

Appraisal District Trims Proposed 1982 Budget

The proposed 1982 budget for the Fisher County Appraisal District is approximately \$22,000 less than the 1981 budget, according to Chief Appraiser Billie Lou Hol-

comb. The discussion on the 1982 budget took place last Monday night at the regular monthly meeting of the Appraisal Board. Members present included: Kyle Moore, Dick

Edwards, Larry McClain, Dennis Dooley and Billy Jeffrey. The 1981 budget for the Fisher County Appraisal Board amounted to \$138,000.00. The proposed

1982 budget is \$115,500. In other action board members voted to give a \$25.00 a month cost of living adjustment to full-time employees Barbara Rasco, Rhonda Boyd and

Ginger Green. The board also voted to hire David Noles as a part-time field helper locating property.

The board discusses an anticipated \$2,000.00 assistance check to be received within the next few months from the Texas Comptrollers office and an additional payment in December.

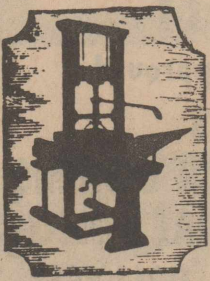
Board members approved the purchase of \$400.00 in maps from L.L. Jacobs, appraiser, of the Mc-

Caulley area and discussed the arrival of the computer equipment for the district.

Chief Appraiser Billie

Lou Holcomb is in hopes of being able to decrease the 4th quarterly payment due the appraisal district by the eight member entities

in October. Board members are expected to further discuss the measure at the meeting in September.



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Holle Resigns, Coleman Hired Other Roby Teachers Named

Roby School Superintendent Jimmie Laurie hired Coach Joe Coleman last Monday night to fill his 20 teaching positions but a few minutes later had a resignation from Kay Holle as 4th grade teacher

and as of press time he was still seeking a person to fill that position.

Kay Holle resigned and will be moving with her husband to the Sulphur Springs, Texas, area in the immediate future.

The full list of teaching positions for the 1981-82 school year at Roby include:

The Elementary teachers for Roby School will be: Janeyl Beck, Marilyn Burrows, Ruth Davis, Joe Coleman, Jimmie Johnson, Merle Lovett, Kay Moore, LoVelle Stuart.

Roby High School teach-

ers will be: Connie Early, Jerry Hahn, Janis Kincaid, Mickey McCarty, Howard McDaniel, Stephen Stamets, Dora Reyes, Gary Daniel, Barbara Martin, Jackie Hahn, Betty Neal Mauldin.

Elementary Principal is Mickey Early. High School Principal is Jimmie Laurie.

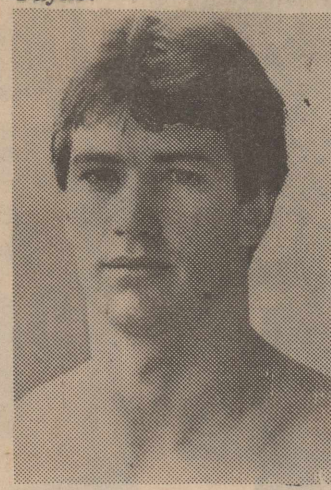
Registration For Rotan High Students

High School Students at Roby High School will report for registration on Wednesday, August 19th, according to High School Principal George Price.

Seniors will be registering from 9:30 until 11:00; Juniors from 11:00 until noon; Sophomores from 1:00 p.m. until 1:45 and Freshmen from 1:45 until 2:30 p.m.



Joe Coleman



Byron Weathersbee

Byron Weathersbee Is Given HPU Scholarship

Byron Weathersbee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Weathersbee and quarterback for the 1981 Quarter Final Champion Yellowhammers, received a one year full scholarship to Howard Payne University in Brownwood, it was announced this week.

Weathersbee reported to 2-a-day practice sessions last Monday for quarterbacks and receivers. "I only know of two other quarterbacks at Howard Payne. Their quarterback last year is coming off arm surgery and they have a transfer from Auburn University that they are real high on," said Weathersbee.

Weathersbee figured his one year full scholarship, paying for books, room and board and tuition is valued at approximately \$4,000.00 and indicated that the scholarships are reviewed every year and awarded to those players that can help the team.

Royston Reunion Set For Sunday

Royston Reunion will be held Saturday afternoon and Sunday, August 15 and 16, at the Community Center in Rotan, Texas.

Everyone is asked to bring sandwiches on Sunday for lunch.

Rotan School Board Will Meet Monday

The members of the Rotan School Board will hold their regular monthly board meeting on August 17th at 7:30 p.m., at the Rotan School Library. The board will be discussing the regular items on the agenda plus will be holding a budget hearing and tax hearing.

Rotan Methodist Will Hold Fun Growth Days

The First United Methodist Church of Rotan will be sponsoring a four day fun-growth event for the children from two-years through the sixth grades next week. The daily event will run Tuesday through Friday, August 18-21, from 10:00 A.M. until 12:00 Noon. The daily activities will include music, art projects, and Bible lessons. A special

treat will be the appearance of Bashful George and his friends. These are hand puppets which Janis Collins has developed into special friends in her Sunday School and the children's sermon at First United Methodist Church. These "Four Days of Fun" are for any child in our community who would like to come according to Pastor Ramsey.



DISPLAYS PUPPET: Mrs. Tom Collins displays the puppet "Bashful George" that will be used during the four day Fun Growth Event at the First United Methodist Church in Rotan.

Hobbs School District Residents Want School

With a total of 204 votes cast in the election last Saturday to abolish the Hobbs School District, approximately 75% of those residents voting indicated that they were against the abolishment issue.

The final vote count was 53 for the abolishment and 151 against the abolishment. At the Hobbs School 136 were against with 41 for; at the Scurry County voting location 12 voted for with 15 voting against the issue.

Rotan Pre-Registration Set August 20th & 21st

Pre-registration for all Rotan High School students will be held on August 20 and 21 according to Rotan High School Principal David Hargrove. Seniors will report on August 20th between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m., with juniors scheduled to report on Thursday afternoon, August 20th between 1:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. for

registration. Sophomores will report between 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Friday, August 21st with freshmen reporting on Friday afternoon between 1:00 and 3:00 p.m. Hargrove indicated that all new students should meet with the principal on either Thursday or Friday of registration.

Hobbs School Begins Thursday, August 20

Hobbs School teachers will be reporting for work on Monday, August 17. There will be three days of in-service, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Buses will run Thursday and school will begin at 8:00 a.m. for all students in grades Kindergarten

through 6. Faculty for 1981-1982 will be: Maudie Guber - K, 1st and 2nd; Dorothy Harris - 3rd and 4th; Dee Ann Mullins - 5th and 6th; Kathleen Hale - 1/2 day librarian; M.B. Maxwell, Jr. - Superintendent.

New Teachers Named For Rotan Schools

Rotan School Superintendent Jerry Dickson indicated last Tuesday that he has completed the hiring of 44 of the 45 teachers for positions for the 1981-82 school year. "The only teaching position vacancy as of now is that of a combination English-Spanish teacher and we are working hard

attempting to fill that position," said Dickson.

