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EXCUSE ME: Each year Money magazine runs a listing of the best places to live in the U.S. First this year was Bremerton, Washington (179th last year) and last this year was Allentown-Bethlehem, Pennsylvania - 300th on the list. Just so you won't be too impressed by this kinky-dink list, Galveston and Houston were ranked ahead of 61st place Austin. Four of the top five 'best places to live' were on the West Coast. Following first place Bremerton, Washington was Seattle, Washington; 3rd - San Francisco, California; 4th - Tacoma, Washington; and 5th - Columbia, Missouri. No Fisher County town made the list. Dallas went from 17th last year to 117th this year. Rough Creek, Fisher County, Texas was probably 301st. Excuse me.

BOOT COMPANY MARRIAGE: By the time you read this, it will probably be old news - that's the way it is in the weekly newspaper business. Understand Tony Lama Boot Company, El Paso, Texas and the Justin Industries of Fort Worth, Texas are waltzing to the business alter to become one. In late August, Justin made a cash tender to pay \$9 per share of Tony Lama common stock. Justin's cost for the transaction, including assumption of Tony Lama's current debt, is about \$52 million. Great - now what will the new boot company be called Just-a-Lama or Ton-e Just. Life was not this complicated in the 1950's.

TRIVIA FACT: Keep this valuable information handy - Oreo cookies, found in the supermarket, according to the Guinness Book of World Records, were first introduced 80 years ago and since being introduced 100 billion have been sold. They are now marketed in 25 countries. It takes an hour and 35 minutes for an Oreo to make its way through the baking process. More than one million cookies are produced in an eight hour shift at five Nabisco bakeries.

MORE TESTING: The state-mandated Texas Assessment of Academic Skills - TAAS - test will be administered for the first time in October to students all over Texas in grades 3,5,7,9 and 11. Because the test will measure a higher-level of skills than did the TEAMS test, teachers will be under the gun to make sure students are exposed to the skills that the test is designed to measure. Our Fisher County teachers will be called upon to reinforce basic skills, teach new skills, maintain discipline, interact with parents and keep up with advances in their respective fields. They will be doing this knowing that in some cases they are not the best paid, best supported or even the best appreciated by superiors, peers, boards or administrations. Our two consolidated independent school district boards and administrators in Fisher County should help and encourage teachers in what must be a most difficult time for 'front line' educators. Our TAAS test results, based on projections, will not be good - but unlike the TEAMS test, maybe TAAS scores will improve at a faster pace.

FINALLY: Ol' Whistle Britches, met Doug Dallas for the first time last week and liked what he saw.

Britches understood that Dallas told teachers that he didn't want any special treatment for his athletes. That he wanted to be kept informed if one of his players was in trouble academically and that he and his wife had had plenty of tutoring sessions at the kitchen table in his house. Britches is ready to nominate the guy for "Coach Of The Year" and he hasn't even won a game.

***MISTAKES:** The main difference between a wise man and a fool is that a fool's mistakes never teach him anything.

***PARENTS:** In order to train children at home, it's necessary for both the children and the parents to spend some time there.

***QUARRELS:** Two things would prevent many quarrels: First, to make sure we are not disputing about terms rather than facts. Second, to examine if the difference of opinion is worth contending about.

***DIETS:** For those who love baseball. 'Dieting successfully requires that you do the opposite of baseball players - stay away from the plate'.

***EDUCATION:** Short change your education now and you may be short of change for the rest of your life.

***FINALLY, FINALLY:** The trouble with Fisher County today is that all the stupid people are down-right sure of everything and all the intelligent people are full of doubt.

Preliminary 1990 Census Figures Down For County

Fisher County did not fare the 1990 census count as well as everyone had hoped. In fact, preliminary figures, as released in the Abilene Reporter News last week, indicated that Fisher County suffered a 17.37-percent loss in population from 1989 to preliminary 1990 figures.

In 1980 when the head count was taken, Fisher County showed a population of 5,891. Preliminary figures released last week show that the figure slid to 4,868 or fell over 17%.

Brisket Dinner And Auction To Help In Toxic Waste Fight

A host of Fisher County people are making a down-home country stab at raising money for the fund to help fight the establishment of a hazardous waste injection well in south Fisher County.

The group has spearheaded a bar-b-que brisket dinner for Saturday night, September 15th at 6:00 p.m., at the Roby School lunchroom. Tickets for the brisket dinner are two for \$25.00 or \$15.00 for single tickets.

Following the dinner, there will be live entertainment by a country-western band at the Roby football field. In addition to the band, the group has organized an auction to help raise funds for the hazardous waste fight.

Anything of value will be accepted for the auction. Some people have already donated paintings, quilts, farm equipment. Persons desiring to help the committee with funds to fight the establishment of a hazardous waste injection facility in Fisher County can call Bryan Justiss at 776-2276 or Garland Moore at 776-2533 to have items picked up for the auction.

"Items for the auction will be accepted up until the night of Saturday, September 15th," said Justiss.

David Posey is scheduled to be the auctioneer.

Rotan School Will Hire Librarian Or Counselor

The Rotan School will be getting a new employee, possibly within the next 30-days, when either a full-time librarian or full time counselor is hired.

Patsy Hamric is currently filling both positions. "Mrs. Hamric will fill one position or the other", according to Dr. Nolan Kinsey, Rotan Superintendent.

Applications are being taken at the current time and the board is expected to act upon a recommendation by Dr. Kinsey at the September 10th Rotan CISD board meeting.

Burglar Fails To Get Near Summers Prescription Area

An unknown person or persons broke-in the side door of Summers Pharmacy last week, but did not gain access to the prescription drug area, according to Sheriff Mickey Counts.

Hospital Board Meeting To View Future Thursday

The members of the Fisher County Hospital Board, in an announced special session, will deal with negotiating a new contract with Methodist Hospital System of Lubbock on Thursday night, September 6th, according to Rita Mason, Fisher County Interim Hospital Administrator.

The meeting gets underway at 7:00 p.m., Thursday, September 6th in the Board Room of the Fisher County Clinic building.

The only two items on the agenda are (1) Discussion and action regarding contract with Methodist Hospital System - Lubbock and (2) Executive session in accordance with V.A.T.S., Article 6252-17, Section 2, (g) involving the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee.

The meeting is open to the public. That portion of the meeting dealing with personnel under the Texas Open Meetings Act, can be closed to the public, however any vote taken will be taken in open session.

Fisher County Hospital board of directors are: Frank Mitchell, Board President and members Steve Nowlin, Billy Jeffrey, Brenda McCall and William Cleveland, Jr.

Roby Star-Record



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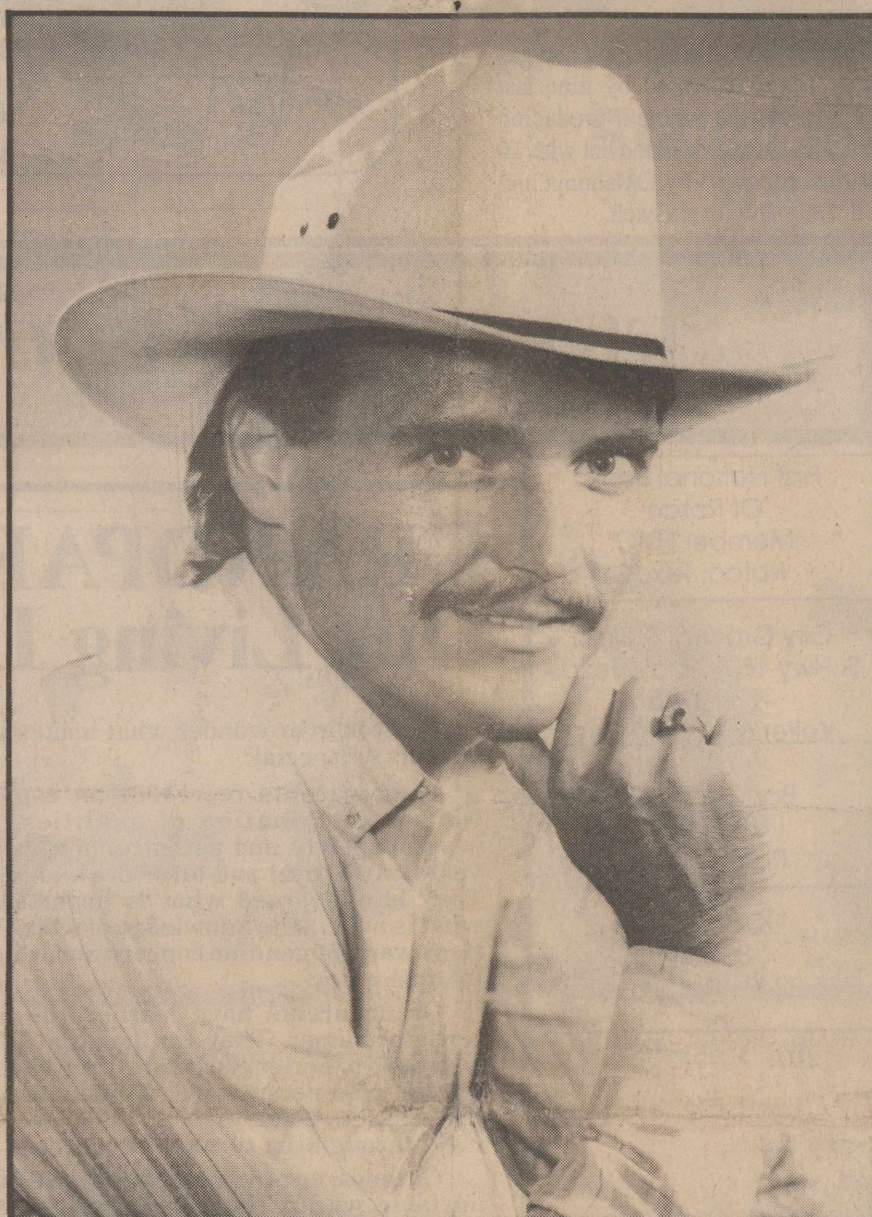
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Todd Jeffrey Will Sing At West Texas Fair On Friday

Todd Jeffrey, 26 year old son of Billy and Shirley Jeffrey of Roby, will be one of four featured performers singing at the West Texas Fair & Rodeo on Friday, September 7th.

Todd Jeffrey will be performing at 6:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. with his country and western band at the Taylor County Coliseum and is scheduled to open each of the musical performances with Dallas "Chisholm" set to follow Jeffrey.

The McCaulley native recently signed a recording contract with Museum Records of Nashville, Tennessee. His first single and video "Darkness On The Face Of The Earth", a re-make of an old Willie Nelson record is just days from being released nationally.

The video was made in McCaulley. His cousin Ryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jeffrey of McCaulley, and Haley

Midwest Electric Annual Meeting Is Thursday Night

The annual meeting of Midwest Electric Cooperative is Thursday, September 6th at the Scurry County Coliseum in Snyder.

The 52nd annual meeting will begin with registration at 6 p.m. and Cindy Nix will be entertaining prior to a bar-becue meal to be served at 7 p.m.

The business meeting of the cooperative, including the election of two directors, will conclude activities.

Midwest Electric serves a nine county area from Anson on the east to Gail on the west, Sweetwater on the south and Post on the north.

