

Hospital Board Approves Doctor Contract, Second Doctor Being Interviewed

The members of the Fisher County Hospital Board voted last Monday to enter into an agreement with a medical school student to practice medicine in Fisher County after he

completes his internship in approximately two and a half years.

Fisher County Hospital Board members voted 4-0 to enter into an agreement with Ernie Atkins, former

Fisher County resident, whereby the Fisher County Hospital Board makes a financial loan to Atkins while he is in medical school in exchange for a contract to practice medicine in Fisher County by

Atkins for a period of five years after he finishes his internship.

Atkins is currently finishing his last year and a half of medical schooling at

Fort Worth Osteopathic Medical School then plans on doing a year of internship in Georgia. He is a former school teacher, having taught at McCauley for three years.

Atkins will receive a \$33,000 loan from the Fisher County Hospital District to be paid \$1,500 a month beginning January 1, 1986 for 1½ years while Atkins finishes medical school and \$500 a month while interning in Georgia. Following his internship Atkins agrees to move to Fisher County and practice medicine in Fisher County for a period of 5 years. The loan will carry an interest rate of 6%.

Atkins has verbally agreed to the contract and is expected to execute written contract with the hospital board prior to January 1, 1986.

"We feel the loan amount we are making available to Ernie Atkins is very much in line with what other medical students are receiving and we feel the loan is an investment in the future for Fisher County with respect to assuring all residents that they'll have access to medical facilities and medical personnel for years to come," said Frank Mitchell, hospital board member.

Atkins informally met with several members of the Fisher County Hospital board recently. He expressed his interest to be involved in the community, plans on performing surgery, and delivering babies, according to board members.

Fisher County Hospital Administrator Paul Harper, in making the presentation to the board concerning Ernie Atkins, pointed out that the birth of newborns at the Fisher County Hospital had drastically declined the past three years. In 1983 a total of 100 plus babies had been delivered; that figure dropped to 80 in 1984 and currently stands at 39 for 1985.

Rev. Whitaker Resigns Post At Calvary

Rev. Daniel Whitaker, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church in Rotan for the past 11½ months, resigned his position with the church effective last Sunday.

"I'm not sure of my plans for the future, I plan to go wherever God leads me," said Rev. Whitaker.

It is expected that the members of the Calvary Baptist Church will appoint a pulpit committee in the near future to begin a search for a replacement pastor.

Deadline Set For Christmas Newspaper

The Christmas edition of the Rotan Advance-Roby Star Record will be delivered to Fisher County homes on Tuesday, December 24. Deadline for news items and advertising will be Friday, December 20 at 3:00 p.m.

This annual holiday edition will include letters to Santa Claus from local youth. Through special arrangement with the North Pole their letters will be mailed direct to Santa Claus early enough for his Christmas Eve delivery of toys and goodies. Also included will be Christmas greeting ads from Fisher County residents and businesses.

The following week's newspaper will be mailed on Tuesday, Dec. 31 in advance of the New Year's holiday. Deadline for this issue will be Friday, December 27 at 3:00 p.m.

After the hospital board approved offering the contract to Ernie Atkins, who could be practicing medicine in Fisher County by mid 1988, they took action on possibly getting another doctor in Fisher County by early 1986.

Administrator Paul Harper informed the board of a practicing doctor in Oregon who has expressed interest of returning to Texas and Fisher County to practice. The Oregon doctor is to meet with Administrator Paul Harper prior to Christmas and visit Fisher County shortly after Christmas with hopes of starting his local practice shortly after January 1st.

The Oregon doctor had a practice in Central Texas prior to moving to Oregon. He is 62 years old and has expressed an interest in moving here and would be working out of the Fisher County clinic on a guaranteed financial arrangement with the board.

Navy Seaman Toby Moore Home From Pacific Tour

Navy Seaman Apprentice Toby J. Moore, son of Herbert J. and Lois M. Moore of Rt. 1, Rotan, recently returned from a six month deployment to the Persian Gulf and Pacific Ocean, while stationed aboard the guided missile frigate USS Reid, homeported in San Diego.

During the deployment, crewmembers participated in many events, including a memorial service at the final resting place of the World War II destroyer USS Reid, which was sunk by a Japanese Kamakaze aircraft in 1944.

Following the memorial service, the ship participated in maritime patrol duty in the Persian Gulf at which time crewmembers assisted in fighting a fire and rescuing 30 crewmembers of a stricken United Arab Emirates tanker.

Port calls were made in the Republic of the Philippines, Singapore, Colombo, Sri Lanka, Surabaya, Indonesia; Brisbane, Sydney; Darwin, Australia, Fiji, Nuku Alofa, Tonga, Pago Pago, American Samoa, and Pearl Harbor, HI.

The last stop before returning to San Diego was Pearl Harbor, HI. In Pearl Harbor, the Reid embarked "TIGERS" for the transit.

Male relatives and civilian guests joined the ship for the trip from Hawaii to San Diego as special guests and honorary crewmembers. Most of the TIGERS are friends and relatives of the crew; however, also, embarked were 14 ex-crewmen of the World War II USS Reid.

For Moore, it was a cruise well worth remembering. During the cruise

Roby Methodist Services Set For Christmas

The members of the First United Methodist Church in Roby are planning two special church services next week, according to Rev. Warren Schonecker, pastor.

The church will be involved in a special candlelight service on Sunday night, December 22nd beginning at 6:30 p.m.

On Tuesday night, December 24th the church members will be holding a special Christmas Eve Vesper Service beginning at 7:00 p.m. "This will be an evening of remembrance of the birth of Christ," said Rev. Schonecker.

Terms of the guaranteed amount and other arrangements are to be discussed by the doctor and Paul Harper and will be reviewed by the board later in December.

Harper also indicated that numerous other MD's and DO's had responded to nationwide advertising by the Fisher County Hospital seeking to secure doctors.

Administrator Paul Harper reviewed with board members the recent Christmas party for hospital employees; discussed the increased electric bill at the hospital; reviewed his meeting with the Medical Staff and updated the board on the recently installed computer software. In Harper's final report to the board he informed them that the hospital showed a net loss from hospital operations, before depreciation, during November of \$22,494.00 bringing the net loss for the year to \$223,888.00.

he and his shipmates ate 131,127 meals and consumed 53,328 cans of soda. They also jogged 1,350 miles on the fantail to burn off all of the calories.

County Cotton Gins Bale 26,023 Total

A total of 26,023 bales of cotton have been ginned by area gins as of early this week. Most gins report they have done from 30% to 50% of the cotton they expect to gin.

Rotan Gin reported the most bales completed at 7,430. Two other gins have baled over 4,000 bales of cotton; Terry Gin stands at 4,880 bales and Farmers Union Coop Gin reported 4,100 bales. Other local gins have the following number of bales ginned; Hobbs has 3,438 bales, Farmers Gin stands at 2,916 bales, Longworth Gin has baled 1,750 bales and Sylvester Gin has 1,500 bales ginned as of early this week.

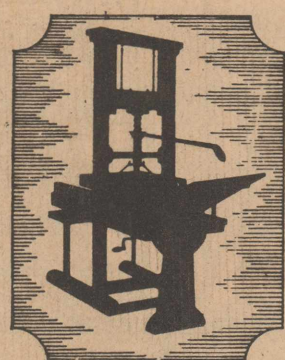
3M Missions Helped By Rotan Group

A group of Rotan individuals have become involved in the last three years with assisting children at Christmas and other times who are residents of the Mexico Multiple Missions at Clint, Texas.

There are approximately 40 children involved that have come to depend on gifts and clothing from Rotan as a big part of their Christmas.

The children range in age from 4 years to age 15 and have some very basic needs in clothing—shirts, socks, dresses, blouses, house slippers, etc. The Rotan group attempts to also send dolls, coloring books, paint by number sets, etc.

During this holiday season if you would be interested in sharing some of your material items with these children being cared for by the Mexico Multiple Mission in Clint, Texas, you are asked to contact Ken Foster; the First Baptist Church of Rotan or items can be left at the Newspaper Office. The truck will be leaving the weekend before Christmas from Rotan to Clint to deliver the clothing items and gifts.



