

Commissioners Approve Consolidation

The members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court, in a special meeting last Tuesday morning, voted to tentatively approve the plan to

consolidate the Rotan Police Department with the Fisher County Sheriff's Department. The consolidation plan was given approval by commis-

ioners by a vote of 3-1 with Commissioners Jay Hendon, Jimmie Wright, and Billy Henderson voting in favor of the move and commissioner Tommie

Jack Stuart voting against. The plan is expected to receive approval from the members of the Rotan City Council. They met last Tuesday night.

Rotan Mayor Jerry Marshall last Tuesday that he intends to schedule a town meeting and field the comments of Rotan citizens on the proposed move in the

very near future. Marshall and the other members of the Rotan City Council are of the opinion that the consolidation will save the Rotan City approximately \$30,000 a year in funds. The proposed budget for the Rotan Police Department for 1986 is \$108,000.

County in exchange for the Fisher County Sheriff's Department placing two resident deputies in Rotan and assuming control of local law enforcement. Rotan would maintain a night patrolman under the new plan.

Although the proposed budget of \$108,000 for 1986 contains funds for the purchase of a new vehicle under the police department budget, Mayor Mar-

shall is confident the move to consolidate will save \$30,000 a year. The plan is expected to be presented to Rotan residents in the next few weeks at a town meeting. The commissioners only discussed the law enforcement matter last Tuesday. They are scheduled to have their regular meeting on Wednesday, November 13th.

The Rotan City, through Mayor Jerry Marshall, volunteered to pay an annual fee of \$50,000 to the Fisher



ROTAN CHEERLEADERS: The above 5 Rotan Cheerleaders are making preparations to lead cheers at the Rotan basketball games beginning next week. Left to right: Penny Yanez, Jackie Martinez, Jenna Thornton, Evette Gruben, and Pearl Huitt.

Richard Gaona Resigns Roby Board Position

The members of the Roby Independent School Board accepted the resignation of board member Richard Gaona at their meeting last Monday night. Gaona, recently elected for a three year term, resigned for personal reasons. After his resignation was

accepted, the board hired his wife, Cynthia Gaona, as a Hispanic aide in the Roby Elementary System. The board appointed Scott Feagan, next in line according to the vote count at the last election, to replace Gaona and fill his unexpired term.

In Monday's meeting the board approved the annual Performance Report on the Roby Independent School District as required by

House Bill 72. This report is available for inspection at the Roby School Library and Administrative offices. The board appointed the Text Book Committee for 1986-87 as follows: Jimmie Laurie, George Price, Mickey Early, Merle Lovett, Mrs. Freddie Stuart, Rickey Williams, Terry Arons, Ron Hester, Kay Moore, Ruth Davis and Marilyn Burrows.

Commodities Distribution

The Rural Wrens with the help of the Young Farmers and the 4-H Clubs will hand out food commodities Saturday, November 16, starting at 8:30 a.m. lasting until 10:30 a.m.

Book Review Club Meeting

The Book Review Club will meet at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, Tuesday, November 19. The guest speaker will be Kathryn Duff of Abilene, reviewing James Michener's new book "Texas". The public is cordially invited. Admission is \$2 for non-members.

Total 2,009 Bales Ginned By Fisher County Gins

Area gins were kept busy this past week by local cotton growers who were bringing in their harvest. In fact, Terry Gin, which began ginning only a week ago baled 362 bales in that seven day period. In all, 2009 bales of cotton have been ginned this season..most of the gins reported good turnouts. Recent wet weather had delayed some harvest-

ing but all of the gins are ready to accept cotton. Hobbs gin reports a total of 356 bales ginned, Farmers Union Coop Gin has baled 192 bales, Farmers Gin stands at 415. 70 bales of cotton have been ginned this season by Rotan Gin, 76 bales by Longworth Gin, Terry Gin reports 363 bales and Sylvester Gin has worked 138 bales.

expects to have recommendations on placement and maintenance of the plan for next year.

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Two County Cities Receive Total \$15,643 Combined City Tax Funds

State Comptroller Bob Bullock recently sent checks totaling \$15,643.43 to Rotan and Roby representing the cities share of the one-percent city tax. The most recent checks saw Rotan receive \$12,134.11 while Roby got a check for \$3,509.32. The

checks Rotan and Roby received were part of \$115.2 million sent to some 1,010 cities that levy the tax.

Total 1985 payments received by both cities amount to \$77,699.23 with Roby getting \$14,316.86

and Rotan receiving \$63,382.37. For the same period 1984 total payments were \$73,760.49. Roby for that period received \$14,329.03 while Rotan received \$59,431.46.

The overall percent of change in payments to Rotan and Roby 1984 to

1985 amounted to a gain in payments of 5.34% with Rotan showing a gain of 6.85 and Roby showing a slight decrease of 0.08%.

A comparison of other area communities and their payments is listed below.

Bob Bullock Comptroller of Public Accounts						
November 6, 1985						
County/City	City Code	Net Payment This Period	Comparable Payment Prior Year	1985 Payments To Date	1984 Payments To Date	% Change (To Date)
Fisher	076027	\$3,509.32	\$3,070.25	\$14,316.86	\$14,221.02	-0.68%
Roby	076010	\$12,134.11	\$11,090.21	\$63,382.37	\$59,539.47	6.45%
County Total		\$15,643.43	\$13,966.46	\$77,699.23	\$73,760.49	5.34%
Jones	127024	\$9,990.04	\$10,581.85	\$72,724.58	\$70,784.44	2.74%
Anson	127017	\$764.56	\$764.56	\$6,240.56	\$6,240.56	0.00%
Haskell	127044	\$1,131.02	\$1,131.02	\$8,799.92	\$8,799.92	0.00%
Knott	127053	\$1,784.03	\$1,784.03	\$14,574.30	\$14,574.30	0.00%
Lueders	127053	\$2,254.50	\$1,554.91	\$9,995.23	\$9,075.05	10.14%
Stamford	127053	\$23,518.77	\$22,201.86	\$187,708.42	\$189,238.31	-0.80%
County Total		\$53,679.16	\$48,390.29	\$365,010.89	\$343,274.26	6.33%
Kent	132010	\$1,584.57	\$1,053.87	\$9,525.32	\$8,375.48	13.73%
Knock	130032	\$764.56	\$661.11	\$2,501.59	\$3,127.89	-17.67%
Goree	130041	\$815.05	\$1,256.23	\$5,372.30	\$5,004.24	7.35%
Knock City	130014	\$10,572.88	\$9,810.89	\$76,544.88	\$71,189.30	7.49%
Munday	130023	\$6,603.48	\$6,170.08	\$47,686.39	\$43,401.56	9.87%
County Total		\$18,735.95	\$17,690.21	\$130,007.16	\$122,702.99	5.95%
Holan	177025	\$4,588.01	\$3,967.27	\$27,235.23	\$30,130.24	-9.61%
Sweetwater	177014	\$90,189.53	\$72,400.94	\$672,787.42	\$599,532.22	12.26%
County Total		\$94,777.54	\$76,368.23	\$700,022.65	\$629,662.46	11.21%
Scurry	208019	\$105,959.95	\$92,309.76	\$789,364.75	\$821,567.23	-3.92%
Shackelford	209027	\$10,540.44	\$14,682.54	\$122,457.64	\$105,019.80	17.73%
Albany	209018	\$1,047.41	\$1,084.43	\$3,278.30	\$3,491.45	-6.33%
County Total		\$119,588.07	\$115,686.97	\$125,727.94	\$107,511.25	16.94%
Stonewall	217018	\$7,882.95	\$7,080.91	\$57,488.23	\$50,531.88	13.77%



ROBY HONORS: The 1985 Roby Lion Football Sweetheart and Band Sweetheart were recently named. Gary Teague, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Teague, escorted Football Sweetheart Tammy Mauldin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Mauldin.



