

Rotan School Board Members View Football Field House Architect Plans

The members of the Rotan School Board spent considerable time discussing the proposed architects drawing on the new football field house and discussing a \$115,170.00 technology plan (plan to systematically over the next 5 years update computers and programs) at their regular meeting last Monday night.

Field House Architect

Architect Don Legge of the Salado/Temple area, was present last Monday night to give board members the opportunity to view the architects sketches of the proposed field house. The board had numerous questions on the drawings. Board members also had questions concerning going with a general contractor or construction manager on the project. After a lot of talk it was

decided to accept bids on the construction of the project and encourage general contractors to bid. Some board members wanted wall positions changed and additional shower heads added to showers, but the objections that were registered by board members seemed minute in light of the scope of the project and could be worked out with change orders.

The board is accepting bids and will have those bids on the table at a special meeting on June 23rd, according to Dr. Nolan Kinsey, Superintendent.

Athletic Director Presentation

Athletic Director Steve Warren appeared before the board and reviewed the need for additional coaches on the staff with the board. Warren indicated that he never wanted to be a part of

anything that would "put our kids in a position where they couldn't be competitive." He indicated that he felt the girls athletic programs needed assigned coaches, responsible only to girls programs. He asked the board for a minimum of one additional girls coach and possible consideration for another unit.

Band Director Presentation

Band Director Kelly Rushfeldt made a presentation to the board. The presentation involved a review of band instruments needed, in his opinion, to upgrade the program to an acceptable level. A total of \$18,000 in equipment was requested. The board and Dr. Nolan Kinsey are to study the requests and make decisions at a later date.

Ray Peveler Presentation

Ray Peveler, Administrator for

County Education District #11, was present to give board members a first hand look at a study of property valuations in Fisher County and other school districts making up district 11. Peveler made his presentation. Peveler pointed out that some property was over-appraised and some was under-appraised and that the last appraisal was conducted 10 years ago. The board did not ask any questions following the presentation. Also present with Peveler was Teddy Kral and Tax Assessor Collector - Elect Betty Mize.

Technology Plan Discussed

Board members listened to a report by Superintendent Nolan Kinsey on a technology plan. The technology plan committee members were Lori Pittard, Mary Ann Marshall, Debby Burnes, Pat

Hamric, Sylvia Sapsky, Ben Martinez, Joe Dickson, Jim Cain, Mickey Early, David Hargrove and Nolan Kinsey.

Under the plan, spanning 5 years and beginning with the 1992-93 year, the committee outlined a \$115,170.00 cost of items to fulfill the plan. The board viewed the purchase of computers, VCR's, computer software, possible implementation of a 'Write To Read' and 'Write To Write' program. After discussion between Dr. Kinsey and the board members, the projected cost of the program was slashed approximately in half with the understanding that adjustments would be made at a later time when funds were fully known.

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TEXAS RANGERS: Hot Dogs, Apple Pie, Chevrolets and Baseball. I was proud for a long time that the Texas Rangers Baseball Club kept the cost of tickets and other items at a level that I felt was affordable to fans 'working for wages'. This year, I'm not so proud. After attending a game recently featuring the Rangers and Milwaukee, I got to adding up the cost of the game. Parking has jumped to \$5.00. A reserved seat ticket is \$14.00. A bag of peanuts and a coke - \$5.00. I just hope the Rangers don't ever get tickets and other items so high that a Dad and his son can't take in a game for a reasonable amount of money. I understand a Dallas Cowboy football ticket is \$25.00 and a Dallas Maverick basketball ticket is \$17.00. For the salaries baseball players are paid today, each one should stand at the gate before the game and greet the fans and sign autographs till their hands cramp. But, then I'm a little ticked that any player is paid \$2.7 million dollars for playing baseball. Period.

POSSIBLE JUMP: We understand that Jerry "Cotton" Clawson is contemplating running against Gene Pack, Democratic candidate for Fisher County Sheriff, as a write-in candidate. Last week we listed Pack as the Sheriff on January 1, 1993. That was an error. He is the Democratic nominee, but must be elected in November and must beat any write-in candidate.

FOUR SPORT GUYS: Mark Marshall and Matt Mercer were the only Rotan boys to participate in four sports during the 1991-92 school year. Each were involved in football, basketball, tennis and golf. Only one girl, Jenni Burnes, participated in more than two sports. Jenni took part in basketball, track and tennis.

CONGRATULATIONS: To Joel King and Jamie Wingham on the announcement of their marriage. Joel King is a 1983 Roby high school graduate. He served in the Army from 1986 to 1991 and is now working for Albertson's in Fort Worth. His bride to be is a native of Waxahachie and was recently accepted to attend the University of Texas at Arlington Graduate School in social work. They plan on tying the knot in August.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY: June 11 - Brock Terry, Pauline O'Brian, 12 - Jimma Lee Palmer, 13 - Donna Whitley, Antonio Rocha, 14 - Brian Greenway, Billy Green, Lois Sparks, 15 - Brad Horton, Darlene Cleveland, Rusty Goodwin, Harold Roberts, 16 - Chad Alls, Carole Green, Mike Hicks, Ozella Rivers, Justin Bond, 17 - Mae Clark, Lewana Graham.

TELEPHONE SCAM: The telephone permits criminals to enter your home by voice, capture your attention - and often times even access your bank account. This sound familiar? "Hi, Mrs. Rotan this is Mr. Roby in Pimlico Springs, Florida, I am with Sweepstakes Marketing Awards. I called to let you know that you have been chosen as a winner of an all-ex-

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Fisher County Commissioners Discuss Possibility Of Establishing Fisher County Child Welfare Board

The members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court met for approximately a half-hour with Leonard Glasgow of Child Protective Services concerning the establishment of a Fisher County Child Welfare Board.

County Child Welfare

According to Glasgow the board

would be set up to provide for the needs of abused or neglected children in Fisher County who are not being met by the county or the Department of Human Services.

Judge Marshal Bennett and the commissioners are to give the board thought and possibly have a slate of candidates

at the July meeting.

Austin Dump Meeting

Judge Marshal Bennett informed the court of a meeting he had scheduled in Austin later in the week concerning the closing of the Sylvester dump. Additional information is supposed to be presented to the court in July concerning the Sylvester dump situation.

