingsley.

Final plans were made for the Defensive Driving Course to be offered in April. The eight hour course will be on Tuesday April 9 and Thursday April 11 in the Courthouse Annex at Roby. Classes will be from 6:00 P.M. to 10:00 p.m. each of the two evenings. Registration will be \$5.00. Anyone wishing to take the Defensive Driving Course should contact Louise Martinez at 735-2903 or Morris Guel-

ker at 235-1604. Anyone taking the course can get a 10% discount on the premium of car insurance. Dates of other upcoming meetings were announced. Attending in addition to those named above were Mrs. Fred Kemp, Gary Floyd, Richard Gaona, Albert Maberry, Mickey Counts and Fisher County Extension Agents, Alice Ballenger, Richard Spencer and Pete Flores.

RHS District 6AA One-Act Play In Rotan Saturday

The District 6AA One-Act Play Contest will be held in Rotan on Saturday, March 23. The contests will begin promptly at 2:00 p.m. Saturday afternoon.

Schools involved in the One-Act Play Contest and their order of performances are Hamlin, Anson, Rotan, Hawley, Haskell, and Stamford. The plays will be presented back-to-back without a break. There will be no charge for any of the performances.

The critic judge for the One-Act Play Contest is Dr. George Sorenson from Texas Tech University.

Rotan Police Investigate High School Break-In

Rotan Police are continuing an investigation into a break in at the Rotan High School building and office

of High School Principal David Hargrove that was discovered last Saturday by custodian Dixie King.

There was approximately \$100.00 in damage done in the break-in when a person or persons gained entry to the high school by removing molding and a window on the north side of the school building and by removing the door from

the hinges on the north side of the principal's office, according to Rotan Police Chief H.W. Grady. Grady's report indicated that there was nothing discovered missing by school officials.

Anyone with information on the break-in is asked to contact Rotan Police Department officials. All information received will be held confidential.

Seventy-Five Register For Red Cross Blood Drive Here

A total of 75 Fisher County residents responded with offers to donate blood in the semi-annual Red Cross blood drive last Monday, according to Shirley Byrd, President of the Fisher County Auxiliary Pink Ladies.

Three individuals were recognized for reaching "miles stones" in donating blood. Charles Underhill completed giving 13 gallons with the pint he donated last Monday. "I started when I went into the Navy, some friends of mine were injured and now it is a habit", said Underhill.

Two others were recognized by Red Cross officials. Lester Greenway finished giving 4 gallons and Ivan Martin finished giving 2 gallons.

Those contributing blood last Monday included: Carol Roberts, Jeff Posey, David Posey, Debbie O'Neill, Michael T. O'Neill, Ivan Martin, Larry Dickson, Danette Pope, Mac Weathersbee, Rodney Tankersley, Ernest Ragan, Mike Hull, James E. Hawkins, Wendell McWhirter, Elaine Field, Cindy Guerra, Hortencia Perales, Tony Perales, Don Bolton, Norman Matthies, Glen Gruben, Glen Holt, Mildred Parker, Pamela Hull, Elaine Day, Keith Matthies, Billie Holcomb,

Jane Branson, Glenna Gene Moore, Ted Posey, Larry McClain, Jeff Klein, Jeff Anderle, Lester Greenway, Paul Zambrano, Joe Zambrano, Sharon Overby, Annette Overby, Sally Parks, Daniel Whitaker, Rose A. Simmons, Lyle Hale, Tye Harrison, Ysabel Almanza, Janice Copeland, Jimmy Price, Billie Lois Wetsel, C Charlynn Kidd, Rudy Garza, Jeanie Baker, Mary Lou Goodwin, Todd Goodwin, Jeff Martinez, Lena Hodges, Billy Speck, Ricky Williams, Rudy M. Martinez, Terri Whitefield, David Ferrell, Robert Posey, Shelly Hayes, Billy Sparks, Randy Sparks, Rosa Almanza, Harold Roberts, Mike Simmons, Diane Feagan, Beverly Rister, Alan Arnwine, Carol Posey, Margaret Allen, Charles L. Underhill, J.G. Copeland, Kevin Copeland and Meg Field.

Senior Citizen Center presents Eric Tull and the Salt Flat Express to appear on March 23rd at 7:00 p.m. There will be a \$3.00 charge and all proceeds will be divided between the musicians and the center.

Everyone who loves Blue Grass music is invited to attend.



JAWS OF LIFE: The new \$5,000 Jaws of Life rescue unit, purchased by the Fisher County Hospital, was delivered last Saturday. Approximately 100 people viewed the demonstration. Above Dwight Clark, San Angelo Fire Department, demonstrates while safety talk is given by Bryan Lyons of New Braunfels, Texas.

Booster Club Meet

There will be a meeting of the Rotan Booster Club on Thursday, March 28th at 7:00 p.m. in the Rotan High School Library, according to Joe Dickson, Booster Club President. The meeting is being

held for the purpose of discussing projects for next year; discussing the purchase of athletic department equipment and discussing the athletic spring banquet.

Rotan High Reunion Date

The Rotan High Class of 1965 has set July 19th and 20th for its 20th year reunion. Plans include and "Old Fashioned Homecoming" on Friday evening at the High School Cafeteria, a golf tournament and swimming on Saturday, and a dinner Saturday evening. Parents and friends will be included in the Friday evening activity.

"With so many of the class members involved in coaching and with their own children's activities, it has become increasingly difficult for out-of-town members to attend the homecoming activities in the fall, and the response to the summer weekend has been very good", reports Linda Cooper from Hamlin, one of the organizers for the reunion.