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Rotan Moving Police Operation To New Building For Consolidation

During its regular meeting on December 10, Rotan City Council addressed consolidation of the city police department with the Fisher County Sheriff's Department as well as a resolution that would provide additional money for expansion of industry and business in the city.

Council approved a resolution from the Rotan Industrial Development Corporation (a corporation formed by the city and chartered by the state) to issue \$1,500,000 in revenue bonds. The corporation was established by the city for any industrial development which might occur in Rotan. Funds would be available upon approval for any new or existing business and could be used for expansion or improvement projects. The city is in no way obligated for any indebtedness which might occur in issuance of the bonds handled through the Rotan Industrial Development Corporation.

Rotan Council also approved consolidation of the city police department with the Fisher County Sheriff's Office. The trial period, which begins January 1, 1986, will continue for one year. Named as Rotan police chief was Floyd Bankston. His duties will be chiefly as a night watchman in the city and he will work under the City Council who coordinates his hours with those of the sheriff's office. Other Rotan police officers will be moved to the county sheriff's office position.

Officers will be located in Rotan next door to the current police department. The new office location is now under renovation and should be ready for use by January 1, 1986.

City Manager Kenneth Vann explained that the city will maintain one police officer during the trial period so the city will not be required to reorganize a police department with the state if the new agreement does not work as planned. He added that the consolidation looks like a good opportunity for the city to maintain law and order while saving money that can be channeled to other areas of city government.

During November Rotan City Police answered 79 calls. Two of these involved burglaries, three were fires, nine were animal nuisance calls and the remainder were general police calls involving disturbances and other items.

The water report given to Council showed a loss of 24% on November water purchases. There were no

major water line breaks during that period and all samples were good. Beginning January 1, 1986, the city will be assessed \$500 per year by the Texas Department of Health for checking the water system in Rotan. In addition, the city will pay \$5.00 per sample (or \$15.00 per month) to the Sweetwater Health Department for

water samples which they test.

Improvements at the Rotan landfill were also completed with assistance from Fisher County. Waterways were established and roads graded and graveled. With seven county trucks, two city trucks and a city dozer 1,468 cubic yards of gravel were placed and graded on

the roads in the landfill area.

Council also approved establishment of a waterway across the golf course from Highway 92 to the dam at the course. The waterway will be constructed and maintained by the Texas Highway Department to improve drainage and runoff coming from Roby Avenue.

In other reports to the Council it was stated that \$45,990 were collected on the 1985 taxes as of December 10, 1985. The city has replaced approximately 24 traffic signs at a cost of \$25.45 each.

Christmas decorations have been installed by the city at a cost of about \$500 for bulbs and sockets. All of the decorations were reported as operational with exception of four which need to be reconnected to the power source by West Texas Utilities. It was estimated this would be done the weekend before Christmas.

The Community Center report was approved and Council agreed to pay the deficit of \$74.24 on operations for the previous month.

Finally, Council approved bonuses to city employees with one or more years of service amounting to \$50.00 each. Supervisors were given a \$100.00 bonus by the Council.

Golden Haven Nursing Home Closing Doors

Golden Haven Nursing Home Administrator Sal White, in an advertisement in this paper, has announced the closing of the Golden Haven Nursing Home effective Wednesday, January 15, 1986.

There are approximately 26 residents in the home which is licensed for a maximum capacity of 34

patients.

The home is managed by National Convalescent Care Centers in Grand Prairie, Texas.

Management is looking at various alternatives with respect to the Golden Haven Nursing Home after January 15, 1986. Two possible uses of the home

would be either a retirement center or possibly a rehabilitation center, according to White.

National Convalescent Care Center also manages the Fisher County Nursing Home in Rotan. "Management has every intention of continuing nursing home services at Fisher County Nursing Home, in fact several of the patients of Golden Haven Home are going to be, or will be in the near future, transferred to Rotan," said White.

Sue Hitt, is the administrator of Fisher County Nursing Home. Sal White expects to be transferred to another nursing home in East Texas after January 15th.

Ramirez, Hayes Named To 6AA All District Squads

Two Rotan senior football players at Rotan were honored this week by being named to the first team All District 6-AA football team, according to Rotan Athletic Director Richard Gorman.

Sammy Ramirez was named to the first team offensive all district post as a receiver and Ward Hayes was named first team defensive lineman.

Hayes also was tapped for a post on the second team of offensive squad as a guard.

Four additional Rotan

Rev. S. Peace Accepts First Baptist Call

Rev. Steve Peace, current pastor of the First Baptist Church at Weinert, has accepted the call to become the pastor of the First Baptist Church of Rotan. He will be filling the pulpit for the first time on Sunday, January 5th and will be moving into the church parsonage shortly after Christmas.

players received honorable mentions: They included Donnie Gruben at receiver, cornerback; David Carreon at tackle; Jerry Carter at quarterback and George Reyes at linebacker.

Rotan First

Baptist Cuts

Goal

The members of the First Baptist Church of Rotan have already reached the mid-way point on their goal of collecting \$8,000 for the annual Lottie Moon Christmas Offering for foreign missions, according to Mildred McQueen, First Baptist Church secretary.

The church set a goal of \$8,000 for the 1985 season and has already collected approximately \$4,000. The Lottie Moon offering for foreign missions will continue to be emphasized by the church through the month of January.

Rotan Methodist Church Christmas Eve Services

The members of the First United Methodist Church of Rotan will be taking part in a special Sunday night musical service on December 22nd, according to Rev. Terry Lowe, Church Pastor.

The service begins at 6:00 p.m. Following the special service, members of the church will gather for Christmas caroling that will carry them to area nursing homes and homes of church members. Following the caroling, Rev. and Mrs. Terry Lowe, have invited congregation members to their home for fellowship and light refreshments.

On Tuesday night, December 24th beginning at 7:30 p.m., the members of

the First United Methodist Church of Rotan will be holding a special candlelight service, according to Rev. Terry Lowe, pastor.

A special candlelight service, communion service, Christmas caroling and a special message will be presented.

Cross Roads Program Set

The members of the Cross Roads Baptist Church will hold their annual Christmas program on Sunday night, December 22nd at 6:00 p.m. The program will be staged by the children's department of the church and will involve special music, a visit from Santa followed by refreshments.

Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that the applicant, LeClair Operating Co., Inc., 1266 Butternut Street, Abilene, Tx., 79602, has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of 16 Texas Administrative Code 3.37 (Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37). Applicant seeks exception to the lease line distance and well spacing requirement to drill Well No. 3, Belle Hunsaker Lease, 40 Acres, Section 282, Block 2, H & TC RR Co. Survey, Hunsaker (Noodle Creek) and Hunsaker (Strawn) Fields, Fisher County, being 5 miles in a north-east direction from Rotan, Texas.

The location of this well is as follows: 330' from east line and 330' from south line of lease and survey. Field rules for the Hunsaker (Noodle Creek) Field are 330/933, 20 acres. Field rules for the Hunsaker (Strawn) Field are 467/1200, 40 Acres.

This well is to be completed at an approximate depth of 5900 feet.

PURSUANT to the terms of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (h) (2) (A), this permit may be granted administratively if no protest to the application is received. An offset mineral interest owner and lessee is entitled at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest this application through cross-examination or presentation of a direct case subject to all applicable rules of evidence. If a hearing is called, the burden of proof of the need for an exception is placed on the applicant. A protestant should be prepared, however, to establish your standing to protest as an affected person, if challenged. If you have questions regarding why the applicant is seeking this exception, contact the Applicant's representative, Annette Campbell, Agent, at (915) 673-7853. If you have any questions regarding standing or other matters, please contact the Commission at (512) 463-6887.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, YOU MUST FILL OUT, SIGN AND MAIL OR DE-

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Hobbs School To Present Program

The Hobbs Elementary School will present a Christmas musical in the school auditorium on Friday, December 20th at 10:00 a.m.