Director nominees, running unopposed, are Mike Herron of Sylvester, Place 1; and Carl Williams of Hermleigh, Place 2. Other directors include Mickey Sterling of Ira, Bobby Gruben of Rotan, and Jerry Upshaw of Roby. Other board members include James Beaver of Fluvanna, president; Williams, vice president; Herron, treasurer; and Melvin Clements, board secretary.

Rotan Board Reinstates \$1,000 Above Base Pay

The members of the Rotan School Board, by unanimous vote last Friday night, opted to attempt to leave the tax rate the same for 1990-91 as last year, in spite of increased valuation due to acquiring approximately half of the Hobbs ISD. The board voted to leave the rate at \$1.03 per \$100 valuation.

At the August school board meeting, Dr. Nolan Kinsey, tentatively constructed the budget on .979 cents.

Rotan's projected 1990-91 tax base is \$81,105,200.00 as compared with 1989-90 base of \$71,287,116.00.

At the special board meeting last Friday night, the board voted to 'give back' the \$1,000 above state base salary bonus that was 'taken away' when the teachers were hired earlier this year.

The above base pay increase of \$1,000 a teacher for the 41 teachers in the Rotan system amounts to approximately \$51,000.

Rotan ISD will take in approximately \$100,000 in additional tax money in 1990-91 than they did in 1989-90. That additional money will be used to fund the \$51,000 needed for the above base pay for teachers with the other \$50,000 going in the following areas.

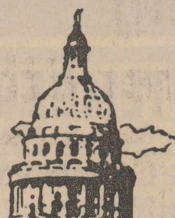
According to Dr. Kinsey, funds have been set aside for - elementary playground equipment, \$3,000; books for the library, \$5,000; increases in projected gasoline costs, \$8,000; pay for either a full time librarian or full time counselor; increased maintenance costs and repair costs to buildings.



CHEERLEADERS: The 1990 Rotan Yellowhammer Cheerleaders, set for the first game of the season on Friday night against O'Donnell are: (l to r) Bottom - Vanessa Peek, Julie Parr and Tiny Carreon. Top - Kathy Sepeda and Joanna Sepeda. Bottom is mascot - Heather Randolph.



ROTAN TWIRLERS AND DRUM MAJOR: Leading the Rotan Yellowhammer Marching Band for 1990 will be Drum Major Jerry Gauna, bottom. Twirlers are (l to r) Missy McKinney, Czrena West and Karen Dickson.



State Capital Highlights

By Lyndell Williams
Texas Press Association

More Democrats on the campaign trail are hanging their hats on the environmental issue, and last week they upgraded the prospect of new taxes to clean oil spills to darn near a formal campaign plank.

Meanwhile, legislative leaders are still listening for the other shoe to drop in the school finance reform case: the state district judge will rule in October whether the state must spend additional moneys above the tax hike approved this spring.

Make that three tax proposals: House Ways and Means chairman James Hurry, D-Galveston, said new taxes were inevitable next year to fund welfare services.

Backed by public opinion polls, top Democrats announced a 2-cents-per-barrel tax on oil to fund oil spill cleanups.

State Sen. Carl Parker, D-Port Arthur, and Speaker Pro Tem Hugo Berlanga, D-Corpus Christi, announced they will file a bill next session to generate a Coastal Protection Fund, to be administered by the land commissioner.

AUTOMATIC TAX LEVELS
The tax will cease automatically when the fund reaches \$35 million, and restart when the fund drops below \$28 million.

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro endorsed the proposal shortly after the ink dried.

Just days earlier, gubernatorial candidate Ann Richards played the stalking horse by telling reporters such a tax was necessary, and she continues to paint her Republican opponent, oilman Clayton Williams, as a champion polluter.

Kent Hance, the Republican on the Texas Railroad Commission, defended Williams, saying he has an excellent response record for spills involving his companies.

Williams campaigned last week detailing budget cuts he would make as governor, and he may have decided to let the oil industry develop its own response on the oil spill issue.

OFF-SHORE TERMINAL ENDORSED

Railroad Commissioner John Sharp, a Victoria Democrat, called a new signal from the oil spill playbook, calling on state officials to join him in endorsing an off-shore oil unloading terminal planned by 18 oil industry companies.

The \$1.2 billion facility, to be built in deep Gulf of Mexico waters, would transfer imported oil from supertankers by pipeline to mainland refineries.

Sharp said Louisiana's terminal, built by five companies, unloads 1 million barrels of crude oil daily and hasn't had a major spill in nine years.

EDUCATION CHIEF RESIGNS
State District Judge Scott McCown may rule the new school finance bill is unconstitutional, and opinions go either way about how the Legislature will replace the reforms.

Advocates for poor school districts want McCown to scrap the reforms, particularly the new spending, as too measly.

But State Education Commissioner Bill Kirby warned "we may not get that good a deal again" from lawmakers because of budget demands from welfare services.

Kirby, who helped craft the reforms, also announced he will retire in January and was lauded with praises for his work.

TSU OFFICIALS RIP HOBBY
A Texas Southern University regent said Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby will be invited to tour the predominately black Houston college when the uproar has died down.

Last week TSU officials and students ripped lame-duck Hobby for saying the college should be closed down because:

Some TSU officials have consistently squandered funds;

The education received there is inadequate; and

As a predominately black college, it goes against the grain of desegregation in Texas higher education.

RAINS TO COMMERCE

Jack Rains, former secretary of state, has been appointed to the board of directors of the Texas Department of Commerce.

Rains, a Houston attorney who unsuccessfully sought the Republican nomination for governor this year, will fill the unexpired term of John Roach of Fort Worth, who resigned. The term ends February 1, 1993.

OTHER HIGHLIGHTS

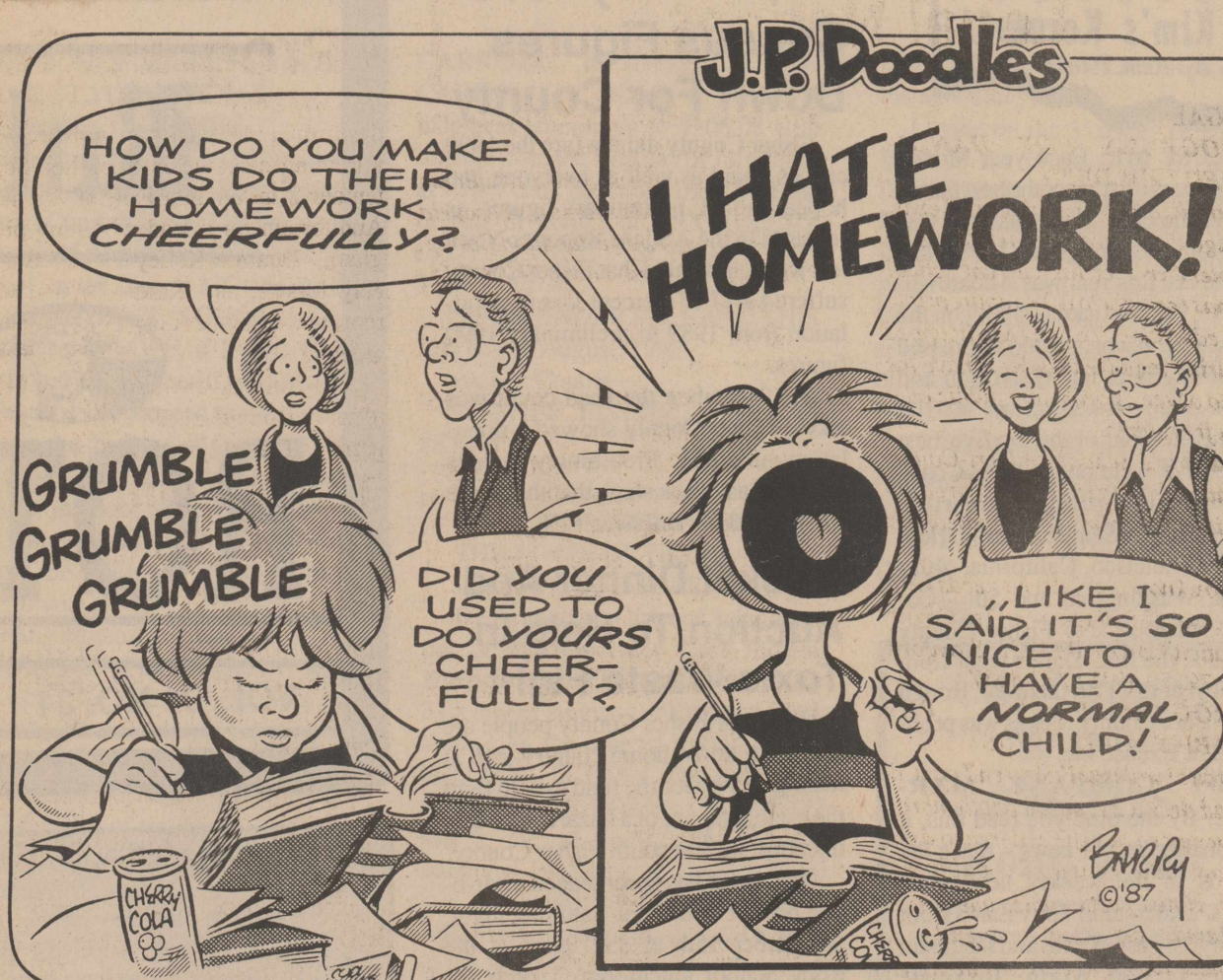
The IRS is studying how 28 top lobbyists spend their money, \$470,000 worth, winning votes in the Texas Legislature, possibly to see whether lawmakers reported their free gifts and trips as income.

On the campaign stump, Texas Supreme Court Chief Justice Tom Phillips said judges should not be "legislators in robes" and called his opponent, former state-senator-now-judge Oscar Mauzy, "a long-time party politician who believes party politics is appropriate for the judiciary."

Texas Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower urged publishers to use soybean-based inks instead of petroleum-based inks, explaining that vegetable-based inks are less harmful to the environment.

Capitol police chief Robert S. Williams was reassigned and relieved of police duties while an investigation is made regarding allegations of discrimination against minorities and women.

The number of working oil and gas rigs in Texas increased by nine last week. Among the major oil-producing states, New Mexico led the list with 10 new rigs, followed by Oklahoma and North Dakota with six each.



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Grandparents represent tradition and stability in an unstable world. They are living proof that the challenges of life can be conquered after all.

Grandparents represent love and warmth. They give us so much. This Grandparents Day let us give them our thanks and our appreciation for all the things they are, and let us remember them in our prayers as we worship this week.

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James
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Friday
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Ephesians
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Rotan, Texas
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Sunday Morning 9:00 a.m. Mass
Sunday Night 7:30 p.m. Mass

Church Of The Nazarene
Rotan, Texas
Rev. Jack Jones

S.S. 9:45 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Night Bible Study 6:00 p.m.

McCaulley Baptist Church
McCaulley, Texas
Rev. Dutch Parks

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Church Of Christ
Rotan, Texas
Douglas Reeves

S.S. 9:45 - Worship Service 10:45
Sunday Ladies Bible Class 5:00 p.m.
Sunday Night Worship 6:00 - Wed. - 7:30

Calvary Baptist Church
Rotan, Texas
Rev. Gene Prevo

S.S. 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

Little Zion Baptist Church
Rotan, Texas
Rev. John L. Martin

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

First Baptist Church
Roby, Texas
Rev. Alvin Petty

S.S. 10:00 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Choir Practice 5:00 - Worship 6:00
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:30

First United Methodist
Rotan, Texas
Rev. Ron W. Dunaway

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship Service 6:00 p.m.