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Rotan School Board Appoints Twelve To Student Discipline Committee

The members of the Rotan School Board appointed a total of twelve teachers, parents and students to the advisory committee for the Rotan Student Discipline Manage-

ment plan at last Monday night's meeting. Those appointed to serve include: Aurora Nowlin, Irma Carreon, Joy Stinson, Jody Powell, Kevin Smith, Connie Early, John Soliz,

David Stevens, Don Bryan, M.T. Hill, David Hargrove, and Alton Fields. The discipline management plan is part of the new requirements under House Bill 72 and advisory committee members serve to keep the public inform-

ed. Board members cast ballots for two individuals in the initial process to elect members of the Fisher County Appraisal District Board of Directors.

The board cast 1,000 votes for Clay Fowler and 120 votes for Herbert Moore.

The board discussed the purchase of an additional bus for the Rotan bus fleet. No action was taken. Superintendent Alton Fields is to conduct a use study of miles traveled, students bussed, etc., to present to the board at the

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Conrad Hamric Receives McMurry Highest Honor

Conrad Hamric was inducted into Alpha Chi Thursday evening, Nov. 7, in the Presidential Room of the McMurry Student Center. Dr. Robert W. Sledge, president of the National Council and sponsor of the James Winford Hunt Chapter of Alpha Chi.

Honors include Outstanding Freshmen Biology Student, runnerup for Sophomore and senior class favorite, Dean's List, National Dean's List, recipient of the Presidential Scholarship, endowed scholarship, Methodist scholarship, and McMurry Band scholarship.

In a letter from Dr. Sledge to Conrad, he said: This is to inform you that you have been elected to the highest academic honor McMurry College bestows—membership in Alpha Chi National College Honor Scholarship Society. Your academic standing and your reputation on campus were the bases for your selection. ...Alpha Chi has been the general honor society at McMurry since 1926. Today we are one of about 250 active chapters around the United States.

Activities include Model United Nations of the Southwest from 1982 through this year, two years in McMurry Indian Band, reporter for the War Whoop, and on Indian Insight staff for two years. He was one of 3 students to represent McMurry to Rotoract. He was State President of Children of the American Revolution and is now National Publicity Chairman of same. He was finalist for Stenholm's Summer Congressional Internship and was elected Outstanding C.A.R. member by the Texas Society Daughters of the American Revolution.

Eastern Star Sets Supper For Masons

The members of the Rotan Eastern Star organization will have a Thanksgiving meal on Saturday, November 16th at 7:00 p.m., for all members of the Rotan Masonic Lodge and their families.

The supper will be held at the Rotan Masonic Lodge.



Conrad Hamric



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FOOTBALL HERO: Darry Thomson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thomson of Roby was named Football Hero recently. Above he receives congratulations from the Cheerleaders.

Golden Haven News

It feels like old man winter is here upon us. It's a busy time of the year.

Jewel Crowder is in Humana Hospital in Abilene. We hope she is feeling better soon.

Last week I forgot to thank Leslie and Megan Harwell of Sylvester for helping with our Halloween party. Megan came dressed in her costume and passed out treats to us.

Visiting Hazel Smith-Roy and Amy Dee Harrison of Anson. Visiting Letha Meek-Clyde, Helen and Travis Pickens of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Judy Justiss of Sweetwater. Visiting Jess Brooks-Timothy Huff, Harold Kinser of Midland; visiting Myrtle Kelton-Earl Dry of Cisco; visiting Artie Johnson-Olan and Joe Dell Johnson of Odessa, Pat Dickson of Virginia and Nelda Dickson of Sweetwater. Visiting Ezell Whitten-May Hurst and Ruth Brown of Sylvester. Visiting Elizabeth Hale-Mike, Barbara, Kyle, Kimberly and Kirk Hale of Abilene, Tommy Ed and Betty Hale of Sweetwater, Geneva Perkins of Wylie. Visiting Addie Kinsey-May Hurst of Sylvester.

Our bingo winner was Johnnie Mulanax.

The residents enjoyed the Methodist Sunday Services. Thank you. We thank Billie Holcomb,

James and Cynthia Putnam for their Sunday morning services.

Tempie West

Rotan School To Dismiss Early, Nov. 15th

The Rotan school will dismiss classes on Friday, November 15th at 2:30 p.m., according to Superintendent Alton Fields. The busses will run at 2:30 p.m.

The purpose for the early dismissal is to allow the faculty time to prepare for the accreditation visit from the Texas Education Agency.

Rural Wrens Hold Regular Meeting

The Rural Wrens Extension Club met November 11 at the Courthouse Annex. Tempie West called the meeting to order. We discussed ideas for a program at the Extension Homemakers Council Christmas Party.

Becca Frierson served refreshments to guest Kristi Williamson; members Kay Moore, Sandy Pullig, Danette Pope, Tempie West, Marsha Smith, Jan Clark, Lisa Carey, Karan McClure, and Cindy Lewis. Our next meeting will be at the Courthouse Annex November 25th.

Roby City Council To Accept Bids On Building

If all goes as planned the City of Roby will soon have a new focal point for community activities. Roby council agreed to accept bids on renovating the old Veterans Building in town in order to make it a community center.

Other than the Pink Building, Roby has no community center according to City Manager Jimmy Price. The Veterans Building, given to the City by the Veterans of Foreign Wars is an ideal place for such a center. It is hoped that remodeling work can transform the building into a place for meetings and other community activities.

Senior Citizens To Hold "Make Up Meal"

Friday, Nov. 15, there will be a "Make Up Meal" at 6:30 followed by Country-Western Music.

Saturday, Nov. 16th is commodity day in Roby. Friday, Nov. 22nd the G.W. Kitchen band will perform at 7 p.m. Admission is \$2.00 per person.

Saturday, Nov. 23rd, there will be a combination Bake and Chili sale. 9:00 a.m. til 4:00 p.m. Chili \$2.75 per lb.

Tuesday, November 28, the Center will be closed.

Friday, Nov. 29th, there will be no noon meal, but we will have a covered dish supper at 6:30 p.m. Rick Boen will entertain. Donations will be taken up for the band.

Monday, Dec. 3rd, shopping trip to Abilene. Leave the Center at 9:00 a.m., back home by 4-maybe.

Voters approved the Texas Water Plan in last week's election, and a West Texas state senator now expects a flashflood of applicants applying for a piece of the \$1.43 billion water package.

Another state senator calls it "pork barrel heaven for the water hustlers."

Under its two parts, the

State will sell \$980 million in bonds to raise money for reservoirs, treatment plants and flood control projects and \$250 million to back water bonds sold by local governments.

Lubbock state Sen. John Montford, one of the bill's authors, said several projects now on the drawing boards will qualify for

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he says will prevent appeals courts from overturning convictions because of minor flaws and typographical errors in indictments.

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need for more than \$560 million in employer taxes. One of two major layoffs could affect the trust fund severely, according to one official.

In recent weeks, the Texas unemployment rate went from around 7 percent to 8.1 percent. Some 1,400 more jobs will be lost when General Tire closes its Waco plant.

Made in Japan
When you buy your next license plates, the reflective material may be made by a Japanese company which nosed out 3M Corporation for the state contract.

But 3M isn't giving up and has hired a law firm to plead its case. Handling the case for 3M are former state representative Lynn

Nabors and Pike Powers, the latter being a former assistant to Gov. White.

Up to bat for Sakai Trading is White's campaign treasurer, Shannon Ratliff. Rounding out the cast is another former White aide, Bubba Steen, head of the state agency which awarded the contract.

Sakai underbid 3M, but production has been stalled by complications in applying the reflective material to the metal and three deadline extensions have not been met.