Cafeteria Plan Outlined

The commissioners met with Kimberly Cyphers, a sales representative of Colonial Life, concerning a cafeteria plan policy for county employees.

The court received a letter from George Price, Roby School Superintendent, requesting that the commissioners mow around the McCaulley School.

Parkland Hospital

In final action the board reviewed a request from Parkland Hospital for funding of their poison control unit.

Judge Bennett was to further check into the request and report back to the board in July.

Lousinda Mae Ramirez Gets A&M Degree

Texas A&M University has named its honor students for the 1992 Spring semester, recognizing several hundred students for outstanding academic performance.

The Dean's Honor Roll recognizes students who have maintained at least a 3.75 grade point ratio (GPR) out of a possible 4.0 during the most recent grading period.

Among those recognized was: Lousinda Mae Ramirez- BS Degree, from Rotan, Texas. Lousinda is the daughter of Clara Ramirez, Rotan.

Rotan School Board Hires Two, Takes Four Resignations

The Rotan School Board approved the hiring of two coaches and accepted four resignations during their meeting last Monday night.

The board hired Todd Burleson of Comanche and Jimmy Randolph of Winters. Randolph will serve as the first assistant to Head Coach Steve Warren.

Board members accepted the resignations of David Simmons, Barry Sartain, Jeff McClure and Fran Burk.

Clawson Is Write-In For Sheriff

Jerry 'Cotton' Clawson, a 41 year old Rotan native, has successfully completed the required paperwork to have his votes counted in the November general election.

Clawson is running as a Democrat

Rain Gauge Report

For 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
TOTAL	11.00

Same Time '91 5.60
Same Time '90 13.05

All Rotan Little League Coaches Managers To Play

The annual Rotan Little League coaches game will be conducted on Friday night, June 12th at 6:30 p.m., according to Larry Markham, Rotan Little League President.

The game will be at the little league field and will involve the coaches and managers from the Rotan Little League playing the coaches and managers from the farm teams and t-ball teams.

A full concession stand will be open the night of the game.

Coach Warren Has Not Authorized Any Company To Sell Advertising

Rotan Head Coach and Athletic Director Steve Warren expressed concern this week that some Rotan businesses may be solicited for advertising on calendars that has not been authorized.

"I have not authorized anyone to solicit advertising for calendars or any other item," said Warren. "It appears that some over zealous salesmen are indicating that I have authorized them to sell ads on behalf of the athletic department or booster club, but this is incorrect," according to Warren.

"We want to be up front and honest with our local merchants. No company or organization has been authorized by me to do anything." If there is a question concerning an advertising plan, merchants are asked to contact Coach Steve Warren at 735-2538 for clarification.

Diggin' For Copper....



DIGGING: Several Rotan area children hit the dirt pile a few weekends ago to try their hand at 'digging for copper' during the activities at Rotan Days. The Rotan Chamber of Commerce provided kids with plenty of copper pennies, sifters, cups and incentive. Mothers had a lot of clothes to wash after the copper hunt. The Rotan Chamber of Commerce is planning a big July 4th celebration with lots of activities again planned for children.



State Capitol Highlights

By Lyndell Williams
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN - Former GOP gubernatorial candidate Tom Luce, now head of Ross Perot's petition campaign, was once again on television screens last week.

Luce, whom conventional wisdom portrayed as the most intelligent candidate with the least charisma in 1990, announced the campaign hirings of Democrat Hamilton Jordan and Republican Ed Rollins, former political strategists for Jimmy Carter and Ronald Reagan.

The two will serve as co-managers: Jordan will be in charge of the overall campaign strategy, while Rollins will handle the day-to-day operations.

Symbolically, the hirings attest that disgruntled members of both established parties can find a home with Perot, who seems to gain steam with each passing week.

Speaking of steam, the Texas lottery first-week sales climbed to \$90 million, breaking all national records.

Kim's Corner

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penses-paid trip to Hawaii".

All you had to do was purchase a round-trip ticket to Los Angeles. You gave them your checking account number and they took \$800 out of your account the next day. Two weeks went by and you heard nothing else from Sweepstakes Marketing Awards. You begin investigating and find that the company didn't exist. The trip to Hawaii was a scam and you are out \$800.

To Play It Safe - Never give your checking account number to anyone you do not know. And remember if something sounds too good to be true, it probably is. Ask to see claims made over the phone in writing. If you feel you have been bilked by a scam operation and you possibly are the victim of an automatic debit scam - contact your bank immediately. As soon as possible contact the State Attorney General, the Better Business Bureau and file a complaint with the Federal Trade Commission, Credit Practices Division, Washington, D.C. 20508. The Federal Trade Commission is not allowed to intervene in specific disputes, but your information can help with future prosecution. AT&T also offers a brochure entitled "Be Aware", outlining a number of telephone frauds aimed specifically at older people. To receive a free copy call 800-222-0300, extension 273. The lady who answers, asks your phone number, then tells you your address, city, state, etc. Nice service of AT&T.

FINALLY: Whistle Britches said he read in a book titled "2201 Fascinating Facts" by David Louis that - "An egg will float if placed in water to which sugar has been added."

INTERESTING: I am quite possibly in big trouble. According to a report in "The Harper's Index Book", only 50% of the women say they would marry the same man again. While 80% of men say they would marry the same gal.

CHURCH: The average church is hollering for workers not a wrecking crew.

ENCOURAGEMENT: A slap on the back often pushes out the chest.

INCOME: The trouble with fixed incomes is that they are not very well-fixed.

LAS VEGAS: Visitors to Las Vegas are divided into two groups - the *haves* and the *hads*.

FINALLY, FINALLY: Remember that thunder is good, thunder is impressive; but it is lightning that does the work. - In A Letter By Mark Twain, August 28, 1908.

Watch "Fact-finding" Trips

The Texas Ethics Commission last week refused to let state officials or lobbyists dilute the new state ethics law that allows "fact-finding" trips.

Lunch, a free round of golf and a quick tour of a local business does not constitute a "fact-finding" trip, the Ethics Commission ruled in a legal opinion.

Someone submitted the question confidentially, as allowed by the ethics law, to test the limits of the provisions barring lobbyists from taking state officials on pleasure trips.