The musical, "O MY STARS...IT'S CHRISTMAS!", by Betty Hagar and Fred Bock, is based on a children's story, "Andro, the Star of Bethlehem" by Anne Claire. Andro is a young star who is supposed to sing in a chorus of stars before the Lord. Unfortunately, Andro sings so badly he ruins the entire performance. As a result, he is forced to leave the choir, believing he has no gift worthy of serving the Lord. But soon there is a great bustling in the heavens, and Andro is sent towards earth. At last Andro learns he has been appointed to be the "Star of Bethlehem" enabling him to witness the birth of Jesus, God's Son, and help direct worshippers to Him. The story is full of joyful songs and Christmas love.

Dorothy Harris is director of the program, assisted by Annetta Gibson, Cecilia Greenlee and Vickie Etheridge.

Roby

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Taris Hawkins
Bryce Moore
Kendra Kiser
Coby Moore
Brian Dickson
Mario Barrera

4th Grade
Anita Floyd
Zachary Clark
Will Hook
Teddy Current
Jason Kiser

5th Grade
Randy Evans
Jeremy Hatfield
Alisa Royer

6th Grade
Jennifer Kincaid
Stephanee Frierson
Jennifer Elkins
Audra Lewis
Lorissa Edmondson
Kashaun Morris
Nick Dickson
Jessica Moore

7th Grade
Jeremy Terry
Suzanne Maxwell
Eddie Onofre

8th Grade
Gilbert Carreon
Tina McClure
Jay Rudd
Michael Carreon
Jennifer Pullig
Tracie Guthery

Time is fast approaching for the annual Fisher County Show and Sale to be held January 3-4 at the Fairgrounds in Roby.

Rabbits, broilers, sheep and hogs will arrive by 9:00 a.m. on January 3. Students are urged to stay

in school until 2:30 P.M. on January 3. Parents and leaders can take care of animals until that time. The show will begin at 3:00 p.m. with the market hog judging. Cattle will be judged at 9:00 a.m. on January 4. They should

Rev. Ira Burns Accepts Pastorate At Rotan

Rev. Ira Burns has accepted the pastorate of the Rotan Foursquare Church. He, his wife, Judith, and son, Jonathan, will reside at 711 N. Genevieve.

Rev. Burns has preached for 37 years as both an evangelist and pastor of churches of Oklahoma, Louisiana, and Texas. He

has done missionary work in South America and Mexico.

In addition to being pastor, evangelist and missionary, Bro. Burns has served as Christian Education Director, and on the Board of Directors of Seven Seals Broadcasting Company.



Rev. & Mrs. Ira Burns



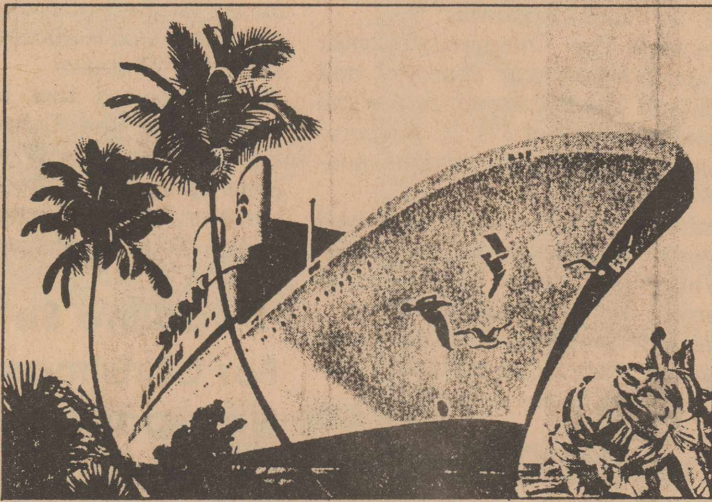
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**Drawing will be December 21, 1985
3:00 P. M.**

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Annual Fisher County Livestock Show To Be Held Jan. 3 & 4

arrive by 7:00 a.m. on January 4 or may be

Notice

Roby I.S.D. will hold a meeting of the Discipline Management Committee on Thursday Dec. 19th at 7:30 a.m. in room #1 of the High School.

Texas Dept. Of Health Immunizations

The Texas Department of Health will be providing immunizations on Wednesday, January 8, 1986 at the Roby Annex from 9:00 till 12:00 and 1:00 to 3:30 p.m.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us at 235-8368.

brought in after completion of sheep judging on Friday afternoon. The Premium Sale will begin at 1:30 p.m. A buyers lunch will be held at noon on January 4 at the Pink Building.

The show will be larger than in past years with hog and sheep numbers being up.

The Fisher County Junior Livestock Show Associa-

tion invites everyone to come out and support the 1986 Show and Sale.

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Correction

Correction: It was incorrectly pointed out in an article concerning the failure rate at Rotan schools last week that "one in four students failed at least one subject for the current 6 week period." It should be read one in five students failed.

Read Philippians 2:1-11

Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus. —Philippians 2:5 (KJV)

LAST summer I visited a camp for teenagers. One of the speakers said, "Don't think we're here to criticize or tear you down—we're here to help."

This was evident throughout the week in the concern of the staff for each person. No one seemed too insignificant to be heard.

Such an attitude reflects the spirit of Christ. Christ could have demanded the worship of others while He was on earth. He had the right to do so—but rather He came to be a servant to those who needed help. He came to meet people's needs, not to receive their adulation, even though He knew removing sin from our lives would require a painful death.

Jesus said if He was willing to be a servant, we should also be willing to show our love for God by serving others. That is the only way most people will take seriously what we profess.

PRAYER: Lord God, we realize we should have the mind of Christ. Forgive us when we seek our own prestige instead of meeting others' needs. Direct us back into the way of Jesus who came not to be served but to serve and to give His life as a ransom for many. We ask these things in His name. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Others should be able to recognize Christ in me through my actions.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 735-3471 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:55 Sunday Evening Church Training 6:00 Worship 7:00 Wed. Night 7:30		FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH-ROBY 776-2308 Warren K. Schoenecker-Pastor Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:50 Sunday Evening 5:00 UMYF Worship 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Choir Practice	
CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH 735-2178 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening Training Union 6:00 Worship 7:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. Howard Jones-Int. Pastor		FIRST UNITED METHODIST-McCAULEY 695-1350 Abilene Barbara Gammeter-Pastor Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Wed. (second Wed. in each month family nite 7:00)	
LITTLE ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 9:45 Worship 11:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. James Carrington-Pastor		FIRST UNITED METHODIST-SYLVESTER 695-1350 Abilene Barbara Gammeter-Pastor Sunday School 10:30 Worship 9:30 Every third Tues. Evening Community Dinner 6:30	
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 776-2159 Roby, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Worship 7:00 Wednesday Night 7:00 Rev. Jim Ritter-Pastor		CHURCH OF CHRIST-ROBY 735-2344 Donald Dawes-Minister Sunday School 9:45 Worship 10:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Morn. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 Wed. Evening 7:30 Bible Study	
CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH 735-3464 Rotan, Texas Sunday School 10:00 Worship Service 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00-Bible Study Worship 7:00 Wed. Night 7:00 Rev. Daniel W. Whitaker-Pastor		CHURCH OF CHRIST-ROBY 776-2496 Wardell Halliburton-Minister Sunday School 10:00 Worship 10:45 Sunday Evening 6:00 Wed. Night 7:00-Nov-April-8:00 May-Oct.	
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HOBBS BAPTIST CHURCH Hobbs Community Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00		ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH 735-3285 Father Austin Kittredge Sunday Morning 9:00 a.m. Mass Saturday Evening 7:30 p.m. Mass	
McCAULEY BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10:00 Worship 11:00 Sunday Evening 6:00 Rick McMin-Pastor		MARANATHA CHURCH Bill Dickson-Pastor Roby, Texas Sunday School 9:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. Worship 6:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Wednesday 7:00 a.m.	
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Hobbs School Dismissals

Hobbs Elementary School will turn out for Christmas on Friday, December 20th. School will take up again on January 2, 1986 at the regular time.

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COMPANY CARS

Employees who drive company cars were relieved when Congress rescinded the excessively detailed daily recordkeeping on company cars for 1985. The truth of the matter is that you cannot afford to relax very much. If you or your company were to be audited, your business use cars would have to be supported by documents. Internal Revenue Code section 274 (d) disallows any deduction or credit for expenses incurred unless they are substantiated by adequate records or sufficient corroborative evidence.