Prison officials have asked Steen to cancel the Sakai contract. Last month, Gov. White visited Japan in a futile attempt to persuade Toyota to build an automobile plant in Texas.

Read 1 John 1:1-5

The crowd asked, "How is it, then, that all of us hear them speaking in our own native languages?" —Acts 2:8 (rev)

HAVING read every issue of *The Upper Room* and the many meditations sent in from all parts of the world, I remain convinced that what happened to the devout in Jerusalem on that first Christian Pentecost, still happens. Men and women heard the word of God in a way that spoke straight to their souls—in a way they could understand. The power of the Holy Spirit flooded their being as never before.

Men and women of every tongue and culture who have responded to Christ's bidding have found the comfort of God's love, the knowledge of God's grace, the sureness of God's wisdom, the quickening of God's power, the joy of God's presence, and the hope of God's provisions. Their testimonies affirm that those who trust in God are not disappointed. They say without doubt that the basis of peace is trust in God. God may deny our request, but God will never disappoint our trust.

PRAYER: O Lord, our hope is in You. May we have directness of speech to declare Your truth and reflect Your glory. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

A truth not practiced is a truth not believed.

Worship This Week At A Fisher County Church

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-ROTAN 735-2334 W.H. (Fred) Brown-Pastor Sunday School 9:15 Worship Service 10:30 Sunday Evening 6:00	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	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)	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
CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH 735-2178 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening-Training Union 8:00 Worship 7:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. Howard Jones-Int. Pastor	LITTLE ZION 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	CHURCH OF CHRIST-ROTAN 735-2344 Donald Dawes-Minister Sunday School 9:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Worship 10:45 Wed. Morn. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 Wed. Evening 7:30 Bible Study	CHURCH OF CHRIST-ROBY 776-2496 Wardell Halliburton-Minister Sunday School 10:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00-Nov.-April-8:00 May-Oct.
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	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	CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE Lyndell McDaniel-Pastor Sunday School 9:45 Wed. Night Worship Worship 11:00	FOURSQUARE CHURCH 735-2553 Claud Fry-Pastor Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00
EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH 735-2478 B.O. Aniness Rodriguez-Pastor Rotan, Tx. Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 5:30 Wed. Night 7:30	SYLVESTER BAPTIST CHURCH 993-4478 Sylvester Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. Pat Hatfield-Pastor	MARANATHA CHURCH Bill Dickson-Pastor Roby, Texas Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening 6:00 Wednesday 7:00 a.m. 6:00 a.m.	MISSION BAUTISTA CALVARIO Art Flores-Pastor Roby, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 5:30 Worship 6:00 Wed. Night 7:30

Funeral Held For Estelle Carey Elmore

Estelle Carey Elmore, 72, of Aspermont, died at 9:45 Wednesday in the Stonewall Memorial Hospital in Rotan with Rev. James Wood, retired Baptist Minister from Aspermont, officiating. Burial was in the Rotan Cemetery. She was born Dec. 14, 1912 in Clairmont and was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Augustus T. Bunch. She worked for 15 years as an LVN in the Stonewall Memorial Hospital before retiring 5 years ago. She lived in Sweetwater before moving to Aspermont 18 years ago. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include 2 sons: Harold Carey of Sweetwater and Alford Carey, Roby; 2 daughters: Margie Gallagher, Amarillo; Lola Blythe, Meridian, Miss.; 2 brothers: Gus Bunch, Austin and Woody Bunch, Borger; 2 sisters: Zula Edwards, Rotan and Elza Sharp, Aspermont; 20 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

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Tax Planning

By Richard Rodgers
CPA



BUSINESS BUDGETING

Budgeting is not just for big business, just as building plans are not for large buildings.

Many small business owners feel that budgeting is cumbersome and unnecessary. Small businesses need a budget (a plan of operation) just like a house builder needs a plan. The budget should be used as a guideline for the yearly operations and not as something so inflexible as to hinder good business decisions.

Most small businesses can design a budget from last year's financial statements. Review each account on last year's profit and loss statement starting with sales. With input from your employees, you should be able to make reasonable estimates on all of the income and expense items for the next twelve months. If there are some unusual factors such as adding a new product line or opening a new business location, these must be taken into consideration.

Again, your budget is not cast in bronze. As your year progresses, you can compare your actual monthly operating statements with your budget. Large variations from the budget, either up or down, should have some logical explanation. For a budget to be most useful, you should have monthly financial statements prepared immediately after the close of the month. Old financial information or statements as infrequent as quarterly, provide you with information too late to take corrective steps in problem areas.

If your business is small, your budget can be very simple and inexpensive to prepare. If your business is larger (more employees, more locations, etc.), your budget will be even more beneficial and the costs of preparation and review will be recovered by the use of the budget.

To maximize the benefits from your budget, seek professional assistance for its preparation and review.

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Team Captains Elected At Rotan

The Rotan Yellowhammer football players and coaches elected three permanent team captains for the 1985 season last week, according to Richard Gorman, Head Coach and Athletic Director.

The three elected were: John Pease, Ward Hayes, and David Zambrano.

Scholarships Made Available

Each year the Permian Honor Scholarship Foundation makes scholarships available to many students who graduate in the top quarter of their classes. Those eligible for consideration from this area are: Tammy Mauldin and Gary Teague of Roby.

Funeral Services Held For Allie Lou Compton

Allie Lou Compton, 85, of Lubbock, died November 2. Graveside services were held Tuesday at 3 p.m. Burial was in the Roby Cemetery. Born June 11, 1900 in Decatur, Texas, she was

the daughter of the late Robert B. and Florence Givens Boydston. She married James A. Compton in Decatur, July 4, 1918. He died Sept. 28, 1968. She had been a resident of Lubbock for 8 years moving there from Rotan, where she was a nurse for 30 years with the Callan. She was a member of the First Baptist Church and a member of the Winsome Sunday School Class.

She is survived by two daughters: Mrs. Robert L. (Maxine) Hobbs of Waco and Mrs. B.J. (Jerry) Rutledge of Lubbock; one sister, Mrs. W.B. (Faye) Gage of Decatur; four grandchildren; seven great grandchildren and two great great grandchildren.

Palette And Brush Club Holds Meeting

The Palette and Brush Club met Nov. 4, for an all day workshop. We had drawing lessons given by Esme Glenn.

Those attending were Pay Anderson, Nan Arnett, Doshia Cave, Billie Coffman, Sis Killingsworth, Edna McArthur, Bobbie McKinney, Sue Medrano, Glenna Gene Moore, Bee Jae Hawkins, Jane Sparks, Jackie Terry, and Carolyn Simmons.

The next meeting will be Nov. 18. It will be an all day workshop with Myrtle Joiner.



GOES TO STATE: James Gantt, a Sophomore at Roby High School participated in the State Cross Country Meet in Georgetown, Tx., this passed weekend. James placed 18th out of over 100 runners.

Diane DuBose Honored For Writing By The Texas Division Of The American Cancer Society Recently

Diane DuBose, a Fisher County resident, has been honored for her writing by the Texas division of the American Cancer Society. The statewide writing award was presented Wednesday night, Oct. 16, during the Cancer Society's 40th annual convention at La Mansion Hotel

in Austin. ACS conducts the Texas Media Awards Program each year. DuBose won in the opinion division, weekly newspapers, for a column she wrote for the Western Observer of Anson. Currently she is editor/general manager of that publication. Kim Pease of

Rotan is publisher of the Western Observer with Donnie Lucas of Albany.

The column told of the problems encountered when a person attempts to stop smoking. It appeared on Nov. 15, 1984, date of the Great American Smokeout sponsored by the American Cancer Society. This year's Smokeout is scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 21. Judges described DuBose as a "natural writer." She is the recipient of various other writing and photography awards from the Texas Press Association, West Texas Press Association, Panhandle Press Association, Gulf Coast Press Association, South Texas Press Association, and the Texas Safety Commission.