The 14 employees of high school include: Barbara McCain, English-Speech; Dicky Lepard, government, health, P.E. and coach; Ted Posey, history, coach and P.E.; Guy Nelson, science; Robert Witherspoon, business; Robert Damron, coach and P.E.; Betty Strayhorn, math; Kathryn Regan, home economics; Olen Fryer, vo. ag.; Jo Damron, Coach, girl's P.E.; Linda Dickson, special education and Pat Hamric, English, librarian and counselor.

The 12 junior high teachers include: Leigh Freeman, 5-6 reading; Ernest Armstrong, 5-6 social studies; Fran Burk, 5-6 English; Verna Mae Pittman, 5-6 math; Mary Ann Marshall, 7-8 math; Jon Curry, 7-8 history-coach; Nancy Tandy, 7-8 English; Joy Stinson, 7-8

science; Connie Hargrove, 5-8 title 1 reading and Chrystelle Hawkins, special education. Title 1 aides include Angel Valez and Chris Gaspar.

The 18 elementary school teachers include: Carla Lepard and Mrs. Fran LeBleu, kindergarten; Mrs. Olen Fryer and Mrs. Mike Dennis, first grade; Mrs. Robert Witherspoon and Mrs. Aurora Nowlin, second grade; Mrs. Bill Smith, fourth grade; Mrs. Joe Landers, Mrs. David Hudnall and Mrs. Charles McCall, grades three and four. Mrs. George Schroyer, special education; Carla Beames, early childhood development; Celia Greenlee, title one migrant and Joyce Hill, title 1. Aides in Elementary School are: Mrs. D.L. Goodwin; Mrs. Dorothy Soliz; Mrs. America Yanez and Mrs. Sharon Overby.

Lions Club Auction On Saturday

The Roby Lion's Club will be holding an auction on Saturday morning, August 15th, in the parking lot between the old Three Rivers Grocery and the Silver Spur Restaurant. The auction is set to begin at 10:00 a.m. according to Kirt Terry, Lion's Club spokesman.

The club will be selling a large amount of furniture, piano, plow tools, lawnmowers and other donated items in an attempt to help three worth club activities. The money raised will go toward assisting the Lion's Club Sight Project, Crippled Children's Home in Kerrville and the Roby Baseball Park.

Individuals desiring to donate any items (except clothing) to the Lion's Club of Roby can contact Central Lumber, City Hall or the Terry Gin and the items will be picked up.

Roby Booster Club Meeting On Aug. 18th

The members of the Roby Booster Club will meet on Tuesday, August 18th, at 7:00 p.m., at the High School Home Economics Room in Roby.

The purpose of the meeting is to elect new officers for the coming year and discuss plans for booster club activities.

Homemade ice cream will be served. Everyone is encouraged to attend this first meeting of the year.

Burglaries On Rise In Rotan

Rotan Police Chief Gene Pack reported four auto burglaries and one house burglary within a four day period in Rotan and issued a caution to all Rotan residents to lock homes and vehicles to prevent further occurrences.

The first of the five incidents took place on Thursday, August 6th, and involved the theft of a .22 rifle, 410 shotgun from a pickup owned by Manual Ortiz of 607 N. McKinley in Rotan. The vehicle was unlocked.

On August 9th, burglars removed a citizens band radio from a pickup owned by Charles Atwell of 206 E. Johnson Street. The radio was valued at \$190.00. The vehicle was unlocked.

Burglars removed a set of socket tools, 2 boxes of 30-30 shells and other miscellaneous equipment from a vehicle owned by

Charles McCall of 713 E. Johnson Street on August 9th.

During the same period, burglars removed an equalizer booster from a vehicle owned by Rodney Denton, Jr., of 611 East Burnside Street. The booster was valued at \$65.00.

The final incident took place on Sunday, August 9th and involved the theft of 2 cameras, 3 radios, miscellaneous jewelry, personal jewelry and \$50.00 in cash from the home of Ann Allen at 408 Richard Ave.

Pack indicated that his force has several good fingerprints in the case and is in the process of turning the prints over to the F.B.I. "Anyone observing any unusual activity around homes or vehicles at night is asked to contact the Rotan Police Department," said Pack.



Work Ours Begin

THE PAIN: Jeff Posey, senior, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Posey, was one of the 48 Rotan Football Players reporting for the opening day workouts last Monday. Posey is expected to be one of the mainstays in the Rotan line this season. He was named to the All-Area team last year. Posey and the other members of the Rotan football squad will be taking part in an inter-squad scrimmage this Saturday morning beginning at 9:00 a.m. Rotan is picked by the Harris Poll to finish second in the district behind the Hamlin Pied Pipers.



Naomi Counts and Don Stoner

Naomi Counts , Don Stoner Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Counts are happy to announce the engagement of their

daughter, Naomi, to Bill Stoner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Stoner of Graham. The couple plans a September 5th wedding in Graham.

Golden Haven News

Words cannot express our appreciation to the group from Dublin that put on a program for us on Thursday afternoon. Our thanks go out to Mr. and Mrs. Cliff McCormick of Dublin, Willie Sewell of Dublin, Donna and Todd Early of Dublin, and to Mr. and Mrs. J.D. McCormick of Roby. They gave a delightful program and everyone really enjoyed it. Todd was asked to do an encore for us. We all hated to see it come to an end.

Vilena Halbrooks is in the Fisher County Hospital. We hope she is better and able to join us again real soon.

Visiting this week were: Mr. and Mrs. Doug Simmons of Abilene visiting Cleo Simmons. Judy Justiss of Sweetwater visited Letha Meek. Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Harrell of Roscoe visited Octavious Harrell, Essie Morton of Sweetwater and Lelah Spencer of Abilene visited Martha Headstream. Mrs. Worth Norwood of Abilene visited Guy Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. John Leach of Rotan visited Maebell Ogden. Virginia Melton visited in Snyder in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Neves. Clara Ferrell, Georgia Powell, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mauldin of Sylvester visited Bessie Scott. Carol Floyd of Roscoe visited Lora Stephens. Elsie Rogers of the El Paso Community visited Ezell Whitten. Mike Tucker of Sweetwater visited Mildred Fife. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Harris of Sylvester, Kathryn Hogan of Sweetwater, Mrs. John Tankersley and Delia Baird of Ft. Worth visited Maude Harris. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wood and daughter of Euless visited with Elizabeth Hale.

The Methodist Church of Roby brought a beautiful sheet cake to the home. Hub Bennett brought cantalopes and watermelons. Thank you so very much.

Rev. Gene Preva brought our devotional on Sunday with 16 members of the congregation present.

Roby Seeking Change Of Address Notices

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Tax Rate Same At Roby

The members of the Roby Independent School Board met last Monday night for their regular monthly meeting and voted to leave the tax rate for the 1981-82 year the same, according to Superintendent Jimmie Laurie.

The rate for 1980-81 amounted to \$1.36 per \$100.00 valuation on a 60% value. The rate for the 1981-82 year will be 82

cents per \$100.00 valuation at 100% which will amount to basically the same amount of tax revenue.

In other action, board members gave approval to a 1981-82 budget in the amount of \$666,798.00 The new budget reflects an increase over the 1980-81 budget of approximately \$59,000.00, but the area of teacher pay raises accounts for the increase.

