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## Kim's Korner
*By Kim Pease*

**THE STRAW POLL:** Rotan Junior High and Rotan High School students took part in a mock election last week. Bill Clinton captured 47% of the vote, Ross Perot took 28 % and George Bush 24%. Charles Stenholm received 69% of the vote to Sadowski's 31%. The same percentage figures held for the Steve Carriker - Haywood race for Texas Senator - Carriker 69% and Haywood 31%.

Lena Guerrero received 30% to 70% for Barry Williams.

**EARLY CHRISTMAS:** The Newspaper Office is holding it's annual Open House and preview of holiday gifts on Saturday, November 14th from 9:00 a.m., until 3:00 p.m., at the office at 114 Snyder Avenue. Each person making a purchase will draw for a 10% to 50% discount. Refreshments will be served.

**CROSS ROADS:** Sunday, November 22nd the Cross Roads church will observe the Eucharist in the morning service. At 4:00 p.m. church members will meet for Thanksgiving supper.

**NEIGHBORS:** The Anson Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a Harvest Arts and Crafts Show on November 7th from 10:00 a.m., until 5:00 p.m. at the Jones County Extension Building in the Anson City Park.

**METHODIST AFFAIR:** The members of the First United Methodist Church of Rotan will be holding their annual Seafood Gumbo and Bazaar on Saturday, November 14th. Gumbo and stew will be served between 5:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. The sale of bazaar items begins at 3:00 p.m.

**ROTAN YELLOWHAMMERS:** They are the 'thunder and lightening' in the Big Country and it'll be a shame if they are not a part of the playoffs. All they have to do is beat Hawley on Friday and they are part owners of the championship. Who would have thought after going 0-4, 1-5 and 4-5 after their shellacking of Winters last Friday that the Orangemen would be in a position to be one of two teams to advance. That could happen, but it will have to involve a little luck. Rotan could be one of as few as two teams or one of as many as five teams to be part owners of the district championship. If Rotan beats Hawley and Hamlin beats Anson and Winters beats Jim Ned and Stamford beats Haskell, we'll be in a coin flip to see what two teams advance to the playoffs. Either way, Rotan provided a ton of excitement this year and deserves a shot at playing in the play-offs - in my opinion. Congratulations to Steve Warren and the other coaches.

**FIRST BAPTIST ROBY:** The Community Thanksgiving Service will be on Sunday night November 22nd at 6:00 p.m., at the First Baptist Church. Rev. Ron Kelly will bring the message.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY:** November 5 - 11. 5th - Ila Burk, Andrea Martin, Geneva Chandler; 6 - Eustolia Miranda, Baldemar Frausto, Evelyn Nowlin, Milton Teague, Joel Walker, Jean Penaluna, Lance Evans, Joshua Sepeda, Efrain Espinoza; 7 - Vera Mann, Roy Adams, Aaron Greene, Kyle Mooney; 8 - Debbie Burnes, Valene Kiker, Jeff Klein, Barbara Martin, Sonia De La Cruz, LaTisha Salazar; 9 - DeAnn Mullins, Rode Morrow, Tennis Justiss; 10 - Carolyn Weath-

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# $302,668 Spent To Operate Sheriff's Deptartment In 1991

Of the twenty-three expenditure areas in the Fisher County budget, the Fisher County Sheriff's Department topped all departments in expenditures. Total 1991 expenditures for the department amounted to $302,668 which is $14,008 under the budgeted $316,676 and considerably less that the $315,128 that was expended by the department in 1990.

The $302,668 expended by the Fisher County Sheriff's Department was 15% of the 1991 budgeted expenditures of $1,966,949, according to the annual audit report compiled by Andy Hart, Fisher County External Auditor.

The Fisher County Sheriff's Department expended a total of $225,874 in salaries and related benefit items in 1991. That amounts to 75% of the department budget of $302,668. The remaining 25% or approximately $77,000 was spent on - $2,203 auto repair, $3,752 new equipment, $1,124 tires and tubes, $274 oil and grease, $111 tire repair, $11,109 gasoline, $380 auto parts and supplies, $13,615 hired labor, $41 ammunition, $3,788 jail supplies, $593 jail repairs, $250 mailers exam, $131 lights, $708 Rotan-natural gas, $1,491 office supplies, $35 bond, $377 postage, $10,707 new vehicle, $1,052 camera supplies, $6,754 feeding prisoners, $3,185 telephone, $3,869 teletype, $149 batteries, $59 travel, $19 inspection stickers, $143 equipment repair, $11 post office box rent, $3,152 doctor calls-prisoners, $25 dues, $3,978 radio repair, $724 travel out of county, $302 medication for prisoners, $114 wash and grease, $803 radio tower-Midwest, $958 Rotan office electricity, $508 miscellaneous.

The $225,874 expended in the area of salaries and related items was spent as follows: Salary - officer $23,362, Salary - deputies $55,625, salary - jailers $100,764, social security - $14,793, health insurance - $19,106, retirement - $12,224.

Following the Fisher County Sheriff's Department expenditure of $302,668 which was $14,008 under the budgeted $316,676, was the area of 'non-departmental' with expenditures of $191,745 for 1991. The $191,745 in expenditures will be reviewed next week.

## Roby School Board Meeting Re-scheduled

Due to an important school finance meeting scheduled on Monday, November 9th at 4:00 p.m., the regular scheduled Roby School Board meeting has been cancelled.

The time and date of the meeting is now at 7:30 p.m., November 16th, according to Roby School Superintendent George Price.

Advertised bids on the school vehicle will be reviewed at the November 16th meeting.

## Sheriff Arrests Two In Burglary Of Circle 'C' Gro.

Fisher County law enforcement officers arrested two individuals in connection with two unrelated burglaries last week and are continuing their investigation, according to Fisher County Sheriff Mickey Counts.

Counts indicated that Circle C Grocery in Rotan was burglarized on October 28th. Taken in the burglary was a supply of cigarettes, watches, cigarette lighters, condoms and meat, according to Counts.

The estimated value of the merchandise taken was $550.00.

Two individuals were arrested. One juvenile and Fabian Castillo, age 18 of Rotan. The juvenile is in the juvenile holding facility in Taylor County and Castillo is in the Fisher County Jail in Roby.

Two additional suspects have not been arrested, according to Counts, but could have involvement in the Circle C Grocery Store burglary as well as a burglary at Alice Montemayor's residence on Garfield Street in Rotan.

Alice Montemayor reported to Fisher County law enforcement officers that her home had been burglarized on October 24th. The items taken were a VCR, Nintendo, compact disk and assortment of rings and necklaces.

The value of the items in the Montemayor burglary was estimated at $800, according to Counts.


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# Fisher County Voters Favor Clinton, Stenholm, Guerrero, Carriker, Pack

Fisher County voters split a lot of tickets last Tuesday as they gave Bill Clinton 1242 votes; George Bush 539 and Ross Perot 442 votes.

With a total of 13 of the 13 precincts in Fisher County reporting, Bill Clinton captured 56% of the votes, George Bush had 24% and Ross Perot 20%.

A total of 2,224 Fisher County poeple cast votes in the race for President of the United States. The totals dropped from there. Only 2.067 voted in the U.S. Representative race. Charles Stenholm captured 80% of the vote and Jeannie Sadowski 20%,

A majority of the voters in Fisher County cast ballots for Lena Guerrero. She captured 56% of the vote to 41% for Willimason and 3% for Draheim. There were 2,047 votes cast in the Railroad Commissioner race.

Steve Carriker, captured over 7 of 10 votes cast. He finished with 71% to 29% for Tom Haywood. A total of 2,121 people cast ballots in the State Senate race.

Finally, new Fisher County Sheriff Gene Pack took three votes to every one for write-in candidate 'Cotton' Clawson. A total of 2,001 Fisher County people voted in the Sheriff's race.

## Fisher County Quail Cookoff V Set

Quail Cook-Off V is the fifth annual festival held near Veteran's Day to celebrate the traditions of quail cookery as prepared by cooking teams competing for cash prizes and trophies.

The proceeds of the event benefit the promotion of quail hunting. This event is to be held at the Cottonwood R.V. Park, Roby, Texas, (1 mile south of Roby) and begins with a breakfast catered by the Roby Lions Club (which is open to the public with a $4.00 donation).

Quail cooking competition will include taste, showmanship, and the ever popular people's choice award, will be on Saturday, November 7th beginning at 9:00 a.m. with the judging being completed at 11:30.

A variety of entertainment Saturday morning will include games and contests, with door prizes through the event.

Earlier entry deadline has been changed to end at 9:00 a.m. when cooking begins.

Cost:

Entry Fees: Open Class $20.00 (team or individual); Fisher County $10.00 (team or individual)

Prizes:

Trophies and cash for cooking will be awarded to three places in Open Class as follows: 1st- $150.00; 2nd- $100.00; 3rd- $50.00 with 25 or more entries, payback will be split 50%, 30% and 20%. Fisher County: 100% payback split -------50%, 30%, and 20%. For more information, contact Stuart Carey at 776-2128 or the County Extension Office at 776-2171.

| Official Fisher County Voting Results | Voting Box 1 - Annex Building, Roby, Tx. | Voting Box 2 - Fire Station Rotan, Tx. | Voting Box 4 - Community Center Roby, Tx. | Voting Box 5 - Public Library Rotan, Tx. | Voting Box 6- Methodist Church McCaulley | Voting Box 10- Community Center Rotan, Tx. | Voting Box 12- High School LRC Rotan, Tx. | Voting Box 13- School Building Hobbs, Tx. | Voting Box 17- Community Ctr. Capitola, Tx. | Voting Box 18- Community Ctr. Longworth, Tx. | Voting Box 22- Community Ctr. Sylvester, Tx. | Voting Box ABS.- Absentee Voting Roby, Tx. | Totals |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **President and Vice Pres.** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bill Clinton Al Gore | 54 | 22 | 112 | 33 | 77 | 223 | 175 | 40 | 35 | 45 | 50 | 376 | 1242 |
| George Bush Dan Quayle | 15 | 12 | 39 | 13 | 20 | 117 | 99 | 15 | 26 | 25 | 27 | 131 | 539 |
| Andre Marrow Nancy Lord | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Ross Perot James Stockdale | 14 | 6 | 54 | 4 | 15 | 76 | 65 | 14 | 34 | 44 | 27 | 89 | 442 |
| **U.S. Representative** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charles W. Stenholm | 67 | 29 | 96 | 38 | 90 | 328 | 253 | 60 | 59 | 89 | 70 | 473 | 1652 |
| Jeannie Sadowski | 12 | 7 | 37 | 6 | 17 | 69 | 68 | 7 | 32 | 19 | 26 | 115 | 415 |
| **Railroad Commissioner** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lena Guerrero | 46 | 21 | 51 | 32 | 77 | 209 | 161 | 34 | 43 | 60 | 56 | 360 | 1150 |
| Barry Williamson | 28 | 12 | 73 | 17 | 29 | 173 | 160 | 28 | 44 | 46 | 39 | 185 | 834 |
| Richard H. Draheim, Jr. | 2 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 16 | 63 |
| **State Senator** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Steve Carriker | 66 | 24 | 108 | 32 | 88 | 244 | 208 | 50 | 60 | 89 | 67 | 469 | 1505 |
| Tom Haywood | 15 | 12 | 32 | 16 | 24 | 161 | 128 | 18 | 36 | 21 | 34 | 119 | 616 |
| **Fisher County Sheriff** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gene Pack | 55 | 29 | 100 | 36 | 78 | 285 | 243 | 47 | 65 | 88 | 59 | 439 | 1524 |
| Cotton Clawson | 20 | 9 | 28 | 15 | 22 | 114 | 84 | 19 | 17 | 6 | 31 | 112 | 477 |

## Petition Circulated By New Group On Head Start Program

A new organization named Concerned Citizen's Of Fisher County has been organized and intends to keep a watchful eye on federal, state and local funds that are being spent on social programs, according to spokesman Ruben Garza.

One of the main concerns of the organization is the Head Start Program. The organization is concerned that the federal government supposedly allocated $53,240.00 for a Head Start Program, yet there is not a program in place in Fisher County.

The local Concerned Citizen's Of Fisher County have conducted a survey and asked Central Texas Opportunities, Inc., of Coleman to attempt to secure funding from the Department of Health and Human Services in order to begin a Head Start Program in Fisher County.

Petitions have been placed in numerous business places for residents to sign below the following statement - *"We the undersigned support Central Texas Opportunities, Inc., in its attempt to secure funding from the Department of Health and Human Services, for the Head Start Program in Fisher County."*

Anyone interested in additional information concerning Concerned Citizen's Of Fisher County can contact Ruben Garza at 735-2660.