"I don't think there is any doubt this is lobbying," said commission attorney Sarah Woelk about a hypothetical golf outing. If it isn't lobbying, nothing is."

The commission deferred a decision on a legal opinion about whether people could donate equipment to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. Louis Muldrow, a member of the ethics commission, worried that some gifts could be used for personal use.

Texas Students 'Lazy'

The average public school student is lazy and has poor study habits, State Board of Education member Ray Alexander said last week.

Alexander, of Houston, a retired high school math teacher, said laziness helped cause thousands of students to fail Texas' mandatory graduation exam this year.

In April, 8,138 seniors failed to make a passing score of 60 on at least one portion of the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills. That number represents 5 percent of the state's 158,000 seniors.

"The average student wants something for nothing," Alexander said.

The board is expected to vote this week to eliminate credit toward graduation for fundamental math and language courses.

Prison Lawsuit Back On

Attorney General Dan Morales advised state officials he will go back into the courtroom to force an end to federal supervision of the Texas prison system.

Morales accused lawyers for inmates of undermining settlement talks to create more legal fees; he later told a graduating class that if he goes back to trial he will "kick their \$6 million butts."

State prison board members still criticized Morales for not signing a settlement agreement, leading to a collapse of negotiations.

Third Cholera Case

A Houston woman has become the third person in Texas to be stricken with cholera related to the outbreak that is spreading northward out of South America,

health officials say.

Harris County Health Department epidemiologist Cindy Kilborn said the woman became ill May 23 after returning by airplane from a visit to El Salvador.

The woman was hospitalized

May 24 and is now out of intensive care and recovering, Kilborn said.

The other cases diagnosed in Texas so far this year also have been imported. Two Brownsville patients developed cholera after visiting Mexico over the Easter weekend.

Land Office Sale

The General Land Office is planning to sell 97 tracts of land, ranging from a 1.5-acre lot near downtown Dallas to an acreage in the open country of the Trans-Pecos.

Most of the tracts are isolated from other state lands and cannot be blocked into more marketable form, the land office said.

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro said the property sales will provide a minimum of \$2.7 million to the public school fund.

The sale will be held Aug. 4 at the School Land Board meeting.

Other Highlights

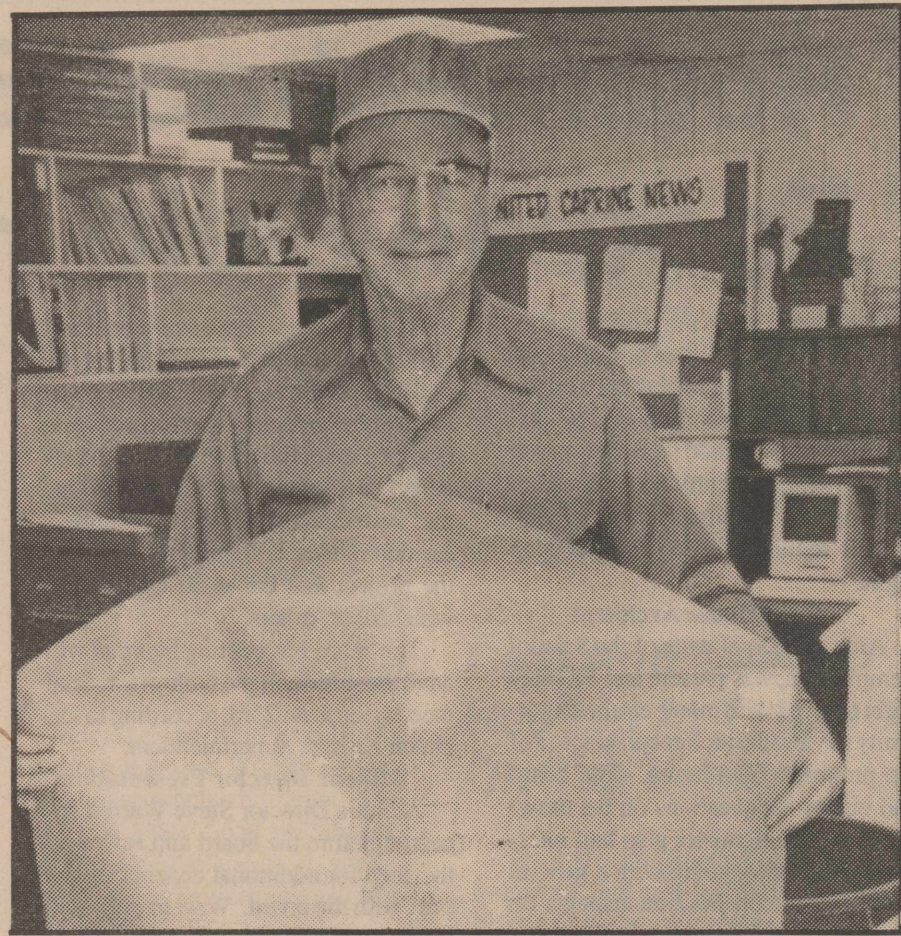
■ Morales settled for \$1.1 mil-

lion the state's lawsuit against a psychiatric hospital chain alleged to have siphoned money from the Crime Victim's Fund.

■ Texas Democrats, holding their state convention in Houston last weekend, heard their presidential nominee Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton and hammered out the rest of their platform.

■ Texas Civil Rights Project director Jim Harrington filed a lawsuit against the state, alleging that mentally ill prison inmates get no help after they are paroled. Harrington, who wants the state to provide mental health services for parolees, said lack of such help contributes to early violations of paroles.

■ The United Negro College Fund credited Texas with leading the way for a nationwide boom in enrollment in private black colleges. Almost 3,200 students from Texas were enrolled in such colleges; five colleges are in Texas.



A GREAT BIG THANK YOU: Tom Collins of Rotan displays a giant envelope which held a giant thank you card to him from students of the fourth grade at Rotan Elementary. This was a special thank you presented to Tom for the puzzles he made and gave to the students. Each student signed the card with a special note to say thanks.

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"WE NEED THE RAIN..."

It was a gray afternoon as five year old Lisa pressed her nose against the windowpane, gloomily watching as the rain continued to fall . . . and fall . . . and fall. Lisa sighed, "Dad, I wish the rain would just go away, so I can go outside and play." "But sweetheart," replied Lisa's father, "We need the rain so that the flowers and the trees can grow."