DuBose is the immediate past president of the Jones County unit of the American Cancer Society, serving two terms from 1983 to 1985. The current presi-

dent is Dr. Gervis Galbraith of Stamford.

The writer also is chairman of the Opera House Committee of the Jones County Historical Commission, a member of the vocational education advisory committee of the Anson Independent School District and the advisory committee for the handicapped for Jones County. She was elected alternate delegate to the state convention of the Texas Democratic Party in 1984, representing Jones County; in 1982, representing Wilson County; and in 1980, representing Guadalupe County.

She holds a master's degree in public affairs and a bachelor's degree in journalism from the University of Texas at Austin.

DuBose and her husband, George E. Arbones, live in rural Fisher County near McCauley where they are remodeling a turn-of-the-century home.

Fisher County Hospital News

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital from Nov. 5 thru Nov. 11 were: Rachel Sepeda; Joshua E. Sepeda; Cynthia L. Greene; Kristi J. Holt; Aaron G. Greene; Grier D. Coan; Karolyn K. Kennedy; Jesse O. Hudnall; Ernest R. Lee; Sarah F. Porter; and Justin Mor-

row, all of Rotan; Ophelia E. Bennett; Mark R. Mauldin; Loyce A. Sutton; Douglas A. Vahlenkamp; and Billy W. Cook, all of Roby; Brenda K. Adames; and Jewell O. Crowder, both of Sweetwater; William Ellington, Snyder; John P. Maberry, Sylvester; Peggy L. Mathis, Rule.

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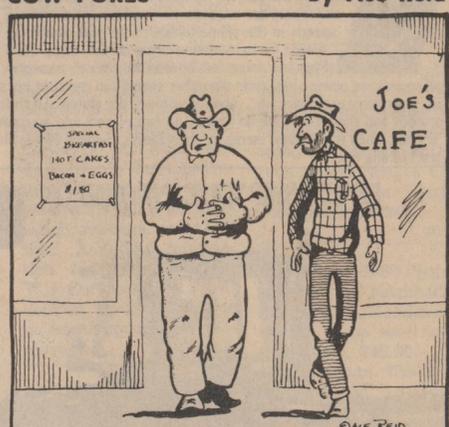


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Roby FFA Teams Qualify

The Roby FFA participated in the Double Mtn. District FFA leadership contest Monday, the 11th at Hamlin. The leadership contests consists of Chapter conducting skills, radio, quiz, and extemporaneous speaking.

Roby's Jr. Farm Skill team placed first at the contest and will travel to Howard County Jr. College in Big Spring on Nov. 23rd to compete in the Area II FFA leadership

contest. Team members are Joey Teague, Craig Maxwell, Carter Edmondson, and Jay Linn Helm. They presented their skill on trouble shooting small gas engines.

The Sr. Farm Skill Team consisting of Clifton Terry, Gary Teague, Warren Huff, and Benny Carreon placed second in District competition and will travel to Area with their skill. The skill was also on trouble shooting small gas

engines.

Roby's Sr. Chapter Conducting Team of Jeff Branson, Jeff Morton, Paul Hyer, Jody Mauldin, Darry Thomson, Gerry Streety, and Marlon Terry placed third in District. They did an excellent job in competition and just barely missed qualifying for area.

Other teams competing in District were the Radio Team of Mary Lee Hicks, Rudy Wallace, and Randall Teel. They presented a script on application of pesticides. The other team was the FFA Quiz team and members were Norris Green, Buddy Williamson, Joe Paul Barrera.

Qualify For Scholarships

Each year the American Society for Distinguished High School Students awards scholarships to deserving seniors across the nation. Area students eligible for these honors are: Tammy Mauldin and Gary Teague, of Roby.



SR. FARM SKILL TEAM: The above 4 boys will travel to Area competition. They placed 2nd in District Competition. Left to right: Gary Teague, Warren Huff, Clifton Terry and Benny Carreon.



FIRST PLACE TEAM: Roby's Jr. Farm Skill Team competed at the Double Mtn. Dist. FFA Leadership and placed First. Left to right: Craig Maxwell, Jay Linn Helm, Joey Teague and Carter Edmondson.



ROBY'S SR. CHAPTER CONDUCTING TEAM: The Roby Sr. Chapter Conducting Team placed Third at the Double Mountain District FFA Leadership held last weekend. Left to right (top) Paul Hyer, Marlon Terry, Jody Mauldin, Jeff Branson. Bottom left to right: Jeff Morton, Darry Thomson and Gerry Streety.

Fisher Co. Food Show Winners

Eleven Fisher County 4-H'ers competed in the District 3 4-H Food Show Saturday. Competing against 4-H'ers represent-

Roby Lions Fall To Forsan In Closer

The Roby Lions ended their 85 season Friday night when they traveled to Forsan to play the State ranked Buffaloes.

The Lions lost by a score of 40 to 0 but played a good game. They were able to hold the Buffaloes to 7 points in the 1st quarter, and that score came with only 2 seconds left on the clock.

Forsan scored again late in the second quarter to have a 14 to 0 half time lead. The Lions came out in the second half and turned the ball over to Forsan on their first two possessions. The Buffaloes had only to go 14 and 21 yards for two quick scores early in the 3rd quarter and the scored again on their last posses-

ing twenty other counties all eleven came home with a blue ribbon. Both Evette Gruben, a senior in the snacks and desserts and

sion of that quarter. Forsan scored one more time in the final quarter to make 40 points for the night.

The Lions ended their season with a 2 and 8 record.

Rotan Menu

Monday: Corn Dogs w/ mustard; french fries w/ catsup; cheese; orange wedge; chocolate cake; milk.

Tuesday: Bean chalupas; buttered corn; lettuce and tomato salad; fruit bars; milk.

Wednesday: Fried fish w/ tartar sauce; country fried potatoes; green beans; carrot, celery sticks; hot rolls; honey; butter; iced cake; milk.

Thursday: Beef vegetable soup; grilled cheese; vegetable sticks; crackers; cookies; milk.

Friday: Hot dogs w/ chili; pork and beans; french fries w/ catsup; cheese wedge; coconut pudding; milk.

Jan Posey, a senior in the Main Dish won alternate in their division giving each a possibility of going to State 4-H Food Show.

Winning first place in the beef award were Evette Gruben, Jan Posey and Zachery Clark. The beef award is a cash prize sponsored by the Cowbells

of Texas.

Other 4-H'ers winning the blue ribbons in addition to the three names above are Juniors: Anita Floyd, Missy McKinney, Traci Hull. Intermediates are Margaret Billingsley, Audra Lewis, Stephanie Frierson. Seniors, Charla Wiley and Carye Gruben.

Adults attending were Carol Posey, Patti Park, Florence Wiley, Carol Ann Gruben, Sheila Gruben, Cindy Lewis, Becca Frierson, Gloria Floyd, Mike and Debbie Hull, Jan Clark, Margie Kisselburg, Dinah McKinney and Extension Agents Pete Flores and Alice Ballenger.