**Attend
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SCHOOL**

Mission Bautista Celvario
Roby, Texas
Rev. Eli Sepeda

S.S. 9:45 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Eve 5:30 p.m. - Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Service 7:30 p.m.

Foursquare Church
Rotan, Texas
Rev. Robert Kennedy

Sunday School 10:00 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

Hobbs Baptist Church
Hobbs Community
Rev. C.J. Smith

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

Church Of Christ
Roby, Texas
Darrell Hart

S.S. 10:00 a.m. - Worship 10:45
Sunday Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night 8:00 p.m.

First Baptist Church
Rotan, Texas

S.S. 9:45 a.m. - Worship Service 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

First United Methodist
McCaulley, Texas
Rev. Lyle Reece

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

Cross Roads Baptist Church
Rotan, Texas
Rev. Keith Berryman

S.S. 10:00 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m.
Worship Service 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

First United Methodist
Sylvester, Texas
Rev. Lyle Reece

Sunday School 10:00 a.m. - Worship 9:30 a.m.
Community Dinner 6:00 p.m.
Each Third Wednesday Night

First United Methodist
Roby, Texas
Rev. Larry Crumpton

S.S. 9:45 a.m. - Worship 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Night Worship Service 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Choir Practice 7:00 p.m.

Emmanuel Baptist Church
Rotan, Texas
Rev. Felix Silva

Sunday School 10:00 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday Night Worship 7:00 p.m.

Sylvester Baptist Church
Sylvester, Texas
Rev. Don Kitchens

S.S. 10:00 a.m. - Worship 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

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LEGAL PROGRAMS FOR HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

Every handicapped child in Texas, from age three through twenty-one as of September 1 of the current school year, has the right to a free appropriate public education. Visually handicapped or hearing impaired students have the right to a free appropriate public education from birth.

Your local school and Tri-County Education Co-Op is providing free appropriate programs for handicapped students.

If you know a child who needs help, contact your local school or Tri-County Education Co-Op, Box 231, Stamford, Texas 79553, (915) 773-3637.

PROGRAMAS POR DESABILITADOS NINOS

Cada niño deshabilitado en Texas, de la edad de 3 a 21, desde Septiembre 1 de la temporada tiene el derecho a una apropiada educación pública y gratis. Niños y estudiantes que tengan problemas de vista o oyendo de naciencia tienen el derecho de tomar una apropiada educación gratis y pública.

En la escuela local y el Tri-County Education Co-Op están ofreciendo

Mabel Warren Is Winner Of Dairy Queen Bicycle

Mabel Warren of Rotan is the winner of the 10-speed Mountain Bicycle given away by Richeson Dairy Queen in connection with their '50th Birthday Sweepstakes', it was announced this week by Jeri Putnam, local manager of the Richeson Dairy Queen.

The bicycle give-away ends a two month celebration by Dairy Queen, and an extended registration by area people. The drawing was conducted last Saturday.

Jeri Putnam has been the local Dairy Queen manager since September 1st.

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programas gratis y apropiadas para estudiantes deshabilitados.

Si usted conoce un niño o estudiante que necesita ayuda, llame a su escuela local o a Tri-County Education Co-Op, Box 231, Stamford, Texas 79553 (915) 773-3637.

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REQUEST FOR BIDS TO BE ADVERTISED:

Roby C.I.S.D. is accepting sealed bids on a five (5) room house, wood frame located on school property Hwy 70. House must be moved. Bids will be opened at the September 10, 1990 Board Meeting. The school has the right to accept or reject any/all bids. Contact George Price, Superintendent, Box 519, Roby, Tx 79543, 915-776-2222.

George Price, Superintendent
30:2tc

Burglary Reported At Palava Area

Fisher County Sheriff Mickey Counts reported a burglary at a home in the Palava area on August 29th involving the theft of a television and television stand.

The person or persons unknown removed a television and stand from the Don McDorman residence. The value of the items taken amounted to \$735.

Sheriff's Department officers recovered the items at a residence in Sweetwater.

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Volunteer 4-H Leaders To Meet For Leader Training Program To Be Held At Wichita Falls On September 8th

Volunteer 4-H Leaders from across the Rolling Plains District will meet for a training meeting on Saturday, September 8 in Wichita Falls at the 4-H Auditorium for a leader training program. Tammie Kelley, Becky Burk, Kay Moore, and Karen Counts will represent Fisher County at the training meeting.

The training meeting will include ideas to strengthen the local 4-H program. The program will include a

Theatre On The Brazos To Meet September 13

Theatre on the Brazos will meet on Thursday, September 13th, at 7 P.M.

The meeting will held at the Rotan Community Center.

Sylvester Church To Host Reception

The Sylvester Baptist Church will host a reception to celebrate the 25th anniversary of their pastor and his wife, Don and Alma Kitchens.

The reception will be held at the Community Center on Sunday, September 9 from 2-4 p.m.

Roby Fire Dept. Food Distribution

The Roby Volunteer Fire Department will distribute food commodities. The commodities will be distributed Saturday, September 8 from 8 to 10 a.m. at the Pink Building in Roby.

workshop on Parent-Teen Communication by Ann Chenaull Young County Volunteer Leader. Liz Jones, Childress County 4-H Club Manager and Counselor, will present information on "How to Obtain Scholarships Through 4-H Experiences". Kay Darilek, Collin County 4-H Leader, will present a

workshop on 4-H expansion and fund raising. The meeting will also feature workshops for training 4-H leaders in

project areas including Recreation Teams, Dog Project, Mentor Program and Judging Teams.

THANK YOU

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our friends for all they did for us during the illness and death of Johnnie Petty.

The visits, cards, food, flowers, prayers, and memorial gifts to charitable organizations were greatly appreciated. May God bless each of you.

Family of Johnnie Petty

THANK YOU

Words cannot express the gratitude and appreciation we feel for your love and concern shown in our great loss.

Thank you for your prayers, your visits and your calls, the cards, the flowers and memorial tributes to Bert.

A special thank you to those who prepared and served the food, to Bro. Crumpton and Bro. Schoenecker for their comforting message and Gaye Nell for her beautiful music.

We are grateful to Dr. Maurice and the staff at Fisher County Hospital for the loving care given Bert so many times.

We are thankful our family has been so greatly blessed by so many caring and loving friends and families. We love you for it.

God Bless You,
Ilene, Linda Gay, David And Blandon

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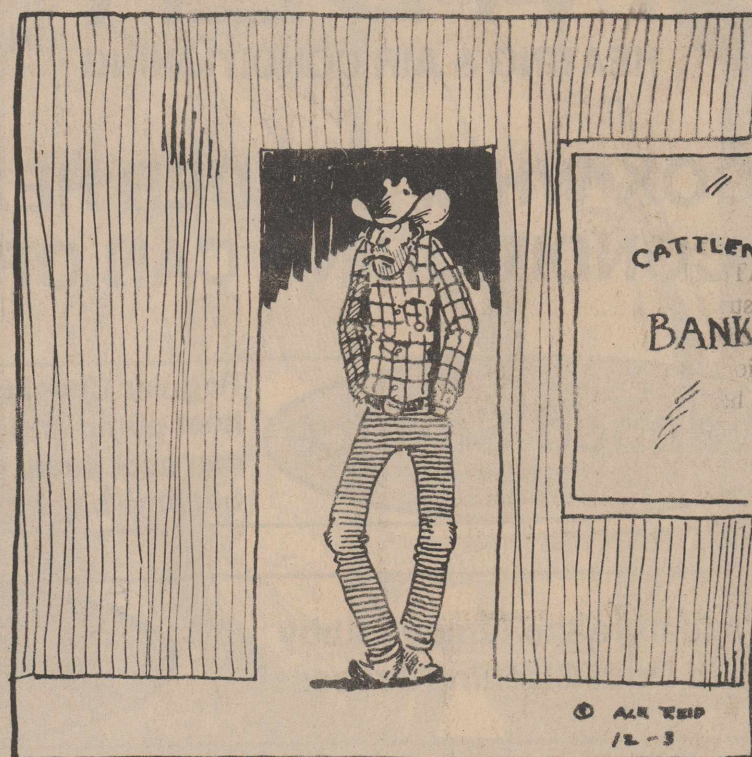
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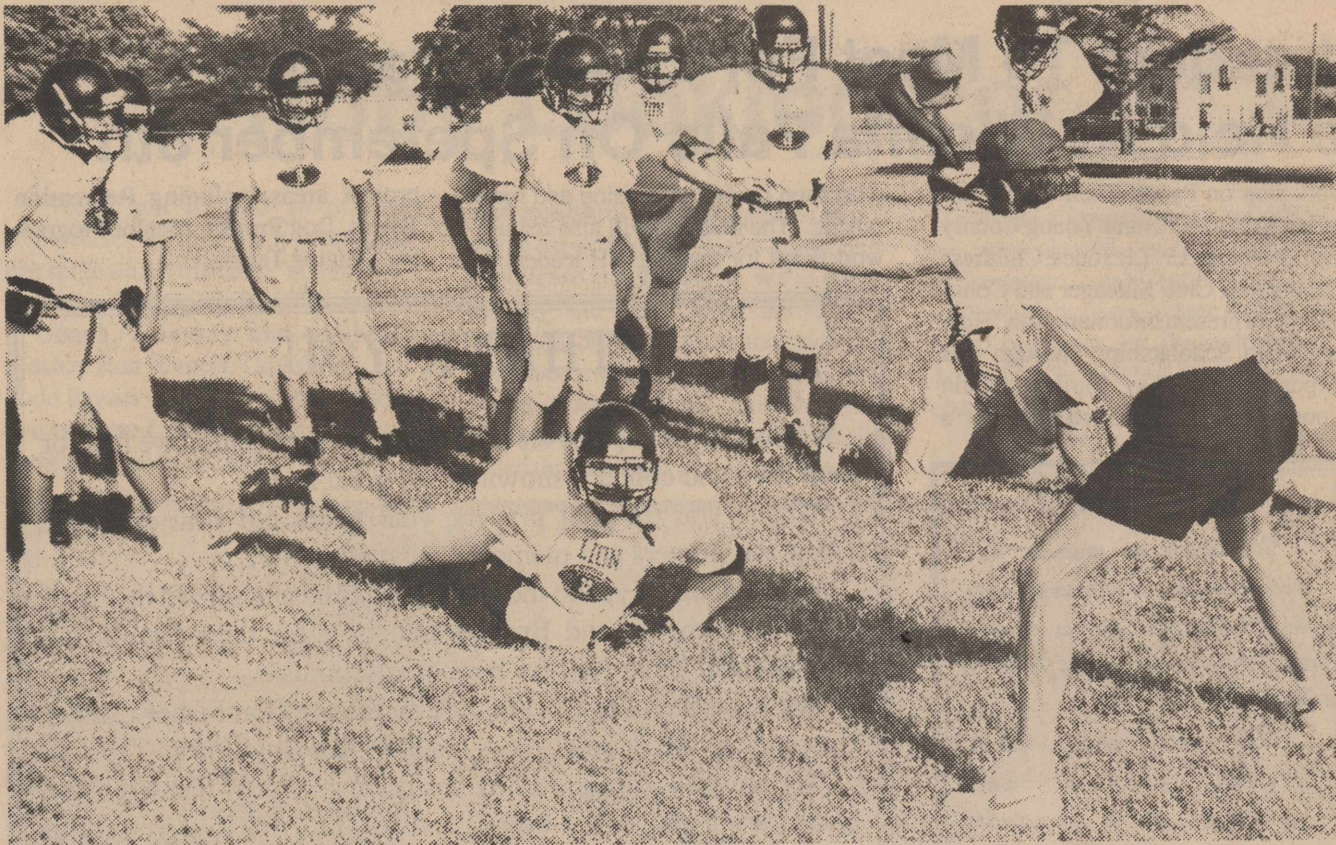


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GOING THROUGH THE MOTIONS: Roby Assistant Coach Gail Gregg puts the Lions through the motions as they prepare for the final scrimmage last week against Water Valley. Roby opens the 1990 regular season against Abilene Christian High School this Friday at 8:00 p.m. at home.

