34,504 Already Ginned

County Cotton Farmers May Gin Over 100,000 Bales

to a projection by Howard Faught of the Agricultural

Fisher County cotton total bales ginned, but I go over 100,000 bales,' I can remember, as far as some grasshopper damage

Rotan Yellowhammers Lose Opening Game Other team members include: Endgate Adkins,

The Rotan Yellowhammer varsity boys opened the 1981-82 basketball season last week with a Mendoza, and Randy Marhome game against Colorado City. The visitors took a lop-sided 76-47 win and had three players scoring in double figures.

Kip Pease was the individual high scorer in the opener with 10 points. Others scoring were Eli Turner 4; Sammy Turner 7; Henry Williams 4; Marcus Conner 9; Roger Hooper 5; Gregg Gruben 4 and Jeff Posey 4.

Rotan Mothers **Need Help** With Coupons

The Rotan Primary Mothers are asking for your help to save Post Cereal Coupons. We are trying to get athletic equipment for the children and need the help of the Community.

If you buy Post Cereal. please cut out the proof of purchase seals and save them. They are located on any Post boxes and are worth 1.2,3, or 4 points. We have boxes to deposit them at Thriftway, Teague's, Senior Citizens Building, and Henry's Service Station in Roby.

Our goal is 7,000 points and at present we have 150 points. Any points we can get will be appreciated by the Primary Mothers and the kids.

Roby Class Play Set For Friday

Snow White and The Seven Dwarfs will be presented by the Roby 3rd and 4th Grade Classes, Friday, December 4, 1981. There will be two performances, 12:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Admission will be \$1.00 for students and adults.

Roby Garden **Club Meeting**

The Roby Garden Club will have its Christmas Luncheon Thursday, December 10, at the home of Mrs. Coy Carriker in Rotan.

Mullins Team To Face 8AA Champions

Former Rotan Head Coach Don Mullins, now coach of the Hale Center team, after his team won their regional game over Clarendon last week, will face Hamlin in the quarter finals on Friday. Hale Center plays Hamlin in Snyder on Friday, December 4th.

farmers are expected to think the total county crop gin over 100,000 bales for for 1981 will surpass the 1981 season, according 1979's and will probably saidFaught. "We have Stabilization and Conser- a few more acres of cotton vation office in Roby. planted this year than we "The 1979 crop is the best did in 1979, but there was

Kevin Copeland, Richard

Rotan First

Baptist Kids

Cantata Set

The Children's Choir of

First Baptist Church,

Rotan, will perform their

Christmas Cantata, "I

Wonder About Christ-

mas", this coming Sunday

evening, December 6, at

7:00 p.m. at First Baptist

Church. There will be a

parents and children fel-

lowship following the pro-

gram in the fellowship hall

of the church. The public

is invited to attend.

In Anson

Pecan Show

December 7

A Pecan Show will be

to some fields, but all in all with the 97,000 acres of cotton planted in Fisher County and cotton averaging about a bale to the acre, I think we'll gin over 100,000 bales," said

From information obtained from the 7 Fisher County gins last Tuesday morning, local cotton farmers are already a few bales over half way toward the 100,000 bale mark. Total yearly production through early last Tuesday morning was 34,504 ginned with an additional 15,500 either on the yards or registered with the gins. That amounts to 50,004 bales.

The Rotan Gin maintained their first place standing this week with a total of 9,429 bales ginned. Jim Gruben reported a total of 6,500 bales either registered or on the yard last week and increased that figure to 8,500 bales this week. Second place in total

The Roby girl's basket-

ball team came one point

shy of a tie and two points

shy of a win last week

when they played the Haskell Varsity Girls

team. The final score was

Tana Mauldin was high

point with 10 for the night.

33-34.

bales ginned was Hobbs Gin with 7,500 ginned and and additional 2,000 either registered or on the yard.

Third place was Farmers Union Co-op Gin at Roby with 5,068 bales ginned and 1,000 registered or on site. Fourth place in total county production was Terry Gin with 4,500 ginned and 1,800 registered. Fifth place was Farmers Gin at Rotan with 4,310 ginned and 1,500 registered.

Longworth Gin reported 2,122 ginned and 700 on the yard or registered while Sylvester Gin reported 1,575 ginned and 500 on the yard.

The total bales ginned on November 24th amounted to 25,035 while that same figure jumped to 34,504 this week amounting to a gain of 9,469 bales for the 7 day period. Registered or on yard cotton declined from 15,500 last week to 10,850 this week.

Others scoring were: Dee-

Dee Faught 6; Paula Terry

4; Jana Jennings 4; Lisa

Hoodenpyle 4 and Mary

Cave 5. Other varsity team

members are Merry John-

The Haskell junior varsity

defeated the Roby JV by a

score of 38-46. High scorer

son and Tammi Jeffrey.



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ROTAN ADVANCE

Thurday December 3, 1981 FISHER COUNTY TEXAS

Jim Nowlin Elected President Of New Belvieu Cemetery Group

A total of 18 persons interested in forming a Belvieu Cemetery Association met last Monday night at the Homestate Savings Community Room. The group elected officers and board members. Those elected were: Jim Nowlin, President; Harold Roberts, Vice President; Nancy Tandy, Secretary; Phil

for the Roby JV was Susan

Gaona with 11. Others

scoring - Danette Ray 8;

Valerie Goodrum 5; Lucy

Gonzalez 6; Penny Price 2;

Jennifer Wright 1; Sabrina

Herron 6 and Stephanie

Other team members are

Diane Alaniz, Shelly

Thomson, Theresa Garcia,

Everyone is invited.

The Lions beat Haskell

last week by the score of

55-41. Todd Etheredge led

all scorers with 20 points.

Others scoring were: Mark

Mauldin, 5 points; Robby King, 6 points; Jerry

Wallace, 8 points; Kirk

Williamson, 8 points;

Terry Coker, 4 points;

Albert Williams, 2 points;

and Kevin Neves, 2 points.

Although we won the

game, I was very dis-

appointed in our perfor-

mance. I believe this was

the worst game we played

this year. We've been

trying to show improve-

ment each game, but this

game we lost ground. We

really can't afford many

more games like this past

one. Haskell really out-

played us in the basics and

hustle, they just weren't

very talented. We need to

learn to play with the same

hustle that Haskell did.

We can't keep playing like

that and win many games.

We are now coming up on

the hard part of our

schedule. We don't have

any more games where we

can play that bad and win.

We've got the talent but

if we don't show more

hustle and do the basics

better, we will be in for a

long season. We have to

keep showing improve-

ment. I'm anxious to see if

our boys will come back

and start playing ball like

Stevenson 2.

the Community Center in ractive program for

Springer, Treasurer. Board Members include: the newly elected officers and I.T. McArthur, Jan Coates, and David Har-

Others present for the meeting included: Carol Roberts, Mrs. Arvin White, Vida Frazier, Pal-

mer Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rains, Mrs. Lois Roby Varsity Girls Lose To Haskell

> Tisa Lovett, Ellen Walker, Marcy Mauldin, Cindy Gonzalez, Sharon Haggard and Dawn Shaw.

nedy, Mrs. C. Branch, and Mrs. Clayton Branch Becky Montez, Horace were named to serve as Carter, Mac Weathersbee, advisors for the associa-Marshal Bennett and Les

The next meeting of the new association will be on Monday, December 7th at 7:00 at the Homestate Savings Building. The purpose of the meeting will be to compile a mailing list of former Rotan residents with relatives buried at Belvieu Cemetery.

Donations to the Belvieu Cemetery Association are being accepted at the First National Bank.

Rotan Girls Defeat Colorado City Squad

The Rotan Varsity girls basketball team defeated Colorado City by the score of 55-38 last week with Elisa Carrillo capturing top scoring honors with 19

The girls jumped to a 12-7 lead at the end of the first quarter of action and outscored Colorado City 24-16 in the second period. Rotan was leading at the end of the third period 42-30 and finished the game 17 points ahead of Colorado City.

Elisa Carrillo had 19 points; Laura Gruben was credited with 14 points; Kellie Pease scored 10 while Pat Martinez had 6; Rocky Garza 4 and Jana Smith 2 points.

Sparks, Mrs. Parker Ken- Mrs. Parker Kennedy

Vann Injured

Mrs. La Rue Vann of Rotan was involved in an automobile accident on Highway 87, south of San Angelo, last Saturday evening between 6:00 and 6:30 p.m. while driving her 1975 Ford LTD. She suffered head injuries, fractured ribs, cuts and contusions after making a left turn in front of an oncoming motor home.