## Veteran Marker To Be Dedicated November 15th

The Fisher County Historical Commission is in the process of setting the foundation for the Veteran's Memorial Monument to be dedicated on November 15th at 2:00 p.m., on the West courthouse lawn in Roby.

The memorial is dedicated to veterans from all wars and is being constructed from funds raised from the sale of The Picture Book Of Fisher County.

The program will be published in next week's paper.

# State Capitol Highlights

**By Lyndell Williams**
**Texas Press Association**

AUSTIN — While the limelight focused on elections last week, a handful of staffers labored backstage to prepare the Capitol for the Nov. 10 special session on school finance.

Gov. Ann Richards is bringing lawmakers back to Austin to attempt to remedy their third consecutive botch — the "Robin Hood" plan, which the courts declared unconstitutional.

The new plan was such a well-kept secret until after Election Day that left-out lawmakers speculated there actually wasn't one.

Of course, there was, but with every state House and Senate seat up for election, only a fool would bring up the subject of new taxes.

Or illegal taxes. The Texas Supreme Court struck down the Robin Hood plan for creating an illegal state property tax.

The tax was collected all summer anyway, and still is today — even as lawmakers sit down to the opening gavel.

It is the third time that lawmakers — most of them lawyers — got a failing grade in bill writing.

No, this is not the stuff political careers are made of.

**Session A Gamble?**

Some observers see little chance the legislature will approve anything in a special session; some believe it is a big gamble by the governor, now riding high in popularity polls.

In the Democrat-dominated legislature, Republicans still have more than one-third of the House votes, enough to stop a proposed constitutional amendment.

7 Despite a high number of lame ducks, the votes may not be there for a routine tax increase so soon after balloting.

The best Richards and Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock may hope for is to repeal the illegal aspects of school finance and try only for a consensus on a statutory concept of fair play for school funding with no tax increase.

Actual funding — the dollar amounts — would be minimal at best or delayed until new members meet in the January regular session.

The gamble for Gov. Richards is the special session may produce nothing, expanding her image of ineffectiveness on the school finance issue.

**Rudd Unveils Reforms**

A leading contender for Texas House Speaker last week unveiled sweeping reform proposals that would curtail the role of the powerful but secretive Calendars Committee and realign key committees.

Rep. Jim Rudd, D-Brownfield, sent copies of his proposals to House members, who will elect the next speaker in January. He and Pete Laney, D-Hale Center, are thought to be locked in a battle for the 76 votes needed. Rep. David Cain, D-Dallas, also is thought to be a front-runner.

Rudd proposed the following:

- Abolish the Calendars Committee. Bills passed by committee would stay in the chief clerk's office until 30 House members state in writing their support for bringing the bill to the floor for debate.
- Require that the chair of the Corrections Committee come from an urban area.
- Prohibit the chair of the Insurance Committee from being a trial lawyer or a person who has a financial interest in the insurance industry.
- The chair of the Public Education Committee would have to be committed to education policy, not education finance. Education finance issues would go to another committee.
- A House Finance Committee would be established by merging the Ways and Means and Appropriations. Three permanent subcommittees would be created: expenditures, revenue and strategic planning. Members of each subcommittee would elect their chairs.

Meanwhile, speaker hopeful Rep. Tom Uher, D-Bay City, ended his candidacy in favor of Laney.

**Bee County Prison Talks**

Bee County officials have agreed to negotiate with the state prison system, which wants to buy or lease parts of Chase Field to relocate a backlog of prisoners now jamming county jails.

The Beeville-Bee County Redevelopment Council voted unanimously to begin negotiations, said Brad Arvin, the group's executive director.

The Texas Department of Criminal Justice wants to locate the prison system's regional headquarters, training facilities and maximum-security cluster units at the defunct military base.

**Other Highlights**

- Hundreds of Texans picked up $125,000 in unclaimed money and stock at this year's State Fair of Texas. "More than 33,000 people visited the state Treasury's unclaimed property booth at the fair," said Treasurer Kay Bailey Hutchison.
- Former state Rep. David Hudson, a vocal lottery opponent, has been hired to watch over the state's lottery contracts. Hudson, of Tyler, said his opposition to the lottery while he was a lawmaker would not hinder his ability to oversee the contracts.
- Three groups of Texas farmers will travel to Paris for a firsthand look at the French high-speed rail transit system and to ask their French counterparts if the train has disrupted their lives. Texas TGC Corp., holder of the Texas franchise, is sponsoring the trips. Many Texas farmers are opposed to the train, with would connect Houston, Dallas, San Antonio and Austin.

## Kim's Corner

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ersbee, Gary Graham; 11 - Monte Morrow, Mina Curlee, Beverly Coker, Melva Thomson, Becky Zoellers.

**MARK TWAIN:** Wrote it in 1879 - "Religion consists in a set of things which the average man thinks he believes, and wishes he was certain".

**ROUGH CREEK POINT OF VIEW:** The folks at Rough Creek firmly believe that people should learn by reflecting on the misfortunes of others. Great lessons are there.

**LITTLE KNOWN FACT:** A child views approximately 16,000 murders on television by the time he is age 16.

**QUOTE OF THE WEEK:** "I can sympathize with people's pains, but not with their pleasures. There is something curiously boring about somebody else's happiness." - Aldorus Huxley: Limbo, "Cynthia".

**FINALLY:** Ol' Whistle Britches from his Shinnery Ridge Ranch at Rough Creek is happy the election is finally over and said we can all get back to talking calmly, rationally and telling the truth.

**FEAR:** Don't be afraid to go out on a limb, that's where the fruit is.

**MIDDLE AGE:** Middle age is when your legs buckle and your belt doesn't.

**SECRETS:** Most people keep secrets like politicians keep promises.

**BIGOTRY:** It is being certain of something you know nothing about.

**CHURCH ATTENDANCE:** Depressions, funerals, weddings, and covered-dish dinners keep most people attending church regularly.

**FINALLY, FINALLY:** Make each day count, but don't count each day.


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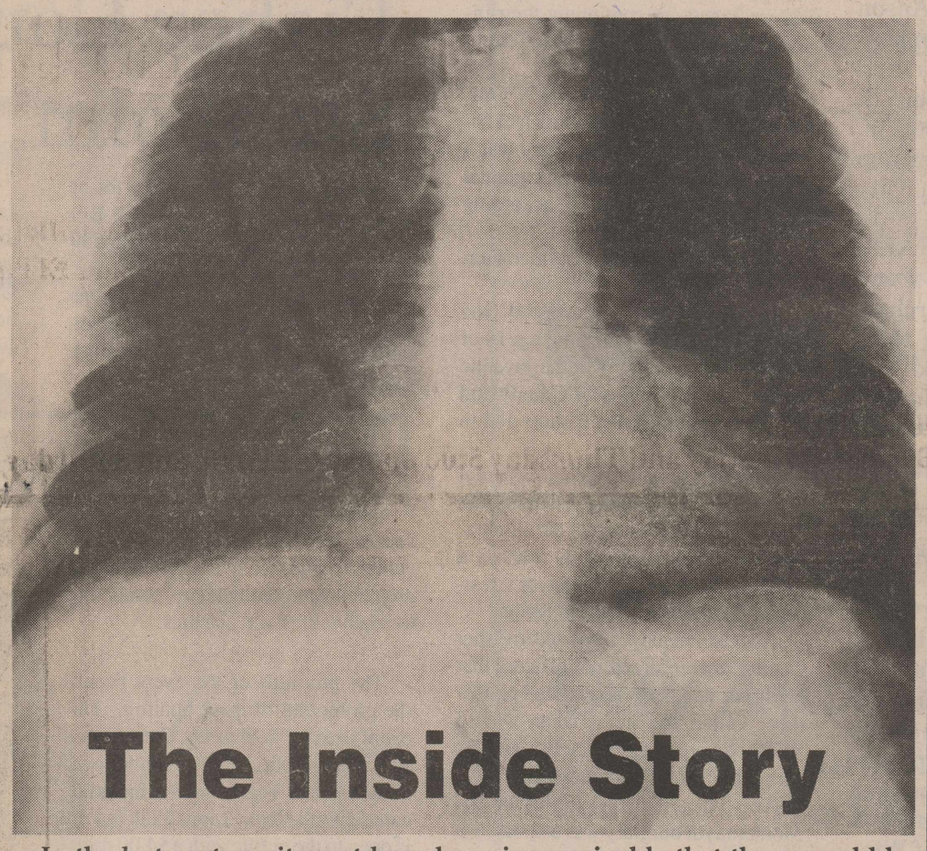

## The Inside Story

In the last century, it must have been inconceivable that there would be an invisible power which would visualize the inner workings of the human body. The only source of such information was the dreaded prospect of surgery. Yet, today, body scanning is routine, saving needless pain and suffering.

There is yet another power, one which has existed since the conception of the universe. That power is God. He not only has the power to influence the inner workings of our bodies. He knows our thoughts and our desires . . . even our souls. The philosopher, Angelo Patri, stated it well when he observed,"Spiritual power is a hidden power, locked in the silence of the soul."

God is waiting for the opportunity to save us from needless pain and suffering. Go to Him in worship this Sabbath. *Get the inside story.*

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**Rev. John L. Martin**
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**Foursquare Church**
**Rotan, Texas**
**Rev. Robert Kennedy**
Sunday Schol 10:00 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

**Cross Roads Baptist Church**
**Rotan, Texas**
**Rev. Keith Berryman**
S.S. 10:00 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m.
Worship Service 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

**Church Of The Nazarene**
**Rotan, Texas**
**Rev. Jack Jones**
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
Sunday evening & Wed. Evening 6:00 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**
**Roby, Texas**
**Rev. Tobey Clements**
S.S. 10:00 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Church Training 5:00 - Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Night Choir Practice 8:00 p.m.

**Hobbs Baptist Church**
**Hobbs Community**
**Rev. Dee Threatt**
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

**First United Methodist**
**Sylvester, Texas**
**George Chambers, Minister**
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. - Worship 9:30 a.m.
Community Dinner 6:00 p.m.
Each Third Wednesday Night

**McCaulley Baptist Church**
**McCaulley, Texas**
**Rev. Dutch Parks**
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

**First United Methodist**
**Rotan, Texas**
**Rev. Ron W. Dunaway**
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship Service 6:00 p.m.

**Church Of Christ**
**Roby, Texas**
**Darrell Hart**
S.S. 10:00 a.m. - Worship 10:45
Sunday Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 8:00 p.m.

**First United Methodist**
**Roby, Texas**
**Rev. Ron Kelly**
S.S. 9:45 a.m. - Worship 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Night Worship Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Choir Practice 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**Church Of Christ**
**Rotan, Texas**
**Dan Morris**
S.S. 9:45 - Worship Service 10:45
Sunday Night Worship 6:00 Wed. Night 7:30
Ladies Bible Class - Wed. 9:30 a.m.

**Attend The Church Of Your Choice This Sunday**

**First Baptist Church**
**Rotan, Texas**
**Rev. Joe Vernon**
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Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

**Emmanuel Baptist Church**
**Rotan, Texas**
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday Night Worship 7:00 p.m.

**Calvary Baptist Church**
**Rotan, Texas**
**Rev. Gene Prevo**
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Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wendesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

**Mission Bautista Calvario**
**Roby, Texas**
**Rev. Eli Sepeda**
S.S. 9:45 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Eve 5:30 p.m. Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Service 7:30 p.m.

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**McCaulley, Texas**
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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
2nd Wednesday Fellowship 6:30 p.m.