Kim's Korner

By Kim Pease

We certainly have a problem to solve in Fisher County in the next several weeks-that of what to do with the decree handed down by Joe Slater, Texas Jail Standards Commission, saying Fisher County will hire some full time jailers.

The cost is going to be greater-no doubt. It will probably take three full time jailers to satisfy the jail standards commission.

We have some heavy decisions to make in the near future, but how about some of the decisions pending in other states about jail population.

It's no surprise that the nation's crime rate has dropped, and at same time the jail population has increased.

The two statistics go hand in hand. When the nation takes a tough stance toward crime, there are bound to be results.

"The criminal justice system does not operate in a vacuum," says Attorney General William French Smith, in announcing the crime statistics. "As people in the nation demanded a more strict and severe treatment of offenders, the system responded by sending more criminals to jail."

The Justice Department's incarceration figures were the result of the latest census of inmates in local city and county jails throughout the United States. The figures do not include prisoners held in federal or state penitentiaries. In the latest five-year period, the rate of jail incarceration grew by 29 percent from 76 out of every 100,000 persons in the nation to 98 out of every 100,000.

Last year, the states with the highest incarceration rates were Louisiana, 192 inmates for every 100,000 residents; Georgia, 178 per 100,000; California, 166; Florida, 137 and Tennessee, 128.

The census showed that California had the largest jail population, 41,720, followed by New York, 16,154; Texas, 15,224; Florida, 14,688, and Georgia, 10,214. Researchers say that California sentences many felons to misdemeanor jail terms in county jails or honor camps rather than sending them to state prison.

The per-inmate cost ranged from a high of \$25,444 in Alaska to a low of \$5,218 in South Carolina.

Justice Department statistics show that the crime rate dropped in both 1982 and 1983. The 7 percent reduction in serious crime last year was the biggest drop in 24 years of record keeping.

There are those who say the get-tough policy has nothing to do with alleviating crime. Some people insist on living in a dream world. It's true that incarceration does nothing to rehabilitate lawbreakers and probably even makes them more likely to commit crimes when released. But lawbreakers commit no crimes against the public while in jail. Their only victims are each other and the jailers. From the public's standpoint, that's a benefit.

Tax Planning

By James Rodgers
CPA



PROFIT VS CASH FLOW

"I can't have made that much profit. If I did, where's the money?" Many business people have asked their accountant this question.

How can one have profit but no cash left? Easy. Take this example. Early in 1984 Charlie started a backhoe service. His father signed a \$60,000 note for Charlie's two pieces of equipment, a backhoe and a dump truck. It was a good year for Charlie. Not only did he get into business without spending one penny of his own cash, but his wife taught school and they lived off her salary.

At the end of the year Charlie's accountant informed him that he had netted \$60,000. Charlie's reply was predictable, "I can't have made that much profit. We lived off my wife's salary. I didn't draw a dime."

When his accountant informed him that the bank note was fully paid and that the free and clear assets constituted profits, Charlie was aghast. Charlie is now faced with borrowing to enable him to pay the income taxes on the earnings. Perhaps he should have paid less on the equipment loan and used the extra money to pay quarterly estimates on his income tax.

Seldom is it so easy to see where the profits go. Your business may involve real estate acquisition, inventory, accounts receivable, and equipment purchases. You may also have a series of debts ranging from open accounts payable to long-term mortgages. The proof of profits, however, is still in the balance sheet. The change in assets versus the change in liabilities for a given year is the measurement of profits for that year.

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4-H Fashion Show To Be Held March 24th

The Annual Fisher County 4-H Fashion Show will be Sunday, March 24 in the Senior Citizens Building. Judging is scheduled to begin about 1:45 p.m. with a public presentation at 3:00 p.m.

Any 4-H'er who has completed the 4-H Clothing project and constructed a garment may enter the show. Anyone planning to enter, must complete a 4-H Fashion Show Information Sheet and turn it in to the Fisher County Extension Office

by Wednesday, March 20. The three age divisions will be 4-H'ers from 3rd grade through 11 years are juniors; age 12-13 years are intermediate and 14-18 years are seniors.

An award for the highest scoring garment containing at least 50% cotton will be given in each age group. Other prizes and ribbons will be awarded.

Fisher County Extension Homemakers will serve refreshments following the public fashion show and presentation of awards.

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Dr. Timothy Fowler Receives Award For Research

Dr. Timothy Fowler, a distinguished fellow of the corporate engineering department with Monsanto

Co. in St. Louis, was honored last month by the company with its highest award for his research work.

Fowler, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martinez of 2501 Sunnibrook Court, formerly of Rotan, was one of three to receive the 1984 Charles A. Thomas and Carroll A. Hochwatt

Awards. His work was in acoustic emission technology to test the structural integrity of metal and fiber reinforced plastic vessels.

Fowler is the first engineer to receive Monsanto's Science and Technology Award, which is named after two former Monsanto scientists and executives.

His procedure, which tests for weaknesses and flaws in certain materials, is now a recommended safety procedure of the Society of the Plastics Industry.

He received a silver medalion and \$25,000 cash prize for his award.

Fowler and his wife, Marie Dolores formerly of Abilene and Rotan, live in St. Louis with their three

children: Felicity, 17; Stuart, 15, and Jeremy, 10.

She graduated from Rotan High School and the University of Texas and is the daughter of Robert Martinez, formerly of Rotan.

Services For Gregory R. Hernandez

Services for Gregory R. Fernando Hernandez, 60, of Dimmitt, was held Tuesday at Foskey Funeral Home in Dimmitt.

Mass was held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church with Father Norman Boyd officiating.

Burial was in the Castro Memorial Gardens under the direction of Foskey Funeral Home.

Hernandez died at 9:40 p.m. Saturday in High Plains Hospital at Hale Center after an illness.