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Senior Citizen Tax Deferral Registration In Fisher County

By simply filing a sworn affidavit with the Fisher County Appraisal District, homeowners age 65 and over in Fisher County can defer payment of property taxes on their homesteads. If an elderly taxpayer has already been sued to collect delinquent taxes on his homestead, he can still take advantage of the

"over 65 tax deferral" by filing an affidavit with the court in which the suit is pending. Teddy Kral, chief appraiser of the Fisher County Appraisal District, explained that once an over 65 taxpayer properly files the tax deferral affidavit, state law prevents taxing units from initiating or

pursuing delinquent tax suits on the homestead for as long as the applicant owns and lives at that property. Kral said that elderly homeowners can obtain forms for the deferral affidavit at the Fisher County Appraisal District office. The homeowner should fill out the form and have his signature witnessed by a notary public or other official authorized to take oaths, he added. Kral stressed that the tax deferral only postpones tax payments, it does not dismiss them. "Elderly

homeowners should understand that the taxes, penalties and interest will continue to add up," he explained. "Once the homeowner no longer qualifies for the deferral—that is, if he no longer owns or resides at that homestead—all those deferred amounts must be paid. At that time taxing units may sue to collect the delinquent taxes, penalties and interest, and foreclose on the property." More information is available by contacting the Fisher County Appraisal District at 915-776-7733.

Rotan Nursing Center News

We would like to thank Clay and Margie Fowler, Jay and Marie Hendon for the fish fry. Saturday, Jay and Clay did a good job of frying the fish despite the wind blowing. The residents and staff really enjoyed the fish.

Edna Eaton has decided to move to Hamlin so she could be with her friends. We are going to miss her but hope she will be happy there.

Lora Cleveland

We are going to have our olympic party for the residents Thursday, November the 14th at 2:30 and we would like to invite everyone to attend. Friday the 15th, we are going to have our craft sale from 9:00 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Visitors in the home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Kert Dawson of Austin visiting Maurine Mitchell, Dorothy Faulkenberry of Tucson, Arizona visiting Emily Garrett. Roy Rodgers and Dorothy White of Tucson, Arizona visited Annabell Hudnall. Linda and Tracy Klepper of Rockwell visited G.W. Finch and Loyd and Loelar Crawford of Arlington visi-



Sal White

Sal White To Administrate Golden Haven

Sal White, a native of New York, has been named as the new administrator of Golden Haven Nursing Home in Roby. White came to Fisher County from Jacksonville where he was intern administrator at Twin Oaks Convalescent Center. He is a graduate of Syracuse University and received his Allied Health Certificate from the University of New Mexico.

Teague, Mauldin Qualify For Who's Who

Each year "Who's Who Among High School Students" recognizes academic excellence and awards scholarships to deserving seniors across the nation. Area students eligible for this honor are: Tammy Mauldin and Gary Teague, Roby.

Fisher County Nursing Home News

It's really getting cold now! We've been staying indoors and really enjoy our visitors.

Fred Houghton went home with his family Saturday and came back late Saturday evening.

Today, Monday, is Veteran's Day. We don't have any veterans, but we all want to honor all veterans by saying we admire them all.

Also Maebell Ogden's birthday was today. Her sister, Mrs. Leach, brought her a very pretty cake and we sang "Happy Birthday".

Our bingo winner was Ray Morrow. And our domino winner was Fred

Houghton. Our visitors were Lula Mae Crawford from Hamlin, Curtis, Neva and Stephen McQueen from Roby visiting Clara Carter. Mrs. Lurleen Young from Hamlin visited Mrs. McGuire. Faye Cooper, Mrs. Milliron's daughter came and took Bunnie out. Ann Croon and Ernest Houghton from Odessa, Texas came Saturday and took him out all day. Mr. Al Herrera from Sweetwater visited Susie Soliz. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Ogden from Kosee, Tex. visited Maebell Ogden. Reyna Garcia

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Legal Notices

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF TEXAS by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of FISHER County, on the 24th day of September, 1985, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of the CITY OF ROTAN VS. V.G. FRANKLIN Cause #3786 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 a.m. on the 3rd day of December, 1985 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said FISHER County in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

living; to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$563.44 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of City of Rotan, ET AL
 Given Under My Hand This 25th day of September, 1985.

Mickey A. Counts
 Sheriff Fisher County
 Texas
 39:3tc

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of FISHER County, on the 24th day of September, 1985 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of the ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. CARRIE VALDEZ Cause #4080, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 3rd day of December, 1985 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said FISHER County, in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Being all that certain West 1/4 of the Southeast Quarter of Block 153, Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that Deed of Record in Volume 238, Page 495, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.
 Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of V.G. Franklin, if living; J.W. Reid, if

Original Town of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by Deed of Record in Volume 119, Page 551, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985 as the property of CARRIE VALDEZ A/K/A CARRIE PARKER, if living;

Given Under My Hand This 25th day of September, 1985.

Mickey A. Counts
 Sheriff Fisher County,
 Texas
 39:3tc

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of FISHER county, on the 24th day of September, 1985 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of the ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS.

H.C. POE, Cause #4031

and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 3rd day of December, 1985 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said FISHER County, in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Being Lots 10 and 11 in Block 254 of the inside addition of the City of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by that deed of record in Volume 34, Page 572, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September as the property of H.C. POE, if living;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$423.07 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 25th day of September, 1985.

Mickey Counts
 Sheriff Fisher County,
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Legal Notice

The City of Roby will accept sealed bids for the renovation and repairs to the American Legion Building.

Specifications may be obtained at the Roby City Hall.

Bids will be accepted until 4:30 p.m. November 20, 1985, at which time bids will be opened and considered.

The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to accept the bid deemed most advantageous.

39:2tc

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Roby Lacks Size But Has Experience

Twenty-three boys will participate in the Roby Lions High School basketball squads this year according to Mickey McCarty. Three returning start-

ers from last year's 18-5 team will be the biggest asset to the team this year. Coach McCarty said the team is a young one but that many of the boys have

been active in Junior Varsity and Junior School basketball. "We don't have much size but most of the boys have been in basketball before and have played on winning teams. It's hard to tell right now just what our strong and weak points will be," Coach McCarty said.

The sophomore class has ten students involved on the basketball team including Reggie Spencer, Jason Terry, James Gantt, John Everett, Heath Dickson, Greg Meek, Shad Rasco, Matt Floyd, Jesse Carreon, and Billy Scott.

Freshmen are Rick Onofre, Cater Edmondson, Jerry Carreon, David Shipp, and Craig Maxwell. Team manager is Larry Van Liew.

The Lion's first game will be at Haskell on November 19 beginning at 4:00 p.m.

News From South Fisher County by Bertha Warren

Hello from down South. Greg, Becky and Taylor Ogden of Midland, grandson of Ed and Ollie Ogden came to the Ogden's on Friday, then Saturday morning, Ollie, Becky and Taylor went to Brownwood to attend the wedding shower for Scott Ogden and Sheila Roberson of Conroe. Scott is also the Ogden's grandson from El Campo. Their wedding will be Dec. 7 at the Conroe Baptist Church. Ollie said they received so many lovely things.

Harvie and Cleo Davis traveled to Brownwood with a senior citizens group to attend the Octoberfest. They had a wonderful time and would recommend the trip to anyone.

Damon, Shelby and Sunni Shipp of Jayton visited Gene and Buelene Shipp Saturday.

We talked with Paul and Sheila Warren and the children Sunday and they reported still having very warm weather. Paul is senior associate pastor of the First Assembly of God in Corpus Christi.

Visiting with Vic and Erna Lee Hartgraves Saturday was Leola Clark and Ray Hartgraves of Sweetwater and the Norris Greens visited them Sunday

evening. Their college sons, Troy Hartgraves and Randel Jones are doing fine in school and are looking forward to the "Turkey Break". Boomer Hartgraves spent Friday night with a friend in Sweetwater. Vic and Erna Lee joined the V.F.W.'s of Sweetwater for breakfast Monday morning at the lodge and reported a very nice time.

Vivian Peacock hosted the quilting at the community center last week, had a good number of ladies attending. Erna Lee will host the next quilting.

Agnes Bunn and her sister, Mary Sullivan of Snyder visited several days last week with their brother, Elmer and Bessie Jones of Kermit and reported they were doing better than our last report.

Call and let us know what's going on in your world.