Fisher County Nursing Home News

We are glad to have Richard Ray back with us. We all missed him while he was out. Dona Whitley was in the hospital overnight for tests. We are all glad she is back.

TEAMS Test To Be Administered At Rotan C.I.S.D.

Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills Test will be administered at Rotan I.S.D. Library Learning Center. October 17, 1990 is date for English Language Arts. October 18, 1990 is date for mathematics.

Any out-of-school person who needs to pass the TEAMS to receive the high school diploma must pick up an Exit level Out Of School Registration packet from Mrs. Patsy Hamric, Rotan ISD counselor/librarian. There is no cost to examinee.

Registration must be received in Iowa City, Iowa before 5 P.M. September 26.

For additional information contact Patsy Hamric at 735-2128.

We had several visitors thru the week. It is hard to name them all. Here are just a few. Mrs. Hawkins was glad to have her oldest son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Hawkins and Children, Tyson, Christie and Kathy, from Dallas, Texas. Mr. L. N. Hawkins Jr and son Toby were here from California also to see Mrs. Hawkins. She has not seen him for over 20 years. Mrs. Thompson had a big surprise in the week her family was here and gave her a birthday party. Mrs. Thompson really enjoyed her party and family.

Don't forget Sunday the 9th is Grandparents Day. We are going to

have a grandparents party on Friday the 7th. Everyone is welcome. If you would like to bring cookies or cake please feel welcome.

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Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well its a little cooler this morning (Monday) and thats a welcome change after all the hot weather we have been having. They say there is a slight chance for rain and the cotton sure does need it. Seems like its either too wet or not wet enough, but the very hot weather has really made the cotton look sad, and it needs some moisture badly. Maybe we will get some this week, sure hope so. Mrs. Mark (Anitra) Anderle and Christopher visited with Mrs. Opal Phillips one day last week, Mrs. Vicky Hyer was also there with them. The Anderles are from Gainesville. Jeffrey Martinez and girl friend, Raquel, from Fort Leonardwood are here visiting with the Rudolph Martinezs. They came Saturday and are going to Fort Worth late on Monday to visit, and then back to Missouri.

Dianne Ratliff has opened a new Beauty Shop in Rotan and its so nice; we hope the new shop will be a great success. Its on Lee Street. John and Teresa Swofford from Lubbock spent all day Sunday and Sunday night with the James Ratliffs. Jim Ratliff played Wheelchair basketball in Houston this week-end.

Bro. C. J. Smith visited with Buddy Burnett who is in Cogdell Memorial Hospital in Snyder. He was admitted after having some chest pain. We hope that he will soon begin to feel very much better.

Bro. C. J. Smith's family was at church Sunday night, his son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith from Graham, and his daughter, Mrs. Carolyn Cox and her grand-daughter from Snyder. We were so pleased to see them again. Hobbs Church began their Revival Sunday and we had dinner at the church; you never saw so much

good food, and we really had a good crowd. Our revival continues on through Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Anderson are back from their trip to Chino Valley in Arizona where they visited with Clarence's brother and his family. Harold Anderson hasn't been at all well but he seemed to be better while Clarence and June were there visiting. We hope that Harold will continue to improve. The Andersons also visited in Tempe with June's cousin, Lucille Hunbertmark, and then in Phoenix with Kim Anderson, Clarence's great niece. They spent 10 days on their trip and really enjoyed it.

Don't forget at 6 p.m. Saturday, September 15th at Roby School lunchroom there is going to be a Barbeque to raise funds for the Hazardous Waste Well opposition in Fisher County. Tickets are \$25.00 for two, \$15.00 each. Please try to attend. There will be a Country and Western band, an Auction and various other kinds of entertainment after the supper.

Mrs. Opal Phillips went to C. J. and Marie Thorntons Sunday evening; all of Pat and Mikes children were in for the Labor Day holiday. Mrs. Murlene Rivers and her mother visited with Opal Sunday evening, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jones and family from Sundown also visited with Oal Sunday. Mrs. Glenn (Ginger) Phillips from Post was here Saturday visiting with Opal.

If you want to hear some beautiful

singing and good preaching come to Hobbs Baptist Church this week. Bro. Altmore from Temple sings so well and Bro. Henry Roe from Palestine is really bringing some good messages.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nettleton have just returned from a trip to Ruidosa, New Mexico. They really had a good much needed rest.

Friday, I went to Snyder with Sheila Gruben and then Saturday I went to Abilene with Carol Ann Gruben, so have been on the go. The news from the Middle East still isn't very good, and we are sure sending lots of men and equipment over to the Persian Gulf. Hopefully they will be able to settle all of this peacefully.

Well, thats all for this week. Everyone is sure busy putting up all those good vegetables that they have grown this year.

See you next Thursday.

WTC Fall Class Registration

Registration for fall semester classes at Western Texas College will end on Friday, September 7.

Due to state testing requirements, students registering late will be required to register during regular office hours, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday.

Information about registration and courses still available can be obtained by calling the college at 573-8511.

V.F.W. Mobile Information

ATTENTION VETERANS, WIDOWS, AND DEPENDENTS DO YOU KNOW WHAT BENEFITS YOU ARE ENTITLED?

The Veterans of Foreign Wars, Department of Texas, Mobile Information Service Center will be in Rotan, Texas, on Wednesday September 12, 1990 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 P.M.

The Center will be set up at: Vacant lot next door to John's Barber Shop.

Duane Shriver, an accredited Claims Representative with the Veterans of Foreign Wars, as well as members of local VFW and Ladies Auxiliary, will

be available to provide information to any veteran, widow, or dependent concerning benefits which may be available through the Veterans Administration or the State of Texas.

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Any veteran, widow, or dependent who has a question or needs any assistance is cordially invited to visit the Mobile Information Service Center at the time and place indicated above.

NOTICE OF VOTE ON TAX RATE

The County of Fisher conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase your property taxes by 7.9% over the effective tax rate on September 4, 1990 at 9:00 o'clock A.M.

The Fisher County Commissioner's Court is scheduled to vote on the tax rate at a public meeting to be held on September 10, 1990 at 9:00 o'clock A.M. in the Commissioner's Courtroom Fisher County Courthouse, Roby, Texas.

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Roby School News

By Larry Coats

With the first full week of school now at an end in Roby, many people (hopefully) are curious about how the new faculty members fared. An informal canvassing of some of the newest employees generated some remarkable comments, which RCISD would like to share with the rest of the county.

John Cox, high school math teacher, has high praise for the positive attitude which he has seen in the student body. Paul Hudson, Band Director, echoes those remarks and added an anecdote which sums up the current mood on campus. "Mrs. Hudson and I were working with the Third Graders on a Christmas song called "Children Go When I Send Thee". Anyway, the song has 10 verses and each verse has a different theme which has to do with the manger and Bethlehem. We enthusiastically progressed through the song, and upon reaching the end, one little boy could not suppress himself and shouted "Praise the Lord!". My wife and I completely broke up. But the story does catch some part of the spirit which prevails." Mr. Hudson made a special remark about how he senses a desire "to do something good" with the band on the part of the band members. "The chorus is also doing quite well, and I would like to thank my wife for helping with the accompaniment".

Coach Theissen has noticed a prevailing "relaxed atmosphere". He adds that he finds the trusting and "laid back" approach to be a real plus to the campus.

Glenna Stuart, the new School Counselor, was extremely appreciative of having a "real" office in which to work. She singled out for special mention the "positive" attitudes which seem to prevail among the faculty and staff members.

Similar words and phrases were offered by Guy Nelson and Joe Joplin, the new Roby administrators. Both men used words like "fantastic" and "excited" when asked how they viewed their first full week of school. Mr. Joplin singled out parents as one of the

highlights of the week: "They seem to be generous with themselves and extremely friendly. During the Thursday Night Registration and Reception, the warmth and concern demonstrated by parents made all of the difference. It has simply been an overwhelming experience."

In an attempt to keep the communication lines open, the faculty and administration want all parents to know that they are welcome at any time. Parents have a standing invitation to have lunch in the school cafeteria, just make sure that you give the school a little advance notice so seating can be provided.

Notices and advice for parents:

1. Check now to see that homework is being done. Three weeks from now will be too late.

2. Band parents: for beginning students and their parents, there will be an Instrument Display Night in September. Watch for upcoming notices.

3. PEOTONE testing will begin in September. Its purpose is to test Kindergarten students in visual, motor, language, and gross motor skills. PEOTONE testing is designed to identify and prevent early school failure.

4. TAAS testing occurs in mid-October. Encourage children to approach the tests with a positive and serious attitude.

Basically, the end of the first week of school in Roby can be best described as upbeat, challenging, and enjoyable. The citizens of our community and all of our concerned parents are integral members of the educational process. RCISD wants to cooperatively build PRIDE, SKILLS, AND SUCCESS into all of our students. Drop by, talk to us; we can and will make the coming school year a truly "learning experience" for all of us.

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Roby School Menu Released

Roby School Menu

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TUESDAY-Corn Dog, cream potatoes, blackeyed peas, rice krispie square, bread, and milk.

WEDNESDAY-hot dog with chili, french fries, pinto beans, oatmeal cookie, bun and milk.

THURSDAY-Beef casserole with cheese, corn, salad, cherry cobbler, bread, and milk.

FRIDAY-Hamburger with cheese, potato chips, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, pickles, brownie, fruit, bun, and milk.

Hunter Safety Course Offered In Snyder, Sept 15-16

Hunter Safety course being offered September 15-16 at TU Electric Reddy Room, 2301 Ave R, Snyder, Texas.

Classes will start at 8:00 a.m. Saturday, September 15.

Any questions call Mr. Reed 573-2884.

The cost is \$5.00 per person.

and 14 boys from the class. We missed those who could not join us and hope to see them in 1955.

Virgil and Annie Weems, E. W. and

Rotan Lunch Room Menu

ROTAN SCHOOL MENU

September 10-14, 1990

MONDAY-BBQ on a Bun, Potato Salad, Ranch Style Beans, Peach Halves, and Milk.

TUESDAY-Meat Loaf, Potatoes Au Gratin, Fried Okra, Hot Rolls, Strawberry Cake, and Milk.

WEDNESDAY-Chalupas, Buttered Corn, Lettuce and Tomato Salad, Fruit and Milk.