No one in the motor home was injured. Mrs. Vann was transported to Shannon West Texas Memorial Hospital, admitted to the intensive care unit and, according to her husband, Kenneth, "should be in there from a week to 10 days."

Book Review

The Book Review Club will meet November 17 at the First Baptist Church (north entrance) at 3 p.m.

Holiday Food Program

held Monday, December 7, at the Methodist Fellowship Hall in Anson. Entries will be received all week up to 9 a.m. on December 7th at the Agricultural Offices at the Courthouses in Anson and

The Divisions are: In-shell; Shelling; Native; and a Baked Goods division with classes for pies, cakes, candies and others.

The Nut Division requires 42 pecan nuts per entry. The open showing will be held from 1:00-3:00 p.m., Monday, December 7. Everyone is welcome.

Rotan Honor Roll For Primary

Honor Roll Rotan Primary School 2nd Six Weeks

Kindergarten Bryan Lepard Wayland Damron **Patricia Flores** Karen Dickson Melissa Martinez

First Grade Traci Hull Amber O'Neil Lesa Reyes

Second Grade Landon Alls Elizabeth Gonzalez Jennifer Martinez Kristi Martinez Brandon Alls Jodie McCain Brandon Sheehan Kody Sutherland Cyrena West Johnny Llamas Sharilyn Murdoch Misty Tankersley

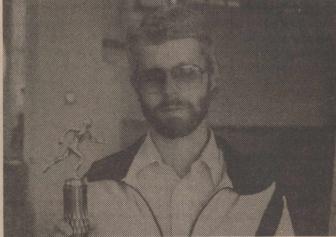
Fourth Grade Shannon Boone Candi Hayes Lane Landes

Holiday Reflections is the ember 9, at 2:00 p.m. in very informative and att-Christmas program many homemakers have been Rotan.

This program, by Kathryn Cawley, Consumer Information Specialist, will be Wednesday, Dec-

looking forward to, accord- The program includes ing to Alice Ballenger, Christmas foods and ideas Come bring your friends. County Extension Agent. for packaging Christmas

gifts. All recipes and packaging ideas are on a leaflet available to every-Lone Star Gas Company, one attending the program. Kathy always has a



David Coats, son of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Coats of Rotan, displays the trophy and ribbon he won in the Turkey Walk sponsored by the Scurry County unit of the American Heart Association at Western Texas College. Coats finished first in the 10-mile event and was third in the amount of money raised for the AHA through pledges. He is a student at WTC.

Rotan Coach Discusses Opening Season Loss

Rotan 47-Colorado City

Last Friday opened the 1981-82 Basketball Season for Rotan Boys. A different brand of basketball has been installed this year. Yellowhammers are tying to improve on a 1-14 season from last year.

We have good quickness and average speed. One of the most encouraging aspects is the strong bench for the Hammers. We've

got good leadership from Juniors and Seniors with a Sophomore group that has lots of potential.

The Hammers had a typical first game Friday, trying to install the new offense. Shooting only 30% from the field and 60% from the free-throw

I was encouraged with the efforts of players and look for a good year.

Roby Coach Discusses Varsity Team

they are capable. I'm glad our Varsity didn't play our J.V. that night cause I think our J.V. would have won. Our J.V. beat a very good team

County Hosp.

Patients

Are Listed

The following patients were admitted to the Fisher County Hospital November 24, 1981, through November 30, 1981. ROTAN: Felix Garcia, Elena Gauna, Vera Bryan, Frank Pinkard, Bryant Jones, Keri Flores, J.T. Anderson, Frank Salazar, Tom Stinson, Truman Hawkins, Thurston Jack Floyd, Elsie Campbell. HERMLEIGH: Josephine Garcia, Dena Sharp. GIRARD: Eula Browning, Maud Broks. ROBY: Anna Barrera, Linda Callan, Lacy Callan, Melvin Thomson, Johnny Moesch, Melody Hataway, Maud Harris. ODESSA: Betty J. Stamps. SYLVES-TER: Leander Dickerson. SWEETWATER: Carol Batteas, Justin Batteas. ASPERMONT: Leonard Branch. SNYDER: William Perry Rodman.

from Haskell. Haskell is real high on their J.V. We beat them by the score of 47-45. Chad Terry and John Etheredge led the way with 21 points and 15 points respectively. Tom Duckworth had 7 points, and Noel Field had 4 points. Our J.V. has beat two good teams in the last two games by 2 points. These type of games will really help them. Not like our Varsity, they did show good hustle and did the basics well. Lately they have been showing real improvement. I just hope they keep it up. We only have seven players on the

J.V. and they are working real hard. We will be having our

Annual Tournament next week, December 11, 12, and 13. The first game will start at 10:30 a.m. Thursday with Rotan playing McCaulley.

If anyone would like to help keep books or run the clock during the tournament, contact the school. I will put a tournament schedule in next week's

Teams entered are: Mc-Caulley, Rotan, Roscoe, Hawley, Robert Lee, Loraine, Ira.

Mickey McCarty

Thomson In Basic

Pvt. Eddie F. Thomson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Thomson of 707 Tyler, Rotan, has entered Army basic training under a new training program called project COHORT at operational readiness and train-

Project COHORT is a test program designed to increase the cohesion, stability and readiness of a unit. Under this program, soldiers who undergo basic training together will spend their entire initial enlistment as a unit.

Of the 19 COHORT units to be trained this year, some will be assigned overseas, according to present plans.

Thomson is a 1979 graduate of Rotan High

Retakes

Roby High School retakes for class pictures will be on Thursday, December 10. Please come early, before 9:30, if you desire to have a picture taken of a ore-school child.

School Receives \$10,746.00 From 1981 Football Gates

Final figures were released this week from Rotan schools on the total gate receipts of the high school and junior high football games. Total income to the Rotan Independent School District from gate receipts of the 10 high school varsity games amounted to

\$9,028.37, according to Superintendent Jerry Dickson. This figure represents Rotan's portion of the gate after officials were paid. Rotan splits all varsity football gate receipts with opposing

Rotan's best single game

as far as total income was the away game with Hamlin on September 25th. Rotan's part of that gate was \$1,669.25. The game that produced the smallest revenue of the year was the final contest with Baird. That game produced \$368.90 as Rotan's half of the gate after officials were paid.

The best home game of the year was the 1981 Homecoming Game against Anson. Receipts from that contest amounted to \$1,656.13. The poorest home game was the Merkel game that only

produced \$660.40 for the local treasury.

A full break-down and the amount collected by Rotan for all ten games of the 1981 season include: Roscoe-\$1,113.48; Coleman-\$917.35; Winters-Hamlin-\$875.43; \$1,669.25; Anson-

\$1,656.13; Hawley-\$423.30; Merkel-\$660.40; Albany-\$639.13; Jim Ned-\$705.00 and Baird-\$368.90.

high and junior varsity games produced another \$1,718.45 which represents the total of the gate

less the cost of officials. The break-down of each game includes Hamlin J.H.-\$612.95; Albany J.H.-\$433.05; Hawley The four home junior J.H.-\$343.95 and Baird

J.H.-\$328.50. Total revenue from the varsity and junior high

games for 1981 amounted to \$10,746.82. "That figure of \$10,746.00," according to Superintendent Jerry Dickson, "represents approximately 1/3 of the total athletic budget.' The school supplements the athletic program with approximately \$20,000.00.

Fisher County Nursing Home

Everyone at Fisher County Nursing Home enjoyed a delicious Thanksgiving dinner of turkey and dressing and all the trimmings. We would like to thank the ladies of First Baptist Church for the delicious pies they made for our dinner. Mrs. Martinez and her Brownie Troup made Thanksgiving cards for each one and Mary Singley and her G.A. girls and the Bible Learners and Bible Searchers

flowers and candy and spent several days with his Mother. James Hudnall

Odessa came and brought Mary Grams. Eric Tull of Ft. Worth visited Jean Camden. Imogene McCoy, Stephenville, Julia, and Mrs. R.L. Cardwell, Winnie McNeill, all of Stephenville, visited Maud Williams, also Chess Bailey of Ira, Tx., and Mr. and Mrs. visited Maud Williams. Pat Curry of Jefferson, TX, and Faye Shipp of Odessa to visit Granny Shipp. Roy Middleton of Vernon and Nancy Kay Munday of Haskell to see Mrs. Pearl Adams. Mary Grams travelled to Sweetwater with Francis Batteas for Thanksgiving visit. Had a great time. Hardy Miller and Mr. Miller of Dallas visited Bernice Hardy and enjoyed visiting. Thaddie Wilson has been busy enjoying her family from Wink and sisters, nieces and nephews over the Thanksgiving day. John May is out of the hospital and we are glad he is back with us. We want to welcome Alice Sutton back with us. Alice says, "It is so good to be back home." Please remember to sign our Visitors Book when you visit us so we won't miss anyone. A.D. Wade of Lubbock visited Cordie Wade.