Whatever system that was used for keeping track of business use of company cars prior to January 1, 1985 should probably be used for this year, but all employees provided with company cars should be made aware of their obligation to show to what extent the cars are used for business. Failure to do this could result in having the IRS add more to their income than is truly justifiable.

An employee will be taxed on the personal use of a company car. It's a taxable fringe benefit. The bases of the tax are:

1. The annual lease value of the car. (This varies by the make and model of the car.)
2. The percentage of total vehicle use which was personal.

Example: The IRS table shows the annual lease value of a company car to be \$2,000 and the personal use as established by records of mileage was 25% of the total mileage, the employee will be taxed on a \$500 fringe benefit. This amount will be added to the compensation shown on his W-2.

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Van Hale Recently Named "Rookie Of The Year"

Van Hale of Snyder has been named "Rookie of the Year" in Professional Rodeo circuit and will be honored December 29, 1985 at an awards banquet to be held in Abilene, in conjunction with the Texas PRCA Rodeo-in which he will ride the saddle broncs and bulls.

Van, is a junior student at Sul Ross University in Alpine. Where he is

majoring in Agriculture, minoring in business administration. He has been to the Collegiate National Finals held in Bozeman, Montana for the past 3 years.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hale of Snyder, the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hale of Roby, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Teichelman of Hamlin.



Van Hale

News From Down South

By Bertha Warren

Mrs. Lorene Henderson's grandson, Steve Henderson of Dallas spent Sunday night with her.

Gene and Buelene Shipp report John Kiker is doing better. Mr. Kiker is in the Hendrix Hospital at Abilene. Hope he will be feeling much better soon.

Charlie and Thelma Smith received word today of the death of Frank Stewart of Henrietta. Frank and his wife, Wanda Fay are formerly of the Claytonville Community. He died in a San Antonio hospital Sept. 26th. Wanda Fay is in Tenn. with a daughter. Our sympathy goes out to the Stewart family.

F.C. Nursing Home News

Our Christmas party was a huge success. We had a full house. We counted over 65 persons attending. We want to thank everyone who helped in any way, Dee Ann Mullins and the Hand Bell Choir, James Carter and Mildred McQueen, Don Dawes, all the ladies who helped serve and of course, Santa, for being here right on time.

We want to thank everyone who brought our residents gifts, Summers

Pharmacy, First Baptist Church, Cross Roads Baptist Church, the Methodist Church and Church of Christ and the V.F.W. Auxiliary.

I want to thank our employees who helped me get things organized. Those who got the residents up and ready and looking so nice. Some of the girls worked extra time without pay and without being asked, they just did it. We want them to know we really appreciate all of you.

Thanks to the families who brought cakes and pies. Everything was so good.

The staff wants to thank Mrs. Johnson for the candy and Mr. Arrington for the turkey, Ray Morrow's family for the cakes and LaNita's daughter for the fruit.

We also have a new resident, Mr. Perry Cummings. We hope he gets to feeling better soon.

We want to wish everybody a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Reyna Garcia

tending the banquet.

Burt and Lene Hale along with Bertie Hale, Joe and Vera Jennings and Grace Crowder, took Hazel Smith and Elizabeth Hale out to lunch on Monday. Mrs. Crowder is Burt and Vera's aunt from Augusta, Kansas. Bertie and her son, Tommy Ed and wife Betty, along with Joe and Vera and Grace spent Monday night with the Hales.

Owen and Viola Brazee ate lunch with Wayne and I on Monday. Steve visited with us a while on Saturday.

Two Snyder men were named "Outstanding Young Men of America of 1985". They were Steve Warren and Ralph Williamson. We are very proud of these young men and their achievement. Steve is the son of Wayne and Bertha Warren.

Less than a week until Christmas. Be watchful of shoppers and do drive carefully if you are just around town or out on the road.

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

Bertha Warren

Local School Dismissals

Schools at Rotan and Roby will hold regular classroom schedules on Friday, December 20th, then dismiss for the Christmas holidays. School will begin after the holidays on Thursday, January 2nd.

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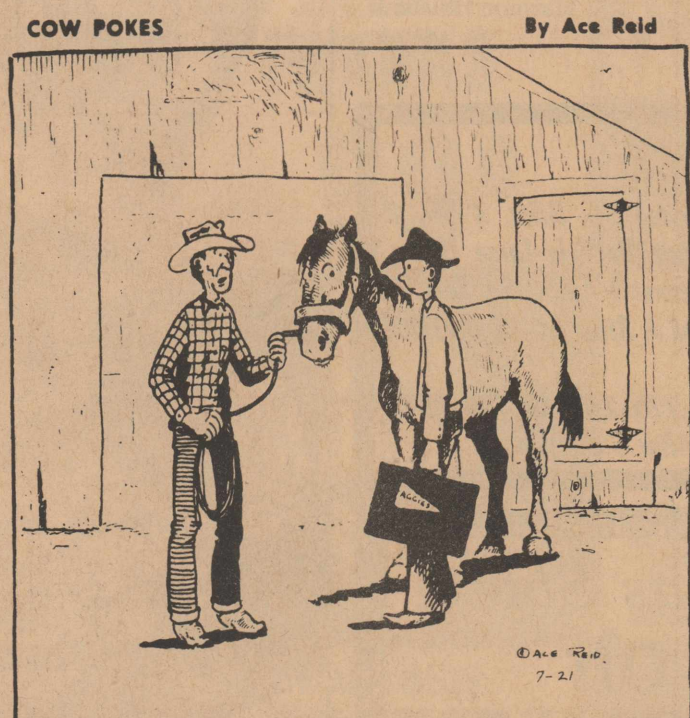
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Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well, has everyone been enjoying the very cold weather we have been having? Wednesday and Thursday were good days to stay in close to the fire, and most folks out this way did just that. The snow on Thursday was really beautiful but the sun was shining nearly all the time it was snowing, so that was pretty unusual.

Bro. and Mrs. T.O. Upshaw from Stamford were at church on Sunday morning and Thurman brought our message. We were pleased to have them both. That night we had our Christmas tree and program, followed by fellowship and all kinds of good things to eat. We really had a good crowd and everyone enjoyed the visiting and program.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hyer and family from Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Elam from Seminole came to the J.D. Kincaids on Saturday and they all spent the weekend with J.D. and Lucy. They won't be back for Christmas, so they had their Christmas dinner on Sunday.

Mrs. Lealon Wilburn, Shannon Wilburn and Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Etheredge all joined Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilburn and Courtney for the cutting horse futurity finals which were held in Ft. Worth on Sunday.

Jim Wilburn's horse, Sonita's Joette, won reserve champion in the 1985 NCHA World Championship Futurity. The horse was ridden by Joe Heim of Tackerville, Oklahoma. So congratulations to all of them on their win. Mr. and Mrs. Todd Etheredge, Chase and Jeremy from Dallas visited with them all while they were at the futurity.

Jim and I went to Ira on Tuesday night to watch the varsity boys and girls play there, and coming home the roads were just beginning to get a little icy. Thank goodness we got to come home early before they really got bad. Friday night we attended a lovely supper given by the Fisher County Hospital for their employees, doctors and pink ladies. It was sure nice and we had so much good food. Saturday we went to Abilene and with the warmer weather, everyone that had been at home, decided to go shopping. I love all the crowds, but not the driving, as you have to watch out for the other guy so much of the time.

Well, that's about it for this week; everyone is really looking forward to Christmas and all the company they are expecting, so hope the weather will cooperate. See you next week.

Rotan ISD To Hold Meeting December 19th

The Discipline Management Advisory Committee for the Rotan ISD will meet on Thursday, December 19 at 5:30 in the High School Library. The public is welcome. The Discipline

Management plan will be presented to the Board of Education for final approval at their regular meeting January 13th, according to Alton Field, Superintendent.