Board members voted to approve the Citizen's State Bank as the official school depository and voted to update school board policies according to the Texas Association of School Boards recommendation.

Board members hired bus drivers and lunchroom personnel at the meeting last Monday. Bus drivers for the 1981-82 year are: Edith Langford, Francis Morgan, Steve Stamets, Jan Kincaid, Alvin Seaton and Joe Coleman, 1/2 time.

Lunchroom personnel are Edith Langford, Nae DeLosSantos, Zelma Mauldin

and Mini Rivas.

Joe Coleman was hired by the board as a junior high coach at a salary of \$1,000.00 above plus \$400.00 for a bachelors degree.

The resignation of Kay Holle was accepted. She had been a teacher in the

Roby 4th grade.

In final action the board approved the establishment of a construction fund. Superintendent Laurie said, "We'll use the fund to upgrade buildings and build new facilities on campus as the need arises."

Rites Held For Mary Webb

Mrs. Mary Louise Fouts Webb died Tuesday, August 4. Services were conducted at 11:30 a.m. Thursday at Harveson & Cole Funeral Home. Graveside services were held at 4 p.m. Thursday in Rotan.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Jean Hudson, three grandchildren, Terry R. Jones, J.M. Jones, and John E. Hudson; three great-grandchildren; sisters, Mrs. G. Edwin Smith,

Miss Maudine Fouts, Fort Worth.

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Daniel
9:3-14

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Solomon
8:5-7

Tuesday
Matthew
22:34-40

Wednesday
I John
4:7-12

Thursday
Nehemiah
1:1-11

Friday
Psalms
145:8-21

Saturday
I Corinthians
2:1-9

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Enthusiasm High For 48 Rotan Grid Players



UPSIDE DOWN: Marcus Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Conner of Rotan, was stretching some unused muscles last Monday as he took part in the first two-a-day drill.

Neil Wright Named Dist. Probation Officer

Neil Wright has been appointed 32nd Judicial District chief probation officer, District Judge Weldon Kirk announced today.

Wright took over his new duties Monday, replacing Noel Wofford, who retired last Friday after managing the office for eight years. For the past several months, Wright has been serving Mitchell County as probation officer while living in Colorado City. Wright is in the process of moving to Sweetwater. Prior to probation work, he was employed by the Rotan Independent School

District as high school principal.

Wright and his wife, Beth, are Baptists, Wright enjoys golf, hunting and fishing while his wife participates in bridge and needlecraft. They have one son, Kevin, who is a professor of criminal justice at New York State University in Binghamton. The 32nd Judicial District is composed of Nolan, Mitchell, and Fisher Counties, and the probation department maintains offices in Sweetwater, Colorado City and Roby with staff in Sweetwater and Colorado City.

A total of 48 players reported for the opening two-a-day drills at the Rotan practice field under new Head Coach Robert Damron and from early indications the enthusiasm is running high in hopes of a successful season.

The Rotan team will go into pads for the first time on Friday, August 14th for the morning work-out. On Saturday morning, August 15th, the players will be divided into teams for an inter-squad scrimmage. The final week of two-a-day drills gets underway on Monday, August 17th, and runs through Friday, August 21st. On Friday evening the squad travels to Munday for a controlled scrimmage with the Munday Moguls, coached by Head Coach Rogers Langford, former Rotan assistant coach.

On August 28th the Yellowhammers host Crosbyton in the final scrimmage of the season before opening the regular season at home with Roscoe.

Head Coach Robert Damron said, "I was fairly pleased with the condition that the players were in last Monday morning", alluding to the running and pre-season conditioning done by players on their own.

With reference to the new system of plays, Damron said, "I think they are picking up our offense very well, they're trying hard to learn and they're all making an outstanding effort."

Two players are currently on the injured list with broken bones. Senior Moses Gonzales fractured his wrist before two-a-day drills while at home. Last Monday, Armando Yanez suffered a broken arm after falling during a form running drill during the

opening two-a-day practice session.

Coach Damron is listing a

total of 50 boys on the 1981 team. They include 12 seniors; 13 juniors; 10

sophomores and 15 freshmen.

The Seniors include: Darrell Carter, Marcus Conner, Keith Copeland, Moses Gonzales, Wes Hardin, Weldon Hayes, Carlos Martinez, Kip Pease, Jeff Posey, Artie Tucker, Eli Turner, Henry Williams. Juniors include: Kevin Copeland, David Gauna, Roger Hooper, Alan Kiker, Darrin Leverton, Richard Mendoza, Richie Medrano, Mondo Montez, Toby Moore, Larry Ramirez, Dennis Warren, Tony Zambrano, Pokey Houston. Sophomores: Gustabo Almanza, Ernest Carrillo, Troy Daniel, Gregg Gruben, Jay Loving, Randy Martinez, Santos Ortiz, Rene Silvas, Joe Paul Solis, Sammy Turner. Freshmen: Tim Carrillo, David Carter, Rudy Garza, Robert Gauna, Ricky Gibson, Tony Gruben, Bobby Hernandez, Connell Johnson, Armondo Yanez, Herman

Lopez, Jeff Martinez, Nick Saucedo, Dion Sepeda, Charles Williams, Paul Zambrano.

Rotan School Begins On August 27 For Students

School will begin for all students at Rotan on Thursday, August 27th, at 8:05, according to Superintendent Jerry Dickson.

High School students will be reporting to the Auditorium and are asked to bring their class schedules.

Junior High Students will report to their respective areas. 5th grade with Mr. Armstrong and Ms. Freeman in Rooms 1 & 2; 6th grade with Miss Pittman

and Mrs. Burk in rooms 4 & 5; 7th grade with Mr. Curry and Mrs. Marshall in rooms 8 & 9 and 8th grade with Mrs. Tandy and Mrs. Stinson in rooms 7 & 10. The names of all students will be posted on each homeroom door.

Elementary students names will be listed on the doors on the opening day of school.

Teacher in-service training will begin on August 24 through August 26th.

Buses will run on August 27th on their regular schedule. The lunchroom will be open. All students should come to school on August 27th on their regular schedule. The lunchroom will be open. All students should come to school on August 27th prepared for a full day of work and activity.

Change In Law For Area Brands

There has been a change in the law for controlling the time at which livestock brands must be registered under Article 6899j, V.T.C.S. This act, which was passed by the Legislature and became effective August 30, 1971, required that all marks and brands registered after August 30, 1971 and prior to August 30, 1981 must be re-registered within six months of that date. Marks and brands must then be re-registered at subsequent ten-year intervals for then-current owners. That is, all marks and brands will then be recorded with the County Clerk, regardless of when they originally were recorded, within six months of August 30, 1981, August 30, 1991, August 30, 2001, August 30, 2011, etc.

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Well, we got a good shower on Monday, and it sure has made the cotton look better. Got more up west of Hobbs than we did down here at the house it looks like but every little bit helps.

Leah Hyer and Cassie Parker from Andrews spent the week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid. Mrs. Neal Hyer and family from Andrews visited with the Kincaids over the week-end returning home on Sunday. We were sure pleased to see them all at Church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Martinez went to Amarillo to attend an annual meeting of the Western division of the A.M.P.I. They went on Thursday and came back Friday. Trina and Stephanie Warren from Snyder went with their grandparents to Amarillo. Brian Warren also from Snyder spent two weeks visiting with his grandparents.