We would like to thank all the Volunteers and regular visitors who give so freely of their time to know how much we appreciate their work here. It takes many loving people sharing time and talent to take care of our patients. Thank you. Keep your face to the Sunshine and you cannot see the shadows.

Bettie Hargrove **Activity Director**

made place mats for each has had lots of visitors. one here. Thank all of you Joyce Noles visited Josso much for remembering ephine Martin, Beulah Moffett and Jewell Cumour dear folks here in the home. We had a Birthday mings. Mrs. Bryan Hanks and baby of Lallas visited Joe Bailey of Pampa this week. Fronia Taggart celebrated her 98th birth-John Cox. Francis Batteas day and her son Dale of of Sweetwater visited **COMFORT AND SAVINGS** THE YEAR ROUND WITH

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Cub Report

By Joe L. Coleman

The Roby Junior High boys and girls basketball teams came back from Rotan last Monday night winning three out of four

In the 7th grade girls game, the Roby girls fought to the end but lost by nine points. High point girls for Roby were Johnnie Parks and Kristi Martin. Both girls scored

three points. In the 7th grade boys game, Roby ran away with the marbles from the start. The game ended up with Roby scoring twenty-four points to Rotan's thirteen. High point men for Roby were Gerry Streety and Rodney Green, each with six points. Jeff Morton and Darry Thompson scored four points and Jody Mauldin added two.

In the eighth grade girls game the Roby girls breezed by the Rotan girls by a score of 48-10. High point girl was Shannon Wilburn with 21 points. Tammy Mauldin came through with 12 points, and Deena Williamson slammed in five. Patricia Parks dumped in five points, and little Miss Upshaw brought in two points. It was an exciting victory for the 8th grade

In the boys 8th grade game, Roby won the game in the last eight seconds. With fifty-four seconds left on the clock and three points behind, Roby went after the ball and got it. Albert Castaneda put the ball in for two points. In the last ten seconds, Roby again took the ball from Rotan and Benny Carreon drove in for a lay-up and the winning score. The game was a see-saw battle with Rotan doing most of the sawing. Roby trailed most of the time by one or two points and only led twice in the game. But they played very well. High point man for Roby was Benny Carreon with twelve points, Albert Castenada scored six points and Robert Watson scored two. Roby plays Roscoe next Monday night.

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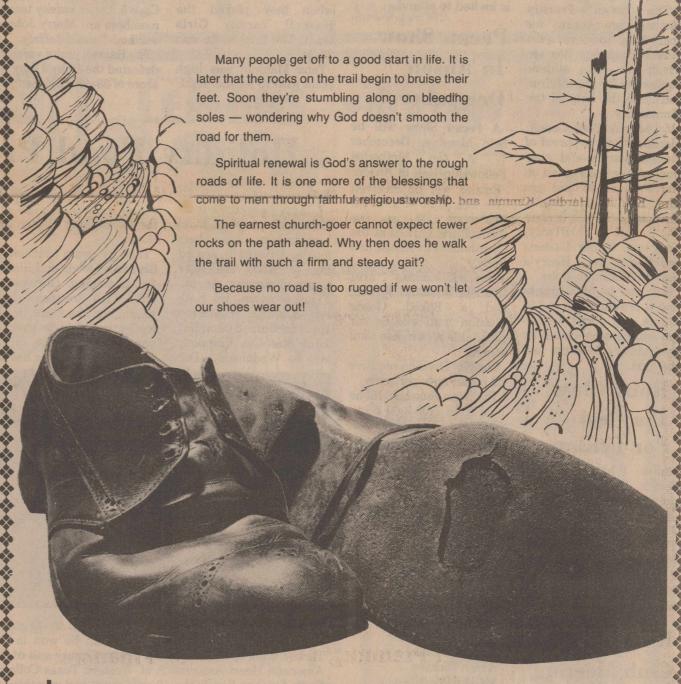
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We have been having weather almost like Spring these past few days, and we got half an inch of rain last night (Sunday) along with a thunderstorm and now Monday it's blowing so hard, its almost a sandstorm. Not too good on the cotton that is still in the field, but we had good weather all last week and lots of folks are almost through. Hope that everyone had a good Thanksgiving and enjoyed all their company.

The regular bunch came to the Dale Caves for Thanksgiving, and Mrs. Jack Abernathy from Fort Worth was also there visiting. They really had a big crowd and sure enjoyed the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Cave went to Brownwood Thursday for Thanksgiving and spent the night, returning home Friday morning. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter and boys while in Brownwood, and Loretta and the boys returned home with the Caves and went to the Brownwood-Borger football game Friday night which was held in Snyder. They spent the week-end and went back home Sunday. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Carter in Roby while they were here. Edd seems to be geeling good and is slowly improving.

be geeling good and is slowly improving.
Our own Brad Maule is going to be on "Three's Company" Tuesday night, the 8th December, so everyone be sure and watch. It's on Channel 12 at 8 p.m. Brad is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Maule of Camp Springs.

Rosemary Martinez and Darrell Gay from Weatherford visited with the Rudolph Martinezs for Thanksgiving, Thursday through Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gil Warren and family from Snyder ate Thanksgiving Day dinner with the Rudolph Martinezs and their company. The Gil Warren children stayed a few days with their grandparents after Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Rudy M. Martinez and family from Rotan also visited on Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Opal Phillips spent Thanksgiving Day at the home of Mrs. Marie Phillips Thornton. All the Porters, Hyers and Phillips were there, also Don Thornton and two daughters from Colorado. Mrs. Neva Phillips from Grand Falls visited for a short while Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and boys and Debra Teel all went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lealon Wilburn for Thanksgiving. Jim, Mike, and Brad Wilburn from Roby were also there, and Mr. and Mrs. James Sherril and La Tisha from Sweetwater, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilburn and family from Anson, so they had a big crowd. The Etheredges all went to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Etheredge's Saturday night for supper and visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ratliff had a whole houseful of company for Thanksgiving which they celebrated with dinner on Sunday. Those attending were Kim Ratliff and Tracy Knipe and friends from Snyder, Jim Ratliff and Billie and Mark Williams from Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Acron Bohanan from Stanton, and Chester Ratliff from Snyder visited Sunday evening. Teressa Ratliff rode in the All Girl Rodeo on Friday at the Sweetwater Coliseum. Mrs. James Ratliff accompanied Teressa to the rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hardin and Vicky from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hancock and four children from Stephenville and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hester from Denver City all spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Bea Hardin, most of them spending the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Kennith Hardin, Kimmia and Wes ate supper

Thanksgiving, also Mrs. Mark Nowlin, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Hardin and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Thompson and boys from Throckmorton. Sunday Joe Hardin and Bob from Abilene visited with Bea, also W.B. and Kennith Hardin

Visiting with the J.D. Kincaids for Thanksgiving were Mr. and Mrs. Windle Kincaid, Jan Kincaid from Rotan and Jim Bob Solsbery from San Angelo. Also Mrs. Minerva McCombs and Mrs. Eunice Arp from Roby. The Dutch Parks ate supper with the Kincaids on Sunday. J.D. and Lucy visited with Mrs. Andrew Williams who is back in the Fisher County Hospital. We hope that she will soon begin to feel very much better.

Melody came home Wednesday night with two horses, and she stayed until Sunday. Carye Gruben and Evette Gruben spent Wednesday night with us and all day Thursday. Here for Thanksgiving dinner were Mrs. Ola Mae Myers from Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben and Gregg, also Carye and Evette. Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Gruben ate supper with us that night. Friday Melody rode at Sweetwater in the All Girl Rodeo and we spent the day over there. We sure had a good day and visited with lots of old friends. Saturday Melody, Jim and I went to Abilene for the day, shopping, and was it crowded. We also visited with Tonnie Griffin who is in Hendricks Hospital. He is Jim's brother-in-law. While at Abilene we also saw the replica of the White House which is being shown in the Westgate Mall, and it is really worth while standing in line to see. Melody went back right after lunch on Sunday and we are sure glad she went back early as it got so foggy later that evening, and was really bad for travelling. Monday night we spent with Evette and Gregg Gruben while Carol and Wilber had gone to Odessa.