**Sylvester Baptist Church**
**Sylvester, Texas**
**Rev. Jim Reid**
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Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

# Fisher County PUBLIC RECORDS

**From The Public Records In The Fisher County Court House**

**CAR REGISTRATION- September 1992**

Boyd Lakey to Vance Lakey- 77 Coleman Tlr; Donald R Thornton to Marie Thornton- 83 Chev pu; Frontier Motor Co. to Doris Pippin- 88 Ply sw; Azalee Mills to John L Brown- 79 Ford sub; Wm H Williamson Estate to Darmon D Bratton- 86 Dodge pu; Mike Hillard Motors to Brent Clair- 85 Chev pu; U S Marshall/W/TX to Gary O Daniel- 83 Ford pu; Dorthy W McCorkle to Lester R Greenway- 81 GMC 2 dr; West Welding Supply to Curtis Chapman- 83 Ford pu; Dave Ford Motors to Jonelle Allen- 83 Buick cpe; R L Hayes Estate to Nellie Hillard- 74 Merc 4 dr; Eric Hamilton to Peggy Bilbo- 81 Fiat 2 dr; Dewayne Lee to Elida Carreon- 84 Olds 4 dr; Sherry Mize to Jessie Kamer- 76 Chev 4 dr; Rotan Motor Co. Inc. to Susie Cogburn- 85 Ford pu; A E Keener to Bobby G Gallagher- 71 Chev pu; David D Cooper to Larry Gruben- 83 Ford pu; James F Prickett to Willie Ramirez- 76 Datsun pu; Dave Munden to Leandro Ramon- 77 Cad 2 dr; Southwestern Bell Tele to Jamie Reece- 85 Ford 4 dr; Richard Stuart to Bryan Justiss- 78 Chev pu; Dave Ford Motors to Jerry Clawson- 85 Dodge 2 dr; Milton L Jenson to Jesus P Hernandez- 79 Dodge pu; Thomas L. Wilson to Ruben Castillo- 65 Chev pu; Hergert Pont/Buick/GMC to Elaine Shipp- 83 Chev 4 dr; Frank P Perliski to Steve Campa- 76 Chev sub; Love County Ford Inc. to Doshia Cave- 92 Ford pu; Jerry T Wilson to Lupe Soliz- 84 Dodge pu; Sheffield Enterprises to Billy Burns- 72 Olds sw; Sheffield Enterprises to Terry L Shifflett- 78 Chev sub; Sheffield Enterprises to Sara Rodriguez- 83 Linc 4 dr; Larry G Brown to Johnny DeLos Santos- 80 Toyota 2 dr; Mary Sullivan to Evalyn Bates- 83 Olds 4 dr; J R Scherwitz to L B Boyd Jr- 80 Chev pu; SPRA Co Aviation Inc to E J Moore- 78 Chev pu; David Wallace to James L Rhoades- 89 Chev pu; Chris Dorman to Russel Pippin- 80 Datsun pu; Roscoe State Bank to Azalee Mills- 85 Dodge pu; Sweetwater Equipment to James Terry- 81 Ford Trk/Tr.

## Rain Gauge Report October

For All Of 1992 On The Horace Carter Farm 2 Miles North Rotan

| | |
|---|---|
| January | 1.80 |
| February | 4.45 |
| March | 0.95 |
| April | 0.60 |
| May | 3.20 |
| June | 4.60 |
| July | 1.80 |
| August | 2.25 |
| September | 0.83 |
| October | 0.00 |
| TOTAL | 20.48 |
| *Avg. 1992* | *2.04* |
| Same Time '91 | 27.45 |
| Same Time '90 | 27.30 |

# Residents Urged To Make Block For Community Quilt

Are you in the process of making your family's quilt block for the Libraries in Fisher County? The blocks are coming in at the Libraries, if you need to see one to give you an idea. Cut the block 13 1/4 inch square, so by the time you make all of your seam allowances the block will come out a finished 12 1/2 inch block. Embroider your name and your husband's name on the block, your children if you want, and bring it to either the Roby Library Station or the Rotan Public Library. The quilt will be put together, quilted and then given away next spring at the Annual Library Quilt Show. These friendship quilts are nice because years from now your children will know who lived in Fisher County.

## Secret Pal Club Holds Meeting

The Secret Pal Club met on the 28th of October in the Senior Citizens building. Each brought a covered dish, played bingo, ate lunch at noon and exchanged gifts. Everyone had a real nice time. Members present were:

Dean Reaves, Florine Beard, Faye Woolsey, Chris Rackley, Lillie Herron, Maggie Briggs, Jimmie Horton, Maud Woolf, Hazel Hudnall, Oma Long, Charlene Stearnes, Aurora Martinez, LaVerne Starnes, Lenora Streetman.


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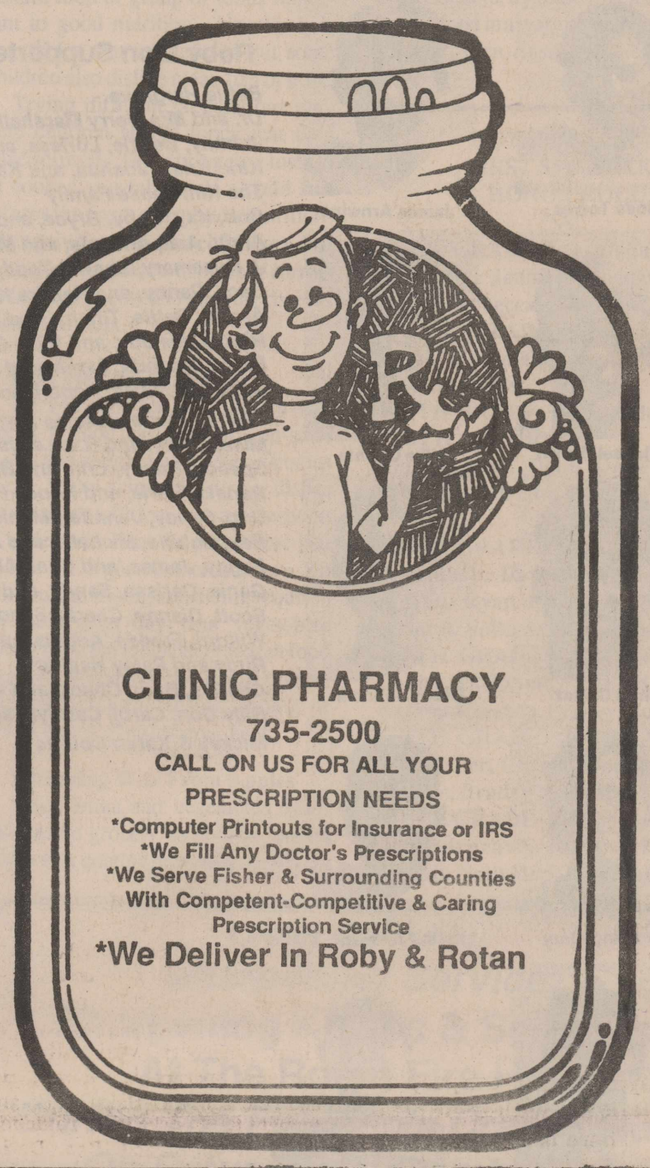


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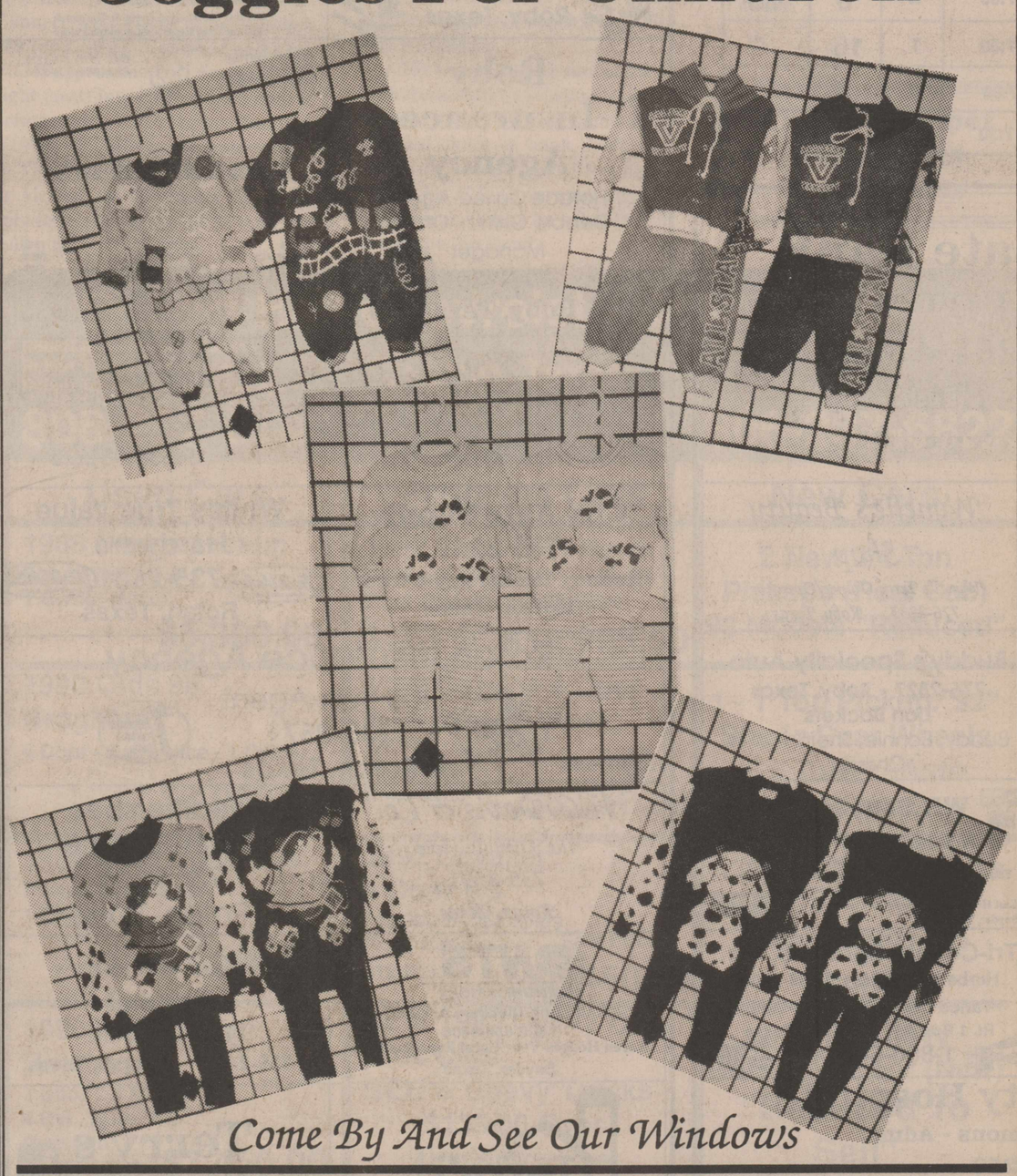

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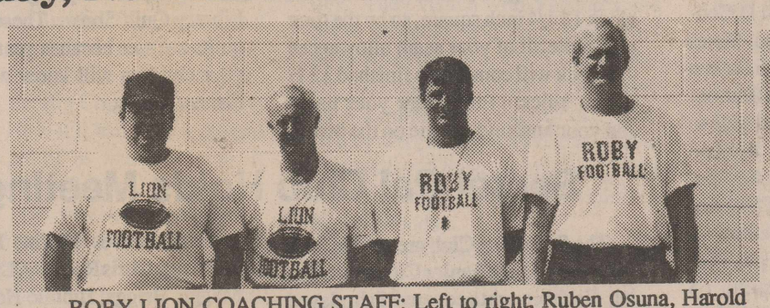
ROBY LION COACHING STAFF: Left to right; Ruben Osuna, Harold Mayo, Brad Thiessen, Head Coach and Athletic Director, and Bill Roark.

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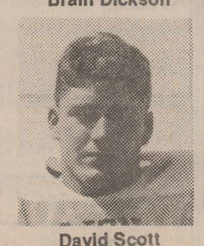
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CHEERING FOR THE ROBY LIONS: The Roby Lion Cheerleaders are left to right, back row: Kelly McWilliams, Monica Pullig, and Amy Beauchamp. Front row, left to right: Carissa Kiser, Erin Hart and Carolyn Atkinson.

| Date | Opponent | Time | H/T | Us | Them |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sept. 4 | Holliday | 8:00 | H | 0 | 46 |
| Sept. 11 | Cross Plains | 8:00 | T | 33 | 20 |
| Sept. 18 | Motley County | 8:00 | H | 0 | 19 |
| Sept. 25 | Miles | 7:30 | T | 0 | 19 |
| Oct. 2 | Santa Anna | 8:00 | H | 6 | 0 |
| Oct. 9 | Sterling City * | 7:30 | T | 6 | 34 |
| Oct. 16 | Roscoe* | 7:30 | H | 0 | 35 |
| Oct. 23 | Forsan * | 7:30 | T | 16 | 0 |
| Oct. 30 | Bronte* | 7:30 | T | 8 | 43 |
| Nov. 6 | Robert Lee* | 7:30 | H | | |


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**GARAGE SALE:** At Kid's College. Childrens and ladies clothes, bassinet, play pen, miscellaneous. Furniture, brass, headboard, tons of stuff. Saturday, November 7th, from 8:00 a.m. till ? 40:1tc

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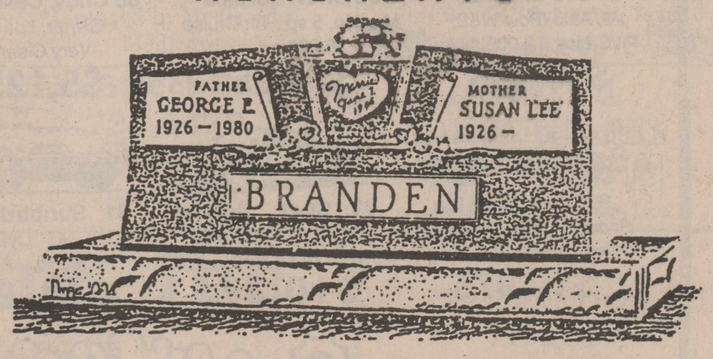


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# Arts & Crafts Corner

by Carol L. Johnson

SCRATCH ART

This project is easy for both adults and older children. And with help from an adult, some younger children. You do not have to be an artist to do this type of painting. You may use a child's coloring book or your own imagination.

