

ember 8, 1983, Rotan Advance-Roby Star

## Rotan Varsity Girls

### Defeated By C. City

an varsity girls team lost by the 5-54 to Colorado a total of 8 girls d in the scoring for Rotan in the

scoring honors went e Rotan players: Whitefield, Desiree

Gray and Georgette Ramirez each had 6 points in the game. Others scoring were Kristi Holt 2; Shelly Hayes 5; Cathy Conner 4; Tina Mendoza 5; and Annette Overby 1.

Other team members included: Dilana Long and Sonia Carrillo.

## Rotan J.V. Girls Win

Rotan junior varsity behind an 11 point ag birrage by Yoland n, defeated Colorado by the score of 31-41 week.

an trailed 5-4 at the of the first quarter; ped to a 20-11 halftime d; and pushed that lead

to 32-20 at the end of the third period.

Scoring for Rotan was Penny Yanez 4; Pearl Huit 2; Mary Williams 2; Rochelle Huit 2; Helen Reese 2; Evette Gruben 10; Cindy Gaspar 4; Sherrie King 2 and Vicki Wright 2.

## Roby 8th Grade Wins



## Fisher County bas Supp By A



GOES UP FOR SHOT: Darren Pinkard, far right, goes up for a shot while, Edward Martinez and Brad Long, white jerseys, look on. Player to the right, Darry Thomson of Roby. The Rotan and Roby varsity boys will be playing at the Roby Invitational Tournament on Thursday.

## Fisher County Gins Hit 11,186 Bales For Season

The Rotan Gin jumped out to a commanding lead by ginning 1640 bales of cotton last week giving them a total of 4020 bales for the season. They took the lead over the six other gins, over doubling total production of second place Hobbs Gin with a yearly total of 1995. Hobbs ginned 720 bales last week.

Third place in total production went to Farmers Union Coop Gin with weekly production of 433 and total yearly bales of 1478.

The Terry Gin in Roby held down fourth position with 1760 bales; fifth place went to Farmers Gin at Rotan with 1064 bales;

sixth to Sylvester Gin with 464 and seventh place to

Longworth Gin with 336 bales.

## C.D. "Monk" Herron Will Seek Commissioner Post

C.D. "Monk" Herron has authorized this newspaper to announce his intention to become a candidate for the Fisher County elected post of Commissioner of Precinct #1. Herron is the first candi-

seek re-election due to health reasons.

Herron was born in Sylvester in 1920, attended Sylvester schools and graduated from Draughtons Business School in Lubbock. He is the son of Mrs. Buela Herron, a resident of the Golden Haven Nursing Home in Roby and the late Med Herron.

Monk Herron and his wife "Bill" have 4 children. Wanda Hennington

date to announce for any county race and is seeking the post currently held by W.A. Cross. Cross has announced that he will not

## Rotan Ministerial Alliance Seeking Toys For Needy

The members of the Rotan Ministerial Alliance are seeking donations of new toys in order that a

ministry to the needy at Christmas may be realized.

The alliance member pastors: Joe Norton, Nazarene; Fred Brown, Methodist; David Geisen, Four Square; Bubba Stahl, Calvary Baptist; Darrell Monday, First Baptist and Mike O'Neill, Cross Roads Baptist are soliciting toys in order that they may distribute them to needy youngsters at Christmas.

Those interested in donating toys are asked to contact one of the Ministerial Alliance member pastors.

Persons interested in receiving toys for their children, neighbors or friends are asked to write (no calls) the Rotan Ministerial Alliance, c/o Mike O'Neill, Cross Roads Baptist Church, Rotan, Texas 79546 giving particulars of the circumstances that involve the need.

## Roby Band Christmas Program

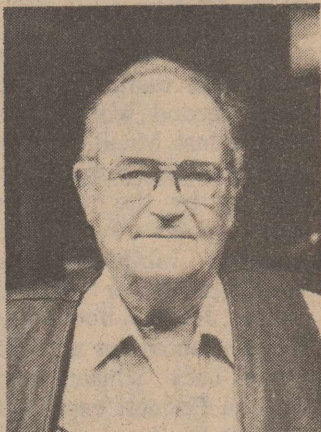
The Roby Band will be playing it's annual Christmas program on Tuesday, December 13th, at 7:00 p.m. This program will feature music from the 5th grade band, Junior High band, and High School band.

Everyone is urged to attend this concert.