He was born at Jayton and moved to Castro County in 1952 from Rotan.

He was a farm laborer and a member of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church.

He was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife Arcis; 3 daughters, Alicia Aleman of Amarillo; Lupe Perez of Olton and Jamie Gonzalez of Dimmitt; 3 brothers and 8 grandchildren.

Jan Wright Engaged To Charles Turner Harvey, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wright of Roby announce the engagement of their daughter, Jan Louise, to Charles Turner Harvey, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Turner Harvey of Sweetwater.

The couple will be married June 15 at the Roby Church of Christ.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Roby High School

and will graduate from Abilene Christian University in May. The future bridegroom is a graduate of Sweetwater High School

and Texas State Technical Institute of Amarillo with an associates degree in Diesel Mechanics. He is presently employed by Treanor Equipment Company in Abilene.



Jan Wright & Charles Harvey, Jr.

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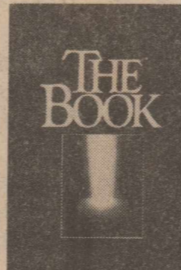
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Worship This Week At A Fisher County Church

Read Proverbs 3:27-35

Withhold not good from them to whom it is due, when it is in the power of thine hand to do it. —Proverbs 3:27 (KJV)

How often do we refuse to say a good word for someone even though we know it could influence them in a positive way? A good word can be a real blessing. The Bible says that whatever measure we give to others will be given to us again. There are many kind words we can speak to and about others.

In our home, when a family member deserves a word of encouragement and praise, we try to be open-hearted and loving enough to give it. On our job, when someone has moved up a notch or step through ability, hard work, and sacrifice, we extend congratulations and wish God's continued blessings.

There are probably unsung heroes who contribute a lot to our daily welfare and enjoyment. Give them an encouraging word for a job well done.

PRAYER: Lord God, as we go about our daily activities, help us to be sensitive and grateful for those who care and serve in Your name. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Share Christ's love each day through a loving word or deed.

<p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 735-3471 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:55 Sunday Evening-Church Training 6:00 Worship 7:00 Wed. Night 7:30 Rev. Derrell Monday-Pastor</p> <p>SARDIS BAPTIST CHURCH West Of Roby Rotan, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening-Church Training 6:00 Worship 7:00 Wed. Night 7:00</p> <p>CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH 735-2178 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening-Training Union 6:00 Worship 7:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. Mike O'Neill-Pastor</p> <p>LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. James Carrington-Pastor</p> <p>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 776-2159 Roby, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Worship 7:00 Wednesday Night 7:00 Rev. Jim Ritter-Pastor</p> <p>CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH 735-3464 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship Service 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00-Bible Study Worship 7:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. Daniel W. Whitaker-Pastor</p> <p>EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH 735-2478 Bro. Address Rodriguez-Pastor Rotan, Tx. Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 5:30 Wed. Night 7:30</p> <p>SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH 993-4479 Sylvester Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. Pat Hatfield-Pastor</p> <p>HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH 776-2593 Hobbs Community Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 LD. (Dutch) Parks-Pastor</p> <p>MCCAULLEY BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Rick McMinn-Pastor</p>	<p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-ROTAN 735-2334 W.H. (Fred) Brown-Pastor Sunday School 9:15 Worship Service 10:30 Sunday Evening 6:00</p> <p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-ROBY 776-2308 Warren K. Schoenecker-Pastor Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:50 Sunday Evening 5:00 UMYF Worship 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Choir Practice</p> <p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST-McCAULLEY 695-1350-Abilene Barbara Gammeter-Pastor Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Wed. (second Wed. in each month family nite 7:00)</p> <p>FIRST UNITED METHODIST-SYLVESTER 695-1350-Abilene Barbara Gammeter-Pastor Sunday School 10:30 Worship 9:30 Every third Tues. Evening Community Dinner 6:30</p> <p>CHURCH OF CHRIST-ROTAN 735-2344 Mike Dennis-Minister Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Morn. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 Wed. Evening 7:30 Bible Study</p> <p>CHURCH OF CHRIST-ROBY 776-2496 Wardell Halliburton-Minister Sunday School 10:00 Worship 10:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00-Nov.-April-8:00 May-Oct.</p> <p>CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Joe Norton-Pastor Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Wed. Night Worship 7:30</p> <p>FOURSQUARE CHURCH 735-2553 Claud Fry-Pastor Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00</p> <p>ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH 735-3285 Father Austin Kiltredge Sunday Morning 9:00 a.m. Mass Saturday Evening 7:30 p.m. Mass</p> <p>MARANATHA CHURCH Bill Dickson-Pastor Roby, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 5:00 Bible Study Worship 6:00 Wed. Night 7:30</p>
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Senior Citizen Report

We enjoyed our fourth anniversary party Saturday night Bro. and sister Thomas Taylor from Stanton, Texas were with us. Mrs. Cleburn Murdoch sang for us. She sings beautifully. We appreciate her coming out and hope she comes again real soon.

We also had plenty of good food Tuesday March 12. Glad to hear Callie Shipp out with us again. Also we hope Fawn Wiley will be back with us soon. Bess Ashley was hospitalized the 13th, hope she is home now. Marvin was out to lunch with us the 14th.

Mrs. Talmage Neves has been in the hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheridge and daughter Ann Barritt went to Big Bend County a couple of weeks ago. They spent 3 days visiting and really enjoyed the scenery. Said some cactus were blooming.

Florine Swaringer and Marie Hendon visited their sister Mandy Smith in Sweetwater last Tuesday.

Orville Hollabaugh hooked up his travel trailer and boat and took off to a family reunion at Lake Brownwood.