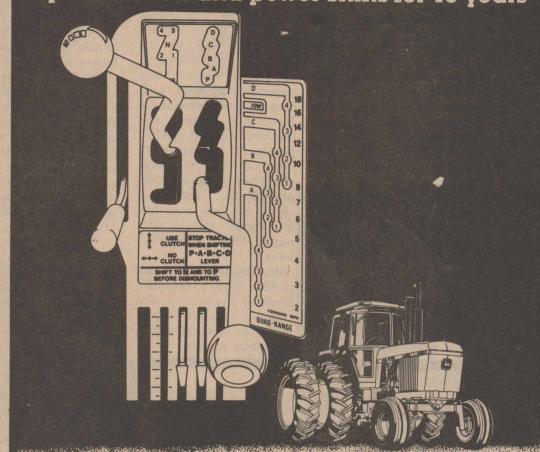
Saturday night the Sam Etheredges had supper for a whole houseful of company. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge and boys, Debra Teel, Sabrina Herron from Roby and Vicky Moore and Delinda Teel. Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Barrett, Taina, Charlotte and Corby, Jackie Barrett from Glen Rose, Kelly Dryden from Snyder, and John Igo from Nacogdoches, who goes to school with Corby, and John's girl friend, Missy Christenson, who is from Houston. They really had a good time and enjoyed visiting.

Well this is about all for this week. See you next Thursday.



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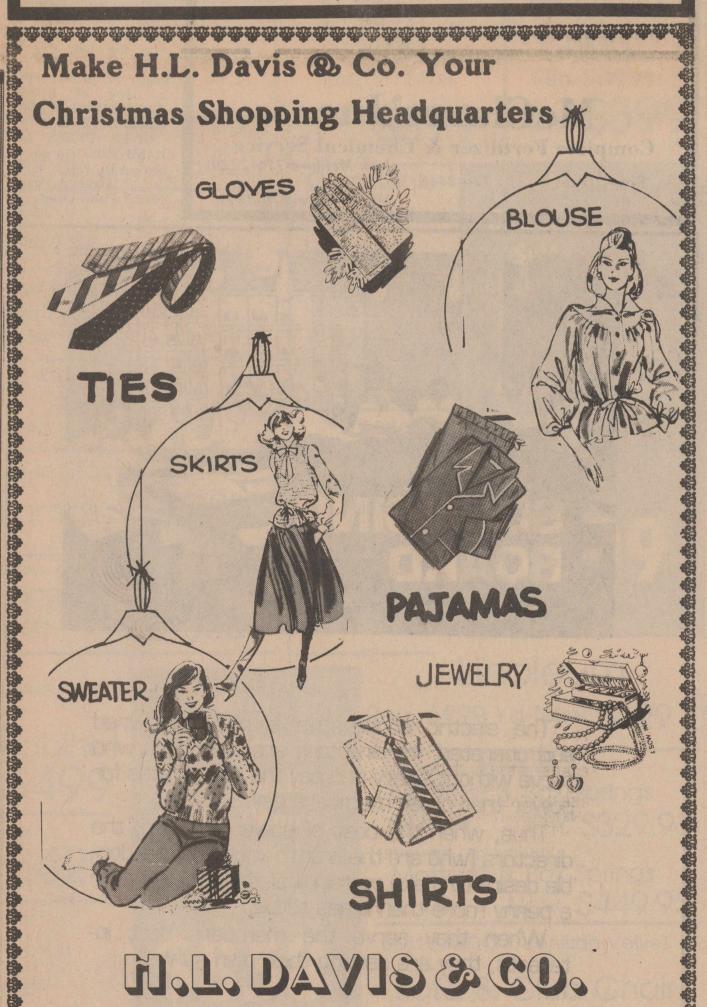
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Whether on lush green ular, is generally short in pastures in East Texas or on drier ranges in West Texas, cows need mineral supplements.

Most cows don't get enough phosphorus, magnesium and potassium from grazing, so they should be fed a mineral mix free choice the year

While dry cows sometimes get enough minerals during the spring when forages are making good growth, that's seldom the case for cows with calves. Studies in both Schleicher County in West Texas and Hidalgo County in South Texas bear this out.

Phosphorus, in partic-

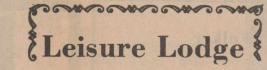
dry forage. Minimum requirements are 0.18 percent of dry forage for dry cows and 0.18 to 0.39 percent for those nursing calves, depending on productivity. As far as magnesium is concerned, dry cows need forage with 0.04 to 0.1 percent of this mineral while those with calves need about 0.18 percent. Range forages often provide enough magnesium for dry cows but certainly not for those with

Potassium may be adequate for both dry and lactating cows during most of the year but generally falls below the minimum

level during dry winter conditions. These requirements are 0.6 to 0.8 percent of the dry forage. To deal with these

mineral deficiencies, Landers suggests providing a free-choice mineral mix that contains 8 to 12 percent phosphorus in the form of dicalcium phosphate or monosodium phosphate. The mix should not have more than 20 percent salt or this might limit phosphorus

Magnesium oxide can provide cows with needed levels of magnesium, and potassium should be added to the mineral during the winter months.



Mrs. Max Grenwelge and

Blackwell, Valerie Rags-

dale of Blackwell and

Patricia Scott of San

Angelo visited the Gaines

Smiths. Mrs. Mary Fran-

ces Fulcher of Odessa and

Anna Lou Goodwin of

Sweetwater visited Mrs.

Annabell Price. Roy Mc-

Intosh's visitors have been

Jay Anderle of Gainsville,

Olin Willingham of New

Mexico, Eva Barfield and

Jo Anne, Micky McIntosh

of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs.

C.J. McIntosh of Alba.

James Soliz of Midland,

News

A new Recruiter, SSG

Victor W. Langston, has

been assigned to he

Sweetwater Army Recruit-

ing Station. He comes to

Sweetwater from Ft.

Hood, where he was

As a native of the Killeen

area, he graduated from

Killeen High School in

1969. In 1976, he attended

Central Texas College,

assigned in 1979.

also in Killeen.

We extend our deepest bread and drinks. So don't sympathy to the family of forget to attend. Mr. Dick Clements. He Mr. and Mrs. Harmon was a wonderful person. Curlee of Colorado City Mr. Clements was a and Mr. and Mrs. Jack brother to our Mary Lee Coonce of Odessa visited Barker and brother-in-law Rollie Curlee. Mr. and

of our Nancy White. Leisure Lodge is planning son of Hearne visited a community luncheon on Susie Ahrlette last week-Wednesday, December end. Mrs. Olga Gray of 9th. We invite all our Whitney and Mrs. Chris friends and relatives to Rogers of Amarillo visited come and bring either their sister, Birtie Ramby. salad, vegetable, or The Wayne Smith family dessert. The nursing home of Odessa, Mrs. Betty will prepare the meat, Tankersley and son of

Notice

SHERIFF'S 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 14th day of October, A.D., 1981, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of the ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS. HOLLIS B. ELLIS, ET AL, Cause No. 3900, and to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., on the FIRST TUESDAY in January, A.D., 1982, it being the 5th day of said month before the North Courthouse door of said Fisher County in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

Being Lots 4 and 5, Block 53, Original Town Addition to the City of Rotan, according to the map thereof of record in the Map or Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on this 18th day of November, 1981, as the property of HOLLIS B. ELLIS to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$4,480,42 with interest Texas; Ft. Hood, Texas; from the 14th day of October, 1981, at 9% per annum and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL.

GIVEN UNDER HAND THIS 18th day of Nov., A.D., 1981

Mickey A. Counts Sheriff, Fisher County, TX

Frank and Nelda Rasure of Midland, Donna Shipp and children of Roscoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mc-Intosh, Jr., and children of Sweetwater. Neva Harbin of Snyder and Nina Baker and Teri and Seri of Colorado City visited Rose Hale. Gary Rackley of Austin and John, De Ann, and Phyllis Rackley of Killeen visited Martin

See you next week.

ATTENTION

Rotan School Tax Office Will Be Closed Dec. 18th Through Jan. 3rd.

Those Desiring To Pay Taxes During The Period We Will Be Closed-Are Asked To Mail Statement And Check.

> Betty Wilfong Tax Assessor/Coll.



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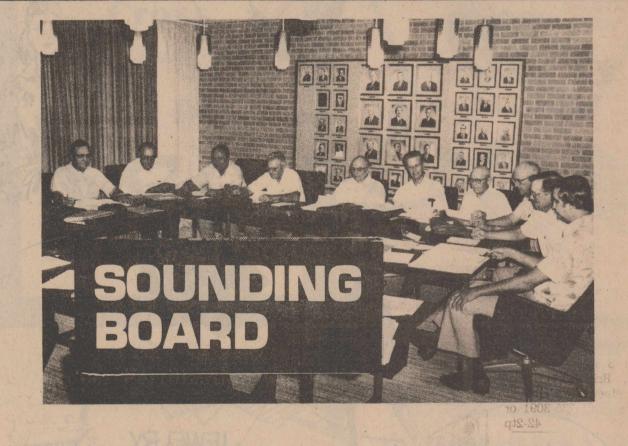
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In accordance with rule 052.01.00.043(a) of the Public Utility Commission of Texas' Rules of Practice and Procedure, Continental Telephone Company of Texas announces it has petitioned the Commission for increased rates to offset costs associated with a change in accounting for inside station connection costs.