The Etheredge family reunion was held on Sunday at the Hobbs Gym Annex. 109 registered from as far away as Las Vegas, and folks were there from Archer City, Plains, Tuscola and everywhere around this big state. They really enjoyed visiting and they sure had a big crowd.

Todd Etheredge, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge, celebrated his 17th birthday on Sunday. Happy Birthday to him. Debra Teel and David Etheredge, Delinda Teel, Sabrina Herron from Roby and Taina Barrett from Camp Springs all helped him celebrate.

Jim and I went to a Barbe-que on Monday night at the home of the Tommy Friersons in Roby. It was for all the folks who helped at the AJRA Rodeo, and we really had a good crowd with lots of good food. We went to Snyder and to Mr. and Mrs. Blake Walkers on Wednesday.

Melody came home for the week-end; came Friday and went back on Sunday. We visited with Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Gruben and family on Friday night, and then went to Abilene on Saturday. Everyone must have had the same idea as it was sure crowded. Melody gets through with her Finals Thursday of this week, so then will begin registering for the Fall semester. She heard on Monday that she had received a full Rodeo Scholarship for both Semesters, so was very pleased about that. She was 4th in the Region last year, for the Girls competition.

I got a card from J.R. Mahaffey who is now living in Joshua Tree, California. He said he had been in the hospital several times this year, and we hope that he will have good health the remainder of the year. Was sure good to hear from him again.

Pete Wishert has been in the hospital at Rotan and has been pretty sick. We hope that he will soon begin to feel lots better.

Mrs. Opal Phillips attended a wedding Friday night at Roby in the new sanctuary of the Methodist Church. Blanche Neal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nash Miers, was married to Lee Mauldin.

Morris Hardin from Lubbock spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Bea Hardin, returning home Monday morning. Mrs. Marcus Medrano and Doris Medrano also visited with Bea on Saturday; they all went to Snyder.

Well this is all for this week. See you next Thursday. Maybe it will rain again, as its sure cloudy and the humidity is very high this morning (Tuesday).

Fisher County Nursing Home

We want to say "Thank You" to Mrs. F.H. Sawyer of Rotan for the tomatoes, to Helen Thornburg of Rotan for the cantalopes, to P.W. Cummings of Roby for the okra and to Frances Morgan of Roby for the cantalopes. We do appreciate your thoughtfulness very much.

We have 2 residents in the Fisher County Hospital. They are Hob Reed and Mary Lou Dennis. We hope they are feeling much better and able to join us again real soon.

Visiting this week were: Leonard and Mark Bryans of Dallas visiting John Cox, Jason Nix, Dorothy Wallace and daughters, Brenda and Mary of Roby visited Emma Lenued. Lucille Biers of Sweetwater visited Homer Lawlis and Beulah Moffett. Joe Shipp of Odessa visited Ollie Shipp. Mrs. J.W. Wilson of California visited Thaddie Wilson and Cordia Wade, Frances Battas of Sweetwater visited Mary Gram.

Parade Entries Needed

Entries are needed for the Roby Rodeo Parade August 27th. Prizes will be awarded for best float and for the best organization.

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Academic courses on the schedule are Economics 231, English 131, History 131, Human Development (Orientation) 111, College Algebra 133, Sociology 231, and Speech 131 and 232.

Occupational-Technical courses scheduled are Law Enforcement 134 and 239, Management Seminar 239, and Management 135, 136, 902, 904 and 905, and internship courses.

Additional information about the Sweetwater offerings may be obtained by contacting Gary Rotan at 235-8601.

AJRA Finals

Run Through August 15

With the top rodeo announcer in the nation, along with the best rodeo clown there is, plus the top stock producers with AJRA experience, we believe this year has got to be the best Finals Snyder has ever produced. Each year, we think these young contestants couldn't get any better, but it seems we are pleasantly surprised by their performances, cause they really continue to prove themselves to be super-great rodeo athletes.

The Snyder Chamber of Commerce, Board of County Development and AJRA Planning Committee urge you to come out the first night, Tuesday, Aug. 11th at 8:00 p.m. to witness for yourself what the city of Snyder has been fortunate to sponsor for the past six years. Performances are different each night for all the contestants are different, and you never fail to get your money's worth.

The members compete in three age groups: 12 yrs. and under; 13-15, and 16-19. Don't ever underestimate the 12 and under age group for you will be in for a surprise! They are absolutely thrilling, and you will be amazed to see the quality of horses these youngsters are mounted on. Some of these young people have raised and trained their own horses themselves.

We are truly excited about the 1981 AJRA National Finals, and we urge everyone to join us especially on opening night. We feel sure that you will thoroughly enjoy it. We would love to see that coliseum full for the Grand Opening of the Finals this year.

Canning tips offered: With gardens flourishing, many consumers are attempting food preservation at home to save on food costs. While home canning may look simple, every detail requires careful attention.

If you do choose to can come vegetables, the Food Quality and Safety Committee of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System, offers these important points:

-Before starting, contact your local county Extension office for the latest information.

-Use only high quality produce for best results.

-Be sure to have the pressure gauge on your pressure canner checked. Your local county Extension office usually has the equipment to provide this service.

Also check gaskets and seals on your pressure canner.

-Follow directions to every detail; do not use your own times or pressures.

-All low-acid foods such as green beans, corn and potatoes must be processed in a pressure canner. Water bath methods are not adequate for proper preservation of low-acid foods. Firm, fresh tomatoes which are not overripe may be processed in a water bath.

-Use only approved canning techniques; processing in a microwave oven or

conventional oven is not an approved method.

Use only standard canning jars with lids and rings; old mayonnaise or peanut butter jars are not designed for home canning.

-Do not reuse lids.

-Do not use jars that are chipped or cracked.

-Do not overfill jars as this can cause a faulty seal.

-Be sure tops of jars are wiped clean before sealing.

-Avoid sudden pressure drops; wait until the pressure gauge is at zero before opening the lid.

-Be sure to allow for processing adjustments for those elevations over 1000 feet; charts are

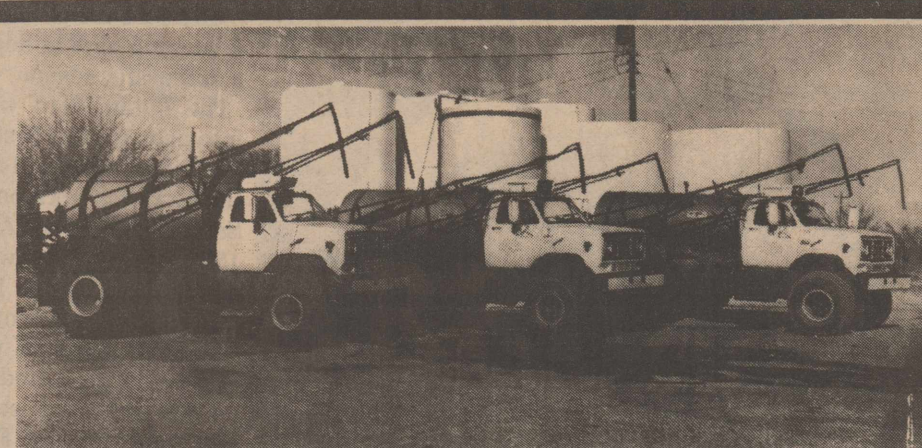
available in canning guides.