MATERIALS NEEDED:

Poster board (white; 5x7")
White crayons
Black ink
Pin or needle
Pencil with eraser or cork (optional)
Frame
Matting (optional)
Brush; small to medium
Desired design

Step 1. Color white crayon on posterboard, until you have a solid layer covering the posterboard.

Step 2. Cover a layer of ink until the white crayon is completely covered with a layer of black ink. Using your brush to coat the ink onto the posterboard.

Step 3. Repeat steps 1 & 2 several times until you have several layers of each coated on. Ending with the final layer being the black ink.

Step 4. Choose the design you desire. Now begin scratching away the ink and crayon layers with a pin stuck inside a pencil eraser or cork. Or using a tapestry needle, slowly begin to scratch away until you have the design you desire.

Step 5. Mat and frame your scratch art.

Be sure to cover anything you work on and wear a plastic apron or old clothes as a protection from spilling ink.

# Lions Fall To Longhorns For 3-6 Record To Date

by Scott Feagan

The Lions found more than they could handle last Friday night against the Bronte Longhorns. Bronte took the opening kickoff and marched 68 yards in 8 plays to open the scoring. Between the Longhorns being fired up for their Homecoming, and more than a few questionable calls in the first half, Roby was down 36-0 before they knew what had hit them. Bronte scored 5 touchdowns and a safety in the first half, while Bronte's defense and the Refs. kept Roby in a hole the entire first half. After penalties and fumbles, Bronte scored 4 of its touchdowns after having to go only 17, 14, 29 and 16 yards respectively. David Scott managed to get loose two or three times in the first quarter for 15 or 20 yard runs only to see them be called back by a penalty. The young Lions just never seemed to be able to put anything together to get things going their way.

Roby came back out in the second half and held on to the ball and played with Bronte like they were capable of doing in the first half. The third quarter started out though with Roby turning the ball over on a fumble at their 16 yard line. Bronte scored from there in 2 plays making the score 43-0. Roby's defense started playing much better from that point on, holding the Longhorns running game in tact for the rest of the game.

The Lions lone touchdown came in the early minutes of the fourth quarter on a 1 yard sneak by quarterback Mario Barrera. Roby's other score came on a safety after Brian Dickson blocked Bronte's only punt of the second half, leaving the final score at 43-8. The loss leaves the Lions at 3-6 on the season and 1-3 in district play.

Coach Thiessen said that it was the same thing that troubled his young team all year long. "We get rattled early and make a few mistakes before we get settled down the game gets out of hand." He said he felt if the kids would stay mentally focused for the entire game, they will be able to play with Robert Lee Friday night. "They have shown us all year long that when they put their minds to it, they're physically capable of playing with anyone." Roby's last game is Friday at home at 7:30 against Robert Lee.

# DAR Chapter Holds Meeting

The Anne Pettus Shelburne chapter of DAR met October 19, 1992 in the home of Dot Harris. The meeting was called to order by Regent Patsy Hamric. Bessie Cleveland gave the prayer. Members pledged allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and said the American's creed. Joe Clark read the President General's message. Connie Tutt shared a report from National Defense.

Members were reminded that the November 14th meeting will be in the home of Joe Clark, and will feature DAR Good Citizens from the two high schools. Betty Mauldin presented the program, honoring "Christopher Columbus: A Man of Mystery". Members viewed a sampling of books on Columbus available to today's school children. Hostesses were Dot Harris, Mary Ann Marshall, and Fran LeBleu.

# Health Fair To Be Held In Snyder November 7th

Cogdell Memorial Hospital in Snyder is sponsoring it's second Health Fair on Saturday, November 7th and is offering numerous free screenings in what is billed as "A Gift To All Our Good Neighbors".

Free screenings will include hearing, glaucoma, lung capacity, blood pressure and pulse, height and weight, percent of body fat, dental care, strength balance and flexibility.

Blood draw screenings will also be offered at a discounted fee of $5 and $10. A Health Profile, a $50 value, is offered for $10. A Hemogram blood count, a $25 value, will be $5.

Fisher County visitors to the Healthfest can tour Lubbock Aerocare helicopter and eat refreshments served by the Cogdell Hospital Auxiliary.

William Dillard, Healthfest coordinator, said, "The health fair is an effort to showcase what we can offer right here, some of the best modern medicine and technology plus the diversity and skills of dedicated professionals."

## Roby Pep Rally To Be Held Friday, Sweetheart And Hero Crowned

Friday, November 6, the Roby Lions will hold their pep rally at 8 a.m. This will be the final pep rally this season. They will be honoring their Cross-Country Regional Qualifiers as they leave at noon Friday for Arlington.

Football Sweetheart and Hero will also be announced at the pep rally. Friday night will be Parents Night. Parents need to be at the stadium by 7:00 p.m. for the pre-game ceremonies. The Roby Lions will close out the 1992 football season against the Robert Lee Steers. Everyone is encouraged to come out and support the Lions.

## Letter To The Editor

Letter To The Editor:

"Life is an endlessly diverse privilege", (from "Belt of Gold" by Cecilia Holland), and that is how I feel often these days. This is an exciting time to be alive; with changes in nations, and even the earth itself. We do not know what to expect next.

However, the newspapers and television give small happenings as much attention as large ones; and by dwelling on them make us miss the slower evolving of events in our government, other governments and nations, and in the world at large. We must not allow the media to turn us into impatient, easily distracted children. We must think about what is reported, and insist upon knowing enough background to understand it, as well as understand the consequences of events, and our own actions.

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# Yellowhammers Thaw The Blizzards And Enter Race For Possible Post Season Berth

by Larry Markham

There was a chill in the air Friday night as the Winters Blizzards visited H. Govan Field. With Winters atop the leader board in District 7-2A at 4-1, thoughts of a real battle and uncertainty of the outcome, filled the minds of Yellowhammer fans. A fired up group of Yellowhammers took little time in turning the turf into an inferno, melting down the Winters defense, and proving this night belonged to the orange and white.

Winters won the toss. On the opening kickoff, the ball bounced and was touched by a Blizzard. As he went down for the ball, a hard-charging Chris Markham (34) dove on the ball, giving Rotan possession at their opponents 23 yard line. Steven Warren (19) carried for 4 on first down up the middle. A give to Tyrone Daniel (40) through the left side netted an additional 5 yards. On third and one Eric Smith (7) faked a handoff, kept the ball, broke two tackles, and bounced into the endzone. The kick by Daniel (40) found its mark and Rotan led 7-0 with 11:03 remaining first quarter.

Winters appeared to confuse the Yellowhammer defense as they sustained a 7 play drive, scoring to tie the game at 7-7 with 8:25 to play, first period.

Rotan, unable to make the first down on 3 carries, called on Daniel (40) who punted to the Winters 38. Yellowhammer special teams dominated once more, as the punt was bobbled and claimed by Scott Nowlin (79) as he outraced the pack.

With excellent field position at the Winters 37, Smith (7) carried for 5. On second and 5 Warren (19) bulled up the middle for 4 hard earned yards. Facing third and one at the 28, Smith (7) faked right, kept the ball, zig-zagged 28 yards, scoring with 5:50 still to play, first period. Rotan led 14-7 as Daniel (40) kicked the P.A.T.

Winters was pinned deep on the kickoff as Markham (34) bowled over the returnman only two yards from where the kick was taken at the 21 yard line. Curtis Huitt (9) and Eliot Mize (86) came to the front on defense holding the Blizzard to no gain on 3 attempts.

Daniel (40) set up the Hammer attack once more as he took the punt at his own 47 and worked his way to the Winters 31 yard line. On first down Daniel (40), took the handoff and sprinted down to the fifteen. Warren (19) carried to the eleven on first down and again on 2nd and 6, where he blasted into the endzone. Daniel (40) PAT was good and the Hammers were on top 21-7, with 3:02 remaining first quarter.

Rotan kicked off once more, and again Mitchell Montez (29) and Nowlin (79) provided good coverage down field. Holding on a no gain first down, Winters moved back 10 yards to the 22 for a first and 20. The Blizzard offensive retreated to the 15 as the halfback took the pitch and was buried immediately by Markham (34). Winters punted from their own 26 unable to gain first down yardage.

Smith (7) took the punt at the Rotan 32 and was forced out at his own 44 yard line. The Hammers moved to the Winters 38 as Daniel (40) found a gaping hole in the defense and slipped down after gaining 18 yards. Rotan moved inside the Blizzard 20 on a late hit call as Warren (19) carried to the 34. Daniel (40) carried for 10 yards and a first down to the 9 as the first quarter ended. On second and goal from 7

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PILE UP: The Yellowhammers were in top form as they downed the Winter Blizzards last Friday night. The 34-14 victory keeps Rotan in the hunt for a possible play-off position pending this week's game against Hawley.

## Methodist Church Plans Bazaar

The First United Methodist Church of Rotan will have the annual Seafood Gumbo and bazaar Saturday, November 14, starting at 5:00 - 7:00 p.m., or until the food is gone. Stew will also be served. Donations will be accepted. Bazaar sale items will open at 3:00 p.m. in the church basement. Items for the sale may be brought to the church beginning at 9:00 a.m., Saturday morning. Any questions, contact Connie Hargrove.

## Turkey Dinner

A turkey dinner with all the trimmings will be served with home baked desserts. Dinner will be served from 11:00 a.m., until 1:00 p.m., at the Fisher County Senior Citizen's Center building on Sunday, November 8th.

Adult Plates are $4.00

Children Under 12 - $3.00 Plate

## THANK YOU

To comfort our family after the loss of Lometa Little, many of you brought food to the house, sent beautiful floral arrangements and lovely pot plants, provided additional food for our extended family at the church, and gave us a hug and words of sympathy and encouragement. We feel so lucky to have wonderful neighbors and friends.

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Thanks so much for everything,
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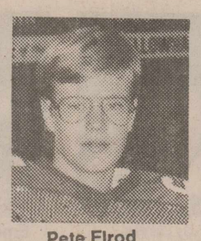
ROTAN YELLOWHAMMER COACHES: Back row, left to right: Jimmy Randolph, Steve Warren, Athletic Director, and Ted Posey. Front, left to right: Bobby Richardson, Todd Burleson and Del Van Cox.

TEAM MANAGERS: Standing: Amy Williams, K.K. Reese, kneeling: Chris Boone, Dominick Yanez.

ROTAN FLAG TWIRLERS: Left to right: Jennifer Thompson, Missy McKinney and Jennifer Underhill.



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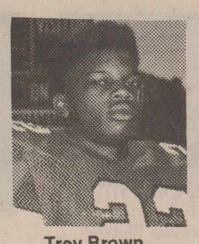

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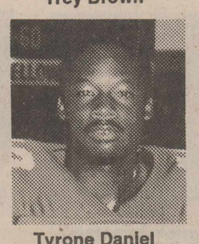

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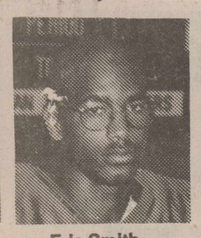

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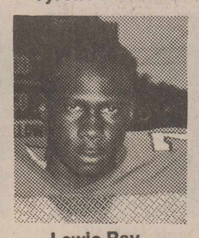

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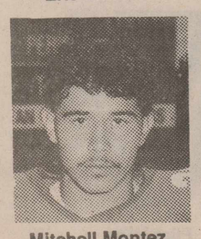

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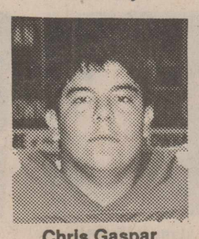

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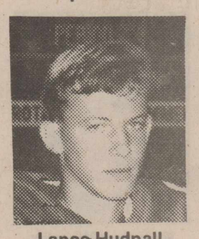

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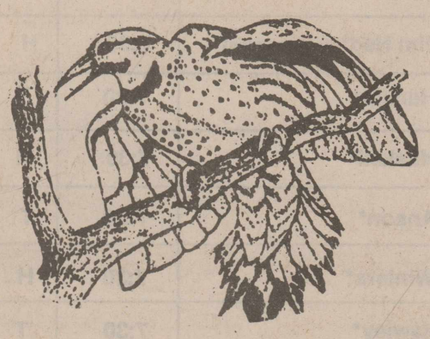


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ROTAN CROSS COUNTRY REGIONAL QUALIFIERS

# Roby Harriers To Take Part In Region II Meet Saturday

Seven girls and one boy will represent Roby at the Region II Cross Country Championship in Arlington on November seventh.