Decisions on the Varsity and Junior Varsity teams are still being made. Coach McCarty felt it would be about a week before he makes his final decisions.

Funeral Services Held For Joe Bethell Of Odessa

Joe Bethell, 64, of Odessa, died Sunday morning at his home after a lengthy illness. Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in Weathersbee Chapel with Rev. Jim Ritter, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Roby, officiating. Burial was in the Rotan Cemetery.

He was born Nov. 8, 1921 in Peacock, Tex. and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Bethell. He was an oil field worker, a veteran of WW II and a Methodist. Mr. Bethell was also a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He was married to Lavada Stansbury in Conway, Texas. They have lived in Odessa since 1973 moving there from Perryton.

Survivors include his wife of Odessa; 1 foster son, Billy Bedwell, Odessa; 1 daughter, Wanda Ward, Millington, Tenn.; 2 sisters: Irene Stuart, Roby and Gladys Carlton, Sweetwater; and 3 grandchildren.

Hobbs Lunch Menu

Monday: Fish; tater tots; coleslaw; puffs; milk.

Tuesday: Steakettes; potatoes; pea salad; hot rolls; cookies; milk.

Wednesday: Enchiladas; salad; red beans; hot

puffs; milk. Thursday: B B Q chicken; potatoes; corn on the cob; hot rolls; banana pudding; milk.

Friday: Hot dogs; fries; pork and beans; jello; milk.

ROTAN YELLOWHAMMERS 1985-86 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME	PLACE	TEAMS
Nov. 14	Loraine (scrimmage)	5:00	THERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Nov. 19	Weinert	4:30	HERE	V-G&B--JV-B
Nov. 22	Jayton	4:30	THERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Nov. 26	Ira	4:30	HERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Dec. 3	McCaulley	6:30	THERE	V-G&B
Dec. 6	ACHS	5:30	THERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Dec. 7	ACHS JV Tournament		THERE	JV-G&B
Dec. 10	Ira	4:30	THERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Dec. 13	TBA			
Dec. 17	Weinert	5:30	THERE	V-G&B--JV-B
Dec. 20,21	Aspermont Tournament		THERE	V-G&B
Dec. 30	Jayton	6:30	HERE	V-G&B
Jan. 3	Hamlin	4:30	THERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Jan. 7	Haskell	4:30	THERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Jan. 10	Stamford	4:00	HERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Jan. 14	Anson	4:00	HERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Jan. 17	Hawley	4:30	THERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Jan. 21	Hamlin	4:00	HERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Jan. 24	Haskell	4:00	HERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Jan. 28	Stamford	4:30	THERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Jan. 31	Anson	4:30	THERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B
Feb. 4	Hawley	4:00	HERE	V-G&B--JV-G&B

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1985-86 ROBY LIONS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME	BOYS	GIRLS
Nov. 4	Highland(Scrimmage)	Roby	6:30		A & B
Nov. 11	Winters(Scrimmage)	Roby	6:15		A & B
Nov. 14	Hawley(Scrimmage)	Roby	6:00	A & B	
Nov. 19	Haskell	Haskell	4:00	A & B	A & B
Nov. 22	Anson	Anson	4:00	A & B	A & B
Nov. 26	Robert Lee	Roby	5:00	A & B	A & B
Dec. 3	Anson	Roby	4:00	A & B	A & B
Dec. 6	Roscoe	Roscoe	6:30	A	A
Dec. 10	Trent	Trent	6:30	A	A
Dec. 12,13,14	Roby Tournament (Roby, Roscoe, Merkel, Haskell, Hamlin, Paint Creek, Lueders-Avoca, Jim Ned)				
Dec. 16	Haskell	Roby	5:00	A & B	A
Dec. 19,20,21	Tournament (Novice)			A	A
Dec. 30	Hamlin	Roby	4:00	A & B	A & B
Jan. 2,3,4	Hawley J.V. Tournament			B	B
Jan. 3	Trent	Roby	6:30	A	A

DISTRICT					
Jan. 7	Paint Creek	P. Creek	5:00	A & B	A
Jan. 10	Abilene High Freshmen	Roby	5:00		B
Jan. 10	McCaulley	Roby	6:30	A	A
Jan. 14	Rule	Roby	6:30	A	A
Jan. 17	Aspermont	Aspermont	5:00	A	A & B
Jan. 21	A.C.H.S. (non-district)	Roby	5:00	A & B	A & B
Jan. 24	Paint Creek	Roby	5:00	A & B	A
Jan. 28	McCaulley	McC	6:30	A	A
Jan. 31	Rule	Rule	6:30	A	A
Feb. 4	Aspermont	Roby	5:00	A & B	A

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Tire Name & Sidewall	Size & Type	Load Range	SALE PRICE No Trade Needed
	Traction Sure Grip Blackwall	700X15 TT	C \$ 51.60
		750X16 TT	C \$ 58.15
		750X16 TT	D \$ 65.65

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Tire Name & Sidewall	Size	Everyday Low Price With Old Tire
	Eagle S Radial Raised White Letter	P185/70R13 \$ 71.30
		P195/70R14 \$ 78.70
		P205/70R14 \$ 84.05
		P215/70R14 \$ 86.25
		P225/70R14 \$ 88.75
		P225/70R15 \$ 91.55
		P235/70R15 \$ 94.50
		P235/60R14 \$ 91.55
		P245/60R14 \$ 93.60
		P255/60R15 \$ 101.05
Sale Ends Nov. 23.		
Tire Name & Sidewall	Size	Everyday Low Price With Old Tire
	Triumph Radial Whitewall	P155/80R13 \$ 32.95
		P185/80R13 \$ 47.45
		P185/75R14 \$ 49.45
		P195/75R14 \$ 53.80
		P205/75R14 \$ 58.55
		P205/75R15 \$ 59.55
	Power Street II Whitewall	A78-13 \$ 31.60
		B78-13 \$ 32.90
		D78-14 \$ 36.40
		E78-14 \$ 37.20
		F78-14 \$ 39.60
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P185/80R13	\$56.25
P175/75R14	\$56.50
P185/75R14	\$61.35
P195/75R14	\$63.95
P205/75R14	\$67.95
P215/75R14	\$71.55
P225/75R14	\$75.15
P205/75R15	\$70.40
P215/75R15	\$73.55
P225/75R15	\$76.75
P235/75R15	\$79.95



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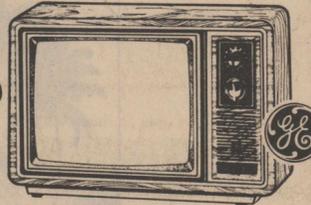
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- Sale Ends Nov. 23.

Whitewall Size	SALE PRICE No Trade Needed
P165/80R13	\$62.30
P175/80R13	\$64.15
P185/80R13	\$65.35
P175/75R14	\$65.65
P185/75R14	\$70.90
P195/75R14	\$74.30
P205/75R14	\$78.70
P195/75R15	\$79.60
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Rotan Coach Expects Good Basketball Season

Rotan Yellowhammer basketball officially gets underway on Thursday, November 14th, when the varsity and junior varsity boys and girls travel to Loraine for the first scrimmage of the season.

On Tuesday, November 19th, Rotan is scheduled to host Weinert in a scrimmage beginning at 4:30 p.m. for varsity and junior varsity players. This

scrimmage is tentative due to Weinert still being in football playoffs.

Rotan Coach Greg Gillis is entering his second year as Rotan's girls' coach. He guided the Rotan varsity girls to a 12-10 season overall in 1984-85 and a district record of 4-6 in his maiden year.

Gillis has a total of five returning letterman. Two

seniors, LaTonya Daniel and Helen Reese, 2 juniors, Vikki Wright and Evette Gruben and a sophomore, Millie Gaspar. "We plan to carry 8 or 9 girls on varsity to begin with," according to Gillis. He intends to more a few more girls up from the junior varsity when district play begins in January.