Mrs. Bea Hardin donated a quilt which we will put up and work on soon to sell chances on. Also we will quilt one donated by Gaynell Henry, which will be sold and proceeds will go next year to the Rehab Center. This quilt top won second place at the Fair year before last, (and was I proud?)

Dennis and Annie O'Brian went to Lubbock last week to visit Glenn Gabel in the hospital. Glenn is home now and doing well. Dennis and Annie also visited the Heart Club

which is, I understand, a sort of support group.

Welcome to Mrs. Jewell Willingham, who was out last week with her sister-in-law, Lota Kennedy.

Leamon and Mary Blanton have a new grandson, born to Leamon and Lynda Blanton of Houston, Texas, Feb. 3. Named Leamon Charles, Jr. He was welcomed by a sister, Lisa. Opal Williamson has a new great grandson, 6 lbs. 3 ozs. Joshua Kirk was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kirk Williamson of Roby. He has the distinction of being the first grandchild on both sides of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bick-

Rotan Boys Track Team Results At Breckenridge

Results of the Rotan Yellowhammer boys track events at the Buckaroo Relays held in Breckenridge last weekend are: 100 meter hurdles: Edward Martinez placed fifth clocking in at 16.37 seconds.

800 meter run: Donnie Gruben timed in at 2:14 to finish fourth in the finals.

300 meter Intermediate hurdles: Edward Martinez was sixth with a time of

44.7 seconds.

1600 meter run: second place was earned by Donnie Gruben with a time of 5:00.5.

Pole Vault: Donnie Gruben vaulted 10 feet 6 inches to place third.

Discus: Ward Hayes had a throw of 130 feet 1 inch to place third.

Joe Henry went to the rattlesnake roundup at Sweetwater. Gaynell Henry visited Pauline Helms on Jack Lambert Drive. That's all folks for today.

staff of the Pleasant Valley Community celebrated their 54th wedding anniversary last week with their children Joan and Jim Melton, Ernest and Bea Bickerstaff of Sweetwater. Grandchildren Wayne and Dorsey of Sweetwater, Jim and Margaret and baby son of Ft. Worth, Shirley and daughter of Austin, Texas, Eric Bickerstaff who is attending Tech at Lubbock.

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Our next meeting will be

Rotan's girls track team competed at the Breckenridge Buckaroo Relays March 16. Shelly Hayes was the team's high-point individual earning 14 points. Shelly hurled the discus 118 feet 11 inches to place first in that event and was able to take a fourth place finish in shot put with a distance of 31

Rural Wrens Extension Club Holds Meeting

The Rural Wrens Extension Club met March 11 at the Courthouse Annex. Tempie West called the meeting to order. We discussed the upcoming Easter Coloring Contest. Danette Pope, presented our program on "Coupons, Who Benefits?"

Gloria Floyd, hostess, served refreshments to guest Karen Gruben, members: Sandy Pullig, Jan Clark, Tempie West, Judy Stephens, Teresa Terry, Kay Moore, Cindy Lewis, Cynthia Gaona, Marsha Smith, and Lisa Carey.

Our next meeting will be

feet 8 1/2 inches.

Other finishes by team members were as follows: the 400 meter relay team comprised of Diane Gentry, Mary Williams, LaTonya Daniels and Cathy Conner placed second with a time of 52.8 seconds. The 800 meter relay team took fifth with a time of 1:56.77. The 800 meter

Rural Wrens Extension Club Holds Meeting

at the Courthouse Annex March 26.

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team was composed of Diane Gentry, Jan Posey, LaTonya Daniels and Mary Williams.

Mary Williams clocked in at 29.8 seconds to finish

fourth in the 200 meter dash while teammate Jan Posey was sixth with a time of 29.9.

In triple jump Cathy Conner had a distance of 30

feet 11 inches to place her fourth in the finals of that event while Mary Williams placed sixth in the long jump with a distance of 14 feet 3 1/2 inches.

Annual Meeting

DPR Water Corporation

Saturday, March 30
7:00 P.M.

Rotan Community Center

All Members Please Attend

Prizes & Refreshments

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank everyone for the many cards, flowers, food, gifts, visits and prayers in the loss of our precious son, Mikey.

To the Weathersbee's for the wonderful service, the ones who brought the beautiful song services, the pallbearers for being there for us, to Rev. Claude Fry and Rev. Floyd Bailey.

To know your love for him and concern for us helps.
The McGrew Family
L.D., Billie & David



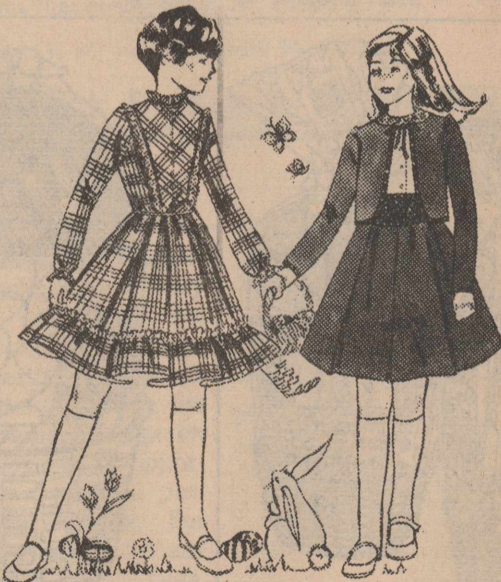
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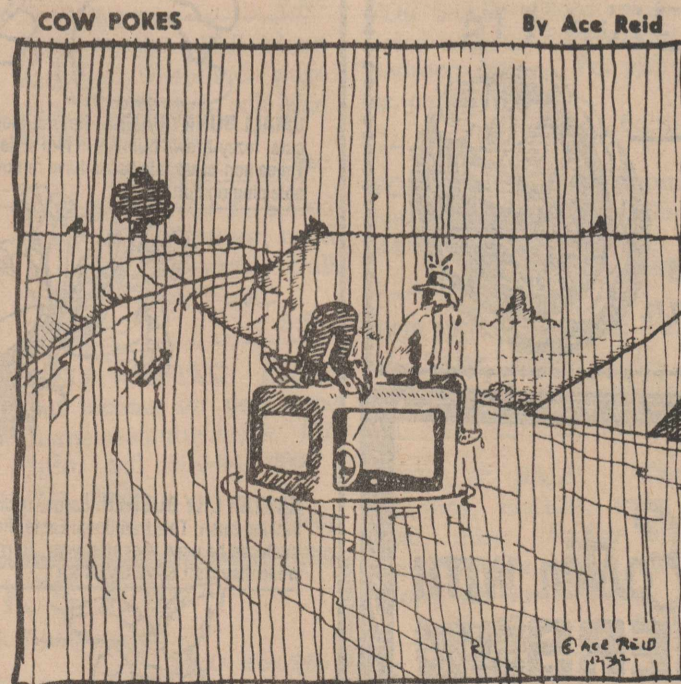