THURSDAY-Fried Chicken/Gravy, Creamed potatoes, English Pea Salad, Hot Rolls, Jello and Milk.

FRIDAY-Hot Dogs, Tater Tots, Cabbage Slaw, Fruit Cobbler, and Milk.

Senior Citizen Turkey Dinner

A turkey dinner with all the trimmings, served with home made desserts, will be served from 11:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building on Sunday, September 9th.

Adults \$3.50 per plate, children under 12 \$2.00 per plate.

Tennie Cade, Ray and Carol Howard, Ouida Waddell, Sherwood and Donelle Edwards, Dub and Pat Edwards, Bill and Sally Morgan, Kenneth and Mae Clark, Roy and Mary Adams, William and Sue Cleveland, Norman and Frances Cleveland, Harold and Bea Shipp, C.B. and Betty Waggoner, James and Winnie Rodgers, Jim and Jean Huckaby, Bob and JoAnn Cobb, William Wicker, Wanda Brown, Lou Weckerly Barbara Garner, Eva Finley, W. C. and Doris Ashton, Bettie and Archie Rivers, Jo Blackshear, Jack

Callan and wife, Patsy and Boxie Weems, Ewell and Kathy Adams, Robbie and Clea Ramby, Erma Lee Daniel, and a couple of friends were of those who attended.

Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE

The "State Board of Education Rules for Handicapped Students" which includes Federal regulations and State law mandates the establishment of local advisory committees to "provide for public participation from those in the community concerned with educational programming for the handicapped..." This advisory committee may serve "as a vehicle for coordination with private schools and other agencies serving handicapped students and for personnel development planning."

Tri County Education Co-Op, which is located in Stamford, serves the special education needs of students in a 4 county area which includes Jones, Shackelford, Stonewall, and Fisher Counties. The following schools are a part of Tri-County: Albany, Anson, Aspermont, Hamlin, Hawley, Lueders-Avoca, Roby, Rotan and Stamford.

Tri-County Education Co-Op will hold its Fall Advisory Committee Meeting on Tuesday, September 11, 1990 at 7 P. M. at Andy's C Bar 6 located on the North side of the square in Stamford, Texas.

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GARAGE SALE: 603 E. Lee in Rotan, Saturday only 9:00 a.m.

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BACK YARD SALE: Friday, September 7th, 8:00 a.m. till 7:06 8th Street in Rotan.

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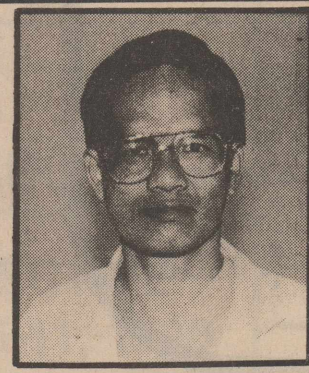
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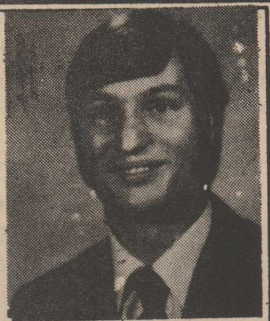
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Written by
Richard E. Rodgers, CPA



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Setting up a Keogh plan is easy. Banks, credit unions, insurance companies and mutual funds all offer such

plans and will take care of the initial paperwork. Be sure to ask about annual custodial fees, as they can vary greatly.

A Keogh plan must be established by year-end in order to claim a current year tax deduction for contributions to it. However, the actual contributions need not be made until the due date (including extensions) of your tax return.

Be aware that if you have employees, they must be included in your plan. The contributions you make for them must be calculated the same way as your own are calculated. An exception exists to this general rule if the plan is integrated with social security. There are also federal laws governing the investment of plan assets.

Also note that annual reports must be filed with the IRS unless your Keogh covers just you (or you and your spouse) and the plan assets are less than \$100,000.

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Candi Delane Hayes of Rotan has been awarded a two year \$3,000 Abell-Hanger Foundation scholarship by the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation. This year the Abell-Hanger Foundation awarded 24 grants to students who have participated in the UIL Academic State Meet Contests and who have compiled an outstanding record of academic and extracurricular achievement. Four of the Abell-Hanger grants were awarded to students who plan to major in nursing.

This year the TILF awarded 213 new awards renewed 153 awards for a total of 366 scholarships for 1990-91 with a value of \$489,900. Recipients may attend any approved college or university in Texas.

Hayes, a Rotan High School graduate, placed eighth in the 1990 UIL State Meet Calculator Applications contest. She has also participated in UIL Prose, Headline Writing, Literary Criticism, Ready Writing, Number Sense, Science, and One-Act Play contests. Her high school activities and honors include the offices of President and Reporter for Student Congress; President of National Honor Society; Vice-President and Reporter of student class; Academic Excellence Award; Physical Science Award; Biology Award; Chemistry Award; Data Pro-

cessing Award; Computer Science Award; Algebra I Award; Geometry Award; Algebra II Award; Trigonometry/Analytical Geometry Award; English II and III Awards; World History Award; Drama Award; Economics Award; Big Country Writing Day Contest; Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation representative; Who's Who Among American High School Students; International Foreign Language Award; Governor's Recognition Award; Academic Achievement Award; RHS nominee; Society of Distinguished American High School Students; and Band. She attends Angelo State University and majors in chemistry.

Ice Cream Supper To Be Held Sept. 6th

There will be an ice cream supper for the Roby Junior High Football team Thursday, September 6 at 7:00 p.m.

This will give the parents a chance to meet the players. There will also be an opportunity for the parents to join the Athletic Booster Club. Before the ice cream supper there will be a Jr. High intra-squad scrimmage starting at 5:30 and ending somewhere around 6:45. Parents are to bring either home-made, or store bought ice cream.



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Hospital News

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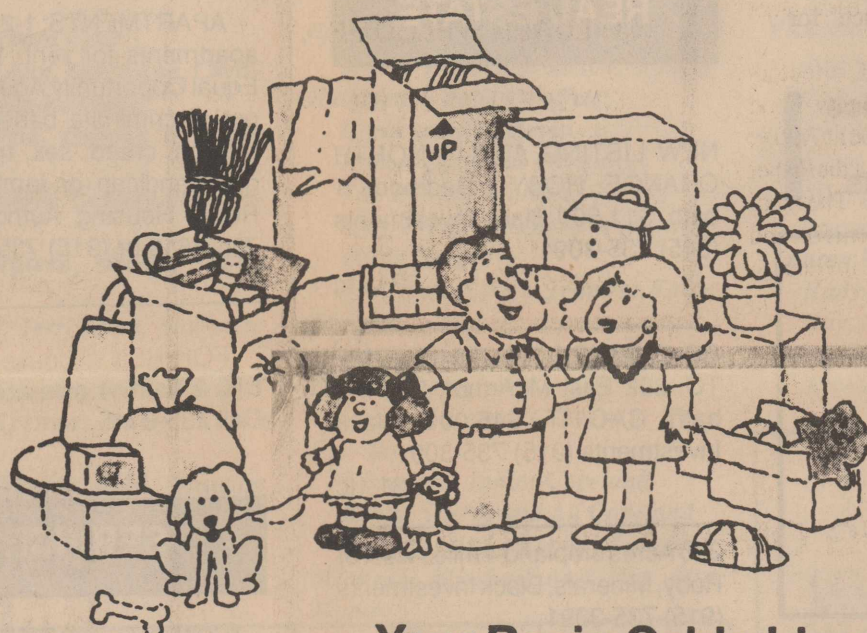


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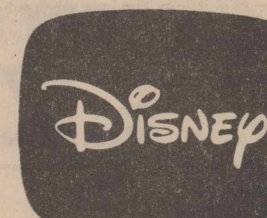
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Roby Booster Club Elects New Officers, Randy Kelly, President

By Becky Elmore

Roby Booster Club

The Roby Booster Club is pleased to announce officers for the 1990-91 school year. Officers will be Randy Kelly - President; Billy Don Atkinson - Vice President; Terry Gruben - Secretary-Treasurer. Meetings will be held each Monday night at 7:00 p.m. in the high school. Everyone is invited to join and attend. Roby will host ACHS on Friday night.

Fighting Lion Band

The Fighting Lion Band will have approximately 40 members marching as they take the field on September 20th. Mr. Hudson met with the band boosters and plans are now underway for the 1990-91 school year. Officers elected are: Tubby Moore - President; Sharla Moore - Vice President and Judy Stephens - Secretary-Treasurer. The band boosters will again be in charge of the concession stand at all home football games. We need the support of all persons interested in improving the Roby Band.

Parents For Better Education

Parents for Better Education will meet on September 24th at 8:00 p.m., at

the high school auditorium in Roby. If you have any suggestions for the improvement of our children's education please notify President Mike Terry. Other officers are Manuel Valdez, Vice President; Becky Elmore, secretary and Susan Griffith, Reporter. The executive committee will meet at 8:00 p.m., on Monday, September 17th in the Courthouse coffee room to set the agenda. If you have not had an opportunity to visit the school and see the improvements made over the summer - it is worth the trip. From the hallways to the new trees, classrooms to the football field, things are improving at Roby CISD. Special thanks go out to all who have had a hand in helping with the improvements. The price is already reflected in the attitudes of both faculty and students.

Exchange Student

Robert Katic is spending this year attending Roby High School. He is finding the suburbs of Sylvester to be a big change from Helsingborg, Sweden. Robert is participating in the ASSE program. The Phil Elmore family is hosting his stay in the United States.

F.C. Food Pantry And Clothes Closet Doubles Building Space

The Fisher County Food Pantry and Clothes Closet, located at the intersection of highways 70 and 180 in Roby, has doubled its building space with a metal addition. Thanks primarily to two Fisher County men, Garland Moore and Gene Turnbow.

This county benevolent organization now has about 1500 new square feet of space for the sale of its good used clothing and household items.

Andy and Tubby Moore and Jerry Hoodenpye also donated some labor to this project. David Stephens helped with the electricity installation and several others stopped from time to time to give encouragement or friendly harassment.

Pantry and clothes-Closet director, Alvin Petty, said that they would begin using the new room immediately. Petty says the room needs insulation and

cooling and heating equipment. These needs will be tended to as the Pantry-Clothes Closet obtains the funds.

Moore expressed the sentiment of all the volunteer workers who help this county organization. He said that every county or community needs things like the clothes-closet where people can come in and for a few dollars get their school kids and their own whole wardrobe. He said that an organization such as this was a plus service and asset to the whole area.

The quarterly board of directors meeting for the Fisher County Food Pantry-Clothes Closet will be at 7:00 P. M., Monday, September 10, at the Fisher County Courthouse Annex. The meal is a bring a covered dish operation and all volunteer workers are invited to bring a dish and participate.

Summers winding down, school has started and some of the cotton is beginning to open so maybe Fall and cooler weather is not far off.

Pvt. Darla Jones of the 82nd division at Ft Bliss, Texas spent the weekend with her parents Bill & Lita Jones in Kermit and her grandmother Bessie Jones. She had to return to base Monday.

Lowell Thornburg is feeling much better after knee surgery and heart problem. Barbara Scrivner, Gwen, Eddie and Tylor Thompson all of Snyder were out to visit the Thornburgs Sunday.