Strength wise, "no doubt our quickness is our greatest strength," said Gillis. He indicated that the biggest weakness going into this season is the size of the squad.

Rotan boys coach Billy Dunn, beginning his second year as Head Boys Varsity Basketball Coach guided his squad to a 7-15 record overall and a 3-7 record in district last year. He has a total of 5 returning letterman, 4 seniors, John Pease, Ward Hayes, Sammy Ramirez and Edward Martinez and one junior, Jerry Carter. Coach Dunn plans on carrying 8 or 9 on varsity and 10 or 11 on junior varsity for the 1985-86

season. He is counting heavily on Steve McClain and Donnie Carl Gruben, moving up from last year's junior varsity on varsity this year. "We are looking for a guard right now, to take John Pease's place since he is still hurt from a knee injury in football," said

Dunn. Dunn thinks the size of his team is the biggest plus this season. "We should be one of the

biggest teams in the district size wise". He thinks the squad will be smarter in their play and more disciplined this year.

The biggest weakness is ball handling. Dunn feels the race for district should narrow down to Rotan, Hamlin and Hawley.

Shirley Q. Roberts Died November 10

Shirley Q. Roberts, of Ringling, Okla. passed away Nov. 10, in an Ardmore Hospital. Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 13th at Marvin Acre Memorial United Methodist Church with Rev. Jesse Willside officiating. Internment was in Ringling Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Roberts was born and raised in Scurry County. The former Shirley Q. Helms, she married Lawrence N. Roberts, March 7, 1947. They moved to the Ringling area in 1951. He preceded her in death, Oct. 13, 1983. She was a longtime member of the Marvin Acre Memorial United Methodist Church. She is survived by one

son, Charlie Bob Roberts of Dallas and one sister, Winnie Church of Snyder. Nephews serving as pallbearers were: Charlie Joe, Delbert Joe and Clay Helms; Chester Roy and Pat Daniel Murphree. Services were under the direction of Alexander Funeral Home, Ringling, Okla.

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Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of HATTIE HANCOCK, if living; ODELL HANCOCK, if living; to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$948.65 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum and all costs of suit in favor of City of Rotan, ET AL

Given Under My Hand This 25 day of September, 1985

Mickey A. Counts
Sheriff Fisher County
Texas
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THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of FISHER County, on the 24th day of September, 1985 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of the ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. STONEWALL O'BRIANT, if living; ESTATE OF JOHN R. O'BRIANT Deceased;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$171.54 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985, at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 24th day of September, 1985, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of the Rotan Independent School District, ET AL VS. J.V. MCCORMICK Cause #4065 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 a.m. on the 3rd day of December, 1985 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said FISHER County, in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Being all that certain Lot 1 in Block 185 of the Inside Addition to the City of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that deed of record in Volume 71, Page 267, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of J.V. MCCORMICK, if living; ESTATE OF HOMER MARCHBANKS, Deceased; ESTATE OF CLARA BELL MARCHBANKS, if living; MARILYN YATES, if living; to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$240.75 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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All that certain Lot 8 in Block 312 of the inside addition to the City of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by deed of record in volume 30, page 474, deed records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985 as the property of GRACE WICHLINE, if living;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$215.98 with interest from the 23rd day of August 1985, at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of FISHER County, on the 24th day of September, 1985 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. JOE JOHNSON Cause #4046 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 a.m. on the 3rd day of December, 1985 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said FISHER County, in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Being all those certain lots 9 and 10 in Block 337 of the inside addition to the City of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that deed of record in volume 315, page 272, deed records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985 as the property of JOE JOHNSON A/K/A J.E. JOHNSON, if living; MARGARET CALLAWAY, if living;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$228.70 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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Sheriff Fisher County
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Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of J.V. MCCORMICK, if living; ESTATE OF HOMER MARCHBANKS, Deceased; ESTATE OF CLARA BELL MARCHBANKS, if living; MARILYN YATES, if living; to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$240.75 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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Courthouse of said FISHER County, in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to wit: Being all those certain Lots 11 and 12 in Block 68 of the Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that deed of record in Volume 321, Page 12, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of TRINIDAD PIAZ, if living; CONSPSEON PIAZ, if living; to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$735.84 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 24th day of September, 1985 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of the City of Rotan VS. Fausteen Leija Cause #3827 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the 23rd day of December, 1985; which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said FISHER County, in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Being all that certain East 1/3 of the Southeast Quarter of Block 153, Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by those deeds of record in Volume 183, Page 483, and Volume 173, Page 445, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of FAUSTEEN LEIJA, 3831 Clinton, Abilene, Texas, 79603; MODESTO LEJAS, if living;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$284.18 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985, at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CITY OF ROTAN, ET AL

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Sheriff Fisher County
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Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of JOE C. PERRY, if living; CLARA JANE PERRY, if living; The unknown owner or owners, partners, shareholders, officers, directors, transfers, successors or assigns of ARJ CORPORATION, a Corporation whose charter was forfeited May 8, 1972;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$725.69 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985, at 10 per cent, per annum, and all

costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

Given Under My Hand This 25 day of September, 1985

Mickey A. Counts
Sheriff Fisher County
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Tract I: Being all that certain Lot 4, Block 129, Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that deed of record in Volume 240, Page 356, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Tract I: Being the North Third of the Southeast Fourth of Block 28, Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described as that tract conveyed to Wesley Smith, Jr., Tr. by that deed of record in Volume 365, Page 36, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985 as the property of the Unknown heirs, executors, administrators and legal representatives of the ESTATE OF WILLIE JOHNSON, Deceased; LUVENIE JOHNSON; WESLEY SMITH, JR., TRUSTEE, if living, or in the event he be deceased then the unknown heirs, executors, administrators and legal representatives of the ESTATE OF WESLEY SMITH, JR., TRUSTEE, Deceased.

The unknown heirs, executors, administrators, and legal representatives of the ESTATE OF WILLIE JOHNSON, Deceased; LUVENIE JOHNSON; WESLEY SMITH, JR., TRUSTEE, if living,

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$2,988.36 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of City of Rotan, ET AL

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All that certain Lot 11 in Block 17 of the Richardson Subdivision of Block 17 of the Original Town of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by Deed of Record in Volume 23, Page 194, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas, and also shown by plat of record in volume 32, page

466, deed records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, as the property of T.M. RICHARDSON, if living;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$296.04 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985, at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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Being all that certain West Third of the Northeast Quarter of Block 152 of the Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that deed of record in Volume 60, page 618, deed records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985 as the property of FELIX OLIVER, if living;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$331.13 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985, at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CITY OF ROTAN, ET AL

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Tract 1: Being Lots 4 and 5 in Block 122 of the Original Town of Rotan more fully described by deed in Volume 348, Page 327 and Page 400, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Tract 2: Being Lot 12 in Block 130 of the Original Town of Rotan more fully described by Deed in Volume 309, Page 108, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of HELEN RUTH CONNER, 402 E. Sherman, Rotan, Texas, 79546; CLARENCE CONNER, if living;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$2,050.38 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985, at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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Being Lots 9 and 10 in Block 186 of the Inside Addition to the City of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by deed of record in Volume 129, Page 194, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of BENJAMIN LOZANO, if living; RICARDO ROJAS, if living; to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$1,285.51 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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Being all that certain Lot 6 in Block 122 of the Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that Deed of Record in Volume 129, Page 52, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of RACHEL MELTON, if living; ESTATE OF ANDERSON MELTON, Deceased;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$1,203.52 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985, at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE: THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER: By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of FISHER County, on the 24th day of September, 1985 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of the ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL VS. W.C. PIRKLE Cause #4068 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the 3rd day of December, 1985 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said Fisher County, in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Being all that certain Lot 6 in Block 122 of the Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that Deed of Record in Volume 129, Page 52, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of RACHEL MELTON, if living; ESTATE OF ANDERSON MELTON, Deceased;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$274.29 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of Rotan Independent School District, ET AL

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Being all that certain North 50' X 50' out of the Northwest corner of Lot 1 in Block 54 of the Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that deed of record in Volume 333, Page 448, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of RUGERIO YBARRA REYES, if living; ANGELITA REYES, if living;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$1,203.52 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985, at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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Being all that certain Lot 6 in Block 122 of the Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that Deed of Record in Volume 129, Page 52, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of RACHEL MELTON, if living; ESTATE OF ANDERSON MELTON, Deceased;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$274.29 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of Rotan Independent School District, ET AL

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Being all that certain Lot 1 in Block 254 of the Inside Addition to the City of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that deed of record in Volume 25, Page 50, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985 as the property of W.C. Pirkle, if living;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$210.58 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985, at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS DISTRICT, ET AL

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 25 day of September 1985.