Perhaps we do need the "rain" . . . the gray times in our lives . . . for if we have trust in the Creator of all things, we realize that when the rain stops and the sun breaks through the clouds, we, too, shall have grown stronger as our soul blossoms with our faith in God.

Though our faith is strong, being human, we may, at times, need temporary respite from the storm. Seek shelter in the house of the Lord, as His house is "founded upon the rock". (Matt. 7:25) We need not fear the rain.

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Calvary Baptist Church Rotan, Texas Rev. Gene Prevo S.S. 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship 8:00 p.m. Wednesday 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 8:30 p.m. Worship 8:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Service 7:30 p.m.	First United Methodist McCaulley, Texas George Chambers, Minister Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. 2nd Wednesday Fellowship 8:30 p.m.	Sylvester Baptist Church Sylvester, Texas Rev. Jim Reid S.S. 10:00 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening 8:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

OBITUARIES

Hortencia Yanez

Hortencia Yanez, 61, of Rotan, died early Wednesday morning, June 3, 1992, at Fisher County Hospital. Rosary was at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 4 at Weathersbee Funeral Chapel and funeral mass was at 2 p.m., Friday, June 5 at St. Joseph Catholic Church with Rev. Austin Kittredge officiating. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery.

Mrs. Yanez was born May 24, 1931 at Hochheim, Texas and has lived most of her life in Rotan. She was a homemaker and a member of the Catholic church. At St. Joseph Catholic Church she was a member of the Crusiasta, Alter Society and a sponsor for the youth group.

She is survived by: 6 daughters: Mary Helen Garza, Frances Alvarado, Janie Reyes, Maria Teresa Garza, Ester Martinez, and Dolores Basquez, all of Rotan. 5 sons: Lino Yanez, Jr., Louis Yanez, and David Yanez, all of Rotan, Ysidro Yanez of Tyler and Armondo Yanez of Lubbock; 2 sisters: Natividad Maldonado of Arlington and Lupe Wilkenson of Dallas; 3 brothers: Luis Carrillo and Paul Carrillo, Sr., both of Rotan; Generosa Gomez, Jr. of San Diego, Texas; 26 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren.

Pall bearers were: Joe Maldonado, Epifanio Gaspar, Nick Saucedo, Jr., Jim Yanez, Tommy Yanez, Ernie Carrillo.

Minnie Nolen

Minnie Nolen, 79, of Rotan, died early Friday morning, June 5, 1992, at Fisher County Hospital. Funeral services were at 2 p.m., Monday, at First Baptist Church with Rev. L. D. Parks and Rev. Joe Vernon officiating. Burial was in the Belvieu Cemetery under the direction of Weathersbee Funeral Home.

Mrs. Nolen was born January 13, 1913 at Lawn, Texas, and moved to Rotan 50 years ago from Abilene. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church and was retired as a sales clerk for Darden's Department Store. She married E. M. Nolen, March 30, 1940 at Addington, Oklahoma. He died May 19, 1984. She is also preceded in death by a son, Alfred Turner in 1987 and a daughter, Billie Freeman in 1987, and two grandsons.

She is survived by a daughter: Dorothy Jean Scoggins of Rotan; a son: Douglas Nolen of Electra, 18 grandchildren, 29 great grandchildren; and 3 great great grandchildren.

Grandsons served as casket bearers.

Betty Marie Jennings

Betty Marie Jennings, 59, of Rotan, died early Sunday morning, June 7, 1992, at Fisher County Nursing Home following a brief illness. Funeral services were held at Weathersbee Chapel with Rev. Joe Vernon, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in the Roby Cemetery.

Mrs. Jennings was born in Roby and had lived there and in Rotan all of her life. She was a homemaker and a member of First Baptist Church. She was born July 26, 1932 and was the daughter of Brancen and Bettie Hariman.

She is survived by: a son: Jimmy Michael Jennings of Abilene; two daughters: Diana Marie Stewart of Rising Star and Donna Williams of Abilene; three sisters: Ellen Wicker of Brownwood, Sharon Allen of Sweetwater, and Jessie Sharp of Rotan; three brothers: Emmitt Hariman of Rotan, Danny Hariman of Sweetwater, and Johnny Hariman of Suisan City, California; 6 grandchildren.

Hospital News

Patients admitted and dismissed to the Fisher County Hospital were as follows:

ADMITTED:

James E. Counts- Rotan; Loyd Boren- Sylvester; Mary E. Williams- Roby; Floy Hughes- Roby; Mary Haney-

Jayton.

DISMISSED:

Walter Brooks- Jayton; Ike Maxwell- Roby; Thelma Pruitt- Roby; James E. Counts- Rotan; Loyd Boren- Sylvester.

Roby School Board Hires Girls Basketball Coach

The Roby School Board met in regular session on June 8. Board members present were Lance McWilliams, Marie Henry, David Boyd, Bryan Justiss and Britt Stuart. Jeff McClure and Mike V. Terry were absent from the meeting. Also present were George Price, Superintendent, David Mims, High School Principal, Jim Bob Haley, Elementary Principal, and Brad Thiessen, Athletic Director.

David Boyd, President called the meeting to order and asked to hear from individuals desiring to meet with the Board. Ray Peveler, Chairman of C.E.D., met with the board along with Teddy Kral, Fisher County Tax Assessor/Collector, and Betty Mize, Fisher County Tax Assessor/Collector Elect, to discuss Fisher County property appraisals. Peveler presented the Board with a report on the recent appraisals and the tax rate and amounts of taxes being paid. The Board posed questions to Peveler and a lengthy discussion followed with questions also posed to Teddy Kral. Kral stated a re-appraisal was done in 1989, but the Appraisal Review Board declared the appraisal

void and they were not passed by the Board. Peveler ended his presentation to the board by commenting that the Appraisal Districts need support when doing re-appraisals in order to make the effective tax rates work to benefit the counties they are in.

The Board then proceeded with regular business by approving the minutes from the meeting of May 11 and the monthly bills along with an Amendment #5 added to the monthly bills.