-Avoid placing jars direct from the pressure canner onto cool surfaces; it's

best to cool jars by placing them on a rack.

-Be sure to check all lids immediately but should not be stored for later use.

products in jars without a good seal may be eaten immediately but should not be stored for later use.



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Card Of Thanks

We would like to thank all the kind and loving people for the food and flowers in our time of sorrow. A special thank-you to the Calvary Baptist Church, to Bro. Berry Beams and Bro. Bill Williams, Dr. Sim-pao, Dr. Carandang, and the nurses.

Thank you to Beckie Cummings and Ruthie Peek for singing.

The loving family of Joe Rushing

LEGAL

The members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court will convene as a board of equalization at 5:00 p.m. on August 20th, 1981 for the purpose of reviewing personal property.

26-1tc

Hospital News

Patients admitted to Fisher County Hospital were: ROBY-Hazel Smith, Edna Habrook, Frances Kemp, Bessie Stephens, Alicia Carreon; ROTAN-C.U. Callan, Eula Williamson, H.N. Reed, Bernice Hargrove, Nine Eeds, Pete Wishert, Les Lopez, Delia Hardin, Mary Lou Dennis, Becky Carmichael, Donna Kennedy, Paul Carrillo III, Jason James Carrillo, Margie Gonzales, Jane Furlow, Becky Montez, Kennedy Baby Boy, Heron Baby Girl; SWEET-WATER-Shari Kirkland, Debora Moon, Kirkland Baby Boy, John Campbell, Jr. Moon Baby Boy.

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at seven o'clock in the evening
Church of Christ
Roby, Texas*

*Reception following
in the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Max Stuart*

31 Boys Report For Roby Football Practice

A total of 31 boys reported to the first workout at Roby last Monday morning and this proved a mild surprise for Head Coach Howard McDaniel. "I only anticipated 28 boys reporting, so

needless to say we were all pleased," he said. McDaniel has five boys returning that anchored 4 defensive and 3 offensive posts for the Lions in 1981. In addition to that group four other players return with letter experience.

The seven starting positions are held by Benny Medrano, Mike Porter and Chris Kiser, all seniors.

The other two include Junior Robbie King and Sophomore Joe Carreon. 1981 lettermen, in addition to the starters, are

Larry Williams, John Etheredge, Reggie Parks and Kirk Williamson.

McDaniel indicated that the Lion's will be keeping the same basic system in 1981 with the exception

that they will be running backfield instead of the "I" formation.

School Supply List For Rotan Elementary

Rotan Kindergarten Supplies
2 large pkg. 12x18 inch manila paper
2 large pkg. 12x18 inch construction paper
2 large plastic bottles of glue
Scissors that cut-blunt point
1 large box Kleenex
Wax Crayons-8 colors only
Extra wide primary pencil with eraser
2 Nifty pencil tablets #112
2 pkg. straight pins
1 washable throw rug or heavy bath towel

First Grade
2 Nifty Tablets #112
2 Elmers Glue
Kleenex Box
Construction Paper, 12x18
Scissors, pointed
Box Crayons
2 Pencils-regular size
Eraser
School Box

Second Grade
2nd Grade Manuscript tablet, Nifty or Aladdin
#2 pencil with eraser
1 box large crayons
1 pair blunt scissors
2 pkg. mixed construction paper
1 bottle school glue

Public Notice

Hobbs I.S.D. trustees will hold a hearing for the official 1981-1982 budget on August 21, 1981, at 10:00 a.m. at the Hobbs School.

**NO NEWS
IS BAD NEWS**

Read the

**Roby Star Record
Rotan Advance**

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MONUMENTS AND
CURBING: J.B. Smith, 308 E. 4th Street, Rotan, Texas. Call 735-3290. 43-tfc

FOR SALE: New crop of hay. Alfalfa. 735-3171. Landes Farms. 17-tfc

WOOD CUTTERS: We have a new machine to sharpen chains for all chain saws. Farm Tractor & Service, Inc., Rotan, Texas. 40-tfc

FOR SALE: Electric High-Low Hospital Beds, Night Stands and Over Bed Tables. Total price \$105.00 per unit or individually priced. Contact the Administrator-D.M. Cogdell Memorial Hospital-Snyder, Texas. Ph. (915) 573-6374. 25-3tc

FOR SALE: Newly reconditioned IBM "Executive" electric typewriter-dark blue in color-does everything. \$150.00. See at Newspaper Office. 24-tfc

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FOR SALE: Hoover up-right vacuum cleaner. 735-2696. 26-1tc

POODLE GROOMING: 993-4997. Nancy Boren, Sylvester, Texas 36-tfc

NOTICE: We buy scrap iron. Farm Tractor & Service, "Your John Deere Dealer", Rotan, TX. 52-tfc

FOR SALE: 253.2 acres of land located about 3 miles East of Rotan, Texas, out of the middle part of Section 115, Block 2, H & TC Ry Co. Survey (the Gladson farm), Sealed bids marked "Gladson Farm Land" should be submitted to: Rudy V. Hamric, Attorney at Law, Fisher County Courthouse, Roby, Texas, or to: Norman Arnett, Attorney at Law, 212 West Snyder, Rotan, Texas, no later than Friday, September 4, 1981, at 10:00 a.m., at which time all bids will be opened at the office of Norman Arnett, 212 West Snyder, Rotan, Texas. The right to refuse any or all bids is expressly reserved. 26-3tc

NOTICE: Will build, remodel, improve and add-on to homes. Interior and exterior work such as paneling, carpeting, roofing, etc. Free estimates. Clifton Griffith Construction. 776-2403. 23-9tp

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GARAGE SALE: 3 miles south of Roby on Sweetwater highway. Saturday and Sunday. Rex Hall Residence. 26-1tc

For Rent: 1, 2, & 3 bedroom apartments. Call 776-2131. 26-tfc

FOR SALE: Two 850 New Holland Round Balers. Excellent Condition. Jerry Hodges. 776-2605. 23-tfc

WATER WELL SERVICE: M&Z Well Service. 806-237-9888 or 806-237-9106. 50-tfc

FOR SALE: RCA Color TV with new guaranteed picture tube. \$140.00. Sam Hamm. 735-3403. 26-1tp

FOR SALE: Underwood 288 adding machine, recently reconditioned. \$69.00 The Newspaper Office. 16-tfc

NEW HOME SEWING MACHINES: Electrolux cleaners, repair all makes. H.B. Stevens, 1101 James Street, Sweetwater, 235-2889. 27-tfc

JEWELRY REPAIR: Diamond and precious stone setting, neckchain repair, ring sizing and alteration. All manner of gold jewelry repair. Work done on premises. Knabel Jewelers, Hamlin, Texas, 915-576-3522. 28-tfc

WANTED: Custom Baling, round and square bales. Custom Farming-breaking plows 8-28 inches deep-Chisel plows and disc. Call Mike Norris. (806) 237-9051 or 237-9061 day or night. 26-4tc

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LOST: One pair spurs with name Barron on sides. Reward. 735-2696. 26-1tc

**BACK TO SCHOOL
GARAGE SALE:** Lots of items. Saturday only. Harris Davis residence. 401 S. Florence, Roby. 26-1tc

NEEDED: Lady to do housekeeping chores and some cooking in home of elderly lady. 12-15 hours per week. Please call 735-3415. 26-2tc

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Sunday Hours

8:00 a.m.-2: p.m.