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We want to thank Mr. Tom Collins of Rotan for the employee of the month pin he donated.

Our deepest sympathy to Elizabeth Hale at the death of her son Armond Hale of Lamesa.

Preston Beene has left our home to stay with his brother.

Visiting Addie Seibert-Norman Matthes and Carol Leverton of Rotan.

Visiting Elizabeth Hale-Joe and Vera Jennings of Throckmorton, Jerry and Brenda Savage of Denton, Mike and Barbara Fitzgerald and children of Wichita Falls, Covart Lynn Hale of Euless, Tommy Ed and Bettie Hale of Sweetwater,

Forrest and Geneva Perkins of Wylie. Visiting Elizabeth Kingsfield-Don Phillips of Post and Neva Phillips of Grandfalls. Visiting Letha Meek-Norma Meek of Sylvester. Visiting Hazel Smith-Elton and Allene Freeman of Trent. Robert Ford of Sylvester visited residents. Visiting Carlie Butler-Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elam of Kansas City, Missouri, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hood and Mandi and Matt of Snyder.

Eva Chapman celebrated her 82nd birthday March 12.

Our bingo winner was Johnnie Mulanax.

Tempie West

Rural Wrens To Sponsor Easter Coloring Contest

The Rural Wrens Extension Club will have their 2nd Annual Easter Coloring Contest. There will be age divisions; Pre school: 2 & 3 year old and 4 & 5 year old. School grades: kindergarten, 1st & 2nd grade, 3rd & 4th and 5th-6th. Pictures to be colored can be picked up March 25 at Roby Drug for preschool

age. School graders will color pictures at school. Preschool must return pictures by April 28 at Roby Drug. Pictures will be judged April 3rd and can be picked up after April 8th at Roby Drug Store. Pictures are to be colored with crayons only. Name and age to be put on back only.

Art Flores Ministries Travel To Mexico

Art Flores Evangelistic Ministries took a total of 24 people to Las Hacienda, Mexico and constructed a 60 by 26 sanctuary. Art Flores is a resident of Rotan and associated with the Calvary Baptist Mission in Roby.

"The trip was a success, the word was preached in Alamos, LaBquilla and

San Carlos where 19 people were saved and many came for baptism", said Flores.

In closing, Flores said "We need to pray for Eli, Deon and Art Jr who are still working in Mexico and express thanks to God's people who made the mission trip possible."

Teen Center Movies

This Saturday, March 23 the Teen Center will sponsor "Children's Movie Time" at the Courthouse Annex in Roby. An anima-

ted feature will begin at 1:00 p.m. followed by a Walt Disney film. \$1.00 for each movie includes refreshments.

Sharron Haggard Named National Award Winner In Science

The United States Achievement Academy announced today that Sharron Haggard has been

named a 1985 United States National Award winner in Science. This award is a presti-

gious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes less than

10% of all American high school students.

Sharron, who attends Roby High School was nominated for this National Award by Mr. Blaine, a Chemistry teacher at the school. Sharron will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly United States Ach-

ievement Academy award winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, Executive Director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors or other school sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy.

The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendations from a teacher or director.

Sharron is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Shipp. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Kiker of Roby and Mrs. Roxie Haggard of Rotan.

Hobbs Lunch Menu

Monday
Fish
Hush Puppies & Fries
Cole Slaw
Cake

Tuesday
Lasagna
Corn
Salad

Garlic Bread
Cookies
Milk

Wednesday
Steakettes
Potatoes
Green Beans
Hot Rolls
Peach Cobbler
Milk

Thursday
Hamburgers
Fries
Lettuce & Tomatoes
Banana Pudding
Milk

Friday
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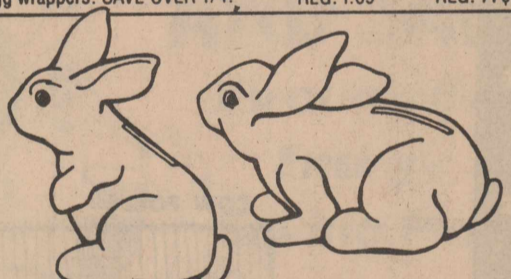


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CONTESTANTS: The above 3 girls were entered in the Universal Pageant, held last Saturday in Stamford. (l to r) Cassie Terry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Terry of Roby; Evette Gruben, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben, Rotan; and Stephanie Frierson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Frierson of Roby.