George Price then presented the Board with a new application for employment which had been revised from the one previously used for applicants.

Price stated this was a more generic form, since some of the questions had to be changed. The Board approved a policy whereby employment applications are kept active for only 180 days from the date of receipt of the applications, and if applications are over 180 days old, the applicant must re-apply.

Discussion was then directed to the hiring of a teacher/girls basketball coach. Bill Roark was hired by the Board after strong recommendations

from Brad Thiessen, David Mims and Jim Bob Haley, who had talked with Roark at length about the position. Roark has 11 years experience in the teaching and coaching field.

The Tri-County Special Education Cooperative contract for 1991-92 and 1992-93 was approved by the Board and the addition of superintendent's qualifications and duties to local policy was reviewed and approved.

The Board then approved a bid of \$205.00 submitted by Roy Rivas, Sr. for a 1972 Chevrolet pickup. The McCauley school property was discussed and Price indicated permission had to be granted by the T.E.A. before the board could take action on what to do with the property. Approval was given for request for transfers based on hardship and approval was also given to Randy and Sheila Murphree for annexation-detachment of property.

Boyd appointed a committee made up of Jeff McClure, Mike V. Terry, and Lance McWilliams to review salary schedule for para-professional, main-

tenance and lunchroom workers.

The Board then accepted the resignation of Mary Mobley, Kindergarten teacher.

Jim Bob Haley, Elementary Principal reported on the re-vamping of the computer lab and the community computer class starting on June 16th, taught by Michelle Terry, and stated the class would hold 14 and 7 had signed up.

David Mims, High School Principal reported the school had received a letter from T.E.A. on the eligibility of a certificate of Outstanding Effort Award from the T.E.A. concerning the TAAS tests and stated he would do the necessary paper work required for the selection of this award.

Superintendent Price then reported on Board member training dates of June 12 and 13 at Abilene. Each member attending will receive 10 hours credit and in final action Colleen Darrington re-nominated to the TASB Board of Trustees. The Board adjourned at 9:15p.m.



KEEPING AN EYE ON THE CHAMPION: World-record holder Bruce Crevier, right, helps 14-year-old Jeremy Stidham of Roby spin a basketball on his finger at Friday's, Weekend of Champions rally held at Worsham Auditorium. Weekend of Champion activities were held at the Price Daniel Unit, First Baptist Church and Colonial Hill Baptist Church in Snyder.

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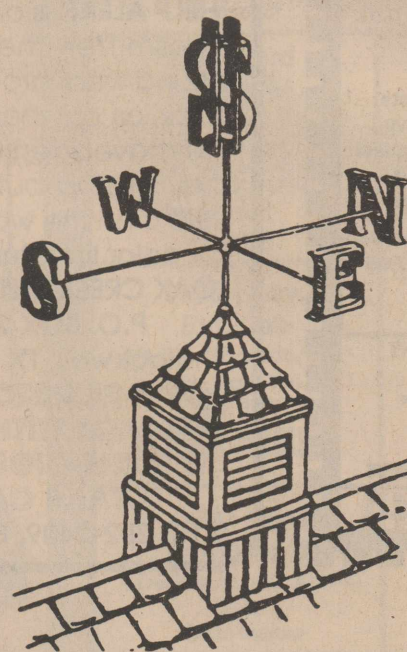
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Future Financial Funding

The board, according to Dr. Kinsey, is looking at approving or authorizing numerous plans and programs involving substantial amounts of money in the next several months. The addition of coaches, teachers, a new field house, addition of computers, funds needed for the implementation of a baseball program, and the Technology plan.

Executive Session

The board, at approximately 10:00 p.m. went into executive session to (1.) Discuss a complaint against the school concerning contest tryouts, (2.) Consider the employment of teacher/coaches, (3.) Accept resignations and (4.) Approve the career ladder assignments.

Hirings And Resignations

Following the closed session the board hired Todd Burleson of Comanche and Jimmy Randolph of Winters. The board accepted the resignation of David Simmons, Barry Sartain, Jeff McClure and Fran Burk.

Career Ladder Teachers

The board approved the funding of the following teachers on the career ladder. Level 3 - Ruth Witherspoon and Patsy Cox; Level 2 - Sue Branch, Fran Burk, Debby Burnes, Adriana Cox, Connie Early, Cindy Fryar, Cecilia Greenlee, Connie Hargrove, Dorothy Harris, Deanna Kinsey, Mary Ann

Daughter Born To Brad And Cheryl Horton

Brad and Cheryl Horton of San Antonio would like to announce the birth of their daughter, Krista Michelle Horton on May 29th. Krista weighed 8 lbs. 11ozs. and was 20" long.

Grandparents are Bill and Barbara Brzezinski and Charlie and Wanda Horton of Roby.

Rotan Primary Float Winner At Rotan Days

The Rotan Primary float was judged as best overall in the Rotan Days Parade. Other winners were as follows:

Best Theme- Rotan Firemen's Auxiliary; Best Youth- 1st- Chisolm Trail Indian Dancers; 2nd- Methodist Church Eagles; 3rd- Rotan Jr. High Cheerleaders; Best Adult- 1st- Fisher County Nursing Home; 2nd- D.L. Knight; 3rd- Joe E. Hull.

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TAX REPORT: Ray Peveler, Chairman of C.E.D., met with the Rotan and Roby School Boards to discuss Fisher County appraisals and tax reports. Pictured with Peveler are Rotan Board Members Clay Helms and Betty Strayhorn.



VETERAN'S PARK DONATION: Members of the Rotan 4th Grade presented the Veteran's Park at Rotan a donation of \$18.00. The money was presented to Joe Dickson, City Manager by Byron Kennedy. The money was left over from the field trip and the Fourth Grade donated it to help with the park.

Landes' Attend Workshop At Lubbock

Larry and Beverly Landes from Rotan, met in Lubbock, with other community leaders from 10 cities on May 29, for Keep Texas Beautiful's first Solid Waste Education and Training workshop. The half-day workshop, funded by a grant from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, is designed to educate and train Texas communities about solid waste disposal options and assist them in developing local solutions to waste and litter issues.

The workshop is part of the statewide Texas Communities Solid Waste Education and Training Program, funded primarily by a one year grant to Keep Texas Beautiful, Inc., (KTB) from the U.S. EPA, Region 6, in the amount of \$97,982 (94.8% of total program funding).