Carol and Lena Hodges took their trailer Friday and went to Coahoma to visit Jerry and Karen Hodges. They returned home Monday. Althes Moyer and girls Jenniffer and Niki returned to England Sunday as their school will start Thursday. They arrived in London at 9 a.m. London time and 3 a.m. our time. Tommy didn't return home until Tuesday.

Richard and Janice Ratliff and children Ryan, Courtney and Ashlee of Monahans spent the weekend with Jewel Ratliff.

J. W. & Edith Henderson and son Tom of Houston visited with Lorene Hendreson and son Tom of Houston visited with Lorene Hendreson and

News From Down South

By Bertha Warren

Harvie and Cleo Davis over the weekend. Kathy Gee and son Chris spent Sunday with the Davis's.

Ollie Ogdens' sister Minnie Glass was taken to the Rolling Plains hospital Friday night. She was still very ill late Monday night. Our thoughts and prayers are with Minnie and her family.

Wayne and I visited with Buster and Vera Wright at the Humana Hospital Sunday evening. Buster hopes to be coming home one day this week. We hope so too Buster. He has been in Abilene over a month and is anxious to come home.

The Fisher Co. Food Bank will have their quarterly meeting and covered dish supper September 10th in the Roby courthouse annex at 7 p.m. By the way

the new room has been completed on the South side of the Clothes Closet. The food bank is getting very low on food so every one needs to remember to send in their donations or bring them by

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The public hearing will be held on September 10, 1990 at 7:30 o'clock P.M. in the Rotan ISD board room, Rotan, Texas.

FOR the proposal: Pete Fowler, Luther Summers, Vick Burk, Leo Long, Larry Landes, Roger Blackwelder.

AGAINST the proposal: None

PRESENT and not voting: None

ABSENT: Donna Kennedy

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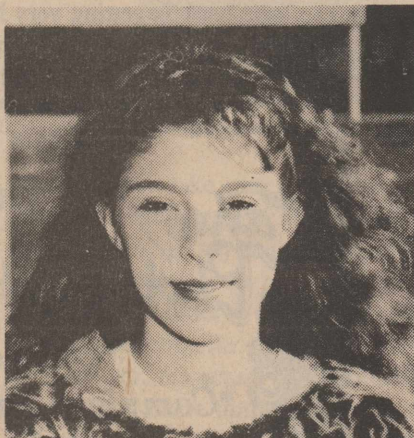
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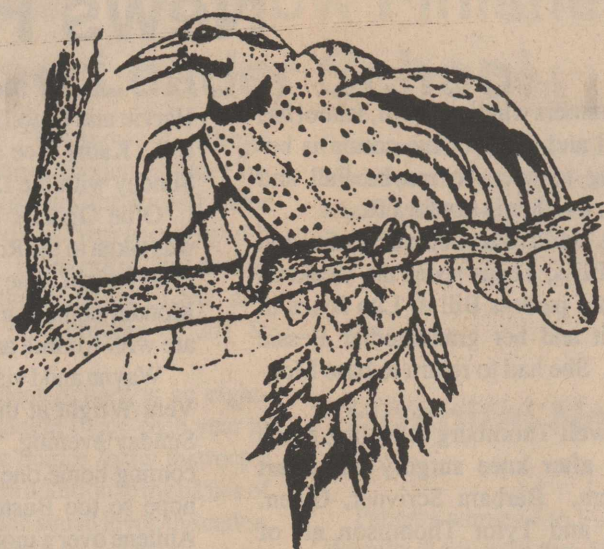
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Sept. 21	Spur	8:00	H		
Sept. 28	Knox City	8:00	T		
Oct. 5	Roby *	7:30	T		
Oct. 12	Sterling City ***	7:30	H		
Oct. 19	Roscoe *	7:30	T		
Oct. 26	Garden City *	7:30	H		
Nov. 2	Bronte *	7:30	T		
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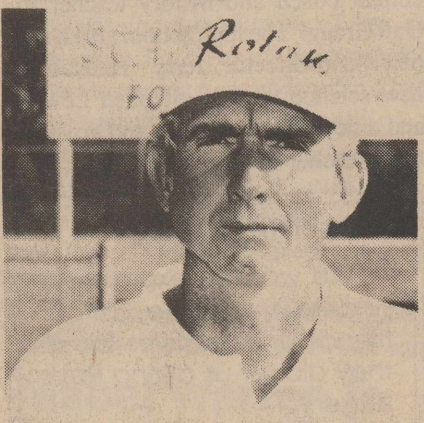
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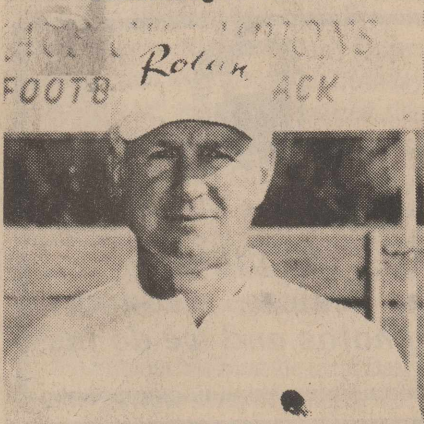
"We did everything we wanted to do in the Motley County scrimmage last Friday night. We had a few missed



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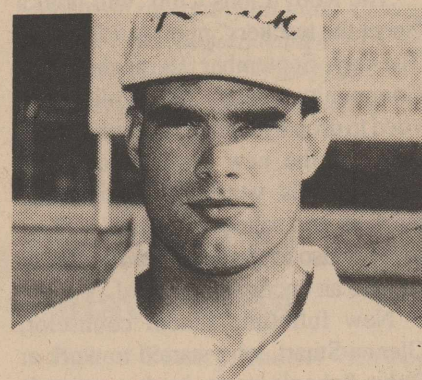
Coach Doug Dallas



Coach Ted Posey

tackles, on one of the touchdowns they scored, three of our people missed the runner. Overall, I think we accomplished everything we set out to accomplish and overall we liked what we saw from the boys," commented Rotan Head Coach Doug Dallas.

Dallas feels his offensive unit is in good shape, even though the quarterback position is a bit unsettled. Grant Kinsey will get the starting quarterback nod this Friday night. But Eric Smith may see a lot of action. "Kinsey is as steady as a rock. He doesn't make mental errors. Eric Smith is the best passer of



Coach Darren Janssen

the quarterback candidates, but he is a little rusty on footwork and Ruben Yanez is injured with a bum knee. We have enough confidence in our kids to know that the quarterback spot will be in good hands whoever is out there," said Dallas.

"We have a few injuries, but mostly just bumps and bruises. Ruben Yanez has a tender knee; Jason Carrillo is out and will probably be out a few weeks with a knee injury and Brandon Sheehan is still recovering from a hairline fracture in his foot," said Dallas.

Coach Doug Dallas will start 3 seniors; 2 sophomores and 6 juniors on offense Friday night. On defense, he will start 4 seniors, 4 juniors and 3 sophomores.

The starting offensive unit, as of last Monday afternoon: Seniors Chris Kennedy, right end; Fabien Flores, right tackle and Steve McQueen at center. Juniors Herman Zavala, tight end; Maurice Ray, left halfback; Luis Garcia, right guard; Jessie Garcia, fullback; David Daniel, right halfback and Grant Kinsey, quarterback. Sophomores Ben

Alaniz, left guard and Daniel Montez, left tackle.

The Starting defensive unit, as of last Monday afternoon: Seniors Chris Kennedy, defensive end; Danny Warren, defensive end; Jason Garcia, defensive tackle and Sammy Daniel, monster. Juniors Landon Alls, cornerback; Luis Garcia, defensive tackle; Jessie Garcia, nose guard and Trey Carrillo, safety. Sophomores Ben Alaniz, linebacker; Daniel Montez, Linebacker and Eric Smith, cornerback.

Five Yellowhammer players, 1 senior; 2 juniors and 2 sophomores will be starting both ways. Chris Kennedy starts at defensive end and offensive right end; Luis Garcia starts at defensive tackle and offensive right guard; Jessie Garcia starts at fullback and defensive

nose guard; Ben Alaniz starts at line-backer and left guard and Daniel Montez starts at linebacker and left tackle.

"O'Donnell is a ball control type team. They are picked to finish high. They will be very large and will run a lot of power sweeps and power off tackle plays. They have a ball control team," commented Dallas.

Dallas indicated last Monday that he felt like the boys needed to get into a game. He wants to see how the guys perform 'under fire', out there on their own.

Rotan will be showing a few new twists on Friday. They will be running from the Power-I and doing a few things that haven't been shown in scrimmages.



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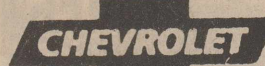
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Roby Looking For An Offensive Attack For ACHS

"We've got to find an offense somewhere, we're just not getting the line surge we have to have," commented Head Football Coach Brad Thiessen.

Coach Thiessen and assistant coaches Ron Francis, Gail Gregg and Todd Bryant would like to clone about two or three Lion players and scatter them out over the offensive lineup, but

that is wishful thinking and that won't solve the problem. "We've got to find an offense and in a hurry. We're going to stay real basic on Friday against Abilene Christian High School and hope to do some of the things properly that we are capable of doing", said Thiessen.

Defensively, the Roby Coach indicated that his Lions played pretty good.

"They had a few letdowns, but overall we were pleased with the defensive performance," said Coach Thiessen.

Nine of the twenty-three Roby Lion squad members got the starting nod 'both ways' earlier this week from the coaching staff.

The nine boys, with their offensive and defensive starting position are:

Jeremy Terry, quarterback and free safety; Ralph Amador, split end and right cornerback; Albert Barrera, fullback and nose guard; Joe Don Helm, center and left defensive end; Thomas Cortez, left tackle and linebacker; Hector Castillo, left guard and linebacker; Nick Dickson, right tackle and defensive tackle; J.T. Elmore, tight

end and right defensive end and Kenny Heflin, flanker and left cornerback.

The other two offensive starters are Moses Campa, tailback and Chris Estes, right guard.

The other two defensive starters are Joe Rivas at strong safety and Mike Williams at tackle.

Abilene Christian High School, coming off a 1-9 record last year, will be a very quick team in 1990 according

to Coach Thiessen. "They have four kids who are real quick. The fullback is a threat and their running backs are fast and post a real problem for us outside. We have been working on defending the outside run this week, said Thiessen.

Jamie Amador is the only questionable player for Friday because of injuries. Amador was sidelined with a tonsil infection last week and will probably not see action on Friday.



TAKING A SIDELINE BREAK: Two members of the Roby Lion football team took a break last week in the scrimmage against Water Valley. Pictured (l to r) Mr. Williams, Chris Estes and Nick Dickson. The Roby Lions will host Abilene Christian High School on Friday night in the season opener for both clubs. Roby's game gets underway at 8:00 p.m.

Class Officers, Room Parents And Class Sponsors Named For Rotan

Class officers, room parents and class sponsors for the 1990-91 school year were recently elected at Rotan High School.

Senior officers are: President-Tim Gregg, Vice-President-Richard Almanza, and Secretary-Shawna Speck. Room parents are Mr. and Mrs. Curtis McQueen and Mr. and Mrs. Billy L. Speck. Class sponsors are Mrs.

Bobbidee Thompson and Mr. David Sims.