The increase is the result of an order by the Federal Communications Commission, directing telephone companies to expense certain station connection costs in their accounting procedures. The increase in rates to result from the accounting change will produce an increase of less than one half of one percent in gross intrastate revenues of the Company. The increase will not affect monthly recurring charges but will be reflected as an additional element to nonrecurring service connection charges when a premise visit is required.

In a separate action, Continental Telephone Company has petitioned the Public Utility Commission to amend its tariff by adding a \$7.50 service charge for each check returned to the Company unpaid due to insufficient funds. The new service charge is intended to offset costs of administering unpaid checks and will affect gross revenues by approximately \$35,000 annually.

The effective date of these rate changes will be based upon approval by the Public Utility Commission.

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Thanksgiving Visitors At Hobbs School

Hello! Hope you all had a Happy Thanksgiving. It was nice to have a holiday, but we're glad to get back to school. Everyone had a special holiday. The Maxwell's went to Clyde and had dinner with Mrs. Maxwell's mother, Edna Jennings. (Mrs. Maxwell is a cousin of Waylon Jennings.) Then they went on to Eastland to see Mr. Maxwell's brother, Doyle. Pat Porter's family had dinner with her mother, Marie Thornton and her husband, C.J. along with Opal Phillips and the Hyers. Donnie Thornton came in from Denver. Colo. and was there with his two girls, Pamela and

Martha Wright's brother, Dan New, and family came in from California. May Boydstun's son, Wayne and family were here from Mesquite. Georgie Wright

spent the weekend with an aunt in Anson. Donny an Dee AnnMullins were with his family in Hale Center. The David Cunningtons were in Snyder with friends for Thanksgiving. Maudie Gober visited her

folks in Sanderson for Thanksgiving. Tammy's team won their game with Ranger. McMurry goes to Eastern New Mexico for a tournament Friday and Saturday. Mary Martinez's daughter, Nancy, and son, A.J., and family came in from Ft. Worth. All of the Clawson's were

at Blackie and Irene's for Thanksgiving dinner. Debra Teel and David Etheredge ate dinner at the Wilburn's home in Roby. We had a very nice

Thanksgiving program last Wednesday. There were quite a few parents and visitors for lunch and to see the program. Mrs.

Wayne Warren read several of her poems she had written; they were really good, especially the one about staying out of your mother's way. Some of the teachers bought copies of her book from her. The programs were really pretty. Mrs. Hale made them, using calligraphy for the headings.

For the program, the Kindergarten, first and second grades were dressed as Indians and Pilgrims. The Kindergarten did an Indian dance and the 1st and 2nd graders all told one thing they were most thankful for. In their rooms, they had a Thanksgiving feast of dried fruit, popcorn and peanut butter

and crackers. The 3rd and 4th grades have a choral reading on the first Thanksgiving. The 5th and 6th grades gave a puppet show,

using out new puppet theater and also gave a history of Thanksgiving Day celebrations in America. Shawn Finley was Captain John Smith. Rose Ann Miers read a poem, "Landing of the Pilgrim Fathers." We all sang Thanksgiving songs at the end of the program.

Gloria Hunter of Hamlin, Dewayne's (Pickle) mother, spent her two week vacation with Mary Medina and family. She helps out a lot with Mrs. Pardo, who is not in very good

Lorena Cave is still sick at home. She has scarlet fever. Murray Wright was released from Hendricks Hospital in Abilene. They were running tests.

Our Bible Verse for the week is Neh. 8:10 -"....the joy of the Lord is your strength." See you next week.

New Shipment

Christmas Linens, Sheet Sets, Towels, Bath Sets, Pillows, Blankets.

> Also New Fabrics And Baby Items

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Roby, Texas

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YARD SALE: Friday. December 4th. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 311 North Garfield.

WOOD CUTTERS: We now have a new machine to sharpen chains for all chain saws. Farm Tractor & Service, Inc., Rotan.

FOR SALE: 1971 Pinto and 1977 Chrysler Cordoba. 735-3145.

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SALE: FOR Mustang. Good Condition. 735-2497.

FOR SALE: One hide-abed couch, \$40.00; One refrigerated air conditioner window unit, \$375.00; two end tables, \$10.00. Call after 6:00 p.m. 776-2109.

LOST: Northeast of Rotan. End for net dispenser on module builder. Strickland. 735-2209.

GARAGE SALE: 914 East Johnston. Three family sale. Furniture, childrens clothing, baby stroller. Saturday.

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone for their prayers, help and concern since the fire at our home last Sunday morning. We especially thank the Rotan Volunteer Fire Department. Without their help the house would have been completely de-

stroyed.

Larry, Marvis, Steve and Jodie McClain

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FOR SALE: Fire wood. Also 6 and 8 foot mesquite fence posts. Forrest Acker. 735-2018. 41-5tp

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4:00 at Gulf Station on Fashions 612-835-1304. North Cleveland. We start December 3. We will also be in Roby Tuesday, ROBY GARAGE SALE: Thursday and Saturday, Four families. Furniture, 4:30 to 5:30 at the children and adult cloth-Shamrock Station on High- ing, ping pong tables. way 180. J&L Fur and Thursday and Friday. 9:30 Hide Co.

FOR SALE: 24x7 goose- grounds. neck trailer (shopmade). Has trailer house axels. Six extra tires. \$2,000.00. Call 728-2395 after 5:00 42-2tp

NOW TAKING APPLI-CATIONS for LVNs, Nurses Aides, and Kitchen Help. All Shifts. LVNs-\$5.25 per hour, insurance, paid holidays. Car pool with a friend and come work with us. Gibson Nursing Center, Aspermont. 817-989-3526 or 915-773-3516 after 6 p.m.

LOST: 3 miles West of Rotan, Brindle Brahma-Cross steer calf, approx. 250 lbs., call 735-3091 or 735-2882.

42-4tc

BURKETT PECANS for sale. 612 E. Lee, Rotan. 735-3527.

FOR SALE: Hide-a-bed couch. Call 735-3490 after 6:30 p.m.

PLANNING A PARTY? We have Christmas center pieces, cups, napkins, plates, and invitations. The Newspaper Office.

NOTICE: Tree trimming, trees cut down, yards cleaned, and roto tilling. Also firewood for sale. 735-2316.

POODLE GROOMING: Nancy Boren, Sylvester. 993-4997. After December 9 new phone number is 993-4455.

SHOP. Offering all the bedroom, 2 bath, house in nationally known brands 41-tfc tory, airfare for 1 to the apparel center, training, FUR AND HIDE BUYER fixtures and Grand Openwill be in Rotan Tuesday, ing Promotions. Call Mr. Thursday, Saturday, 2:30- Loughlin at Mademoiselle

40-8tc to 5:30. Rock house, 1

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42-1tp

FOR SALE: Alfalfa-oats with vetch and haygrazer, hay. Call 735-3171. 27tfc

FRESH BAKED GOODS: We now have fresh baked cinnamon rolls and other baked goods every Thursday morning at 10:00 a.m. The Gumdrop Tree. 42-tfc

FILM DEVELOPING: Done by Keaton Kolor - 3 days and you see your pictures. Leave film at The Gumdrop Tree, Rotan,

Card Of Thanks

The Family of W.A. Clements wish to thank each of you for your outreach of love and concern. We are so very grateful for the food, flowers, cards and words of sympathy. May God bless you.

Mrs. W.A. Clements and Children

NOTICE: The Hamlin Art Club is sponsoring a Water Color Workshop with Mr. Danny Gamble of Canyon as instructor. The Workshop will be December 11, 6:00-9:00 p.m.; December 12, 9';00-11:45 a.m. and 1:30-4:30 p.m. in the Community Room of the Hamlin Housing Project, 200 SE Ave. A, Hamlin. The cost will be \$40.00. For more information call 576-3561 or

some furniture, few clothes, odds and ends. 42-1tc WE SELL WATKINS PRODUCTS. Fairy

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Card Of Thanks

Again we come with grateful hearts, trying to express our thanks to each one who helped in any way in our sorrow in the long illness and death of our loved one, Shirley Daphene Miller (Dimples). We have tried to answer each one, but should we have missed anyone, please take this as a special thank you. The ladies that were there when we arrived at our home, those who were at the funeral home with her. May God's richest blessings be with each me who helped in any way. Knowing you care means so much. Our thanks to Mac and Doug, Mr.