Legal Notice

By virtue of an order issued out of the District Court of Fisher County, Texas, dated September 10, 1985, in Cause No. 4558, Floyd Owens, et al. Vs. Betty Owens, et al., I, Harmon Holcomb, as Receiver, have been directed to sell the Surface Only of 49.882 acres of land off the South end of Block No. 15, Sidney P. Allen Subdivision of F.M. Long Ranch in Fisher County, Texas. Metes and bounds description of said 49.882 acres is available at my office located at 110 N.

Concho, Roby, Texas. You are further notified that on January 7, 1986, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said date, at the courthouse door of Fisher County, Texas, I will sell the Surface Only of said 49.882 acres at public auction, for cash.

Witness my hand this tenth day of December, 1985.

Harmon Holcomb
44:4tc

NOTICE:

FOR SALE: In Roby, S. Walton St., Brick, 3 BR, 2 Bath, 2 Car Carport, Kitchen Built In-Large Utility, Fireplace, Corner Lot, Approximately 1,800 Sq. Feet Of Living Area. 5 Years Old And A Steal At \$58,000.00.

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Legal Notice

Sealed proposals for constructing 64.732 miles of Seal Coats (West Contract) on various limits in Scurry, Nolan, Fisher, and Borden Counties, on US 84, SH 92, FM 1054, FM 1584 and FM 1210, covered by CSB 53-8-48, CSB 53-9-49, CSB 53-12-45, CSB 318-2-18, CSB 933-5-13, CSB 1503-1-7 and CD 1714-2-4 will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 9:00 a.m., January 16, 1986, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law and available for inspection at the office of Billy E. Vernon Resident Engineer, Snyder, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas, 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas at the expense of the bidder. Usual rights reserved.

We want a very special thank you to the anonymous person or persons for their gift to our residents. It means so much. God Bless You.

Nancy Clark is in the hospital. We hope she is

better soon.

Santa Claus made his visit right on time. We all enjoyed seeing him. After Santa passed out gifts and visited for a while, the residents and their families enjoyed a program brought by Bro. Jim and

Golden Haven Nursing Home News

Janie Ritter. Everyone enjoyed many different varieties of cakes brought by the families. We thank them all for helping make our Christmas Party a success. We appreciate Blackie and Roberta Ford, Ruth Brown, Mary Ella Brown, Leslie, Megan and Wendy Harwell of Sylvester for helping serve cake and punch. Thank you.

We want to thank Ann Holcomb for the socks she made. We want to thank the Roby FFA for the fruit they brought. We thank Santa for taking time from his busy schedule to come for a visit. Bro. Jim and Janie for the beautiful program. Ilene Hale for the door decorations. The Roby 4-H for helping make the Santa's to go in their

rooms and doors. The residents enjoyed Mary Donham Sunday School Class singing Christmas carols. Thank you for taking time for us.

Visiting Mary Burrows-Minnie Burrows of Sweetwater, Claudine Stephenson of Rotan. Visiting Artie Johnson-Nelda Dickson of Sweetwater. Visiting Myrtle Kelton-Earl and Norma Dry of Cisco. Visiting Elizabeth Kingsfield-H.T. and Lanelle Fillingim of Ngai, New Mexico; Don and Neva Phillips, Tiffan Burtis of Grand Falls. Visiting Elizabeth Hale-Joe and Vera Jennings of Throckmorton, Grace Crowder of Kansas. Visiting Letha Meek-Norma Meek of Sylvester; Visiting Jewell Crowder-

Alex Crowder of Sweetwater; Visiting Octavaneous Harrell-Mr. and Mrs. John Harrell of Roscoe. Visiting Addie Kinsey-Craig and Rosemary Knight of Dallas, Leonard and Anna Kinsey of Onalaska, Tam and Lerena Dunn of Sedona, Arizona, Matelda Schlueter of Sweetwater, Dora D. Mithcell and Audie Burk of McCaulley, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Sims of Sweetwater. Visiting Ezell Whitten-Ivy Mae Early of Abilene, May Hurst of Sylvester. Visiting Nash and Bessie Miers-Walter Miers of Rotan.

The residents and staff of Golden Haven Home wishes everyone a Merry Christmas!

Tempie West

Yates Reunion Held

Registering for the Yates reunion that was held in Roby Friday, Nov. 29 and Sat. Nov. 30, 1985 were: Mr. and Mrs. Truett Eaton, DeAndra and Dale; Jimmy, Joyce and Kiley Kendrick; Jimmy, Barbara and Dana Jones; Teresa and Michael McMillon; Brent and Rhonda O'Bannon; Zula and Stanley Eaton; Gladys, Rex and Penny Adams; Mitchell Ballard; Morrace, Diane Eaton and 2 daughters; Carol and Stanley Lee and 2 children; Pam and Richard Hodges and 2 children; Ralph and Jewel Hardin; Peggy and Jennifer Wommack; Elsie and Curtis Hatcher; Douglas, Willye, Roy, Ella Fae Eaton; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bayer; Mrs. Charlie Hcks;

Paul and Inez Foreman; Corkey and Jane Foreman; Mary Foreman; Lee, Terri, Paul Michael Foreman; Megg and Julie Foreman; James, Lillian and Chris Yates.

Votes were cast to have the reunion at the same place, the Pink Building, in Roby at the same time next year, Fri. and Sat. following Thanksgiving.

Hospital Report

Patients admitted to the Fisher County Hospital from Dec. 10 thru Dec. 127 were: John Seaton; Teresa Tankersley; Lota Kennedy; Roy C. Adams; Nor-

ma Cummings; all of Rotan; Nancy Clark; Floy Hughes; Ricky Lynn Austin and Nell Carriker, all of Roby; Amy White, Spur; Lola Wood, Snyder.

First United Methodist Church

Sunday School...9:15
Morning Worship...10:30

Terry Lowe

Minister

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LEGAL NOTICES

The State of Texas County of Texas by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 2nd day of December, 1985 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Rotan Independent School District vs. Espiridion L. Sepeda Cause # 4074 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the 7th day of January, 1986, 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: All those certain Lots 1 and 2 in Block 214 of the inside addition to the City of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by Deed of Record in Volume 510, Page 7, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of December, 1985, as the property of Espiridion L. Sepeda, 412 E. Beauregard, Rotan, Texas, 79546 Sanjuana R. Sepeda, 412 E. Beauregard, Rotan, Texas, 79546 to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$822.34 with interest from the 11th day of January, 1985 at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of

suit in favor of Rotan Independent School District, ET AL.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of December, 1985

Mickey A. Counts
Sheriff Fisher
County, Texas
45:3tc

The State of Texas County of Fisher by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 2nd day of December, 1985, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of City of Rotan vs. Santos Yanez, Cause # 3793 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 7th day of January, 1986 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:

All that certain Lot 3 in Block 129 of the original town of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by deed of record in Volume 276, Page 93, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of December, 1985 as the property of Santos Yanez,

if living; Mary Jimenez Yanez, if living; to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1,904.98 with interest from the 11th day of October, 1985 at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of City of Rotan, ET AL. Given under my hand this 2nd day of December, 1985.

Mickey A. Counts
Sheriff Fisher
County, Texas
45:3tc

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 2nd day of December, 1985, by the Clerk thereof,

in the case of City of Rotan vs. Janice Vasquez, Cause # 3813 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the 7th day of January, 1986, 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: All those certain Lots 7 and 8 in Block 122 of the original town of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by deed of record in Volume 123, Page 181, deed records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of December, 1985 as the property of Janice Vasquez A/K/A Janice Vas-

quez; if living; Jesus Basquez, if living; to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$799.56 with interest from the 11th day of October, 1985, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of City of Rotan, ET AL. Given Under My Hand This 2nd day of December, 1985.

Mickey Counts
Sheriff Fisher
County, Texas
45:3tc

The State of Texas County of Fisher by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 2nd day of December, 1985 by the Clerk thereof, in the case

of Rotan Independent School District vs. John E. Pearson, Cause #3925 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 7th day of January, 1986, 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 that certain M/3 of the W/2 of Block 6 to the original

townsite of the City of Rotan, Texas, and being more particularly described in that deed of record to John Earl Pearson recorded in Volume 211, Page 147, of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of December, 1985 as the property of John E. Pearson, 708 N. Harrison, Rotan, Texas, 79546 to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$1,810.89 with interest from the 11th

day of October, 1985, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of Rotan Independent School District, ET AL.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of December, 1985.