The girls' team includes: Kelly McWilliams, Carolyn Atkinson, Christy Anderson, Shawna McKee, Lanette Teague, Karen Stearns, and Amanda Moore.

The boy representing Roby will be Chad Dannheim.

The girls qualified for regional by coming in second place at the district cross country meet which was held in Abilene on October the 20th. They were only a combined 5 minutes behind the first place team.

Chad Dannheim qualified for the regional meet by finishing fifth place in the boy's division. His time on the three mile course was 20:06.

Other members of the Roby Cross Country team are Brian Osuna, Jason Osuna, Justin Whitaker, and Casey Terry. The boys finished in fourth place overall.

The girls will run at 8:45 a.m. Saturday morning at Vandergriff Park in Arlington. Chad Dannheim will run, following the girls, at 9:10 a.m. Saturday morning at Vandergriff Park.

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yards out, Warren (19) appeared to be stopped at the 4. Suddenly he broke free from a pile of tacklers and bolted into the endzone. The PAT failed on a high snap and the Hammers led by 20 at 27-7 with 11:24 remaining first half.

Winters threatened, moving from their own 10 to the Rotan 10 where they stalled, unable to convert on fourth down. The Blizzard experienced losses on the drive due to outstanding defensive plays by James Carrillo (52), Anthony Smith (64) and Mize (86).

Daniel (40) booted a monster punt on 4th down from his 19 down to the Winters 18 (63 yards). Winters managed a 3 yard return as Mize (86) made the tackle at the 21. Winters netted minus 4 yards on 3 plays due to aggressive defensive by the Hammers, including a four yard sack on 3rd and 9 by Martinez (72) and Huitt (9). On 4th and 14, Markham (34) and Carrillo (52) blocked the Blizzard punt and Rotan took over at the Winters one yard line.

Smith (7) kept the ball on the first play from scrimmage, followed his offensive line, and scored with 4:31 remaining first half. Daniel (40) added the PAT and Rotan led 34-7.

Winters came back once more, going 80 yards on 8 plays as they put together an air attack. Rotan had recovered a fumble on the second play of the drive, but gave it up on an offsides call. The Hammers aided the Blizzards progress further by committing a roughing the passer violation. Winters score with 55 seconds remaining first half cut the Hammer lead to 34-14.

Smith (7) carried twice out to his 44 yard line and passed complete to Montez (29) at the Winters 23. Officials deliberated forever on a would be call as time mysteriously expired in the first half.

The second half belonged to the defenses. While Rotan corralled the Blizzard offense in their own end of the field (not crossing mid-field in the second half) the Hammers reached the Winters 21, 13, and 15 yard line on 3 possessions unable to punch it in for a score.

The Yellowhammers are only one game away from a share of the District crown as they travel to Hawley on Friday night. Rotan appears to be the stronger team of all those in the playoff race. With the probability of a 3 or 4 team tie for first place at 5-2, the hammers will have to win on Friday night. Then wait on the toss of a coin or draw of a card to determine where they will be in two weeks.

# Citizen Hotline Being Expanded

State Auditor Larry Alwin announced today that the statewide toll-free citizen hotline will be expanded for citizen input in general audit areas. As of today, citizens can use the number to provide information and ideas regarding the operations of state agencies and universities relating to waste, abuse, or inefficient operations.

1-800-TX-AUDIT was installed in June to receive citizen input on the Management Audit for Public Schools (MAPS) in Texas. Alwin stated, "Citizen tips on the MAPS project were of tremendous benefit, and we plan to use 1-800-TX-AUDIT to benefit other audit projects and to assist in identifying new areas of concern to citizens and legislators."

The 1-800-TX-AUDIT (1-800-892-8348) hotline will be staffed from Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. An answering machine will record detailed messages after regular office hours and on weekends.

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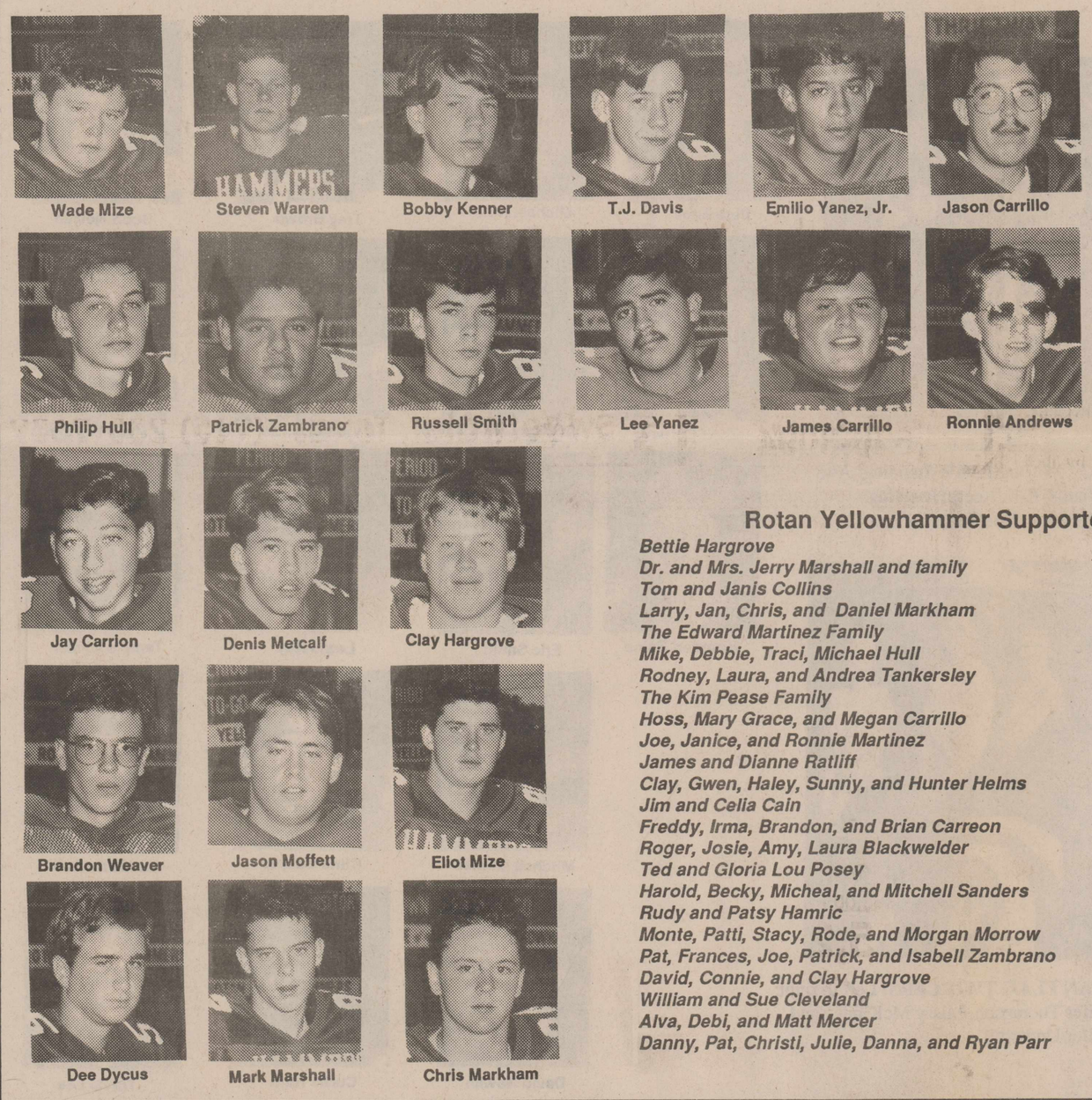


# Rotan Yellowhammers Vs Hawley Bearcats

## Friday, November 6 - 7:30 - There

**ROTAN TWIRLERS:** Left to right: Karen Dickson, Jennifer Rains, Head Twirler and April Martin. Kneeling: Drum Major Matt Mercer.

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| Date | Opponent | Time | H/T | Us | Them |
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| Sept. 4 | Seagraves | 8:00 | H | 18 | 31 |
| Sept. 11 | Coahoma | 8:00 | H | 6 | 16 |
| Sept. 18 | Olney | 8:00 | T | 13 | 21 |
| Sept. 25 | Stamford* | 7:30 | T | 17 | 21 |
| Oct. 2 | Jim Ned* (Homecoming) | 7:30 | H | 27 | 22 |
| Oct. 9 | Hamlin* | 7:30 | T | 20 | 30 |
| Oct. 16 | Haskell* | 7:30 | H | 27 | 20 |
| Oct. 23 | Anson* | 7:30 | T | 57 | 35 |
| Oct. 30 | Winters* | 7:30 | H | 34 | 14 |
| Nov. 6 | Hawley* | 7:30 | T | | |


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*Written By James E. Rodgers, CPA*

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**Another welcome change: your deposit schedule (or "status") will generally stay the same for an entire year. Your status for each year will be determined by the total amount of deposits that you reported to the IRS for the prior July 1 through June 30.**

**Example: Your deposit status for 1993 will be determined by the total amount of deposits that you reported from July 1, 1991, through June 30, 1992. (This is referred to as the "lookback period.") You will be a monthly depositor for 1993 if you deposited $50,000 or less during the lookback period. Otherwise, you will be a semiweekly depositor.**

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## Stephens, Campa Have Poetry Published

Blake Stephens and Moses Campa, juniors at Roby High School, had the honor of seeing their poetry published in *The High School Writer*, a national magazine published by Writer Publications.

Blake's poem, "Listening to the Wind", was published in the September, 1992 edition. Moses' poem, "My Dear Old Friend", appeared in the October, 1992 edition.

Both students work on their writing independent of their school assignments. Their English teacher, Ron Smith, believes that both students have special skills in writing both prose and poetry.

Currently, both students are working on new compositions to submit for possible publication.

**Listening to the Wind**
**by Blake Stephens**

The wind is a puzzle to me,
one of which I am confused.
It whispers a sweet melody,
that often keeps me amused.

I wish that I could fly away,
and go way up high,
and listen to the melodies,
as they quietly float by.

**My Dear Old Friend**
**by Moses Campa**

Death has shone,
on you, my friend, whom I've known
for six wonderful years,
and through these years
we shared both laughter and tears.
But, friend, how I'll miss you,
and how I wish to be with you again.

My dear, deal ol' friend.
There was a lot I should have told you,
because I had a lot to tell you.
But now you cannot [illegible], and I wish that I had one more chance,
one more chance, to make it real.
But even though you're now a world apart,
you'll always remain in my heart,
and I'll somehow make it through,
with my happiest memories of you,
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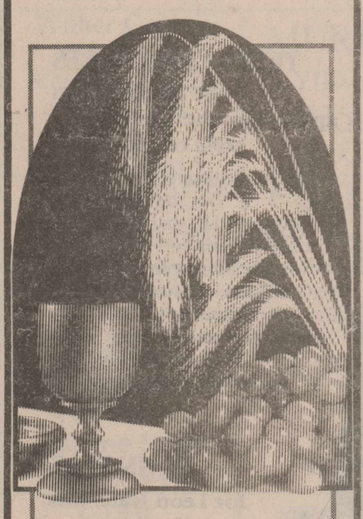

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## Roby Library Station Still Growing

The Roby Library Station is experiencing near explosive expansion. Within the past six months, shelf space and book volumes have almost doubled. The library staff is greatly indebted and gratefully acknowledge the contributions of: The City Commissioners of Roby, Midwest Electric Co-op, Laurie Sheridan Estate, Vernon C. Orrell Estate, Roby Public Schools Library, Harmon Holcomb Memorial, George Price, Perry Thomson, Floy Jim Hughs, Buck and Alice Hughs, Frank and Marjorie Mitchell, City Lumber, Roy and Helen Noles, and other contributions of cash, books and magazines too numerous to print here.

The Roby Library Station is located on the west side of the square, just south of Citizens State Bank. The station is open Tuesday thru Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Library assistants are: Marjorie Mitchell, Alice Hugs, Buck Hughs and other volunteers. The Roby Library Station has access to Interlibrary Loan from Abilene Public Library.

The Library staff encourages all Fisher County residents to visit and browse in the expanded Roby Library Station. The staff could also use volunteer assistance to place books on the recently donated shelf space.