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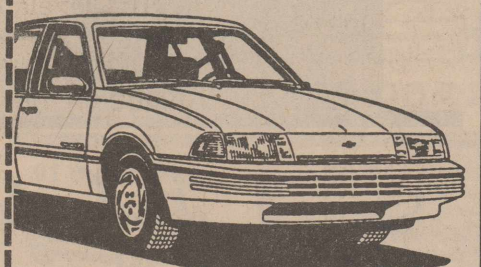
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Dr. Nolan Kinsey
Superintendent
19:2tc

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The Rotan Independent School District will receive proposals for labor and/or materials for a Fieldhouse on its campus in Rotan, Texas according to plans and specifications prepared by Don E. Legge, Architect, until 2:00 p.m., June 23, 1992 in the Superintendent's office, at which time bids will be opened.

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The Rotan Independent School District will accept sealed bids until 3:00 p.m., July 6, 1992 at the Superintendent's office, 102 North McKinley Avenue, Rotan, Texas 79546 on the following product categories:

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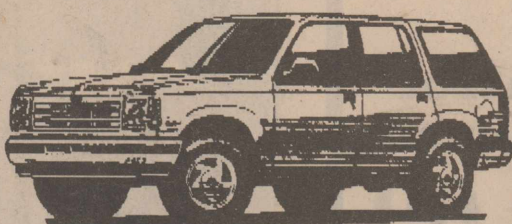
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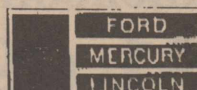


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Again we have had stormy nights with lots of wind and lightning, but not very much rain, thank goodness. I never thought we would be saying that we don't want any more moisture for a while, but the farmers need plenty of sunshine with drying conditions. Last night (Sunday) I did get a shower, which has wet the ground again; doesn't take much when it's already soaked, and now Monday they say we should expect more rain. The farmers have been planting, but have had to skip around, and the sunshine we had last week during the day was a very welcome sight.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Guinn and the Dan Bavousett family all attended the Camp Springs Homecoming which was held on Sunday at the Northeast Community Center.

Mrs. J.W. Etheredge attended the Bible School Commencement which was held Saturday morning at Cross Roads Baptist Church. Cody Etheredge, son of Randy and Vicky, attended the Bible School every day.

James Ratliff's sister, Georgie Storie from Kingston, Oklahoma, has been here visiting with the Ratliffs. She came Sunday and stayed until Monday. They all went to Snyder and visited with Kim and Tracy Knipe, Taren and Blain during the day Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson went to Lake Whitney and spent the night Friday. Then they went on to Mesquite Saturday and they attended the wedding of John Anderson and Karon which was held Saturday evening in an outdoor ceremony. John is the middle son of Mary and Leslie Anderson of Tenaha. Clarence and June said the wedding was beautiful and the weather was really nice. The Clarence Andersons stayed with Bessie Lou Hardeon in Dallas Saturday night and came on home Sunday. I visited with Carye Gruben from Lubbock on Sunday for a short while, also with Melissa Cox who is a friend of Carye's and was here visiting from Dallas.

I heard from Melody and since last Sunday, they had received 6 and 7 tenths of an inch of rain, so were sure wet and mildewed again. Every time we get a cloud, it seems like it goes down that way, and they have had more than enough. They too wish they could have some sunshine so that everything would begin to dry up. Melody has been attending computer workshops

every day since school has been out. Well not too much news this week. Everyone has been staying close to home on account of the weather, and now they are really going to have to get busy out this way if they get their cotton

in the ground before the due date which is around the middle of June. First we have got to have lots of sun though, so that they can get into the fields. See you next week.

Rotan Little League Winds Down Regular Season

The skies were the only thing calm on Friday night for the final regular season games of the Rotan Little League. With the league championship still undecided, the night was rocked by a display of hitting.

The Vets, in second place by one-half game, locked horns with the Yankees, who proved to have plenty of steam left for the season finale. Needing a victory for a chance at the title, the Vets determination was evident as they exploded, scoring five runs in their first at bat. There was a brief victory celebration on the Vest bench as the Yankees came right back posting 5 runs of their own to tie the game. Vets' bats heated up again in the third inning scoring four runs for insurance. The Vets policy was cancelled in the Yankee half of the inning as the Yankees mounted a ten run charge.

Recognizing a Yankee lead of 15 to 9 and only one remaining at bat, the Vets orchestrated a seven run inning to regain the lead 16 to 15. The hope of gaining a league title for the Vets slipped away in the bottom of the fourth as the Yankees scored two for a final score of 17 to 16.

The Pirates vs Yankees game would be played on Monday, June 8 due to only 8 players available to the Pirates on Friday. With pride at stake and an opportunity to compete, the Rebels offense broke loose to score 12 runs, while the stubborn Rebel defense held the league champion Pirates to only 4 runs. The Pirates having clinched the title due to a Vets loss took this opportunity to look at younger players at different positions in preparation for the County Tournament and a successful season in 1993.

Fisher Masonic Lodge Presents Scholarship

The members of Fisher Masonic Lodge No. 703, in Roby, presented their annual Scholarship Award last Monday. This year the Lodge elected to give the \$250.00 award to Dolores Zapata. The check was presented to her by William Slusher, who is Master of the Lodge.

Each year the Lodge awards the scholarship to one graduating senior from Roby High School. The main focus of this scholarship is not based primarily on the academic achievements of the recipient, as many are. While this is one of the qualifiers, the principal consideration is the primary goals of the student and the need for assistance.

Dolores is the daughter of Mrs. Maggie Zapata of Roby. She has already entered Vernon Regional Jr. Col-

lege, in Vernon. The application for this scholarship has a question asking the applicant to summarize their career ambitions. Her answer was short and to the point, "I plan to be a very successful C.P.A.," she wrote. She sure is not losing time in learning to be a C.P.A. From graduating high school one week to college the next indicates she means what she says.

Other lodge officers are: Angus 'Mac' Crowder, senior warden; Ben E. Neeper, Secretary; Lowell Thornburg, Tyler and Raymond Driver, senior deacon.