Foster, Kaye & Shane Mrs. Lon Goodman Mr. & Mrs. Henry Thompson & families Mr. & Mrs. Cecil Goodman H.J. Kemp, Jeffrey Mr. & Mrs. Jon Kidd Family Lonnie & Lennie Goodman & families

Store, 202 West Snyder, Rotan, Texas. 42-3tc

Fur Buyer will be in Rotan at Smith & Cypher's Gulf Station each Friday from 7:30 a.m. till 8:00 a.m. beginning December

We will also be in Truck Stop each Friday from 7:00 a.m. till 7:15 a.m. beginning December 4th. We buy green and dry furs of all kinds. Case skin all fur (like opossum), not open up middle. We also buy deer hides and attlesnake skins. Well handled furs bring TOP PRICES. Northwestern Fur Co. 241 Walnut Street Colorado City, TX 79512 (915) 728-2295 Red Veale

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MONDAY: Barbeque on ped Potatoes, Hot Rolls, Butter, Honey, Milk. Orange Wedge, French THURSDAY: Fish W/Tarter Sauce, Creamed Potatoes, Seasoned English TUESDAY: Taco W/Meat- Peas, Cole Slaw, Hot Cheese, Seasoned Pinto Rolls, Butter, Chocolate

Taco Sauce, Corn Bread, FRIDAY: Cheese Burger, Pork & Beans, Letuce, WEDNESDAY: Fried Tomatoes, Pickles, Potato Chicken W/Gravy, Sea- Chips, Coconut Pudding,

Starmie Visiting

December 3rd.

Cooper Is

Starmie Cooper of Los Angeles is spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Partin, and other relatives in Rotan. She will be returning to her home in Los Angeles

Listed on the recently released Honor Roll for Roby Elementary and Junior High School are: 3rd Grade Courtney Wilburn, 94.25 Jeremy Terry, 93.00 Leslie Aguilar, 93.00 Shana Feagan, 90.75

Martha Goodrum, 91.00 Gilbert Carreon, 90.00 Eddie Gonzales, 90.00

Holiday Visitors

Visitors in the home of Miss Dudley Hambright and Mrs. George Conley at Thanksgiving were: Mrs. J. Robert Moore, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. John Holloman, Susan and Jeff, Victoria; Mrs. J.F. Hambright, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hambright, III, Wichita, Kan.; Dr. M.B. Hambright, A&M, College Station, Texas; John F. Hambright IV, Denver, Colorado; Dr. George A. Dickie, Scott and Georgia, Thibadaux, La.; Mrs. Beth Gieger, Abilene; Winston Dickie,

Woodson; Chris Wren, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. George Lederer, Lesley and Ashley, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. R. Carter, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Cliff S. Thompson, C.J., Melissa and Jenny, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson, Grand Junction, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hambright, Annie, Billie, Fielding and Andy; Mr. and Mrs. Royce Fincher, Renee, Royce, Jr., and Mark; Mr. Richard Stewart, Mo Ranch, Hunt, Texas.

4th Grade

Tina McClure, 93.33

Jennifer Pullig, 92.66

Missy Tomlinson, 91.50

Shane Terry, 93.00

Roby Elementary And Junior High Honor Roll Carter Edmondson, 96.66 Melanie Ray, 95.50 Larry Van Liew, 93.83 Paige Stroman, 93.33 Donna Kay Terry, 92.83 Karie Martin, 92.83 Kathy Mize, 90.66

6th Grade Jill Branson, 92.75 Shalon Thompson, 92.57 Reggy Spencer, 91.75 Michael Tomlinson, 90.25 Shad Rasco, 90.14 Trey Gardner, 90.00 7th Grade

Jeff Branson, 94.16 Debbie Everett, 92.66 Jody Mauldin, 92.66

> TOOL **AUCTION** REFER TO Page 4 FOR INFORMATION

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Michelle Burk, 92.66 Deena Williamson, 91.33 Mary Hicks, 90.33 8th Grade Tammy Mauldin, 98.1

Shannon Wilburn, 96 Stacy Toole, 93.1 Eloisa Medina, 92 Patricia Parks, 90 Gary Teague, 90

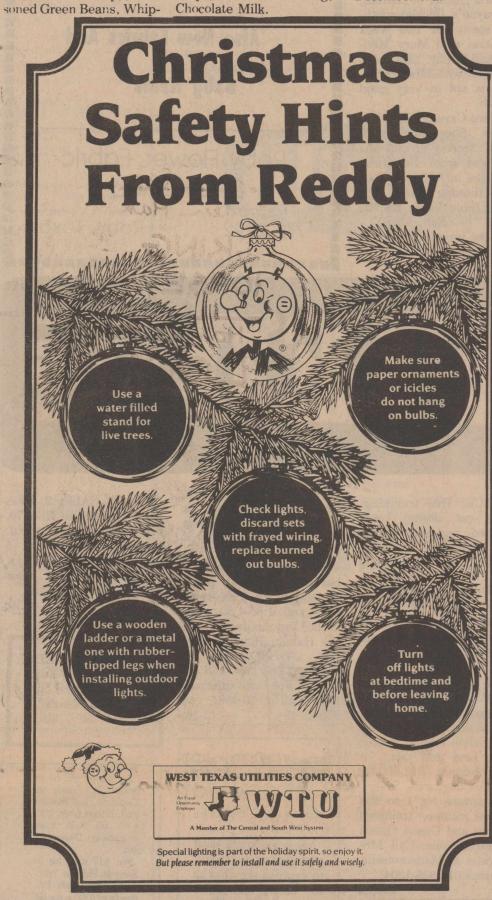


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Cottonseed Prices Are Unchanged

tinue to trade at 2 to 2½ cerits above the Government loan support, for the 27, according to B.B. Manly of the USDA Cotton Marketing Services Office, Abilene, TX. Grade 42, staple 32 cotton miking 35 to 49 sold for 47 to 48.50 cents per pound. Lubbock Spot Quotations closed November 27 at 52.40 cents for grade 51, staple 34, mike 35 through 49, which was 14 points below loan prices and down 300 points from a week ago. Trading was slow to

moderate. Cottonseed prices pa farmers were unchanged at 75 to 90 dollars per ton. Cotton sample reipts continued heavy as the harvest continues in its peak. About 60,000 samples were classed last week, which brought the season total to 307,000 samples classed.

classed during the week showed little change from

grade 32 was 15 percent; 30 was 11 percent. Micrograde 41 was 13 percent; naire readings were 93 percent of the samples and grade 52 was 12 percent within the 35 to 49 were reduced on account week ending November percent. Staple length 31 range. Fiber strength of Bark, and one percent was 48 percent; staple 32 averaged 22 grams per tex on account of Grass.

Local cotton prices con- comprised 51 percent; was 35 percent; and staple for the week and also for the season. About 6

Golden Haven News

Thanks to the Longworth Baptist Church for

Calvin, Ginger, and Shel- visited Mrs. Letha Meek. Ezell Whitten.





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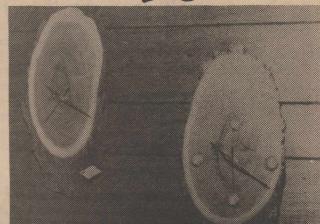
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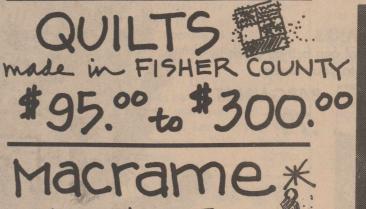
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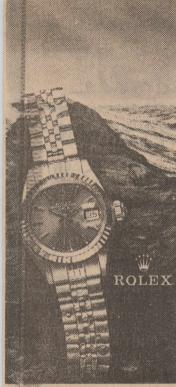
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NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Texas Revised Civil Statutes Article 1302-2.02 that the partnership of Johnny Edmendson, Marjorie Sargent, Stephen M. Bland, Rex R. Bland, Diltz Edmondson and John W. Bland, deing business as BIG THREE (3) PORK PRODUCERS whose principal business office is located at Route 1, McCaulley, Fisher County, Texas, became incorporated as of July 1, 1981. under the name of BIG THREE PORK PRO-DUCERS, INC.