## Homemakers Hold Meeting

The Center Homemakers Club met October 20 for the regular meeting in the beautiful Halloween decorated home of the agent, Beth Dannheim.

After recreation and the business meeting, the agent presented a program on "Low Cost Home Decorating". She showed several wreaths which could be changed seasonally by the addition of a decoration according to the season. Flower filled baskets for centerpieces and other items for table decorations - all at a lower cost. It was an informative program enjoyed by all.

On October 29 at 7 p.m. in the Rotan Community Center, a program entitled "The Relationship of Nutrition to Cancer" will be presented.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to: Vonciel Driver, Helen Thornburg, Audie Burk, Bernice Randolph, Eilene Cave, Fay Anderson, Luella Waddell, and guest, Stella Mae Mash. The above named program as well as others are planned throughout the year and the club urges anyone interested to visit and join the group for these programs.

The next meeting will be November 10, a Thanksgiving luncheon and auction at the Annex.

**ALL GOING TO STATE COMPETITION:** The above three Rotan twirlers will be making the trip to the State Twirling competition in April after getting a Division 1 rating in the regional twirling ensemble in Abilene recently. The Rotan twirling ensemble members going to the Texas State competition are (l to r) April Martin, Karen Dickson and Jennifer Rains. In addition Karen Dickson and Jennifer Rains each captured Division 1 Solo ratings and will compete in solo routines at Austin in the spring.

## Daughter Born To Gordons

Richia Gordon is proud to announce the birth of her baby sister, Tara Louise. She was born Friday, October 23, 1992. Tara weighed 8 lbs., 4 ozs. and was 20 inches long.

Parents are Ricky and Melody Gordon of Roby. Maternal grandparents are Albert and Ellen Hataway of Roby. Paternal grandparents are Howard and Judy Gordon of Hobbs. Maternal great grandmother Othell Hataway of Snyder. Paternal great grandparents are Dale and Doshia Cave of Hobbs.


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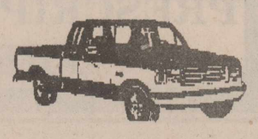

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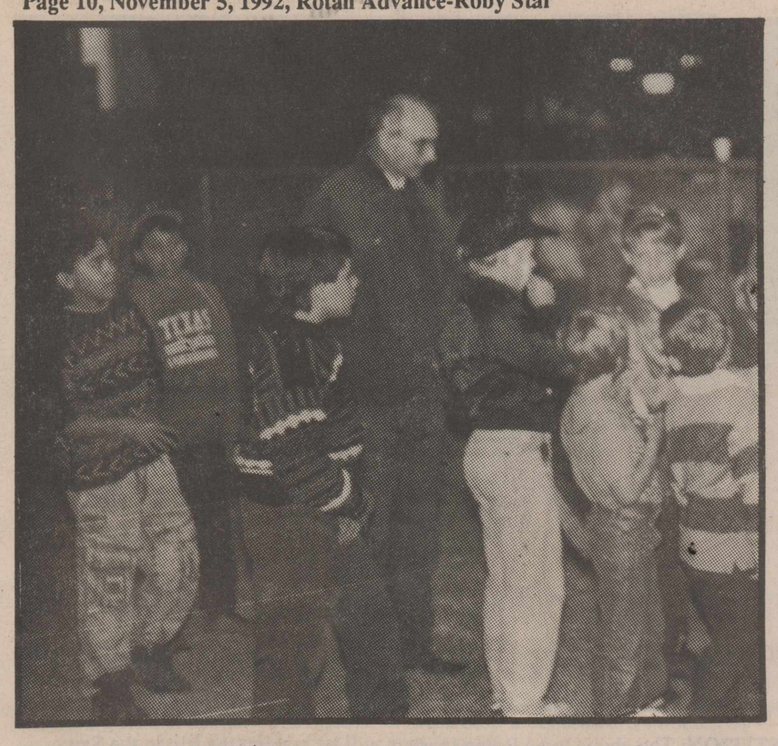


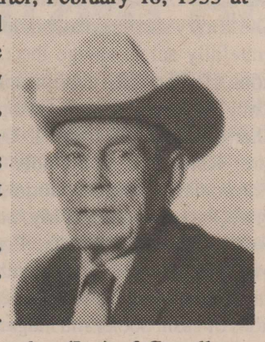
**PUNT, PASS AND KICK KIDS:** The above anxious kickers, passers and punters gather around Rotan Superintendent Nolan Kinsey as they await their trophies which were presented for all their hard work and efforts.

# OBITUARIES

## Mr. Coy J. Stuart

Mr. Coy J. Stuart, 82, of Roby, died early Sunday morning, November 1, 1992 at Fisher County Hospital following a lengthy illness. Funeral services were at 10 a.m., Tuesday, at First Baptist Church in Roby with Rev. Toby Clements and Rev. Keith Berryman officiating. Arrangements are by Weathersbee Funeral Home and burial was in the Roby Cemetery.

Mr. Stuart was born July 6, 1910 in Fisher County and had lived here most of his life. He was the son of the late J.D. and Mamie Stuart. He attended school at Sylvester and Roby. He married Florene Carter, February 18, 1933 at Sylvester. Mr. Stuart was engaged in farming and dairy cattle. He belonged to many agriculture related associations including the American Jersey Cattle Club, Shriners Dairyman of Texas A & M, Texas Jersey Cattle Club, Fisher County Fair Association and was a past president of the West Texas Jersey Cattle Club. He was a member of the First Baptist Church.



Mr. Stuart is preceded in death by two brothers, Rabon Stuart and Tommie Stuart and by a sister, Eva Nell Dennis.

He is survived by: His wife- Florene Carter Stuart of Roby; four sons- James of Lubbock, Landon (Jug) of Carrollton, Tommie Jack of Roby and Don of Fort Worth; three sisters- Lucille Carter of Roby, Marjorie McCuistion of Burleson and Emma Lee Collier of Lubbock; three brothers- L. L. Stuart of Roby, Max Stuart of Roby and George Stuart of Honey Grove; 15 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: Jerry Stuart, Richard Stuart, Jerry Wayne Stuart, Joe Stuart, Olen Dennis, Freddie Max Stuart, Billy Carter, Andy Moore.

## Mrs. Lometa Little

Mrs. Lometa Little, 84, of Rotan died early Tuesday morning, October 27, 1992, at Rotan Nursing Center where she had been a patient for 2 1/2 years. Funeral services were at 2 p.m., Wednesday, at First Baptist Church with the pastor, Rev. Joe Vernon, officiating. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery of Rotan under the direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Mrs. Little was born November 28, 1907 at Morgan Mill, Texas, and was the daughter of the late Isaac and Abbie Silver. She graduated from Morgan Mill High School and John Tarleton Agriculture College. She married Joe Little, March 10, 1929 at Morgan Mill and they moved to Fisher County that year. She taught school at Morgan Mill and Busby, was a member of the Fisher County Home Demonstration Club, was an adult leader for the Fisher County 4-H Club, was a life member of the Parents-Teachers Association. She had been a member of First Baptist Church in Rotan since 1934 and had taught Sunday School for 20 years in the Primary and Beginners Departments and was active in the W.M.U.

She is preceded in death by her parents and a brother, Merlin Silver. She is survived by: Her husband- Joe Little of Rotan; two daughters- Janel Holcomb of Midland and Gayletta Pugh of Denton; a son- Lester Loran Little of Rotan; three grandchildren, Steven Holcomb and Julie Dettman of Midland and Robert Pugh, Jr. of Denton; three great grandchildren- Neil Holcomb, Lance Holcomb, and Ryan Dettman all of Midland.

The family requests memorials be made to the First Baptist Church of Rotan or to the donor's favorite charity.

Casket bearers were- Carl Singley, Glen Strickland, Lonnie Starnes, Mike Hull, Bart Strayhorn, Billy Joe Green. Honorary casket bearers were C.A. Taggart, A. B. Parker, Alex Noles and Raymond Rains.

## Comer C. Collins

Comer C. Collins, 81, of Huntsville, Arkansas, formerly of Rotan, died Tuesday, October 27, 1992 near Checotah, Okla. as a result of injuries sustained in an auto accident. Services were held Friday, October 30, 1992 at 2 p.m., in Weathersbee Chapel with Rev. Ron Dunaway officiating. Burial was in the Rotan Cemetery under the direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home. Graveside military rites were conducted by the Sweetwater VFW Honor Guard.

Mr. Collins was born December 11, 1910 in Rotan and was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collins. He married Letha Huff January 12, 1936 in Stamford. They moved to Huntsville, Arkansas in 1949 and he owned and operated Huntsville Flower Shop until his retirement. He was a member of the Rotan Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include: Wife- Letha Collins, Huntsville, Ark.; 2 sisters- Gladys Middleton, Redwood City, Calif., Lavinia McWhirter, Roby; 1 brother- Robert Collins, Terreno Palma de Mallorca, Spain.

Pallbearers were: Nephews- Neil McWhirter, Mike Middleton, Joe Jones, Jim Huff, Jack Huff, Pat Hailey.

# Rotan Third Grade Learns About The Electoral Process

Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Smith's third grade classes studied about the local, state, and national governments. They also went in depth about the United States Presidential elections. The classes made posters encouraging people to vote. Also, polls, ballots and the seriousness of voting were stressed. The students filled out voter registration cards and received a voter registration card. The cards were presented on Election Day (Nov. 3) and the class voted for President and Vice-President.

The fourth grade students in Rotan Elementary held an election for Elementary President and Vice President. The election was a simulation of the national elections and was conducted to teach the students how the election process works.

The students formed a two party system, with Jacob Yanez as the presidential nominee and Scott Tandy as the vice presidential nominee chosen by the campaign party. The Presidential party's candidates were Zack Yanez and Lindsay Havins.

Each party wrote a party platform. The issues were how to improve the school. Students campaigned for their party with posters, buttons, campaign slogans, and speeches.

Elections were held Tuesday morning, November 3, with students from grades two through four voting.

Ashley Garza and Salvador Garcia were campaign managers for the Campaign Party ticket. The Presidential Party campaign managers were Sabra Hargrove and Rode Morrow.

Election judges were Rosanna Muniz, Mark Soliz, Brandi McArthur, Rocky Flores, Steven Smallwood, Sarah Shelley, and Jonathan Perales.

Mr. Hargrove spoke to the fourth grade class on Friday, October 28 prior to the elections and discussed the residential candidates and issues.

The fourth graders worked as a class to develop their parties and campaigns. They wrote their campaign speeches together as a group writing.

Rotan Elementary also held a straw vote on November 3 for President.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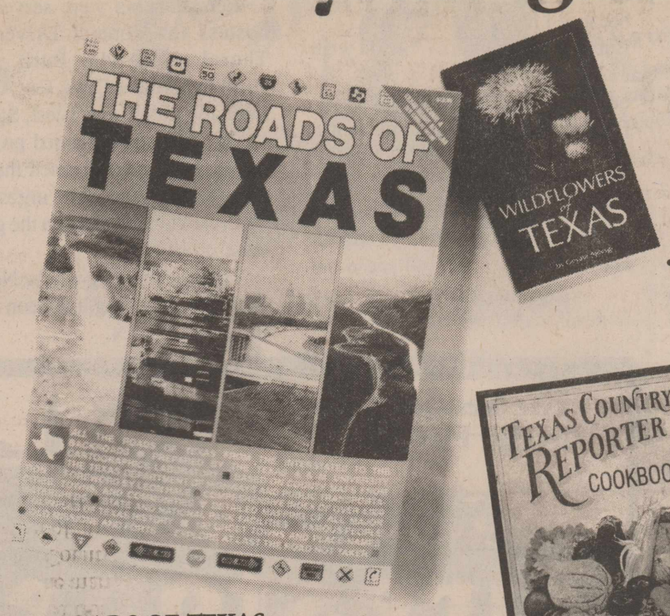


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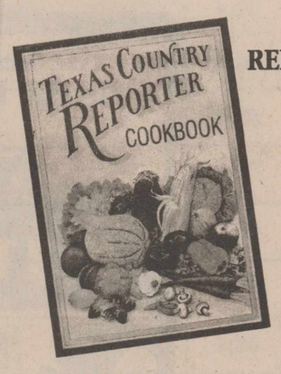


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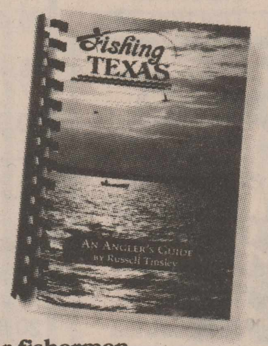


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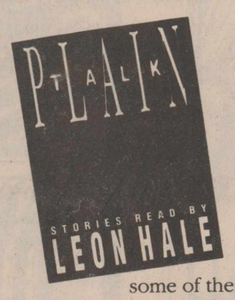


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has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Canyon Sand, Y6, Well Number 4-24. The proposed injection well is located 4 miles NW from Hamlin, in the Judy Gail, (East Canyon) in Fisher County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 4510 to 4547 feet.