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FOR SALE: 6-foot fence posts. \$2.40 each. Farm Tractor and Service, Inc. 11-tfc

NOTICE: Would the person who borrowed Joe McKinney's grain trailer from the Rotan Delinting Company please return it to the Delinting Company. 22-tfc

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FOR SALE: Lot 4, Block 95, Original Town of Rotan. Sealed bids marked "Gladson building" should be submitted to: Rudy V. Hamric, Attorney at Law, Fisher County Courthouse, Roby, Texas, or to: Norman Arnett, Attorney at Law, 212 West Snyder, Rotan, Texas, no later than Friday, September 4, 1981, at 10:00 a.m. at which time all bids will be opened at the office of Norman Arnett, 212 West Snyder, Rotan, Texas. The right to refuse any or all bids is expressly reserved. 26-3tc

FOR SALE: 19 ft. Baja Bow Rider. Auxiliary gas tank, extra prop, convertible top, bow cover, double cable steering, walk-thru windshield, rails. Boat, motor & trailer to replace new-\$10,000. Needs work on electronic system. Will sell for \$4,500. 776-2727. 26-2tc

LAND FOR SALE: Sportsman's Paradise, Hunting & Fishing. 65 Acres bottom pasture land on Clear Fork River. Includes pens, cattle shed & hay barn. \$1,000 per acre. No Minerals. Jack Bruce at 735-3258. 25-4tp

NOTICE: Found Black Cow with a bell. Call 735-2010. 26-1tc

Yeats Pecan Farm has fresh vegetables. Beans, tomatoes, melons, okra. Roby Store. 26-2tc

FOR SALE: 20x8 ft. Flat Bed Hay Trailer. In good shape. T.L. Laughlin. 17 miles north of Rotan. Highway 70. 26-3tp

SAXAPHONE for sale. Mrs. C.V. Counts. 735-2051. 26-1tp

FOR SALE: Lot 17, Block 96, Original Town of Rotan. Sealed bids marked "Gladson lot" should be submitted to: Rudy V. Hamric, Attorney at Law, Fisher County Courthouse, Roby, Texas, or to: Norman Arnett, Attorney at Law, 212 West Snyder, Rotan, Texas, no later than Friday, September 4, 1981, at 10:00 a.m. at which time all bids will be opened at the office of Norman Arnett, 212 West Snyder, Rotan, Texas. The right to refuse any or all bids is expressly reserved. 26-3tc

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Funeral Services

Cordelia Hollis

Cordelia Hollis, 84, of Roby died at 6:50 p.m. Tuesday, August 4, in Hendricks Medical Center in Abilene following a brief illness. Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Thursday, August 6, in Weathersbee Funeral Home Chapel. Larry Fluitt, Church of Christ minister from Sweetwater, officiated. Burial was in Garden of Memories Cemetery in Sweetwater.

Born Dec. 16, 1896, in Denison, she married Ralph Hollis Jan. 7, 1921, in Denison. They moved to Sweetwater, then moved to Roby in 1970. Mr. Hollis died in 1975. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Jimmy (June) Wright of Roby; one daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edith Hollis of Eric, Kansas; and six grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a son, Ralph Hollis, Jr., in 1968.

Pallbearers were Johnny Stewart, James Streeby, Mike Terry, Kermit Terry, Earl Kiker, Waldo Gatewood.

Roby School List Of Supplies

Mrs. Burrow's 1st Grade
1 pkg. large Manila Drawing Paper
1 pkg. Construction Paper
3 #2 Standard size pencils
1 Eraser (Pink)
1 box of 8 Crayons
1 pair of blunt scissors
1 School Box
1 Box of Kleenex
1 Glue
2 pkg. Imaginary Line Paper
1 Large Shirt to Paint In.
*Please put your child's name on all supplies.

2nd Grade - Mrs. Lovett
1 Big Chief Tablet
1 Stenographers Notebook
1 Spiral Notebook
2 Regular Pencils
1 Red Lead Pencil
1 Eraser
1 Ruler (Showing both inches and centimeters.
1 Box Crayolas
1 Scissors
1 Elmers Glue
1 pkg. 9x12 Assorted colored construction paper
1 School Box
*Please put your child's name on all supplies.

3rd Grade
large Eraser
2 No. 2 pencils
1 box Crayons
1 large Elmers glue
1 pointed end scissors
1 Ruler (1-side inches, 1-side metric
2 Masterpiece tablet (No. 325 only)
2 large Notebooks (1 must have 100 pages, 1 must have 40 pages)
1 large pkg. Assorted construction paper

4th Grade
Notebook paper
4 pencils (No. 2)
Scissors
Ruler
Crayons
1 Spiral Notebook
Construction Paper (assorted colors)
Glue
Zipper pocket organizer
1 box Kleenex

5th Grade
Notebook paper
1 Ruler
Pencils (No. 2)
1 Blue pen
1 Black fine tip felt marker
1 pkg. Map colors
1 Protractor
1 Compass
2 Folders
2 Spiral Notebooks
1 Glue

Lawrence Price

Lawrence Russell Price, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Price, died August 2, 1981. Funeral services were held in Tulare, California.

He was born in Texas and lived in Tulare from 1930 to 1957. He moved back to Tulare in 1972.

Mr. Price was in business in Rotan with his father and brother, Elmer, for many years. He had been manager of Linder's grocery store in Tulare for 16 years. He had been owner of Price Market.

Mr. Price had been the senior citizens' Economic Opportunity Commission coordinator. He was a member of the Fresno Grange, the Moose Lodge, Kiwanis Club, Coin Club, Stamp Club and Fresno Rockers.

Surviving are his wife, Hallie; two daughters, Delores Coyner of Alaska and Marlene Nunes of Tulare; two sons, Robert of Walnut Creek and Harold of Florida; three sisters, DeAlva Cayce and Lucille Hedgepeth, both of Texas, and Bernice Alford of Santa Monica; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Mary Dennis

Mary Lou Dennis, 72, of Rotan, died at 10:30 p.m. Monday at Fisher County Hospital following a lengthy illness. Funeral Services were at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the First United Methodist Church in Rotan with Rev. Larry Ramsey, Pastor, and Rev. Tommy Taylor, Pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Ira and Union, officiating. Burial was in the Rotan cemetery.

She was born March 29, 1909, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Graham Chester. The family moved to Rotan in 1926 and she has made her home here since. She married Ike N. Dennis in 1953 at Tucumcari, New Mexico. He died in 1962. She was a member of the Methodist church.

Survivors include three brothers, Ollie Chester of Odessa, Jim Chester of Seattle, Washington, Bert Chester of Snyder; four sisters, Myrtle Julian of Sulphur Springs, Alma Skeen of Sulphur Bluff, Virginia Woodson of Rotan and Alvis McArthur of Rotan.