Legal

The members of the Roby School Board will accept sealed bids on the sale of 13 manual typewriters. Bids are to be sent to the Office of the School Superintendent prior to the regular board meeting on December 14th. Additional information can be secured from the Roby High School. The board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all



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ford cattle. Othell O'Kelly of Trent was elected Vice Chairman of the Board. Othell and his wife, Patsy, farm in the Trent area. He was elected to the Board May, 1969, and has been a member of Sweetwater PCA since

Stockholders elected Free new board members at their stockholders meet-

ing also. Elected to serve from the Colorado City area (Position 4) for a three year term was A.K. McCarley, Jr. Kay had served on the Board since June, filling the unexpired term of T.L. Finley. Kay has been a stockholder since 1961. He and his wife Jane produce cotton and alfalfa on their Seldum Rest Farm.

Sanford J. Boardman was

elected for a three year term (Position 5) from the Lamesa area. Sanford and his wife Patsy are cotton farmers. He became a stockholder in 1961 and is a resident of Dawson County. Elected for a two year term for Position 6 was Buster Haggard. Buster had been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Marvin Standefer. Buster and his wife Mildred are

residents of Martin County and have been stockholders since 1952. They raise cattle and cotton.

Other board members are Audry Head of Snyder and J.D. Crawford of Midland. Billy Hallman is President of the Association, which serves a fourteen county area servicing farm and ranch loans. The Association has a loan volume in excess of \$69 million



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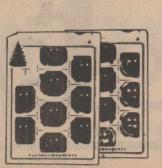


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The Rotan Extension year in making Christmas gifts and other items for the sale.

Ardell Floyd, the president, presided at the short business meeting. Plans were made for the Council party to be held in Roby

Long were the Auctioneers in the absence of Gay Nell-Henry. The members became hilarious in the low and high bidding. The

proceeds will go for the

many projects of the club.

Hazel Aldridge and Oma Other members enjoying Curry and Effie Murphree. Ardell Floyd will be this happy occasion were hostess to the Christmas Lou Posey, Lois Sparks, Laura Lee Hudnall, Jessie party December 3rd at Atkins, Mary Posey, Dollie 2:30 p.m.

> Vick A. Burk, D.U.M. is pleased to announce his purchase of Rotan Veterinary Hospital and that Junior Carr is remaining with the hospital.

Day Or Night 735-2491 If No Answer

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Attending Yates Family Reunion

Yates Reunion November Foreman, Mt. Pleasant; 27 & 28, 1981, were: John Corky, Jane, Mary and and Barbara Adams, Lee Foreman, Oklahoma; Jeanie Adams, Dallas; William, Patti and Melissa

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NOTICE

STATE OF TEXAS

TO THE HEIRS OF NANNIE MOORE, HER-SCHEL A. MOORE, LACIL ETHEL SHELTON DAVIS, HERNICE EUGENE MOORE, HERMAN LEE MOORE, HERBERT MOORE, GEORGE ALBERT MOORE, LAWRENCE COMPERE MOORE AND THEIR HEIRS:

You are hereby notified that HOPEHILL DRILL-ING COMPANY of Fort Worth, Texas, has filed a Petition in Cause No. 4457 in the District Court of Fisher County, Roby, Texas, against you asking for the appointment of a receiver to lease your mineral ownership, if any, in 100 acres in the G.W. Lawrence Survey 330 described in a Deed from Annie Pursley to Don W. Smith, recorded Vol. 257. Page 66 of Fisher County Deed Records, alleging that the Plaintif has been unable to discover your residences. The Petition was filed on November 9th, 1981, and this Citation is issued on this 9th day of November, 1981.

You are commanded to appear and answer at or before 10:00 a.m. on Monday, December 28th, 1981, in the District Court in the Fisher County Courthouse at Roby, Texas.

Styled HOPEHILL DRILLING COMPANY, Plaintiff, vs. THE HEIRS OF NANNIE MOORE, HERSCHEL A. MOORE, LACIL ETHEL SHELTON DAVIS, HERNICE EUGENE MOORE, HERMAN LEE MOORE, HERBERT MOORE, GEORGE ALBERT MOORE, LAWRENCE COMPERE MOORE AND ALL HEIRS OF THE NAMED DEFENDANTS.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Suit for the appointment of a Receiver for the purpose of executing oil, gas and mineral leases.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Witness, EULA MAE HULL, Clerk of the DISTRICT Court (s) of FISHER County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at ROBY, Texas this the 9th day of November A.D. 1981.

Eula Mae Hull, Clerk District Court Fisher Co., Texas 39-4tc

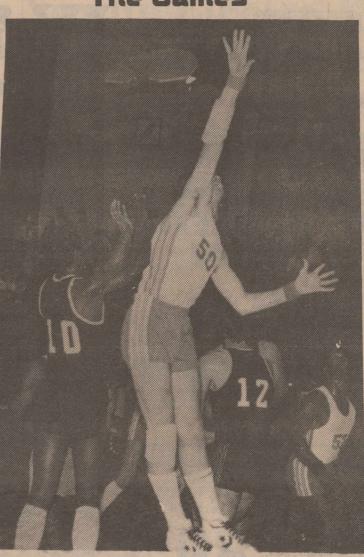


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December 8-Colorado City-There-4:00 p.m.-Uarsity Girls & Boys

This Weeks Roby Basketball Schedule

December 4-Loraine-There-6:30-Varsity Girls & Boys

December 7-Hamlin-Here-4:00-7th & 8th-Girls & Boys

December 8-Rule-Here-4:00-Varsity Girls & Boys

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PUBLIC NOTICE

In compliance with Sec. 43(a) of Art. 1446c, V.A.C.S., West Texas Utilities Company hereby publishes NOTICE that it has filed, on November 25, 1981, its statement of intent to make changes in its rates charged for electricity and services sold and rendered inside and outside municipal jurisdictions, such proposed changes to be effective January 1, 1982. Such Statement of Intent includes the proposed revisions, tariffs and schedules, and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change, the effect the proposed change is expected to have on the revenues of the Company, and the classes and numbers of utility customers affected. Gross revenues are expected to be increased 15.4 per cent over adjusted test year revenues by the new rates. Statements of intent were filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas and with the following municipalities: Abilene Hawley Hedley Rankin

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Lone Star Gas Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE

AN ORDINANCE FIXING AND DETERMINING THE GENERAL SERVICE RATE TO BE CHARGED FOR SALES OF NATURAL GAS TO RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL CONSUMERS IN THE CITY OF ROBY, FISHER COUNTY, TEXAS, PROVIDING FOR THE MANNER IN WHICH SUCH PARTY AND RECHEASIGHT. FOR THE MANNER IS WHICH SUCH RATE MAY BE CHANGED, ADJUSTED, AND AMENDED, PROVIDING FOR SURCHARGE: AND PROVIDING FOR A SCHEDULE OF SERVICE CHARGES BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROBY.

TEXAS:
-SECTION 1 Effective with gas bills rendered on and after thirty (30) days from February 25, 1982, the maximum general service rate for sales of natural gas rendered to residential and commercial consumers within the city limits of Roby, Texas, by Lone Star Gas

limits of Roby, Texas, by Lone Star Gas Company, a division of ENSERCH CORPORATION, a Texas Corporation, its successors and assigns, is hereby fixed and determined as set forth in Item A, in the Attachment hereto which is incorporated herein.

SECTION 2. The residential and commercial rates set forth above shall be adjusted upward or downward from a base of \$2.4624 per Mcf by a Gas Cost Adjustment Factor expressed as an amount per thousand cubic feet (Mcf) of natural gas for changes in the intracompany city gate rate charge as authorized by the Railroad Commission of Texas or other regulatory body having jurisdiction for gas delivered to the Roby distribution system, according to Item B, in the Attachment hereto which is incorporated herein.

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SECTION 3 Company shall also receive tax adjustments according to Item C, in the Attachment hereto which is incorporated herein.

SECTION 4. The residential and commercial rates set forth above shall be adjusted in ward and downward and downward hy a Cost.

commercial rates set forth above shall be adjusted upward and downward by a Cost of Service Adjustment Factor expressed as an amount per customer for changes in the cost of service over a twelve month period ending December 31, according to Item D. in the attachment hereto which is incorporated herein.

SECTION 5. Rate case expense is not included in the calculation of proposed

SECTION 5. Rate case expense is not included in the calculation of proposed rates. If rate case expense is incurred in this current case, it is the intention of Lone Star Gas Company to recover the current and any prior rate case expense through a surcharge designed for a six-month nominal recovery period. The surcharge per Mcf would be calculated by dividing the rate case expense to be recovered by one-half of the adjusted annual sales volume to residential and commercial customers. If there is no current rate case expense, the Company current rate case expense, the Company will forego recovery of any unamortized prior rate case expense. When a surcharge is applicable, monthly status reports will be provided to account for the

collections.