Thank You

We would like to take this opportunity to say 'Thank You' to everyone who sent flowers, food and cards and to those who gave kind words of sympathy during the loss of our dear Mother and Grandma.

Also, we thank Dr. Maurice Callan, the staff at the Fisher County Hospital and everyone at Weathersbees for everything they did.

*The Family Of
Hortencia Yanez*



RECEIVES AWARD: The Rotan Fourth Grade class received the Presidential Fitness Award recently. Each student was presented with a certificated for all their hard work and effort.

Big Country Basketball Camp Set For July 6-10th

The Big Country Basketball Camp conducted by HSU Basketball Coach Dennis Harp is scheduled for July 6th through the 10th on the campus of Hardin-Simmons University at MaBee Complex. The camp is opened to both boys and girls who are 6 years of age or older. The camp will run daily from 1:30 to 4:30. The cost is \$50. Final registration will start at 12:00 on Monday, July 6th and walk-ins are welcome. For additional information on the 1992 Big Country Basketball camp, contact HSU coach Dennis Harp at (915) 670-1476 or (915) 691-1416.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Garage & Bake Sale

The Rotan Foursquare Church will be having a garage sale and bake sale Saturday, June 13 from 9 a.m. til 2 p.m. The sales will be held at 612 E. Forrest.

Theatre on the Brazos

Theatre on the Brazos will resume its worknights on Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is urged to attend.

Game Night and Pot Luck Supper

The Fisher County Senior Citizens will sponsor a 'game' night on Thursday, June 11 with a pot-luck supper. All Senior Citizens and their guests are encouraged to come and join in the fun.

Class Reunion

Saturday, June 13, 1992 will be the date of the class reunion for the Roby High School class of 1960 and its former members. The reunion will be held in the Courthouse Annex on the North side of the square in Roby. Registration will begin at 9:00 a.m. and will continue for about an hour while coffee, juice and breakfast snacks will be served. The various activities will continue through the day and any friends from other classes or former teachers or anyone who would like to drop in and visit will be most welcome.

Snyder Bowhunters Association

The Snyder Bowhunters Association's first annual 3-D invitational bow shoot will take place on Saturday and Sunday, June 13, and 14th, 1992 at the Snyder Bowhunters Range.

Shooting will begin at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday and at 10:00 a.m. on Sunday. Arrowhead plaques will be awarded for the winners in each division. There will be drawings for lots of other prizes including a compound bow. For more information call 915-573-1717 day; or 573-0227 evenings.

Fisher County R.V. Club

The Fisher County RV Club will meet June 19-20-21 at Hords Creek-Lakeside Park. Pot luck Saturday night.

"Driving and the Elderly"

The Extension Homemakers are sponsoring a program especially for Senior Citizens on Wednesday, June 17 at 2:00 in the Senior Citizens Center. Wendall Rhem with the Dept. of Public Safety will present the program "Driving and the Elderly". The event is free and open to the public.

BBQ & Covered Dish

Fisher County Unit of the National Cancer Society BBQ, and covered dish dinner will be held at the Community Center at Rotan on Saturday, June 27th at 6:00 p.m. Live band will perform.

Vacation Bible School

Sylvester Baptist Church will have Vacation Bible School June 15 - 19, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

Annual Reunion

The annual reunion for County Line, Cottonwood Flat and Riverdale Communities will be Sunday, August 1 at the Rotan Community Center. Everyone is asked to bring a covered dish for the noon meal. Bread, drinks, plates and utensils will be furnished. Those interested are urged to attend and help make this reunion a success since they just meet every other year. If you know someone to send a card to, call 776-2603 or 735-2035.

Teresa McClure And Darry Thomson Are United

Teresa Jeanine McClure and Darry Lane Thomson were married May 23, 1992 at the home of Teresa's uncle and aunt, Mike and JoAnn Terry of Roby.

In a garden setting surrounded by flowers and a background of white lattice with blue and mauve silk flowers on grapevines, Teresa and Darry were united under an arch decorated with greenery and flowers, by Eric Cupp, minister of Eastern Hills Church of Christ in Athens, Texas.

Tina and Tanya McClure were their sister's maids of honor. Autumn Meek of Roby, and Michelle and Amy Beauchamp, cousins of the bride were bridesmaids.

Scott Thomson was his brother's best man. Jeff Jeffcoat of Memphis, Tenn., Rodney Green of Snyder and Jody Mauldin of San Angelo were groomsmen.

Lighting candles and seating guests were the bride's cousins, Chad Terry of Sweetwater and Jason and Jeremy Terry of Roby.

Flower girls were Erica and Whitney

Cupp of Athens. Christopher Thomson, the groom's nephew was ring bearer. Music was provided by Paige Terry, Glenna Stuart, Lora Field and Bob Spears singing Acapella.

Registering guests was Pat Thomson, sister-in-law of the groom.

A reception followed the wedding with Lisa Shoberg of New Mexico, the bride's cousin, and Jennifer Pullig of Roby serving at the bride table. At the groom's table were his cousins, Niki Snell of Abilene and Michelle Burk of Snyder.

Dudley and Linda McClure are Teresa's parents. Darry is the son of Melvin and Velma Thomson all of Roby.

Teresa and Darry both graduated from Roby High School and attended Western Texas College in Snyder, and Teresa has been attending Tarleton State University in Stephenville. Darry is employed by the Texas Department of Corrections in Childress where they live.



Mr. & Mrs. Darry Thomson



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL FUN: The First Baptist Church of Rotan held Bible School recently and had loads of kids and fun as the kids learned about Jesus and had fellowship and cookies and punch.



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Fisher County 4-H Fashion Revue June 15

The Fisher County 4-H Fashion Revue is scheduled for Monday, June 15 at the Rotan Community Center. Approximately 25 county youth will compete in the event, "Go For the Gold".

Participants will register from 9:00-9:30 followed by the judging. The public is encouraged to attend the style show and awards presentation at 11:30.

Contestants will be judged by out of county judges on their sewing and construction skills, as well as overall appearance, quality of workmanship, wardrobe planning, appropriations of care requirements, and use of comparison shopping techniques.

Winners will progress onto district competition, June 30.