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Underground Injection Control Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6790).

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## Legal Notice

DRUG TASK FORCE AUCTION

INVITATION TO BID

The West Central Texas Interlocal Crime Task Force and the Fisher/Nolan County District Attorney's Office are now accepting SEALED BIDS on the following property located in Fisher County, Texas:

SURFACE ESTATE ONLY in and to a tract of 30 acres, more or less, under fence in the Northwest Corner of the West 200 acres of Survey 7, Block V, T&P Ry. Co. Surveys, Fisher County, Texas. (This property is more particularly described by metes and bounds in Vol. 641, Fisher County Deeds of Records, at page 173).

This property includes approximately 30 acres of ranchland, with a 2 bedroom, 2 bath, brick house w/ 20'x20' basement.

The above listed property is located as follows: From Roby, Texas, go west on Texas 180 approximately 11 to 12 miles to Farm Road 611. Turn north on FR611. Go north on FR611 to FR3205. Continue north on FR3205, approximately 4.1 miles. Connect with Fisher County Road 349 (dirt road). Continue north on FC349 approximately 1.5 miles. Turn right (east) into cattle guard onto a private road. Travel approximately 3/10ths. of a mile to the residence.

The property will be open for public viewing on November 10, 1992 between the hours of 11:00 a.m. till 3:00 p.m.

Sealed bids MUST be submitted to the Fisher/Nolan County District Attorney's office at:

P.O. Box 1038

Sweetwater, Texas 79556

All bids MUST be received at this address by 5:00 P.M. on November 17, 1992.

All envelopes MUST be clearly marked with the words "SEALED BID" on the outside. All bids must be accompanied by a letter of guarantee from a bank or other lending institution.

Bids will be opened on November 18, 1992, at 2:00 P.M. in the District Courtroom of the Fisher County Courthouse in Roby, Texas.

The West Central Texas Interlocal Crime Task Force and/or the Fisher/Nolan County District Attorney's office reserve the right to refuse any and/or all bids. All property is sold on an "as is" basis.

For more information, contact (915) 675-6964.

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## Legal Notice

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Fisher County Hospital will receive bids for Energy Conservation Retrofits, Rotan, Texas, until 2:00 p.m., November 16, 1992, at the office of the Hospital Administrator, Rotan, Texas. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud immediately following.

Bids are invited for the items of work as follows:

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Bid/Contract Documents including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at Oller Engineering, Inc., 7806 Indiana Avenue, Suite 202, Lubbock, Texas, 79423.

Copies of the Bid/Contract Documents may be purchased at a price of Fifty Dollars ($50.00) from Oller Engineering, Inc. for each set of documents obtained.

A bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check or bank draft payable to the Fisher County Hospital or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon) wage rate, as issued by the U. S. Department of Labor and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. A Department of Labor determination of wage rates for Fisher County is being conducted. Wage rates for Taylor County are included and will be replaced by change order when the Fisher County rates are available. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or national origin.

The Fisher County Hospital reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the Fisher County Hospital for a period not exceed 30 days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders' qualifications prior to the contract award.

FISHER COUNTY HOSPITAL
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Administrator
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## Legal Notice

The Rotan Independent School District will accept sealed bids until 4:00 p.m. November 9, 1992, at the Superintendent's office, on three vacant lots. Said bids are for surface estate only of Lots Number One (1), Two (2), and Three (3), Block Number Two Hundred Eleven (211), Inside Addition to the Town of Rotan, Fisher County, Texas. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all bids. For information, please contact Superintendent of Schools at 102 North McKinley Avenue, Rotan, Texas 79546, 915/735-2332.

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## Legal Notice

Legal Bid Notice

The Rotan Consolidated Independent School District will accept sealed bids until 3:00 p.m., November 23, 1992 at the Superintendent's office, 102 North McKinley Avenue, Rotan, Texas 79546 for Eagle buses or the equivalent.

Said bids will be opened at the Superintendent's office at 3:30 p.m., on November 23, 1992. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

For further information contact the Superintendent's Office as referenced or call 915/735-2332.

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# County Agents Column

By Richard Spencer

by Richard Spencer

For some reason there seems to be a widely held misconception that the term "wildlife habitat" is synonymous with timbered or brushy areas. For example it is not uncommon for people to think of wooded areas as wildlife habitat area, often times not realizing that the condition of the rest of his place is of equal or greater importance to wildlife. Brush is certainly an important component of habitat for many wildlife species, but open areas and prairies are often equally important.

While some animals rely on one or the other, many animals rely on both open and wooded areas to provide their various needs. White-tailed deer and bobwhite quail are two good examples of the latter. Deer often depend on open areas to provide much of their food. At the same time, they rely heavily on wooded areas for escape cover, shelter from the weather, and food (seasonally important). Similarly, open areas generally provide the bulk of bobwhite quail foods, as well as roosting and nesting cover. Quail rely on various types of wooded or brushy areas for escape cover, loafing cover and to some extent, food.

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Twenty three hunters participated in the opening weekend of Quail Season with the Fisher County Hunting Co-op.

Quail are plentiful in Fisher County this year, and the hunters reported good results.

Stuart Carey, Chief Hunting Guide has about 35,000 acres of land to hunt considerably more than last year.

He reports that the month of November is almost booked up.

Many farmers are defoliating cotton and preparing for harvest. The cotton coming in is white with good turnouts reported. Frost will slip in one of these days and the harvest will be in high gear. The hot dry weather in September and October really helped the cotton, but wheat and pastures are in sad shape at this time.

# HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted and dismissed during the week of November 2, 1992 were as follows:

ADMITTED:

J.P. Self- McCaulley; Jack Aaron- Rotan; Ramona Castillo- Rotan; Barbara Gray- Rotan; Louis Yanez- Rotan; Margaret Allen- Rotan; Abram Jones Jr.- Rotan; William Hardy- Rotan; Johnnie B. Brown- Rotan; Glen Hilliard- Roby; Maria Castor- Roby; Dominga Torres- Snyder.

DISMISSED:

Mary Miranda- Rotan; William Broussard- Abilene; Ramona Castillo- Rotan; Louis Yanez- Rotan; Barbara Gray- Rotan; Eris Guynes- Snyder; Margaret Allen- Rotan; Goldie Woodworth- Rotan; Johnnie Brown- Rotan.

# County Agent's Report

by Beth Dannheim

**Managing Food Refusal In Children**

Children sometimes refuse to eat a certain food or group of foods important to good nutrition. Usually it is vegetables that are refused but some children also dislike meat, fish or milk.

Trying different preparations may help children accept foods that they have refused. Try serving raw instead of cooked vegetables. If a child still refuses the food, substitute a nutritionally equivalent food the child likes. For example, try apricots in place of carrots or low-fat yogurt and low-fat cheeses instead of milk.

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**Fast, Healthful Cooking**

All you need for healthful stir-frying is a good cast-iron or non-stick skillet and, a light touch when it comes to oil. Many wonderful stir-fry dishes can be made with less than a tablespoon of added oil. Heat the pan before you add the oil; it goes farther that way. To shortcut the slicing and dicing required for stir-frying, buy your vegetables precut from the salad bar or frozen food section. When you are really rushed, you can purchase cleaned shrimp or precut cubes of chicken or beef.

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**Removing Wax From Apples**

Many fruits and vegetables available in the grocery have been treated with a wax coating primarily to prevent moisture loss after harvest. Waxes are also used to make food products shine, adding to aesthetic appeal. If the wax is objectionable, try removing it by washing the food in a warm, dilute salt-water solution, then rinsing in clear water.

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"A/B"

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6TH GRADE: Holly Hunsaker, Daniel Markham, Ann M. Mills, Andrea Miranda, Bradey Murphree.

7TH GRADE: Jeffery Anderle, Jake Baker, Cheryle Dodd, Monica Gaspar, Bradey Murphree.

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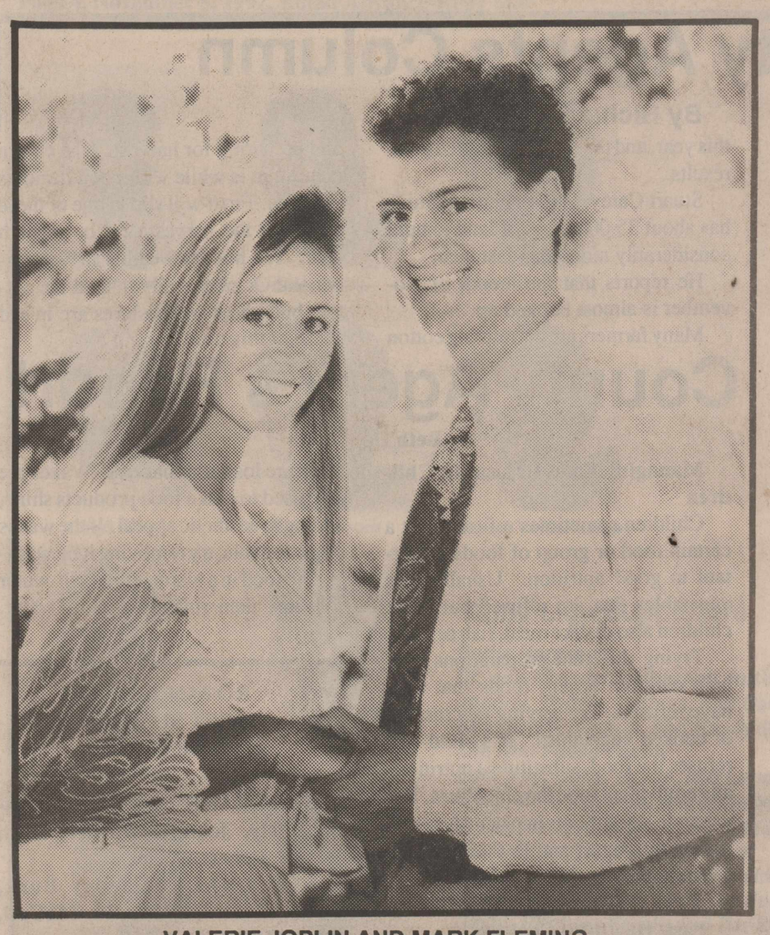

VALERIF JOPLIN AND MARK FLEMING

# Valerie Joplin To Wed Mark Fleming In Austin, Jan. 2

Joe and Vicki Joplin of Roby, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Valerie of Midland, to Mark Fleming of Austin, son of Dolores and Bobby Fleming of Titusville, FL.

The couple will marry January 2, 1993 at 1:00 p.m. during a garden ceremony at the Barr Mansion in Austin.

The bride elect is a 1982 graduate of Whitharral High School, and a 1984 graduate of South Plains College, and will be continuing her education at the University of Texas in Austin, seeking a Bachelors of Science degree in Nursing. The future bridegroom is a 1989 graduate of Mississippi State with a Bachelors of Science degree in Petroleum Engineering. He is currently working at Platt, Sparks, and Associates in Austin, and is currently a student at the University of Texas where he is completing his masters.

# Hustling Around Hobbs

by Joy Walker

I am sure Abilene could have done without the severe lightning and high winds Wednesday evening - but you take the good with the bad to get rain in West Texas. And that finally came just after dark in Abilene Wednesday. After about seven weeks without any notable rain, the Big Country was hurting severely. Now if it had been a general rain, and all of us had got some, it would have been nice. We got the lightning, high winds, but only just a sprinkle of rain, not enough to settle the dust. Then again on Saturday we got just a light shower, but had winds all day that day, and again on Sunday, in fact, it seems more like March than early November. The strippers are going full blast in most fields, so they don't want any moisture, but the wheat growers are badly in need of some rain.

Happy birthday to **Frances Bavousett**, daughter of **Dan and Carla**, whose 16th birthday is today, November 2.

Visiting Sunday with **Dutch and Norma Parks** were **Jonnye Lu, Robert and Nathan Brown** from Lubbock; **Cary Brown and Kayla Beck** from Snyder also visited Sunday, and all of the **Browns, Cary and Kayla** spent the night Saturday. **Julie, Levi and Dylan Parks** from Odessa visited with them all on Sunday.

**Dale Cave** is in Humana Hospital in Abilene; the doctor plans on doing gall bladder surgery Monday, and we hope to hear that **Dale** will quickly recover and will soon begin to feel very much better

Cotton Flat Baptist Church in Midland is having a special presentation of the **Levi Parks** story "Miracle or Coincidence?", Sunday, November 15 at 7 p.m. Join the **Parks** family for this if you are able.