SECTION 6. In addition to the aforesaid rates, Company shall have the right to collect such reasonable charges as are necessary to conduct its business and to carry out its reasonable rules and regulations in effect, as set forth in Item F. in the Attachment hersic which is in the Attachment hereto which is

ncorporated herein.
SECTION? The rates set forth in this ordinance may be changed and amended by either the City or Company in the manner provided by law. Service hereunder is subject to the orders of regulatory bodies having jurisdiction, and to the Company's Rules and Regulations currently on file in the Company's office. SECTION 8. It is hereby found and determined that the meeting at which this determined that the meeting at which this ordinance was passed was open to the public, as required by Texas law, and that advance public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given.
PASSED AND APPROVED on this the
3rd day of November, A.D. 1961.

Billie L. Wetsel Secretary Mayor City of Roby, Texas

STATE OF TEXAS OUNTY OF FISHER I, Billie L. Wetsel, Secretary of the City 1. Billie L. Wotsel, Secretary of the City of Roby, Fisher County, Texas, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an ordinance passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Roby as a regular session held on the 3rd day of November, 1981, as it appears of record in the Minutes of said City in Book 7, Page 247
WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID CITY, THIS THE 1795, DAY OF

SAID CITY THIS THE 17th DAY OF November, A.D. 1981 Billie L. Wetsel Secretary City of Roby, Texas

ATTACHMENT TO ORDINANCE CITY OF ROBY, TEXAS LONE STAR GAS COMPANY TARIFFS & SCHEDULES

Item A. The following rates are the maximum applicable to residential and commercial consumers per meter per month or for any part of a month for which gas service is available at the same location. Summer rates shall be applicable between the meter reading dates in May and October. Winter rates shall be applicable at all other times. shall be applicable at all other times. Residential: Customer Charge: Winter-\$3,7500; Summer-\$3,7500. All Consump-tion: Winter-\$3,3256 Per Mcf; Summer-

\$3.0756 Per Mcf. \$3.0756 Per Mct.

If the service period is less than 28 days, the customer charge is \$.1339 times the number of days service.

Commercial: Customer Charge: Winter-87,0000; Summer-87,000. All Consump-tion: Winter-83,3256 Per Mcf; Summer-

\$3.0756 Per Mcf.

\$3.0756 Per Mcf.

If the service period is less than 28 days, the customer charge is \$.2500 times the number of days service.

Bills are due and payable when rendered and must be paid within ten days from the monthly billing date.

Item B. Gas Cost Adjustment. Each monthly bill at the above rate shall be adjusted for gas cost as follows:

(1) The city gate rate increase or decrease applicable to current billing month residential and commercial sales shall be estimated to the nearest \$0,0001 per Mcf

ta) A volume factor of 1.0526 determined in establishing the above rates for the distribution system as the ratio of adjusted purchased volumes divided by adjusted sales volumes.

adjusted sales volumes.

(b) The city gate rate estimated to be applicable to volumes purchased during the current calendar month, expressed to the nearest \$0.0001 per Mcf (shown below as "Re").
(c) The base city gate rate of \$2.4624 per

(2) Correction of the estimated adjustment determined by Item B (1) above shall be included as part of the adjustment for the second following billing month. The correcting factor (shown below as "C") shall be expressed to the nearest 80.0001 per Mcf based

(a) The corrected adjustment amount based upon the actual city gate rate, less (b) The estimated adjustment amount billed under Item B (1) above, divided by (c) Distribution system residential and commercial sales Mcf recorded on the Company's books during the prior year for the month that the correction is included as part of the adjustment.

(3) The adjustment determined by Item B
(1) and Item B (2) above shall be
multiplied by a tax factor of 1.01807 to
unclude street and alley rental and state occupation tax due to increasing or decreasing Company revenues under this gas cost adjustment provision.

In summary, the gas cost adjustment (GCA) shall be determined to the nearest \$0.0001 per mcf by Item B (1), Item B (2) and Item B (3) as follows: GCA = (Item B (1) + Item B (2) X Item B (3) GCA = (1.0526) (Re - \$2.4624) + C X 1.01807

Item C. Tax Adjustment. The tax adjustment shall be an amount equivalent to the proportionate part of any new tax, or increased tax, or any other governmental imposition, rental, fee or charge (except state, county, city and special district ad valorem taxes and taxes on net income) levied, assessed or imposed subsequent to January 1, 1981, upon or allocable to the Company's distribution operations, by any new or amended law, ordinance or contract. 1.01807

Item D Cost of Service Adjustment. Each monthly bill for residential and ercial gas service shall be adjus

for changes in the cost of providing such service as follows:

(1) Effective with bills rendered for the month of May, 1982 and annually effective each May thereafter, the residential and commercial monthly rate shall be adjusted for changes in the cost per customer of providing gas service (including depreciation but excluding cost of gas, gross receipts taxes, income taxes, and return) for the previous year ended December 31 above or below such cost incurred in the second prior calendar. December 31 above or below such cost, incurred in the second prior calendar year. The annual adjustments shall be cumulative. The operating expenses used in calculating the adjustments shall be for the applicable distribution system as reported to the Railroad Commission of Texas in the annual report of Lone Star Gas Company. Should the percentage change in cost of service per customer of providing gas service exceed the rate of change in the Implicit Price Deflator of

the Gross National Product over the same period of time, the adjustment will be limited to a maximum change computed by multiplying the cost of service per organization of the control of the c shall be rounded to the nearest whole

cent.
(2) The adjustment determined by (1) above shall be multiplied by the same tax factor used in calculating the gas cost adjustment contained herein to include street and alley rental and state occupation tax due to increasing or decreasing Company revenues under this cost of service adjustment provision.

Item E. Schedule of Service Charges. (1) Reconnect Charge.
In addition to the charges and rates set out above, the Company shall charge and collect the sum of: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday-\$20.00: 5 p.m. to 8 a.m. Monday through Friday-\$30.00: Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays-\$30.00.

as a reconnect charge for each reconnection or reinauguration of gas service, where service has been discontinued at the same premises for any reason, with the following exceptions.

(a) For a builder who uses gas temporarily during construction or for display purposes.

purposes.
(b) For the first occupant of the premises.
(c) Whenever gas service has been temporarily interrupted because of system outage, service work or appliance installation done by Company; or (d) For any reason deemed necessary for Company, operation. Company operation.

(2) Appliance, Gas Light, and Air

Appliance Service Charges R a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday-818.00 per hour, 5 p.m. to 8 a.m. Monday through Friday-827.00; Satur-days, Sundays and Holidays-827.00 per

An additional charge of \$12 added to the above charges when a second employee-(helper) is required. Time in excess of one hour promated in 15

minute in excess of one nour province in 15 minutes in excession, as follows: 15 minutes-\$4.50 (Standard Working Hours. 86.75 (Non-Standard Working Hours. 30 minutes-\$9.00 (SWH), \$13.50 (NSWH). 45 minutes-\$13.50 (SWH), \$20.25 (NSWH), 60 minutes-\$18.00 (SWH). \$27.00 (NSWH).

Standard working hours defined as 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday except All new company sold grills serviced free of charge for 90 days, during standard working hours.

Gas I inht Services Service and Charge:

Clean and replace mantles-\$5.00.
Painting (black and white and/or replacing glass panes-\$4.00
All new company sold gas lights serviced free of charge for 90 days, during standard working hours.

Air Conditioning Service

Schedule and Hourly Charge: Any hour Sunday through Saturday and Holidays-\$20.00.

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Time in excess of one hour prorated in 15 minute increments, as follows: 15 minutes-\$5.00; 30 minutes-\$10.00; 45 minutes-\$15.00; 60 minutes-\$20.00. All new company-sold air conditioning units serviced free of charge for one year from date of installation.

No additional charge for second employee

(helper).

Labor charges in excess of factory allowances for warranty replacement and repair will be passed on to the customer:

(3) Main Line Extension Rate (Res-The charge for extending mains beyond the free limit established by Lone Star Gas, or any free limit established by city franchise is \$4.50 per foot except for large commercial and industrial consumers which are handled on an actual cost per

(4) Returned Check Charges A returned check handling charge of \$5 is made for each check returned to the Company for reasons of non-sufficient funds, account closed, payment withheld, invalid signature or improper pre-

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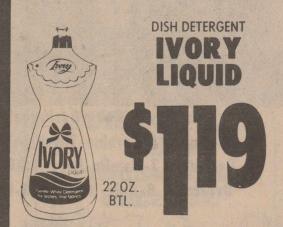
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