Three Fisher County Girls In Universal Pageant In Stamford

Three girls from Fisher County participated in the Universal Pageant held last Saturday in Stamford. Cassie Terry of Roby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Terry and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Terry was named Miss Photogenic, 2nd alternate Universal beauty and Mini Queen.

Stephanee Frierson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Frierson of Roby was crowned Mini Queen.

She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kiker.

Evette Gruben, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben of Rotan was named winner of Most Photogenic category, was crowned universal beauty in which contestants were judged on beauty only. Evette also was the recipient of the Miss Congeniality trophy, the winner of which was selected by contestants themselves. She was crowned Ideal

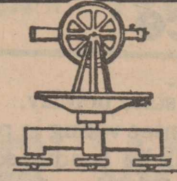
Miss which included judging on beauty, poise, sportswear, formal wear, talent and photogenic. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Walker.

Cassie, Stephanee and Evette all qualified to participate in the State Universal Pageant that is to be held at Astroville in Houston during the last week of June. Winners in Houston will then advance to World Competition to be the last week of June.

Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital from March 12 thru March 18 were: Mildred Acker; Frank D. Faulkner; Tammy Nowlin; Mary F. Wiley; Margie Quintanilla; Natassia Flores; Hattie B. Howard; Russell Smith; Rosemary Rocha; Annie L. Fleming; Leola Kincaid; Dick Edwards; Zed C. Randolph; L.J. Laughlin;

and Letha Lee, all of Rotan; Bessie Ashley; Maurine Stockton; David Roy Noles, all of Roby; Eddie Graham, Anson; Hattie Turner, Stamford; Michael J. Castillo, Sweetwater; George Mathewson, Spur; Roberta Jeffrey, McCaulley; Janet Hogan, McCaulley; and Lola Gholston, Aspermont.



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Roby Elementary Honor Roll

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| 3rd Grade
Zachary Clark | Jason Kiser
Tonya McClure | Gilbert Carreon
Julie Doty |
| Browning & Ward To Be Wed June 7th
Elaine Browning, daughter of Douglas and Bobbie Browning and Jay Ward, son of Donald and Frances Ward will wed in the backyard of the bride's parents.
The future bride attends Cisco Jr. College and will graduate in May. The future groom farms in the Anson area.
Irene Kiker of Roby is the grandmother of the future bride and Charlotte Ragan of Rotan is the future bride's Aunt. | 4th Grade
Jeremy Hatfield
Alisa Rayer | 8th Grade
Lorena Cave
Carter Edmondson
Melanie Ray
Larry Van Liew
Donna Terry
Karie Martin
Rose Ann Miers
Paige Stroman
Patricia Gonzalez
Rick Onofre
Belinda Ramirez
Teresa McClure
Kathi Mize
David Shipp |
| Joe Martinez Employee Of The Month
The hospital employees at the Fisher County Hospital voted on the Employee of the Month for March and it was Joe Martinez. He was presented an engraved cup at the luncheon which followed the regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary on March 6th. | 5th Grade
Stephanee Frierson
Jennifer Elkins
Jennifer Kincaid
Kashaun Morris
Nick Dickson
Lorissa Edmondson
Audra Lewis
Jessica Moore | |
| Teen Center Movie Night
This Friday, March 22, the Teen Center members will have "Movie Night" beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the Courthouse Annex. \$1.00 covers movies and refreshments. New members between 7-12 grades are invited to join. | 6th Grade
Jeremy Terry
Suzanne Maxwell
Brooke Stroman
Jennifer Blaine | |
| | 7th Grade
Jennifer Pullig
Tracie Guthry
Tina McClure | |

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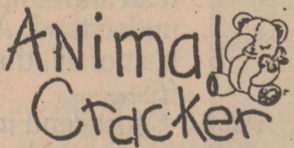
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- 2 BR, 1 bath, 5th Street, owner will finance at 12%
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- 2 BR house, Roby, nice location, storage
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Bids will be opened and considered at the City Council Meeting at that time, 4:00 p.m., April 9, 1985. The City has the right to reject any and all bids or to accept the bid deemed most advantageous. City of Roby.

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Legal Notice

The Hobbs Independent School District Board of Trustees hereby gives notice of an election to be held on April 6, 1985, for the purpose of electing two trustees for a full three year term.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will begin on Monday March 18, 1985, and continue through Tuesday, April 2, 1985, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or an

official state holiday. Absentee voting in person will be conducted at Hobbs School. Applications for absentee ballots by mail should be mailed to Hobbs School, Rt. 1, Rotan, Texas, 79546.

The polling places designated below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election. Precinct No. 10, 13, 17, 4 (Fisher); 2, 13, (Scurry); Locations, Hobbs School.

Legal Notice

Administration of the estate of Ollie Daisy Templeton, deceased, has been commenced by the issuance of original letters testamentary to Haskell Templeton, Executor, new deceased, on October 24, 1983, by the County Court of Fisher County, Texas, acting in Cause No. 2677, styled in Re Estate of Ollie Daisy Templeton, Deceased; In The County Court Of Fisher County, Texas, and subsequently to the undersigned on November 20, 1985, as alternate administrator, duly appointed by the District Court of Fisher County, Texas, acting Cause No. 4638, styled as In Re Estate Of Ollie

Daisy Templeton, Deceased; In The 32nd Judicial District Court Of Fisher County, Texas, in which court the matter is pending.

All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned at the address shown below within the time prescribed by law.

Dated this 14th day of March, 1985.

Wayne Harris
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Independent Executor of the Estate of Ollie Daisy Templeton, Deceased

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Legal Notice

The Rotan City Council hereby given notice of an election to be held on April 6, 1985 for the purpose of electing one Mayor and two Councilmen for a full two year term.