Bob Tallman To Announce At AJRA

Bob Tallman, known to the rodeo world as the very best rodeo announcer, has accepted our invitation to announce the AJRA National Finals Rodeo in Snyder.

Bob has announced all the great rodeo finals live for television including American, Canadian, Hawaiian and Australian Championships. He was the youngest man ever to announce the PRCA National Finals, considered to be the 'world series' of rodeo, held in Oklahoma City, and has since been the anchor play-by-play network announcer for the live Hesston telecasts.

Tallman is not just a rodeo announcer. He is a commentator, a color man, the master of ceremonies--host to the people in the grandstand. "It is my house...when that grand entry starts, it's mine. I'm very possessive of that, and I detest anything that tries to take it away from me. They're my people", he states.

"I enjoy enthusiasm. If we can allow them to release, we've done more than show a rodeo. They've become part of our life and there's no life like the rodeo business. There's parts of it I want them to share--just for a little while. I want them to get involved and they do get involved."

Tallman creates excitement. He brings the crowd to life with a rare talent. He is known as "The Voice of Rodeo", "King of the Airwaves" and is the "Voice of the Great American Cowboy", a nationally syndicated radio program produced by the Pro Rodeo Network.

The 1981 AJRA National Finals Rodeo, Aug. 11-15, has got to be the best ever for all the PRO'S of production are with us this year. We promise the most exciting, enthusiastic rodeo you've ever witnessed, so be there Tuesday, Aug. 11th, and be prepared for a good time.

Sgt. Tim Counts, Pvt. R. Counts In Rotan

SSgt. Tim Counts and PVT Regie Counts returned home for a short visit with family and friends.

Tim is currently stationed at Duluth AFB, Duluth, MN. and is serving with the 4787 Security Police Squadron. He is also a member of the honor guard and is attending

Growing a good crop of pecans means good nitrogen management in combination with soil, water, zinc and weed management.

Pecan trees store a large percentage of the food they manufacture each year. As this stored food accumulates, the tree can then begin to bear relatively regular crops. So nitrogen needs to be applied every year and not just when a deficiency is seen. Nitrogen fertilizer such as 21-0-0 or 33-0-0 is recommended.

Orchards which have been out of production but have adequate space and well-drained soil should receive a large initial application of nitrogen, such as 1,000 pounds of ammonium sulfate or ammonium nitrate per acre the first year. Standard rates of nitrogen for bearing pecan orchards are as follows: natives, 60 pounds per acre; bottom-land orchards, 90 pounds

per acre; and upland orchards, 120 pounds per acre.

Apply nitrogen fertilizer in late February immediately before pecan tree growth begins. Put on a second application of 1/2 the standard rate in late May if trees have set a heavy crop.

To keep grass and weeds from stealing a large volume of nitrogen, disk the fertilizer into the soil to a 1-to 2-inch depth immediately after application. A second disking is usually needed a month later. Disking also helps prevent volatilization loss of nitrogen.

The best index for determining nitrogen, zinc, soil, weed control and water needs is terminal growth of non-bearing shoots. If all other management practices are in order, low nitrogen can seriously limit shoot growth. All non-bearing shoots on mature trees (over 12 years of age) should be more than 4 inches but less than 12 inches. If growth is less, add more nitrogen. If growth is more, cut back.

As far as water management is concerned, pecans on good soil can bear with only 32 inches of rainfall from April to October. However, more water can enhance tree health and regular production. Pecans require about an inch of water each week from April to October but the optimum would be 2 inches per week.

Critical periods are when weeks pass without a rain. However, the tree and crop have their greatest water needs in March immediately before growth begins, in June as

nuts begin to size, in late July as kernels begin to fill, and in early September as kernels continue to develop. Severe droughts at these four periods can

result in complete crop failure or serious crop loss. The last period can also result in a poor crop the following year.

Pecan roots can dry out

and die if no rains occur from September to April. Therefore, a mid-winter irrigation may be needed to insure good tree health and regular production.

Fisher County Agent

Richard Spencer



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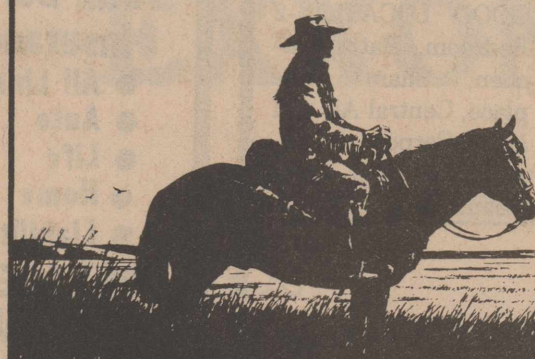
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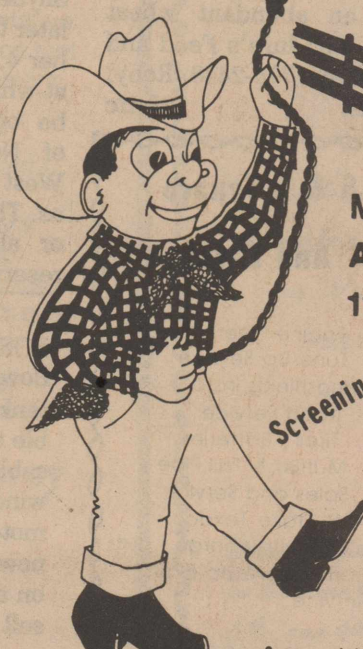


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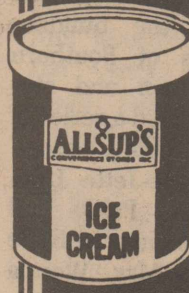


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Fourteen From Fisher County Assist Building New Baptist Church, Mission Church Builders For Christ Shock Polson, Montana People

Activity at the building site resembled that at an anthill. Workers scurried hither and yon, each doing something or carrying something. To the untrained eye it seemed an aimless milling about. But W.C. (Carl) Matthies of Roby, Texas, had seen it all before and knew exactly what was happening, where, when, why, how and who was doing it. Before onlookers' eyes it seemed as if a church building were literally growing from a previously prepared hole in the ground containing a basement and concrete foundation.

It was growing, too. By the end of the first day the "hole in the ground" on the grassy hillside overlooking Flathead Lake at Polson contained several roughed in classrooms, a dining hall, heating plant, restrooms. On the ground level the flooring base had been completed and a framework for the walls was done.

By the end of the second day, the basement had been sheetrocked and insulated, electrical conduit and wiring was in place and the plumbing roughed in. Main floor framework was completed and roof trusses were in place.

Close of work on the third day found the roof on, shingling 75 percent complete, insulation and siding going up on the main floor.

And on the fourth day the roof was completed, as was the siding, windows were installed, upstairs wiring completed and further finishing done in the basement.

On Sunday morning, the fifth day, worship services were held in the building. On Monday sheetrocking was finished and other final touches applied.

More amazing than the speed with which the church building was constructed was the way in which it was done and by whom it was done.

Core of the construction team was a three-church Texas group of volunteers known as "Mission Church Builders for Christ." There were only a limited number of skilled craftsmen in the group. Vast majority was comprised of unskilled and semi-skilled men, women and children--160 of them--who came from all walks of life. Occupations represented included factory workers, farmers, housewives, students, an attorney, store clerks, store owners, etc.