Mickey A. Counts
Sheriff Fisher
County, Texas
45:3tc

NOTICE
Effective January 15, 1986
Golden Haven In Roby
Will Be Closing

FURS WANTED
Will Be At Allsup's
Each Monday
Beginning Dec. 2nd
From 4:45
To 5:15 p.m.
CASH ONLY BASIS

Rotan Nursing Center News

We had our Christmas party Sunday with a lot of the resident's family and friends attending. The Billingsley family sang several songs for us, then Santa came. After Santa left, we had cookies, cake and punch. We would like to thank the families that furnished the cookies, also the Billingsley's for their songs, Santa for coming, the Church of Christ, the First Baptist Church, Cross Roads Church and Luther Summers for their gifts. We would also like to thank the 4-H group for the fruit they brought to

the residents. Rotan Flower Shop for the lovely Poinsettia plant. We had a lot of family and friends to come by and some of them didn't sign our guest book so we are not going to list any of them because someone would be left out. The Staff would like to thank Luther Summers for the candy he sent to them.

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FOR SALE: 2 bedroom house, N. 2nd St. Roby, good water well. 776-2367 after 5 p.m.

NOTICE: T.V. and VCR in home calls in this area. Call Frank's T.V. in Hamlin, 576-2122.

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FOR SALE: Feed wheat \$2.50 per bushel/sack. Rotan Delinting Co., 735-3341.

NOTICE: New satellite antennas and repair on all major brands at Frank's TV in Hamlin, call 576-2122.

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FOR SALE: 2 bedroom home, 8 1/2 acres, rural water line plus water well, 6 miles South of Roby. \$32,000. Contact Harmon Holcomb, United Farm Real Estate Representative, 776-2131.

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FOR RENT: 1 to 3 bedroom apartments starting at \$170. Call 776-2579.

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Landes Furniture. 34:tf

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DEBBY'S DISCOUNT FABRIC SHOP: Roby, open Mon.-Fri., 8:00-5:00, Sat., 9:00-1:00. Good selection of clothes to fit Cabbage Patch Dolls. \$4.50 to \$8.00. Perfect Christmas gifts. Come in and look around. Fabric-little girls dresses, gifts and doll clothes.

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FOR SALE: 2 female Rat Terrier puppies. Call 776-2608 nights.

FOR SALE: Apple 2E computer with the whole works plus a lot of software. Call David Markham, 677-2280. Would be a nice Christmas present.

ATTENTION TV CABLE VIEWERS IN ROTAN... Are you now receiving all of the cable channels available to you without extra cost? Nashville, USA, C Span, SIN, MTV, and others. If not, call us today to see how to get them for only \$39.95 total price. Frank's TV, Hamlin, 576-2122.

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FOR SALE: Nice sofa and chair, \$300. Call Carolyn Foster, 735-3274.

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BABY SITTER WANTED In My Home-4 Days A Week Starting In January. Hours: 8:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. For 3 Year Old & 1 Year Old

To Apply Call Terri Morrow 735-2187

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FOR SALE: 2 female Rat Terrier puppies. Call 776-2608 nights.

44:1tc

FOR SALE: \$500.00 down assume payments of \$327.00 per month on two bedroom house and garage apartment. Call 735-3088.

45:2tp

Card of Thanks

A special thanks to all our relatives and friends for the food, flowers, cards, and other expressions of sympathy during our sorrow. We appreciate all the kindness bestowed on us.

The Family of
Thurmond E. Dennis

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40:tf

CHRISTMAS: Get in the holiday spirit with our line of Christmas party items-plates, table cloths, cups and glasses. We also have individual cards, stuffed toys, pins, cookie cutters, and stickers. The Newspaper Office, Rotan, Texas. 43:tf

The Rotan School Tax Office will be closed Dec. 23, 1985 thru Jan. 1, 1986 for Christmas Holidays. Anyone desiring to pay taxes in December and receive the 1% discount may do so by mailing them by Dec. 31, 1985.

Betty Wilfong
Tax Assessor-Collector
43:3tc

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house, 1 mile South of Roby on Highway. \$200 per month includes water. Deposit required. Contact Harmon Holcomb, 776-2131.

44:tf

FOR RENT: Garage apartment to single person or couple. Call 735-3088.

45:2tp

LOST: Tire and wheel, 11 R 22.5. Contact Rotan Gin Co. office.

45:1tc

NOTICE: Bill's Auto Salvage is now open in Snyder. Late model used parts, Chevy, Ford, Chrysler, Toyota, Datsun. East Highway 180 at the traffic circle. 573-9569 or nights 573-9010.

45:tf

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Fix Flats
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FOR SALE: AKC registered black and tan Dobermans, 3 males and 2 females, 4 months old. Shots and wormed. Call 735-2812. \$65.00 each.

45:3tc

FOR SALE: Unshelled pecans, \$1.00/lb. 308 East 4th, Rotan, 735-3290.

45:2tc

NOTICE: McCauley Independent School District Tax Office will be closed Dec. 23, 24, 25 and Jan. 1st.

45:2tc

HOUSE FOR SALE: Two story, 4 bedroom, central heat and cooling, cellar, water well, 4 1/2 acres land. Call 735-2546.

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Rotan 8th Grade Team Defeated By Hawley

The Rotan 8th grade basketball team fought a close battle against Hawley on Monday night but were unable to pull off a victory, losing by a single point. At halftime the score favored Hawley by 4 points but the Hammers came on strong after the break and ended the game with a

score of 26 to 27. Lane Landes and Lester Pittman both made nine points--four field goals and a free throw apiece to lead the team in scoring. Aaron Porter and Kevin Smith each made four points to give the Rotan team its total of 26 points.

Yellowhammer Fall To Ira In Close Battle

The Rotan varsity basketball team lost to Ira on December 10 in close battle that ended with a score of 58-59. The loss put the Yellowhammers at 3 wins and 2 losses so far this season. Jerry Carter found the net eight times to score 16 points in field goals and was 1 for two in free throws for a team high of 17 points. His four goals in the final quarter of play were not enough to keep the team from losing by a single point.

John Pease sunk seven baskets for 14 points, five of those coming in the first half of play. Also in double figures were Ed Martinez with 12 points and Leo Castillo with 11. Ward Hayes and Donnie Carl Gruben both contributed two points in the game. The Hammers were down by seven points at the first half buzzer. Outscored again in the third quarter of play they came on strong in final quarter play pacing the Ira team 18 points to 9.

Rotan Varsity Girls Take Victory Over Ira 45-29

It was a resounding victory for the Rotan girls varsity basketball team when they took on Ira December 10. Three girls were in double figures to give the Rotan team a 45-29 lead over their competitors. Leading scorer for the Yellowhammer was LaTonya Daniel with eleven points. LaTonya came on

strong in second quarter action by making nine of her eleven points. Evette Gruben and Shanna Bennett each made ten points. Also scoring in the big victory were Helen Reese, and Lori Garcia with four points each; Jan Posey and Jeri Lynn Boone with 2 apiece; and one point each from Millie Gaspar and Mary Williams.

Rotan 7th Grade Team Wins Victory Over Hawley

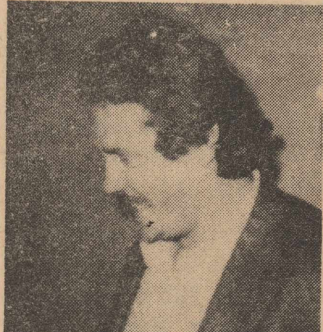
The seventh grade basketball team from Rotan beat Hawley Monday evening by a spread of 22 to 10. Jessie Kamer, Sammy Daniels and Danny Warren each earned 6 points to be the top scorers in the game. Two points each were earned by Gene Neepner and J.P. Martinez.