Absentee voting by personal appearance will begin March 18, 1985 and continue through April 2, 1985 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on each day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official State holiday.

Absentee voting in person will be conducted in the Rotan City Hall, 201 W. Snyder, Rotan, Texas, 79546. Applications for absentee ballots by mail should be mailed to Sandra Underhill or Cora Mann, 201 W. Snyder,

Rotan, Texas, 79546. The polling places designated below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election.

Precincts: All, Location: Rotan Community Center.

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Legal Notice

The Rotan Municipal Water Authority hereby given notice of an election to be held on April 6, 1985, for the purpose of electing three directors for a full two year term.

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Precincts: All; Location: Rotan Community Center.

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Roby Girls Track Team Finishes Fourth At Sands

Roby girls track team participated in two meets last week and finished fourth at the Sands Track Meet held March 16. Their first competition was March 9 at Garden City where Kristi Martin finished third in the 3200 meter race, Susan Gaona was fourth in the long jump, Cindy Gonzalez was sixth in the 220 yard dash and sixth in the 100 meter hurdles. The 880 relay team of Susan Gaona,

Stacy Terry, Donna Gordon and Kristi Martin finished fifth while Stacy Terry also finished fifth in the 100 yard dash. At Sands Kristi Martin was a tough competitor in the distance events placing first in the mile and third in the 3200.

Other finishes came Fisher County Jr. Leaders Hold Meeting

The Fisher County Junior Leaders met Monday night for their monthly meeting. The 4-H'ers involved in the exchange trip from Kentucky sent letters that were read at the meeting. Fund raisers were discussed for that trip. The 4-H'ers will be selling dough nuts and will begin taking orders soon. If you are interested, contact a 4-h'er in grades 9-12.

from: Susan Gaona, third in long jump; Tammy Mauldin, fourth in triple jump and 800 meter; Donna Gordon fourth in high jump and fifth in 100 meter low hurdles; Cherie Feagan, sixth in the high

jump. The relay teams all finished in the top four with the 400 meter team of Donna Gordon, Stacy Terry, Susan Gaona and Tammy Mauldin finishing fourth; the 800 meter team of

Kristi Martin, Stacy Terry, Susan Gaona and Donna Gordon finishing second; and the 1600 meter relay team of Debbie Everett, Becky Kiser, Mary Lee Hicks and Cherie Feagan placing third.

Roby Boys Place Sixth In Sands Meet Recently

The Roby boys track team placed sixth at the Sands Relay held March 16 in a field of twelve teams.

Lance Green topped the field in long jump competition with a distance of 19 feet 6 1/4 inches while teammate Danny Carreon was second in pole vault with a vault of 12 feet. Reggie Spencer also participated in the pole vault event and his vault of 9 feet put him in a three-way tie for sixth place.

John Kiser finished third in discus with a distance of 116 feet 3 1/2 inches. In team events the 400 meter relay squad of Ricky Spencer, Pache Parks, Danny Carreon, and James Gantt placed fourth with a time of 48.1 seconds.

The Palette and Brush Club met March 18th at the courthouse annex in Roby. It was an all day workshop in pastels with Donna Holt.

Palette & Brush Club

Members present were: Fay Anderson, June Anderson, Nan Arnett, Neoma Cauble, Billie Coff-

man, Jonnie Hoodenpyle, Nell Hughes, Edna McArthur, Bobbie McKinney, Glenna Gene Moore, and Luella Waddell.

The next meeting will be held at the Senior Citizens Building in Rotan. It will be on April 1st. It will be an all day workshop with Myrtle Joiner.

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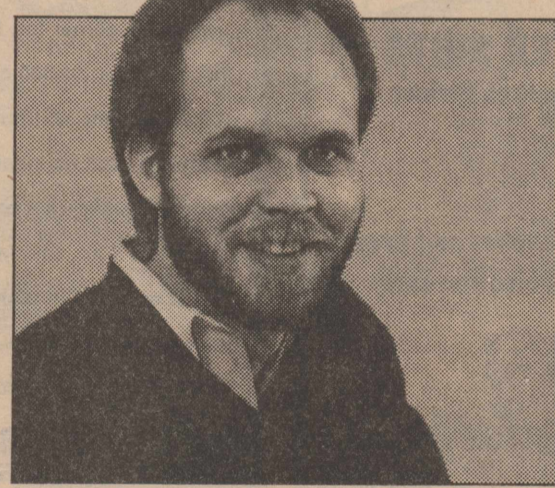
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Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well we have had some pretty changeable weather this past week, with a little rain and some cooler weather. Wednesday we got a good shower and then again on Friday night and Saturday we got almost 1/2 inch, and the pastures are really looking good with all this moisture we have been getting. You would be surprised how the Spring flowers are beginning to color the pastures, and our cows don't even look

around now when we take them feed, as they are enjoying all that green grass. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheridge have been on a trip with their daughter Mrs. Anne Barrett. They left Thursday a week ago and came back the following Sunday. They went to Big Bend National Park in south west Texas; they also visited Fort Davis, Presidio and came back by Fort Stockton. They saw some beautiful scenery

and really enjoyed the trip. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ratliff and son, Trese, from Clyde spent the weekend before last visiting with the James Ratliffs. Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Knipe from Snyder were also there visiting over the weekend and Teresa Ratliff, also from Snyder was there for a short while during the weekend. Bro. Anthem Wade from Snyder brought our message for Sunday at Hobbs

Baptist Church. He is from TANE and we really enjoyed hearing about the good work that this organization (Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education) is doing. Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez went to Snyder on Sunday and ate dinner with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Warren and their girls. Mrs. David (Debbie) Yearwood and Josh and

new baby, Lacey, from Levelland, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sherrill in Sweetwater during the week. Also there was another daughter, LaTeshia. Mrs. Lealon Wilburn and Mrs. J.W. Etheridge visited with them all at Sweetwater on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kincaid and family from Highland visited with the J.D. Kincaids all day Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eaton from Roby and Ronnie's brother-in-law all visited with them on Sunday evening. Zach Kincaid, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kincaid, ate Sunday dinner with the J.D. Kincaids. Mr. and Mrs. J. Windle Kincaid from Roby also visited on Sunday afternoon.