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Being all those certain Lots 5 and 6 in Block 106 of the Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that Deed of Record in Volume 133, Page 583, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 24th day of September, 1985, as the property of ALMA CHAPPEL A/KA/ALMA PARKER, if living; IRA ACORN, if living;

to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$169.72 with interest from the 23rd day of August, 1985 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL

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Fisher County Commissioners Court will accept bids on a car for the Sheriff's Dept. on November 21, 1985 at 10:00 a.m. For more information on specifications and trade in, contact Fisher County Sheriff's Dept.

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Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Monday morning the weather was so dreary, and damp, which is just what the cotton farmers don't need. They were just beginning to get started with their strippers, but now its too wet again. We did have some good dry days last week, and had two days of strong winds, seemed just like March, and then Sunday it turned cold, and our fireplace sure felt good.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Cave went to Brownwood on Friday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter and boys. They all attended the football game between Brownwood and Mansfield. Their grandsons, Darren and Barry both play and march in the Brownwood band, and this was Darren's last year to participate as he is a Senior. The Caves spent the night at Brownwood and came back home on Saturday.

Joe Hull brought our message at church on Sunday, and we were pleased to have him and his wife and son with us.

Mrs. J.W. Etheredge is feeling better every day, and we are pleased that she is doing so well after her surgery.

Mrs. Opal Phillips went to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Porters for lunch on Sunday. Michael Porter from Dal-

las was home visiting for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chism and Vernon Chism and family all from Odessa are here visiting with the Dale Caves. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Abernathy from Texhoma also were here visiting, and they had a big crowd and get together on Sunday.

Mrs. Bea Hardin went with Mr. and Mrs. Neal Lee from Snyder to Fort Worth on Friday. She met her son, Ralph, in Fort Worth and then they went to Bowie and she visited there with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hardin and family until Sunday. She came back to Ft. Worth and returned home with the Lees.

Jim and I went to Ennis Creek on Monday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Blake Walker, also Mr. and Mrs. H.B. Walker and family from Snyder. Wednesday we went to Sweetwater, and then Friday we went to Hamlin to watch the Rotan-Hamlin football game. It was sure windy that night, although it was much warmer than we had been expecting. Saturday we went to Abilene after dinner, and it was so crowded, I think everyone is doing their Christmas shopping early. Well, this is about all for this week.

See you next Thursday.

Do you want to go to the Octoberfest? That was the question put to us about a year ago. Our response was, first to answer that question with some of our own. What is an Octoberfest or Springfest, where is it, what does it cost, etc.?

There is a beautiful site located on Lake Brownwood about ten miles N.W. of town. There is a seventy five acre plot with a 1.7 million dollar facility on the edge of the lake about one hundred feet above the water level. The complex was bought and paid for by donations and money raised by or on behalf of the 4-H. This facility is administered by the State. We are eternally thankful to the Management and Staff for the recreational program established for the mature citizens, age 55 or older. It is obvious that some have dreamed of better times and then worked diligently for the senior citizens to make it a reality. There are those who care, and we extend to them our commendation for a job well done. We also recognize the 4-H program is a winner any way you look at it.

Now, to answer some questions. We enjoyed the trip immensely beginning at 2 p.m. Tuesday through 9 a.m. Friday. Eight meals and three nights lodging can be had for \$78.00 per person. Oh, and these were some palatable snacks thrown in. There is a full schedule optional schedule for all. A person cannot possibly participate in all of the activity. Some of the options are bingo, card games, trival pursuit, pool, achery, fishing, dominoes, horseshoes, and many others. The schedule included dried flower arrangement, oil painting, needlecraft, morning exercises, and dancing. Where all participation is a project calls for material, a person is required to pay for the material.

Cleo and I opted to go our separate ways Wednesday morning and while she was involved with needlecraft, I went fishing, catch fish? of course I did, about fifteen including 2 bass, 3 crappies, and about ten perch. Size? Space does not permit me to go into that. Thursday mornin we went for a scenic boat ride around the lake. We enjoyed skip-bo, 42 games and the ping pong tournament.

The food was excellent, there are dietitians available who will prepare food for those who require special foods or who have

unusual eating habits. The quarters consists of ten buildings. Our dormitory was occupied by six men in our bedroom and on the other end of the building by eight women. These two bedrooms were separated by a living room with chairs, a table and television. Each bed room had its own entrance and bath. The facilities are nice, however, there is a movement now to raise funds to build motel type rooms to accommodate couples and for future expansion.

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News From Down South

By Bertha Warren

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Roby Chili Supper

The Methodist women will be sponsoring a chili-supper in the Fellowship Hall of Roby Methodist Church on Friday, November 15th, from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. There will be plenty of chili, beans, salad, dessert and beverages. Carry-out orders will be available. The price will be \$3.50 for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12.

Snowbirds Ceramics Offers Classes
Lined Basket Class
 Monday December 2nd From 7:00 To 9:00 p.m.
Dough Art Christmas Ornaments
 Thursday, December 5th From 7:00 To 9:00 p.m.
Ceramic Classes
 Saturdays From 10:00 a.m. To 12:00 Noon
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Gamma Tau Chapter Met

The Gamma Tau Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met in regular session on Monday, November 4, at the home of Dora Reyes in Sweetwater.

Pat Hamric, president, called the meeting to order. Earline Kennedy gave the meditation.

Minutes from the last session were approved and Ruth Witherspoon gave the Treasurer's Report.

Guest speaker was Barbara Thompson who presented slides on her trip to Russia.

Attendance awards were presented to Wilma Ruth Waller, Marilyn Threlkeld, and Zelma Hulse. Louise Bollinger was presented with a retirement gift.

Bessie Cleveland, scholarship committee, suggested that each person contribute 5 cents per waistline inch to the World Fellowship Fund. The contribution is to be wrapped in silver and (commemorating twenty-five years) brought to the December meeting.

Refreshments were served by hostesses: Toffie Duncan, Wilma Ruth Waller, Marilyn Threlkeld, Mary Lou Rowland, and Dora Reyes.

Members present were Pat Hamric, Joe Clark, Josie Baird, Wilma Ruth Waller, Marilyn Threlkeld, Toffie Duncan, Zelma Hulse, Dixie Haggard, Lure Lee Davis, Mallie Lee Melton, Louise Bollinger, Mitzi Hart, Fran LeBleu, Earline Kelley, Belinda Garcia, Bessie Cleveland,

Louise Callan, LaVerne Kennedy, Ruth Witherspoon, Mary Ann Marshall, Ruth Wiman, Edith Hughes, Joyce Smith, and Dora Reyes.



I wish to thank each and everyone of the many friends for their prayers, cards, flowers, phone calls, food and visits during my illness.

John Lawliss
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