The group--joined by about 35 people from Alabama who volunteered when they heard of the project only a few weeks before--donated a week of their vacation time to come to Polson to help the 30-member Southern Baptist congregation build a church. The Texans came from Snyder, Roby, Rule, Pampa, Quanah, Amarillo, Anson, Rotan and Stamford, the Alabamians from Russellville and Red Bay. Not only did they dedicate their time and effort, they also paid their own expenses to and from Polson and footed their own motel bills and donated a significant amount of money to the building project.

Many of the workers were "repeaters" from projects of four previous years of church building projects. First church constructed under the program was in Dillon,

Montana, in 1978. The following year the group built a church in Spicewood, Texas, and then last Grand Rapids, Minnesota, was the site of the unusual mission building project. The volunteers also helped build two smaller churches in the meantime--erecting a Mexican mission church in Abilene, Texas, and furnishing materials and land for a Southern Baptist Church in Dubois, Wyoming.

Construction Supervisor Matthies used a corps of five or six skilled craftsmen to whom he assigned five or more workers--some skilled, some not. The supervisors directed workers under them and made sure that construction met rigid standards of quality. To comply with state requirements the electrical and plumbing work was performed under the supervision of Montana-licensed contractors, Smith Electric of Polson and Jack Chowning Plumbing of Big Arm, respectively. Building plans also met state and local fire regulations.

While about 60 persons worked at the building site, teams of Southern Baptist women and students conducted a series of "Backyard Bible Classes," in four areas--Jette Lake, Turtle Lake, Pablo and Polson. Directing the Bible classes was Mrs. Wanda Murphree.

A group of women and girls headed by Mrs. T.O. (Georgia) Upshaw got up at 4 a.m. each day to start preparing the first of their hearty daily meals for the volunteers.

Still another group of women were stationed at a trailer onsite and furnished water, coffee, refreshments and snacks for workers. Still others did neighborhood canvassing and invited unchurched people to attend services at the new church.

T.O. Upshaw of Stamford, Texas, Director of missions for two Baptist associations, said that cooperation of local people and other denominations was superb. He pointed out that three of the Bible classes were being held in back yards of Assembly of God church members, one at a Roman Catholic home, two at Southern Baptist homes and one unknown.

Rites For Giles Hankins

The Rev. Giles Hankins of Mize, Miss., a past Baptist pastor in Lamesa and the step-son-in-law of the Rev. Carl Underhill, former pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, died at 9:30 a.m. Friday, August 7, in Magee Hospital in Magee, Miss. after a brief illness.

Services were Sunday afternoon in Mize First Baptist Church.

He was pastor of Mize First Baptist Church, and had spent eight years as pastor of the Baptist Church in Lamesa.

Survivors are his wife of the home, a daughter, Sarah Boykins of Pearl, Miss.; a son, James of Mesquite; his step-father-in-law, Carl Underhill of Mize; and four grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

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He said that both the Lutheran and Assembly of God churches had offered use of their dining room facilities. However, because of the frequency and size of meals to be served, it was felt that the VFW banquet facility with its large kitchen would be more adequate.

Such cooperation isn't always the case, Upshaw said. In some parts of the country--particularly the north--workers have met resistance of some churches and businesses in local communities who feel "there are too many churches here already." Not so in Polson, though. There were even cash donations as well as offers of facilities and help from those of other denominations.

Planning for the project started last September when Association Missionary Glenn Fields of Great Falls asked the Mission Church Builders for Christ to consider the Polson congregation's building plan. The Polson group already had raised \$15,000. They were challenged to raise \$10,000 more and then the Mission group would put in another \$25,000. The Polson group responded by raising \$14,000 in additional funds. The Alabamians, incidentally, put in \$5,000 of the mission funding of \$25,000.

Upshaw then met with Pastor Larry Cochran and the Polson congregation and arrangements were made.

In addition to the example of spiritual dedication, the project had an economic impact on the Polson area as well. Pastor Cochran pointed out that 98 percent of the building materials were bought from area firms. All told, volunteers spent an estimated \$75,000 to \$100,000 for services, materials and living expenses during their stay in Polson.

The 34 ft. x 80 ft. building has been valued by the State at \$156,000.

Serving on the building committee were Bob Brown and Pastor Cochran, co-chairmen,

Bruce Adkins, Don and Janet Peel and Jan Brown. Painting, carpet installa-

tion, landscaping, pew installation and other finishing touches will be accomplished by the local

Rep. Walter Grubbs Is Named To State Council

Representative Walter B. Grubbs of Abilene has been selected by Texas House Speaker Bill Clayton to serve on the Texas Legislative Council.

Established in 1949, this 17-member council is authorized to investigate departments, agencies, and officers of the state

and to study their functions and problems, to make studies on selected topics, and to gather information for the use of the legislature.

Additional duties of the council are to study revisions of state statutes without substantive changes, to draft proposed

legislation, and to operate automated systems in support of the legislative process.

When making his appointments, Speaker Clayton, who serves as vice-chairman of the council, stated "The Legislative Council is a reliable tool of our state legislature. It saves time and money and it provides an expert work product. It is the lawmaker's trusted friend in the hectic days of the session. I am confident that Rep. Grubbs will bring a wealth of information and new insight to the council."

Rep. Grubbs will be serving his first term on this council. He has served two terms in the House of Representatives and is presently vice-chairman of the Health Services Committee.

Services Are Held For Mae Phillips

Mae Phillips, 69, of La Grange, formerly of Rotan, died at 7:15 p.m. Thursday, August 6, in Fayette County Hospital in La Grange. Services were at 10:00 a.m. Saturday at Coenig-Peel Funeral Home Chapel in La Grange.

Graveside services were at 10:00 a.m. Monday in Rotan Cemetery. The Rev. Larry Ramsey, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiated. The body was at Weathersbee Funeral Home Sunday and Monday before the funeral.

Born Feb. 20, 1912, in Rotan, she was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jess Phillips.

She was a retired employee of General Telephone Co. She lived in Rotan until the late 1930s and then lived in Henderson and La Grange. She was a member of First United Methodist Church in La Grange.

Survivors include two brothers, Robert of Rotan and Garland of Seagraves.

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congregations. Some of the volunteers remained a few days extra to help with the work.

Pastor Cochran said that the acquisition of pews was an interesting incident. They were purchased at nominal cost from antique dealer Gerry Vandebosch of Polson who had obtained them from the Pablo Christian Church. The white oak pews first came to Montana in 1889 when they were hauled into the Swan Valley on wagons.

The project was summed up succinctly in a thanksgiving prayer by the Rev. Ken Branam of Snyder,

Texas, at the end of the first day. He gave thanks for the enthusiasm and dedication of the group of volunteers who were able to work up to their capabilities--and most beyond their capabilities--in a project glorifying God.

Attending from the Rotan-Roby area were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Adams and Myra, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Murphree, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Foster and Lonnie, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Matthies, Mr. and Mrs. J. Donham, Todd and Shawn.

Trevor Dickson of Hawley also accompanied the Donhams on the trip.

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