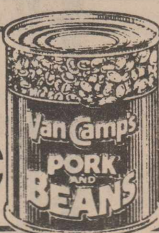
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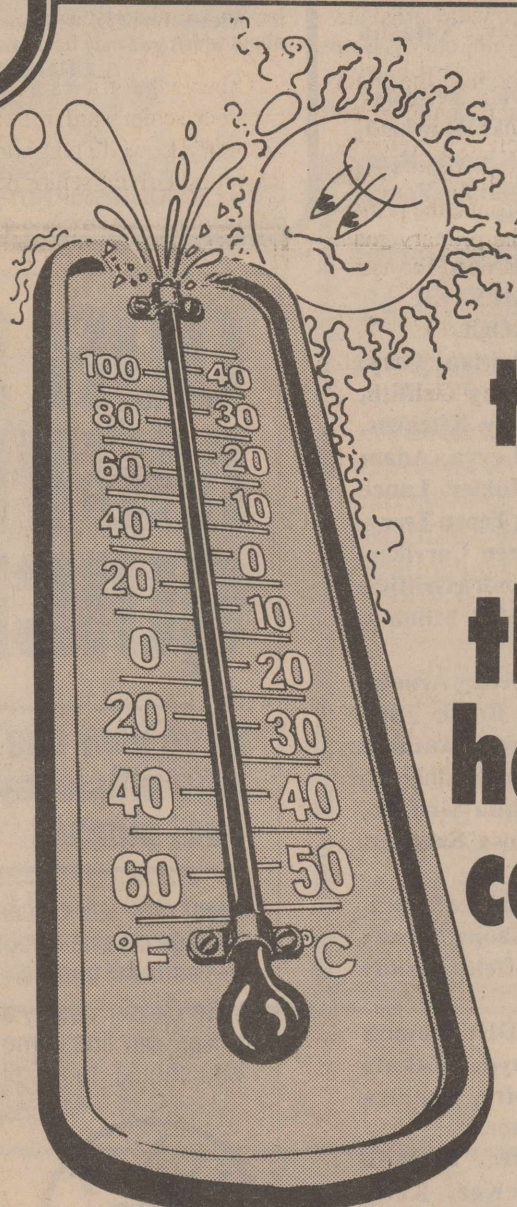


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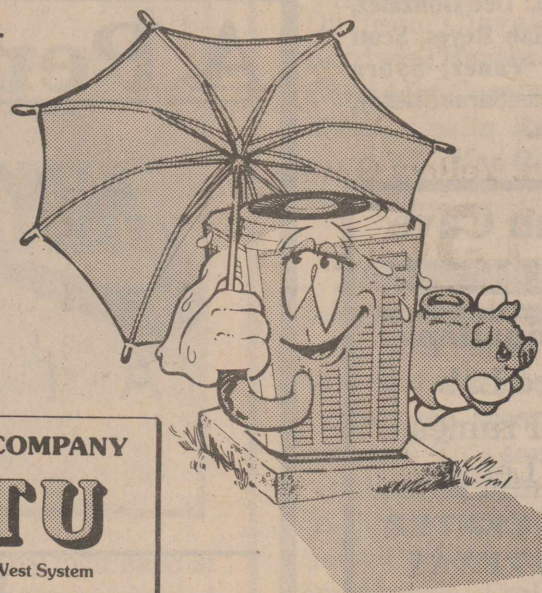


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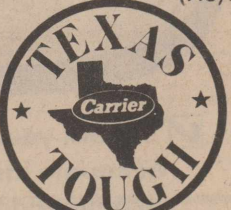
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Michelle Romero: NHS- \$100.00 (local); Joe and Nancy Caton Memorial Scholarship.

Kashaun Morris: St. Edwards University; Our Lady of the Lake; University of Texas, Permian Basin; NHS \$100 (local); Southwestern University Georgetown- \$10,396.00; Southern Methodist University \$15,190 (accepted).

Jessica Moore: NHS- \$100 (local); West Texas State Residence Hall \$200; United Methodist Women Scholarship- \$250.

Jennifer Kincaid: Midland College; President's Academic Excellence; UIL Scholar Award; Independent Colleges and Universities of Texas; State of Texas Honor Graduate Certificate; NHS (local)- \$100; Timmons Scholarship- \$410.80; Maggie W. Barry Texas Extension Homemakers 4-H Scholarship- \$1,000; National 4-H Council Consumer Education Scholarship \$1,000; Trinity University President's Scholarship \$2,500 per year (accepted); Best All-Around Girl; Valedictorian.

Lorissa Edmondson: UIL Scholar Award; Presidential Academic Excel-

lence; Independent Colleges and Universities; Rodeo Scholarships- Full-Frank Phillips Jr. Collge, Snyder Jr. College, Dodge City Community College, Howard College, Sam Houston University, Texas Tech Univ.- \$1,500; Basketball scholarships- Cisco Jr. College, Howard College, Texas Tech University (accepted); Presidential Scholarship- Tarleton State University; NHS- (local) \$100; American Jr. Rodeo Assoc.- \$1,000; Texas High School Rodeo Assoc.- \$1,500; U.S. Army Reserve Scholar/Athlete 1992; Salutatorian.

Audra Lewis: NHS (local) \$100; American Business Women's Assoc.- Outstanding scholarship grant- \$300; University grant- \$650 per semester; Presidential Scholarship- 4 years at \$1500 a year; Tuitional Equalization grant- \$1500.

Jennifer Elkins: Roby NHS (local) \$100; Roby Ex-student Association- \$250; Carr Academic Scholarship- \$1,000; Angelo State University (accepted); Most Likely to Succeed Girl.

Kevin Osuna: Midland College; Tandy Technology Scholarship; UIL Scholar Award; Hardin Simmons University- \$4,000 per year; Baylor Univ.- full tuition for 4 years; NHS \$100 (local); National Hispanic Scholarship- \$2,500; Univ. of Oklahoma Scholar's Package- \$36,000 (accepted); Best All Around Boy; Most Likely to Succeed Boy; High Ranking Boy.

Cast And Director Needed At Theatre On The Brazos

Theatre on the Brazos is looking for a director and cast for the upcoming play which is tentatively to be held in August. Anyone interested in directing or acting in the play contact David Smith, Evonne Teague, Jaye Neice Clements or leave a message at the theatre at 735-2341.

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