The Rotan basketballers lead throughout the game with the scoreboard showing a two-point edge at halftime, the score stood at 8 to 6. In second half play the Hammers showed Hawley how to hit the hoop, scoring 14 points to Hawley's 4. That put the game at 22 to 10.

Coach Speaker At Rotan Lions Club Meeting

Coach Billy Dunn, in his second year as Head Boys Basketball Coach of Rotan High School, was the guest speaker at the regular Rotan Lions Club meeting Tuesday, Dec. 10, 1985. He presented information concerning his troops, his philosophy and the schedule. While the schedule will be tough he feels the players are committed to performing at their very best in every game. He described how discipline and hard work in athletics has tremendous carry over values in becoming independent productive adult citizens. While Coach Dunn was raised in Houston, Texas,

he has been very impressed at how friendly West Texas folks are and especially the citizens of Rotan. The Rotan Lions Club support all Yellowhammer basketball players and coaches in their quest for a successful 1985-86 basketball season.



Coach Billy Dunn

VFW Christmas Party



At Post 5072, Rotan
December 21, 1985

Food & Fun
All Members And Their
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Serving Christmas Dinner
From 6:30-8:00 p.m.
Live Music-8:30-12:30 p.m.

Ladies Please Bring Dessert



Rotan Yellowhammer Basketball



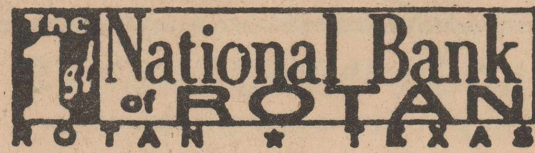
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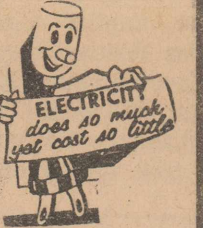
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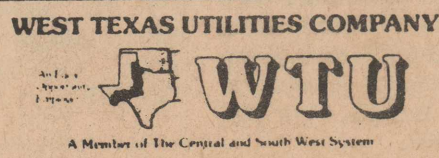


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GRANDPARENTS CORNER

This column will be featured in our paper each week that space allows. Please bring or send in your grandchildren pictures with the information you wish to put in the paper. We will mail them back to you or you can pick them up at The Newspaper Office.



Hello! My name is Andrea Deann Miranda, (top of picture), I'm 4½ years old. I would like to introduce my little brother (bottom right) Christopher Alan Miranda, age 2. Our parents are Frank and Lydia Miranda of Rotan. Also my little cousin (bottom left), his name is Joshua Ray Mendoza, age 15 months. His parents are Ray and Tench Mendoza from Snyder. Our Grandparents are Popo and Momo Mendoza from Rotan. Mr. and Mrs. Lazaro Miranda from Rotan; Mr. and Mrs. Rosalio Villareal from Snyder. Mrs. Tomasa Crouch from San Antonio and Mrs. Lousia Ybarra from Sweetwater.

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 2nd day of December, 1985, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of City of Rotan vs. Estate of Lovetta Green, cause # 3831 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 7th day of January, 1986, 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: All those certain lots 1 and 2 in Block 107 of the original town of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by deed of records in volume 141, Page 308, and Volume 213, Page 456, deed records of Fisher County, Texas.

Tract II: All those certain Lots 3 and 4 in Block 107 of the original town of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by deed of record in volume 125, Page 363, deed records of Fisher County, Texas.

Tract III: All that certain Lot 5 in Block 107 of the original town of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by deed of record in Volume 243, Page 503, deed records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of December, 1985, as the property of Estate of Lovetta Green, Deceased; Mrs. L.C. Chappell, if living; Johnny Martinez, if living; Julio Molina, if living; Mrs. Julio Molina, if living;

to satisfy a judgement

amounting to \$2,142.50 with interest from the 11 day of October, 1985, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of City of Rotan, ET AL.

Given Under My Hand This 2nd day of December, 1985.

Mickey A. Counts
Sheriff Fisher
County, Texas
45:3tc

The State of Texas County of Fisher by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 2nd day of December, 1985 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Rotan Independent School District vs. Ollie Livingston, Cause # 4054 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 7th day of January, 1986, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the North door of the Courthouse of said Fisher County, in the City of Roby, Texas, the following described property, to wit:

Being all those certain Lots 1 and 2 in Block 106 of

the original town of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that deed of record in Volume 337, Page 119 of the Deed Records of Ellis County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of December, 1985, as the property of Ollie Livingston, if living;

to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$403.71 with interest from the 11th day of October, 1985, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of Rotan Independent School District, ET AL.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of December, 1985.

Mickey A. Counts
Sheriff Fisher
County, Texas
45:3tc

The State of Texas County of Fisher by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 2nd day of December, 1985 by the Clerk thereof in the case of City of Rotan vs. Warren, Jas W. Jr., Cause #4008, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at

10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 7th day of January, 1986, 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: All that certain west two-thirds of the southwest quarter of block 49 of the original town of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by Deed of Records in Volume 395, Page 119, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of December, 1985, as the property of James W. Warren, Jr., 301 E. Burnside, Rotan, Texas, 79546, Linda Warren, 301 E. Burnside, Rotan, Texas, 79546, Barclay's American /Financial, Inc., (In Rem Only) C/O C.T. Corporation Systems, 1601 Elm Street, Dallas, Texas, 75230

to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1,444.11 with interest from the 11th day of October, 1985, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of City of Rotan, ET AL

Given under my hand this

2nd day of December, 1985.

Mickey A. Counts
Sheriff Fisher
County, Texas
45:3tc

Jack Holcomb
Home After
Neck Surgery

Due to an accident sustained while working for the Highway Dept., June 17, Jack Holcomb, has had neck surgery in Lubbock. He is now recuperating at his home in Roby.



Martin and Tina Blair wish to announce the birth of their daughter, Tara Sue. She was born December 9 in Midland. She weighed 7 lbs. 3½ ozs. and was 20 inches long. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billie McCombs and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Blair of Ackerly.

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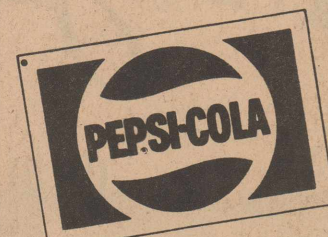
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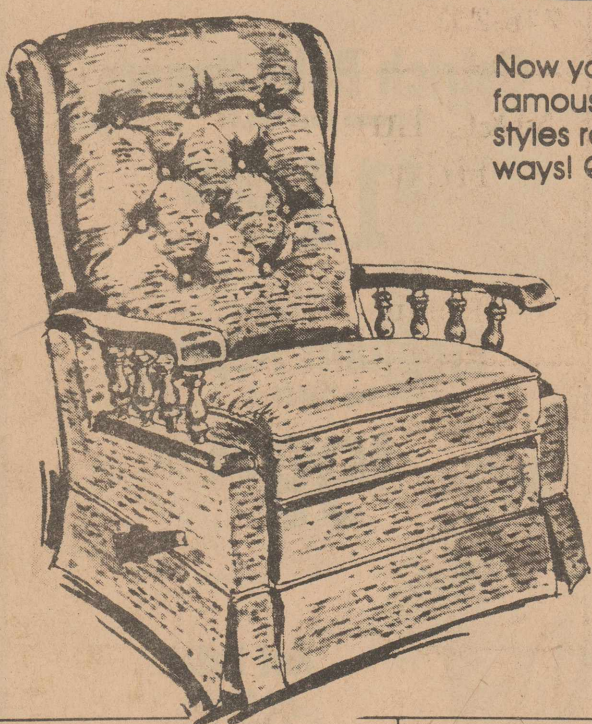
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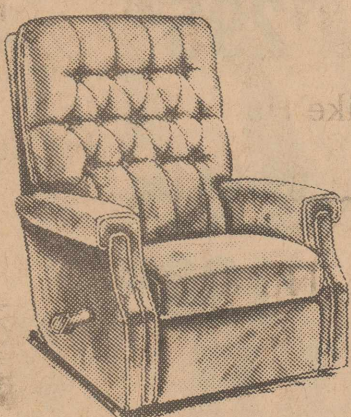