**Louise and Jeffery Martinez** went to Fort Worth on Wednesday, then **Trine Marcias, Louise's** sister, and **Rosemary Gay** and **Louise** all went to Houston where they stayed until Sunday. They visited with **Veronica** and **Steve Pellerin,** and with **Mrs. Barbara Annette Soto**, also **Louise's** sister, who was there visiting from Maryland. **Louise** hadn't seen her in 6 years, so they were all so pleased to be able to get together. **Louise** spent Sunday night with **Rosemary,** and **Jeffery** went after her on Monday.

**Willie Barrera** is still in the hospital at Abilene, at Hendrick now, and he is doing fairly well, but is still very weak. **Mary Ozuna** is still doing really well, and we hope that both **Willie Barrera** and **Mary Ozuna** will soon be feeling much better. I killed a big rattlesnake Saturday morning, which was lazily crawling around the house, and luckily I saw it from the kitchen window. The snakes are really crawling as it's been so warm so everyone be sure and watch for them. Maybe with the freeze they are predicting, they will go find some place warm to hole up in.

**Mrs. Pat (Fay) Patterson** and her granddaughter, **Emily Zeck**, from Snyder visited with me Sunday evening. **Emily** is the daughter of **Pam and Paul Zeck.**

Don't forget the Hobbs Homecoming which is going to be held Saturday, November 14th at the Hobbs School. For more information, you can contact **Jamie (Miers) Clayton** at Rt. 2, Box 36, Rotan. Hope they get a good turnout.

See you next week.

# Food Show Winners Named

The Fisher County 4-H Food Show was held Sunday in the Roby Cafeteria with 40 youth participating. The 4-H'ers were judged by out of town 4-H leaders and an Extension agent on their knowledge of food and nutrition, the quality and preparation principles of their dish, their personal appearance, and their effectiveness of communication.

Winners in the junior division were breads- Tara Carey; main dish- Kyle McWilliams; fruits & vegetables- Haley Helms; and nutritious snacks- Lance Moore. Alternate junior winners were Scott Price, Sarah Boyd, Cassie Terry, & Autumn Daniel.

Winners in the intermediate division were breads- Jaycee Carey; main dish- Katy Cade; fruits and vegetables- Tracy Posey; and nutritious snacks- Jake Baker. Alternate winners were Lane Greene and Katrina Rains.

Senior winners were breads- Christy Willett; main dish- Chad Dannheim; fruits and vegetables- Shelly Baker; and nutritious snacks- Melissa Burk. Alternate senior winners were Anita Floyd, Amanda Moore and Kelly McWilliams.

Other blue ribbon winners Crystal Early, Shelley Burk, Klay McWilliams, Amanda Johnson, Lindy Kelly, Dayme Mullins, Darci Eaton, Jason Stamm, Cory Rains, Clay Cade, Brandy Murphree, Lacy Callan, Monroe Moore, Ashley Smith, Sahala Freeman, Guy Kelly, and Kasey Greene.

Sponsors of the awards for this event were Circle C grocery store, Nubbins, Thriftway, City Grocery, Main Street Bakery, Terry Gin, and Blue Haven Motel. Tea was served by the Extension Homemakers during the Tasting Tea.

4-H leaders who coordinated the foods and nutrition project were Sheila Gruben, Lisa Cade, Lisa Carey, Debbie Terry, Belynda Rains, Linda Callan, and Tammie Kelley.

Winners of each division will compete in district competition, November 21 in Vernon.


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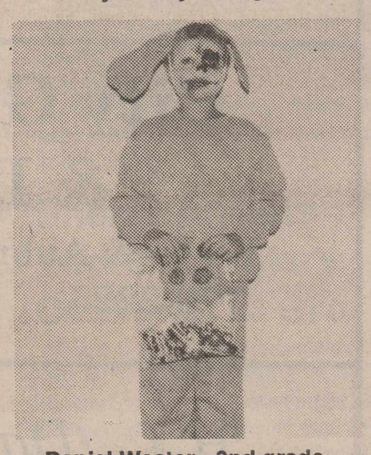
Taryn Terry - 4th grade

Westley Terry - 1st grade

Heidi Mims - 11th grade

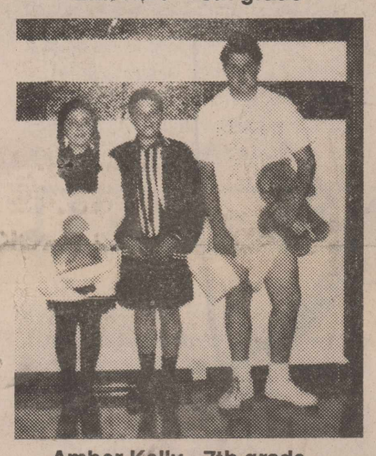


Daniel Wester - 2nd grade

Amy Beauchamp and
Erin Hart - 10th grade

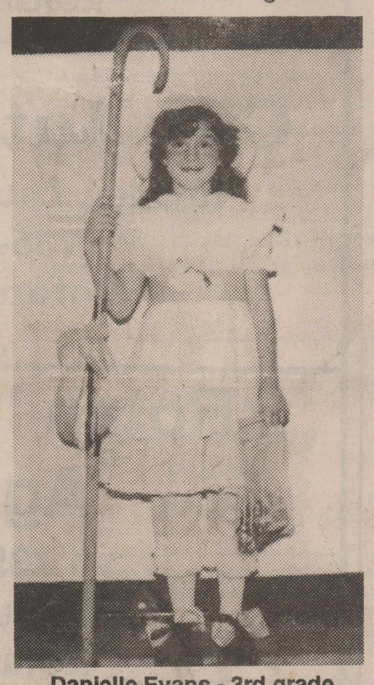
Anita Floyd - 11th grade
Joe Joplin - 12th grade

Hunter Stuart - kindergarten



Amber Kelly - 7th grade
Beau Hart - 8th grade
Brian Schmidt - 8th grade

Karen Carriker - 5th grade



Danielle Evans - 3rd grade

Rachel Smith - 1st grade

Chris Thompson - kindergarten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**NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE**
**THE STATE OF TEXAS**
**COUNTY OF FISHER**

**By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32ND Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 3rd day of November, 1992 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of CITY OF ROBY vs. BILL MCCORMICK & SONS OIL COMPANY, INC. Cause # 4042 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 A.M. on the 1st Day of December, 1992 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said Fisher County, in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to wit:**

**Tract I: Being all that certain Lot 10 in Block 1-A out of the Memorial Addition Annex to the Town of Roby, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Deed of record in Volume 587, Page 51 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.**

**Tract II: Being all those certain Lots 2 and 3 in Block 7 of the Original Town of Roby, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Deed of record in Volume 501, Page 619 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.**

**Levied on the 3rd day of November, 1992 as the property of WAYNE PRESLEY, INDIVIDUALLY AND D/B/A R & W TRUCKING, if living; JUANITA LEE COCHRAN FORMERLY KNOWN AS JUANITA PRESLEY, Route 1, Box 118, Hermleigh, Texas 79526; WEST TEXAS WELDERS SUPPLY, INC. (IN REM ONLY), a Corporation, by serving its Registered Agent, E. Pat Baker, 3810 Old Christoval Road, Box 5350, San Angelo, Texas 76902; to satisfy a judgment amounting to $5,266.09 with interest from the 3rd day of October, 1991 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of CITY OF ROBY, ET AL.**

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# NEWS BRIEFS

### Tickets on Sale

Theatre on the Brazos has tickets on sale for "Right Bed Wrong Husband". Performances are November 7 at 7:30 p.m., November 8 at 2:00 p.m. Adults $5.00 and children $3.00. Box office is open from 3:30 til 6:00 p.m. or call 735-2341.

### TOTB Monthly Meeting

Theatre on the Brazos will have their monthly meeting on Monday, November 9 at 7:00 p.m. at the Lance Theatre. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

### Rotan Room Parents Meeting

The Rotan Elementary room parents will meet on November 9 at 7 p.m. in the LRC. The meeting will be to discuss the use of the money from the Fall Festival and also discuss Christmas activities.

A book fair has been set up in the elementary building for Tuesday, November 3rd - Thursday, November 6th.

### Stevens Directs "Oklahoma"

David Stevens, grandson of Katherine Bruce of Rotan, and a member of the San Angelo Central High Theatre Arts Department, directed his students in "Oklahoma" and for the third year in a row will perform in advance competition at Baytown, Texas.

### Ladies Night Out

Ladies Night Out, a program designed especially for the women of the county will be presented, Tuesday, November 10 at 7:00 p.m. at the Annex. The program, Holiday Hints, will be presented by Wanda Horton of Horton Nursery. Ladies Night Out is sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, is free, and open to all interested persons.

### 4-H Club Meeting

The high school 4-H Club will meet Monday, November 9 at 7:00 p.m. in the home of Coby and Bryce Moore (west of Roby). The program will be presented by Ed Wilcox, Woods Children & Family Center of Abilene. All high school youth, regardless if enrolled in 4-H or not, are encouraged to attend.

### Joint Bazaar and Bar-B-Que

The Rotan Volunteer Fire Department and Ladies Auxiliary are sponsoring a joint bazaar and bar-b-que dinner Saturday, November 7 at the RVFD fire house from 10:00 to 5:00. Booths consisting of arts and crafts, ceramics, antiques, wood working, purses, decorated shirts, knife and scissor sharpening and Christmas decorations are expected. Admission to the bazaar is free. Come browse through the booths and then enjoy a sit down dinner or take-out.

## Rotan Lunch Menu

**November 9 - 13, 1992**

**MONDAY: Burritos/Chili & Cheese, Buttered Corn, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Cookies, Milk.**

**TUESDAY: Beef Stew, Fried Okra, Peach Halves, Cornbread or Crackers, Chocolate Cake, Milk.**

**WEDNESDAY: Salisbury Steak & Gravy, Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Pear Halves, Milk.**

**THURSDAY: BBQ on a Bun, Tater Tots & Catsup, Ranch Style Beans, Pickle Spears, Rice Krispy Squares, Milk.**

**FRIDAY: Hamburgers, Hamburger Salad, French Fries & Catsup, Fruit Cobbler Milk.**


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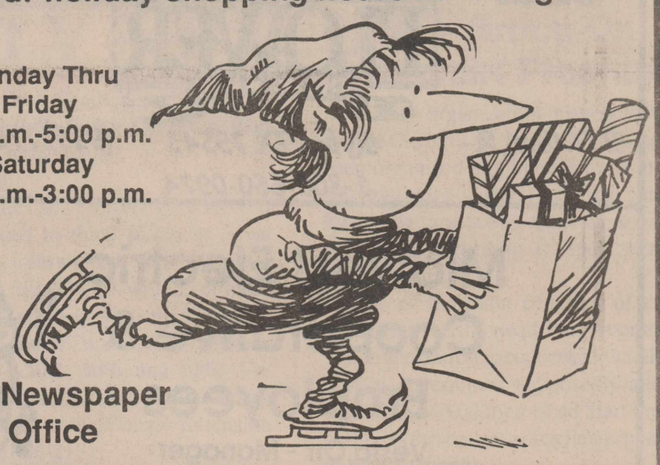

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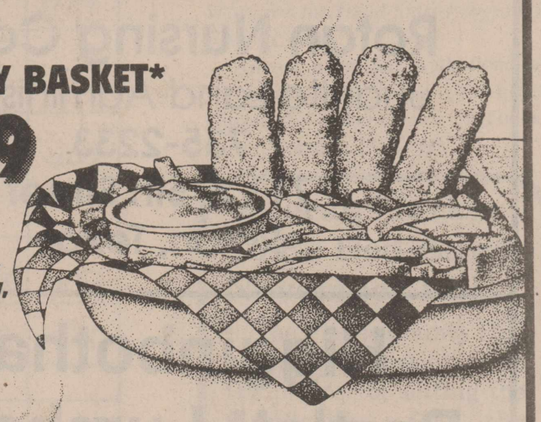

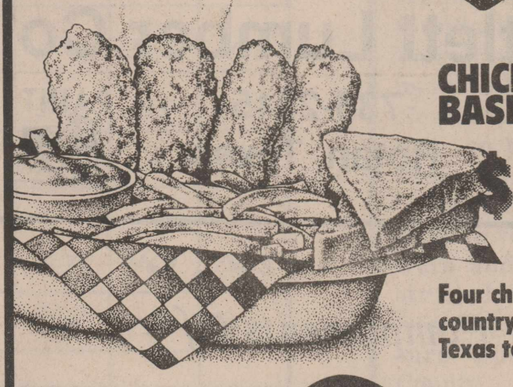

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