Junior officers are: President-J. P. Martinez, Vice-President-Jessie Garcia, and Secretary-Sharilyn Murdoch, room parents are Mr. and Mrs. Cleburne Murdoch and Mr. and Mrs. Robert X. Martinez. Class sponsors are Mrs. Connie Early, Mr. Milton Jensen, and Mr. Monty Jones.

Sophomore officers are: President-Heather Randolph, Vice-President-Chris Markham, and Secretary-Ben Alaniz. Room parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lino Yanez, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Garcia. Class sponsors are Mr. Doug Dallas and Mr. Ted Posey.

Freshmen officers are: President-Elishia White, Vice-President-Bruce Reeves, and Secretary-Chris Boone.

Room parents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dickson and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Granada. Class sponsors are Mrs. Debi Mercer and Mr. Michael Carney.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON FISHER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BUDGET

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FISHER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BUDGET

THE FISHER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON A PROPOSED BUDGET FOR THE 1991 FISCAL YEAR.

THE PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD ON TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 11, 1991, AT THE FISHER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT OFFICE, ROBY, TEXAS.

A SUMMARY OF THE APPRAISAL DISTRICT BUDGET FOLLOWS:

THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE PROPOSED OPERATIONS BUDGET IS \$142,948.00. THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE PROPOSED COLLECTIONS BUDGET IS \$14,550.00.

THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF INCREASE OVER THE CURRENT YEAR'S OPERATIONS BUDGET IS \$3,782.50. THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF INCREASE OVER THE CURRENT YEAR'S COLLECTIONS BUDGET IS \$600.00.

THE NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES COMPENSATED UNDER THE PROPOSED BUDGET WILL BE FOUR (4).

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THE PROPOSED INCREASE IN THE TWO BUDGETS IS FOR POSTAGE AND SALARIES.

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district. If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district office.

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P155/60R14 OWL	\$ 94.02	C	\$122.99	\$ 92.24	—
P225/75R15 OWL	\$104.19	D	\$127.25	\$ 91.44	\$ 1.15
P215/65R15 OWL	\$102.11	D	\$127.25	\$ 91.44	—
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L215/65R15 BSL	D	\$127.25	\$ 91.44	\$ 1.15
L225/75R15 BSL	D	\$127.25	\$ 91.44	—
L245/75R15 BSL	E	\$145.00	\$108.80	\$ 3.80
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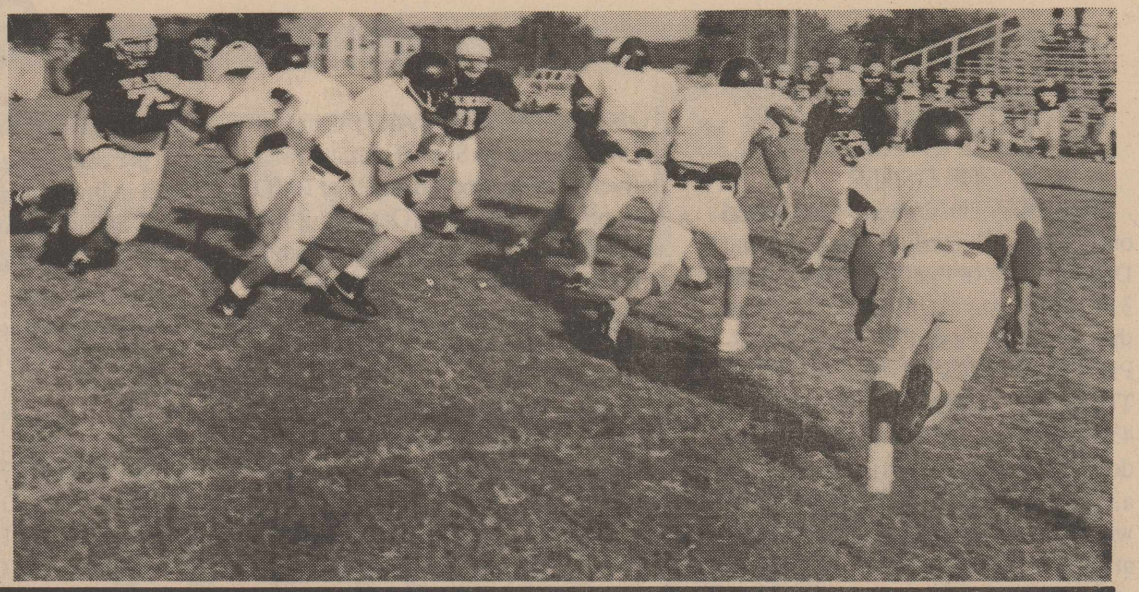
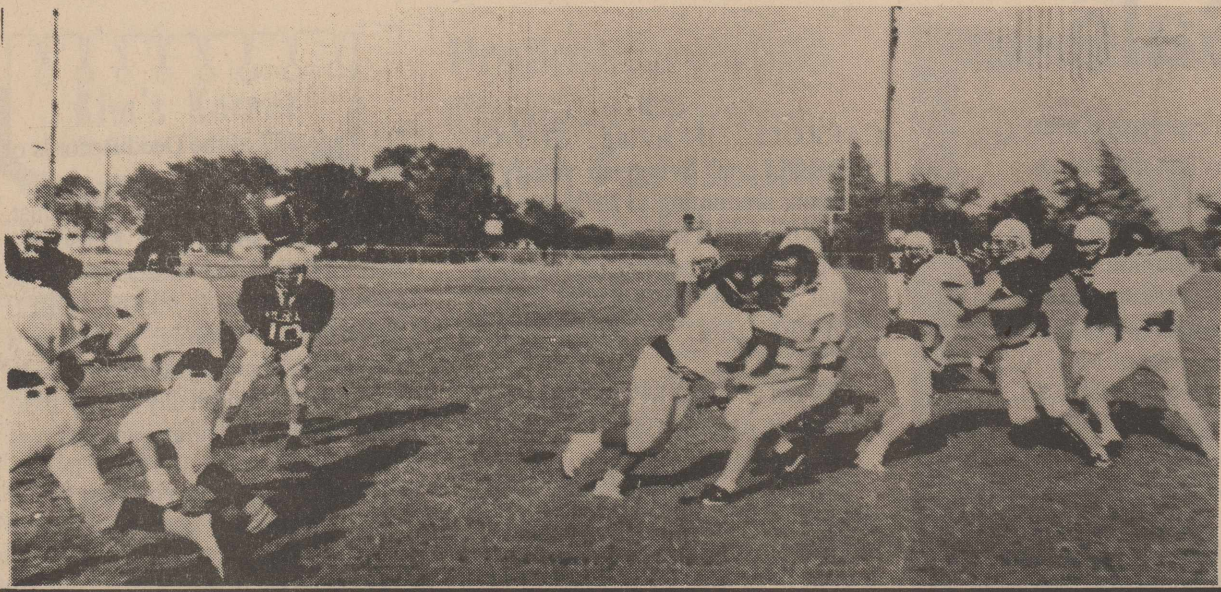
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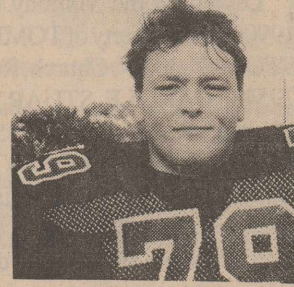
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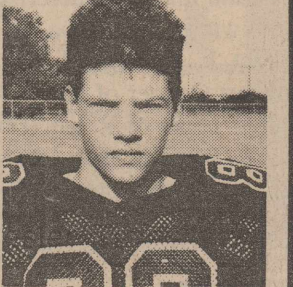
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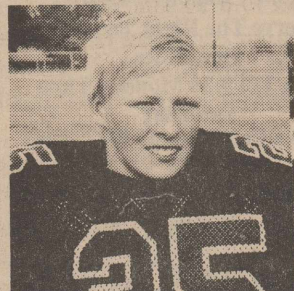
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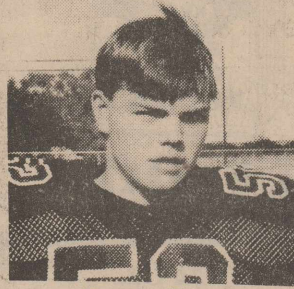
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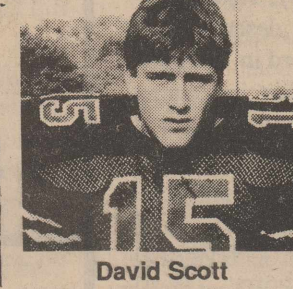
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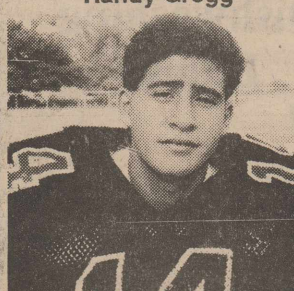
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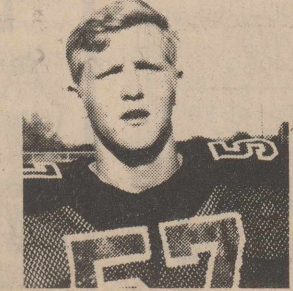
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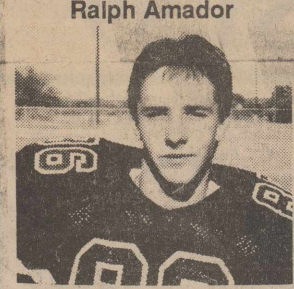
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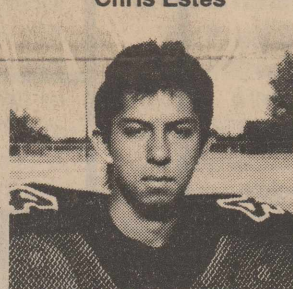
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Oct. 5	Rotan *	7:30	H		
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Oct. 28	Sterling City *	7:30	H		
Nov. 2	Roscoe *	7:30	T		
Nov. 9	Garden City *	7:30	H		
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ROBY LION COACHES: Todd Bryant, Head Coach Brad Thiesen, Gayle Gregg and Ron Francis.