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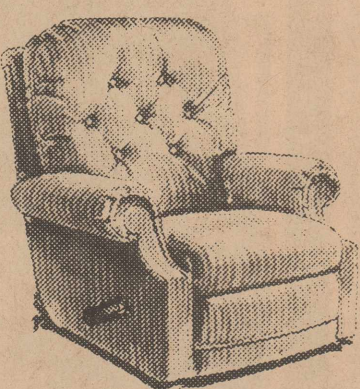
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The State Of Texas County of Fisher by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 2nd day of December, 1985, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Rotan Independent School District, ET AL vs. Mary Leona Acker Burnham Cause # 4052 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 7th day of January, 1986, 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 7, Block 205, Inside Addition to the City of Rotan, Texas, and being more fully described by that deed of record in Volume 201, Page 353, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Tract II: Being all that certain .000840 Royalty Interest, Lease #2730, out of the LeClair Operating Company, Rotan Townsite Unit #21, more fully described by Oil, Gas, and Mineral Lease records in Volume 315, Page 207, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of December, 1985, as the property of Mary Leona Acker Burnham, Route 3, Box 81-A, Stamford, Texas, 76553 to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$1,223.75 with interest from the 11th day of

October, 1985, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of Rotan Independent School District, ET AL.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of December, 1985.

Mickey A. Counts
Sheriff Fisher
County, Texas
45:3tc

The State of Texas County of Fisher by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 2nd day of December, 1985, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of Rotan Independent School District, ET AL vs. J.D. Windham, Cause # 4087 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 7th day of January, 1986, 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:

All that certain 50 by 100 feet tract out of Lot 6 in Block 175 of the J.A. Brown subdivision of said Block 175 of the inside addition to the city of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by deed of record in volume 307, Page 137, deed records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of December, 1985 as the property of J.D. Windham, Box 283, Post, Texas, 79345, Lucille Windham, Box 283, Post, Texas, 79354 to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$670.69 with interest from the 11th day of October, 1985, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of Rotan Independent School District, ET AL.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of December, 1985.

Mickey A. Counts
Sheriff Fisher
County, Texas
45:3tc

The State of Texas County of Texas by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 2nd day of December, 1985 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of City of Rotan vs. Antonio Yanez, Jr., Cause #3809 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the 7th day of January, 1986, 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: All that certain North 70 feet of the Northeast Quarter of Block 21 of the original Town of Rotan, Texas, more fully

described by Deed of Record in Volume 440, Page 132, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Tract II: All that certain Lot 5 in Block 123 of the original Town of Rotan, Texas, more fully described by Deed of Record in Volume 314, Page 441, Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of December, 1985, as the property of Antonio Yanez, Jr., 611 N. McKinley, Rotan, Texas, 79546; Sophia Yanez, 611 N. McKinley, Rotan, Texas, 79546; G.T. Pgge, if living; Leocadio Yanez, if living; to satisfy a judgement amounting to \$3,355.29 with interest from the 11th day of October, 1985, at 10 percent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of City of Rotan, ET AL.

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Mickey A. Counts
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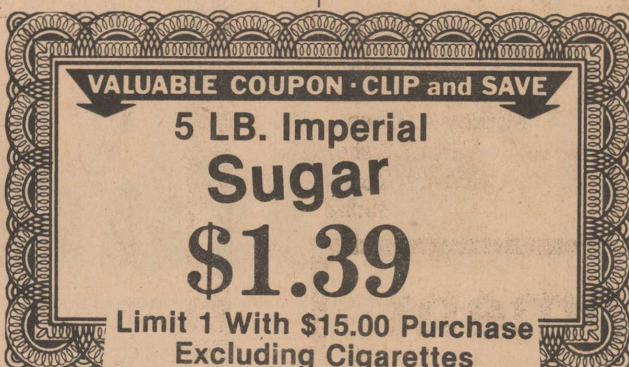
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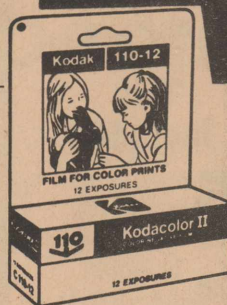
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Oranges **39c** LB.

Celery Stalks **39c**

Revlon Flex 15 Oz.
Shampoo **\$2.79**

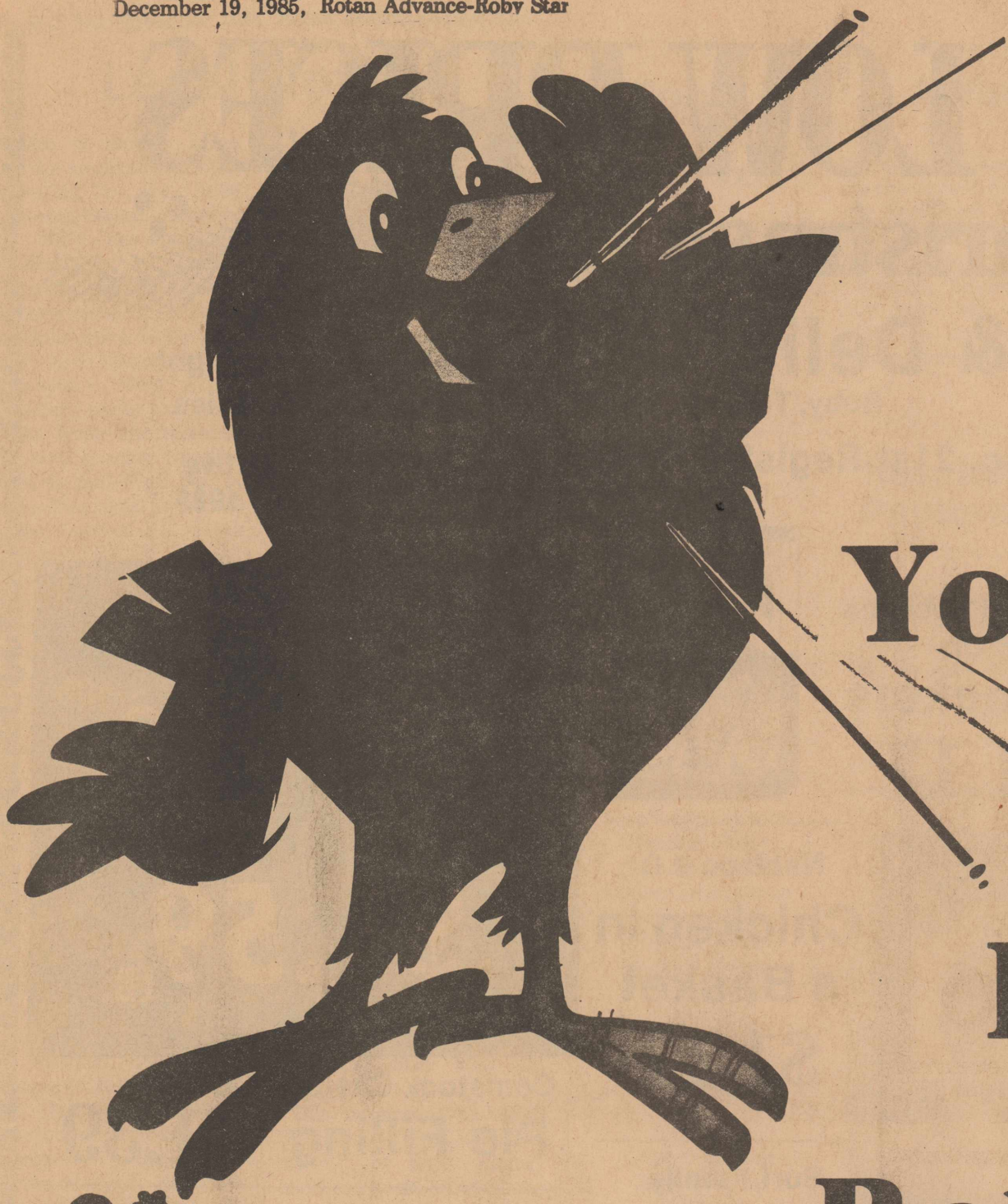


Rave
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