Pete Fincher, for a short while. Its sure a long trip, but is really a lovely place and they have some beautiful stallions there. Wednesday we went to Snyder and then Saturday we were off bright and early for another track meet, this time at Breckenridge. What a miserable day it was, so cold and we almost froze. It had rained a lot more at Breckenridge than it had here and did we get muddy, and everyone was so cold and wet, including all the track kids. Our grandson, Donnie Carl Gruben, placed 3rd in the pole vault, 4th in the 800 and 2nd in the mile run, so he had a real good day. From Breckenridge we made a hurried trip on Stamford where another grandchild, Evette Gruben, was participating in a Beauty Pageant. It was so nice and I never saw so many darling little girls in my life, not to mention the bigger ones. Fisher County was well represented, as Cassie Dawn Terry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Terry of Roby, and granddaughter Bunny and Maxine Terry, was crowned Mini Queen of the Miss La Petite Class and she

was also chosen Most Photogenic-what a little doll she is. Then Stephanie Frierson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Frierson, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kiker all of Roby, was picked Mini Queen in Out Little Miss Division; she is sure a beautiful little girl and so talented. Evette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilber

Gruben, was picked Universal Beauty, Miss Photogenic, Miss Congeniality and crowned the Ideal Miss. Of course, we were proud of her and now all of these will go on to the State contest in Houston. We want to wish them all the best of luck there. Well, this is about all for this week. See you next Thursday.

Rotan Nursing Center

It looks like Spring outside with several fruit trees in bloom and a lot of other trees and bushes blooming. A.B. Parker has been here today cutting the mens hair and Dianne has been giving permanents to several of the ladies. We really appreciate both of them for coming to the home to do this for our residents. Several of our residents are planning a trip to the Senior Citizens Center to have lunch one day this week. Several of the residents said they would love to get to visit and eat with some of their friends that they don't get to visit with very often. Visitors in the home last week were Mike Rodriguez of Abilene to see Johnnie Trejo. Visiting Romie Kersh was Betty Bredemeyer, Melissa and

Nicholas of Snyder, also Heather and Amber of Hamlin. Mrs. Barber visited Emily Garrett; visiting Vineat Goodman was J.G. and Bennie White of Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Sims of Sweetwater. Sammy Hudnall of Austin visited Annabell Hudnall. Maurine Mitchell had all of her children and most of her grandchildren here over the weekend to celebrate her birthday. Loyd and Wilma Cunningham of DeKalb visited Fay Neves. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lawrence of Odessa visited Lulline Blount and Fay McClure. Other visitors in the home were Johnnie and Doris Floyd of Midland, Lee Fairley, W.M. Wall and Clyde Brown of Snyder.

Lora Cleveland

Fisher County Nursing Home

We've started an Arts and Crafts class and the residents seem to be enjoying it. We are making quilted picture frames. If anyone wants to help us they are welcome. We have class the last 2 Fridays of the month. I want to thank Mr. Collins for getting the "Employee of the Month" pin. That was very kind of him. Our bingo winners were Nellie McGuire and Dove Bleivins. Our visitors last week were: to see Mr. Warren,

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Klett and Carl Hendrix; Mr. Deel-W.S. Deel from Levelland; Nadine Miller and Nettie Miller from Jayton; Faye Cooper visited Mrs. Milliron; Darell Carter from San Angelo visited Clara Carter. Other visitors were Venna Levens, San Angelo, Evelyn Cahill, Covington, Louisiana and J.G. and Bennie White from Stephenville. We had a big group from W.M.U. Wednesday from the First Baptist Church. We really enjoyed them. Reyna Garcia

Center Extension Club

Fifteen members and two visitors attended the Center Extension Homemakers Club, Tuesday when they met in the Annex in Roby. Fay Anderson, President, called the meeting to order and introduced the visitors, then Louise Mahaffee directed a quiz for recreation.

Bernice Randolph, club secretary, called the roll and read the minutes, Britty Turnbow gave the council report, stating the 4-H girls dress review will be held Sunday, March 24, at 2:30 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building at Rotan. Louise Mahaffee was elected nominee from Center Club, to go to Quannah to the District meeting, in April.

The meeting was then turned over to Britty Turnbow for the program, "Breast Cancer-How to detect it." She stated that breast cancer can be detected earlier now, than in the past and can be cured if found soon enough, therefore urged members to self examine or go to the doctor regularly for such check ups, especially women over 50. New methods of detecting cancer, thermography, is proving successful and

soon other than breast surgery will be offered. She passed out material showing how to self examine and other information on the subject. The program was well received and was most informative. The next meeting of the club will be March 26, at the annex in Roby, with Alice Ballenger giving the program "Advice on Accessories". Visitors are always welcome.

Be Jay Hawkins and Imogene Harvey were hostesses and at the social hour served dips, chips, cookies and tea from a table laid in pink centered with a bowl of spring flowers. Those present were as follows: Bernice Randolph, Audie Burk, Louise Mahaffee, Liz Schoenecker, Helon Thornburg, Myrtle Moore, Elizabeth Billingsley, Britty Turnbow, Fila Campbell, Fay Anderson, Eilene Cave, Luella Waddell, and a visitor, Louise Martinez and Bea Jay Hawkins.

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