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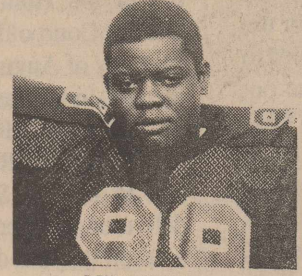
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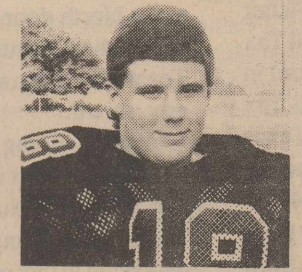
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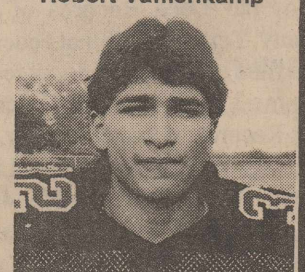
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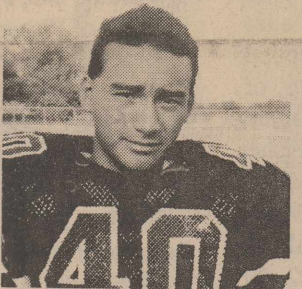
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NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 31st day of August, 1990 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT vs. TIBURCIO L. ROA, ET AL; Cause # 4301 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 a.m. on the 2nd day of October, 1990 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 Northeast Quarter of Block 79 of the Original Town of Rotan, Texas, and being more particularly described in those certain Deeds of record in Volume 356, Page 433 and Volume 471, Page 272 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 31st day of August, 1990 as the property of TIBURCIO L. ROA, INDIVIDUALLY AND D/B/A ROTAN PAINT AND BODY, 109 N. Lincoln, Rotan, Texas 79546, having been duly served with citation in the manner and for the length of time required by law, failed to file a written answer or appear, but wholly makes default; DALE R. ROA, INDIVIDUALLY AND D/B/A ROTAN PAINT AND BODY, 109 N. Lincoln, Rotan, Texas 79546, having been duly served with citation in the manner and for the length of time required by law, failed to file a written answer or appear but wholly makes default; UNITED STATES OF AMERICAN (IN REM ONLY) by virtue of that Transfer of a Deed of Trust to the Small Business Administration filed on September 12, 1986, of record in Volume 573, Page 53 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas, and by that Federal Tax Lien filed on May 8, 1986, of record in Volume 3, Page 14 of the Federal Tax Lien Records of Fisher County, Texas (Filed against Dale Roa, 109 N. Lincoln, Rotan, Texas 79546; ID No. 464-13-9662; Serial No. 2441; 1040 Tax from 12-31-82 for \$5,880.25; 1040 Tax from 12-31-83 for \$5,708.25; 1040 Tax from 12-31-84 for \$646.26; Filed by Dallas District Office), and by that Federal Tax Lien filed on May 8, 1986, of record in Volume 3, Page 15 of the Federal Tax Lien Records of Fisher County, Texas (Filed against T.L. Roa, 109 N. Lincoln, Rotan, Texas 79546; ID No. 456-32-7107; Serial No. 2441; 1040 Tax from 12-31-82 for \$7,498.43; 1040 Tax from 12-31-83 for \$5,536.95; 1040 Tax from 12-31-84 for \$554.37; Filed by the Dallas District Office), and by that Federal Tax Lien filed on October 9, 1986, of record in Volume 3, Page 56 of the Federal Tax Lien Records of Fisher County, Texas (Filed against T.L. Roa, 109 N. Lincoln, Rotan, Texas 79546; ID No. 464-13-9662; Serial No. 169141; 1040 Tax from 12-31-85 for \$1,052.91; Filed by Dallas District Office), said UNITED STATES may be served by delivering a copy of the Citation and Petition to the Assistant United States Attorney for the Abilene Division of the Northern District of Texas and by mailing two (2) copies of the Citation and Petition by Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested, to the Attorney General of the United States, Tenth & Constitution, Washington, DC 20530, having heretofore filed a written answer and appeared; to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$3,251.12 with interest from the 19th day of July, 1990 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 31st day of August, 1990
Mickey Counts
SHERIFF FISHER COUNTY,
TEXAS
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Tract I: Being all that certain West Half of Lots 7, 8, and 9 in Block 34 of the Original Town of Roby, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Deed of record in Volume 433, Page 292 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 31st day of August, 1990 as the property of TOMMIE JACK STUART, 300 N. Church, Roby, Texas 79543; CAROLE STUART, 300 N. Church, Roby, Texas 79543; COY STUART (IN REM ONLY), Route 1, Roby, Texas 79543; to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2,203.66 with interest from the 19th day of July, 1990 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROBY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 31st day of August, 1990 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of HOBBS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL. vs. WALTER CAVE; Cause #4216 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 a.m. on the 2nd day of October, 1990 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 76.50 acre tract of land in Section 6, Block 3, H&TC Ry. Co. Survey, Fisher County, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Deed of record in Volume 245, Page 406 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Tract II: Being all that certain 76.50 acre tract of land in Section 6, Block 3, H&TC Ry. Co. Survey, Fisher County, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Deed of record in Volume 245, Page 406 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 31st day of August, 1990 as the property of WALTER CAVE, Route 1, Box 1080, Rotan, Texas 79546; JUDY A. CAVE, Route 1, Box 1080, Rotan, Texas 79546; UNITED STATES OF AMERICA (IN REM ONLY), by virtue of that Federal Tax Lien filed on February 10, 1986, of record in Volume 3, Page 7 of the Federal Tax Lien Records of Fisher County, Texas (Filed against Walter & Judy Cave, Route 2, Rotan, Texas 79546; 1040 Tax; ID No. 459-80-4023; Serial No. 123117; \$235.82; Filed by Dallas District Office), said United States may be served by delivering a copy of the Citation and Petition to the United States Attorney for the Northern District of Texas and by mailing two (2) copies of the Citation and Petition by Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested, to the Attorney General of the United States, Tenth & Constitution, Washington, DC 20530; to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$4,044.20 with

interest from the 25th day of May, 1989 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of HOBBS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 31st day of August, 1990
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SHERIFF FISHER COUNTY,
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NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 31st day of August, 1990 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT vs. WILLIS JARREL; Cause #4247 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 a.m. on the 2nd Day of October, 1990 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 .001953 Royalty and Mineral Interest in Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease No. 4140, Round Top (P. P.), Tract 15 out of the North Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 80, Block 1, H&TC Ry. Co. Survey, Fisher County, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Mineral Deed of record in Volume 153, Page 481 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Tract II: Being all that certain .001220 Royalty and Mineral Interest in Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease No. 4220, Round Top (P. P.), Tract 23 out of the South Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 80, Block 1, H&TC Ry. Co. Survey, Fisher County, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Mineral Deed of record in Volume 153, Page 481 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Tract III: Being all that certain .001953 Royalty and Mineral Interest in Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease No. 4404, Round Top Canyon Sand Unit Tract 4 out of the North Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 80, Block 1, H&TC Ry. Co. Survey, Fisher County, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Mineral Deed of record in Volume 153, Page 481 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Tract IV: Being all that certain .001221 Royalty and Mineral Interest in Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease No. 4405, Round Top Canyon Sand Unit, Tract 5 out of the South Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section 80, Block 1, H&TC Ry. Co. Survey, Fisher County, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Mineral Deed of record in Volume 153, Page 481 of the Deed Records of Fisher County.

Levied on the 31st day of August, 1990 as the property of WILLIS JARREL, 207 Tyler Bank Building, Tyler, Texas 75702; to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$886.70 with interest from the 19th day of July 1990 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 31st day of August, 1990 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of MCCAULLEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT vs. J. EOFF, if living; Cause #4258 and to me, Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 a.m. on the 2nd day of October, 1990 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 4, 5 and 6 in Block 26 of the Original Town of Sylvester, Texas, and being more particularly described in those certain Deeds of record in Volume 50, Page 477, Volume 50, Page 478 and Volume 55, Page 191 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 31st day of August, 1990 as the property of J. EOFF, if living; EDMUND C. YATES, if living; ESTHER CARROLL COPELAND, if living; ETHEL SPANN, if living; GERTRUDE HERBELIN, if living; DEAL CARROLL, if living; MATT J. CARROLL, if living; L. B. CARROLL, if living; ANNIE BELL ESTES, if living; STERLING P. CARROLL, if living; CLAYTON CARROLL, if living; B. L. CARROLL, if living; F. E. CARROLL, if living; BARBARA ANN CARROLL, if living; PHIL

CARROLL, if living; SUSAN CARROLL, if living; to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$306.08 with interest from the 19th day of July, 1990 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of MCCAULLEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, ET AL.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFFS SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF FISHER

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32nd Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 31st day of August, 1990 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of ROBY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT vs. EDWARD DRAYTON; Cause #4322 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 a.m. on the 2nd Day of October, 1990 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 that certain Lot 7 in Block 3 of the Roby Independent School District No. 7 Subdivision of Block 39 of the R. C. Royston Subdivision of the El Paso County School Land Town Block to the City of Roby, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Deed of record in Volume

293, Page 587 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

Levied on the 31st day of August, 1990 as the property of EDWARD DRAYTON, 4656 Gardena Drive, Riverside, California 93506; ADELL DRAYTON, if living; to satisfy a judgment amounting to 141.07 with interest from the 19th day of July 1990 at 10 per cent, per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of ROTAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT.

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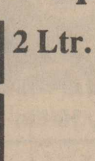
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Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company has filed an application with the Texas Public Utility Commission to introduce new optional services - Call Control Options. The initial service areas will be Laredo, McAllen and Austin. Expansion into other service areas will be based on availability. Customers in other areas will be notified when these services become available.

Call Control Options include six new services - Call Blocker, Call Cue, Call Return, Priority Call, Call Trace and Selective Call Forwarding. The features will be available to single-line residence and business customers.

Call Blocker - enables the customer to block incoming calls from a maximum of three specified telephone numbers and/or to block the last incoming call.

Call Cue - enables the customer to automatically redial the last outgoing telephone number dialed. If the recalled number is busy, equipment will monitor the line for a maximum of 30 minutes and will let the customer know when the call can go through.

Call Return - enables the customer to automatically redial the telephone number of the most recent incoming call. If the number is busy, Call Return will continue to dial the number for up to 30 minutes, or until it completes the call.

Priority Call - provides the customer with a distinctive alerting signal, ring or Call Waiting Tone (if the customer has subscribed to Call Waiting), when the customer is called from a maximum of three preselected telephone numbers.

Call Trace - enables the customer to initiate a trace of the last incoming call received. The number, date and time will be recorded by Southwestern Bell Telephone so that the call's origin can be identified.

Selective Call Forwarding - enables the customer to forward incoming calls from specified telephone numbers (maximum of three) to another telephone number.

Proposed Rates (monthly)

	Residence		Business	
	Individual	Packaged	Individual	Packaged
Call Blocker	\$3.00	3.00	\$3.00	2.00
Call Return	3.00	3.00	4.00	3.50
Priority Call	2.50	1.00	3.00	2.00
Call Cue	2.00	2.00	4.00	3.50
Selective Call Forwarding	2.00	1.00	2.65	1.00
Call Trace**	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00

Installation charges for residence customers will be \$2.70 per feature, with a maximum installation charge of \$5.40 per request per line. Installation charges for business customers will be \$5.40 per feature, with a maximum installation charge of \$10.75 per request per line.

The proposed date for Call Control Options to be offered is October 7, 1990. These services, however, will not immediately be available to all customers in all areas of the state. Customers in other areas will be notified when these services become available.

Call Control Options are projected to generate first-year annual revenues of \$1,900,000.

Persons who wish to comment on this application should notify the commission by September 27, 1990. Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or you may call the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



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*Some telephone equipment may not be compatible with Priority Call Service.
**In addition to the \$1.00 monthly rate, Call Trace will cost \$8.00 per use.

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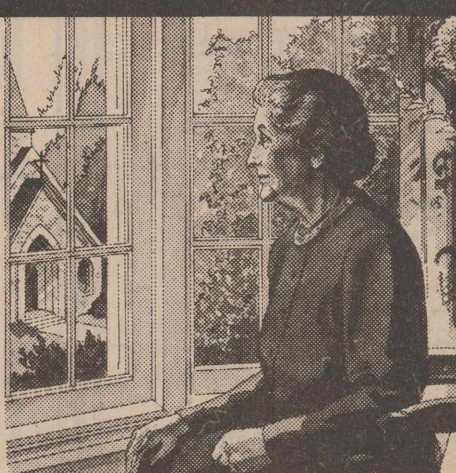
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