## Roby Baptist Youth Choir

### Cantata Wed.

The Youth Choir of First Baptist Church of Roby will present a cantata, "Come See the Baby" under the direction of Linda Montgomery on Wednesday, December 14th at 7:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

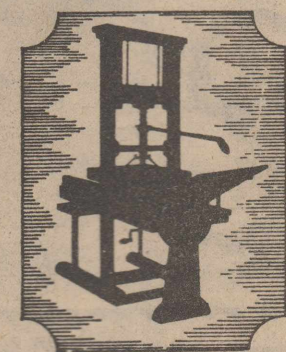


C.D. "Monk" Herron

of San Marcos; Carolyn Polk of Houston; Sandra Pullig of Roby and Mike Herron of Sylvester. The couple have 10 grandchildren.

C.D. Herron and Bill are members of the Methodist Church. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge and Eastern Star.

"I am announcing my intentions to be a candidate for the Fisher County elected post of Commissioner of Precinct #1. I feel I am qualified to seek this position and want to take this opportunity to ask all residents of Precinct #1 for the opportunity to serve the county by soliciting your vote".



## Roby Star-Record

The Voice Of Fisher County Since 1907

# ROTAN ADVANCE

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TWELVE PAGES

## First Methodist Church Will Present Living Nativity Dec. 21st In Rotan

The First United Methodist Church of Rotan will present the annual Live Nativity Pageant, as their gift to the community, on Wednesday, December 21 at 8 P.M.

This gift has been an annual event for the past several years, beginning with a live nativity scene in the church yard, people drove by in their cars to view the symbol of Christ's birth.

Wanting to make it even more special, last year some changes were made by adding narration and a choir to sing the traditional Christmas hymns.

Several of the men are again growing beards to make it as authentic as possible. Also live ani-

mals will be used in the scenes. This year new costumes are being made and new scenery pieces

are being added.

The Children Choir will open the program with several Christmas selec-

tions.

The dramatization will be staged across the street east of the church. The street will be blocked and seating will be provided in the church yard.

Following the performance everyone is invited to have refreshments and a time of visiting in the Fellowship Hall.

Rev. Fred Brown, Pastor, and the entire congregation of First United Methodist Church give you this special invitation to come and bring your family and friends to accept and enjoy our Gift to the community.

## Rotan Police, Sheriff Called To Investigate VFW Burglary

Law enforcement officers of the Rotan Police Department and Fisher County Sheriff's Department investigated the theft of approximately \$350.00 in money from the Fisher

County Veteran's of Foreign War Post in Rotan.

The theft was reported to Rotan Police Chief H.W. Grady and supposedly took place late Wednesday night, November 30th or early Thursday, December

1st.

The theft allegedly involved approximately \$350.00 in bingo receipts and some related papers. Entry to the VFW was gained by breaking into the west door of the post.

## County Appraisal Board Adopts \$110,150.00 Budget

The 1984 adopted budget of \$110,150.00 by the Fisher County Appraisal District represents a reduction of approximately \$15,000.00 from the 1983 budget and the cuts came primarily in the areas of budgeted salaries, accord-

ing to Ginger Green, Fisher County Chief Appraiser.

In 1983 the Appraisal Board budgeted \$20,000 for Chief Appraiser Salary.

In 1984 the budgeted amount was decreased to \$15,000. In 1983 the board

budgeted \$30,000 for salaries for clerks and in 1984 the clerks salaries were reduced to \$20,000. In 1983 there were three full time clerks and a part time employee, in 1984 there will only be two full time clerks.

Of the nine jurisdictions that are members of the Fisher County Appraisal District, Fisher County and the Fisher County Hospital District have the highest total valuations (each are \$331,261,618.00). The Hospital District

tax rate is .17 bringing in a total of \$563,144.75 in tax dollars while the Fisher County tax rate is .30 which will generate \$993,784.85 in tax dollars.

Based on the total tax levy, Fisher County is the largest financial contribu-

tor to the Appraisal District with 30% of the annual payment or \$33,045.00. The Rotan School District (\$19,716.85); Fisher County Hospital District (\$18,835.65) and Roby School District (\$14,870.25) rank next in order of financial contributions to the district.

| 1984 Adopted Budget \$110,150 |             |          | 1984 PAYMENTS 11-16-83 |            | Taken from 8-2-83 Certified Totals |              |              |
|-------------------------------|-------------|----------|------------------------|------------|------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| JURISDICTION                  | TOTAL VALUE | TAX RATE | TAX LEVY               | %TOT. LEVY | ANNUAL PAYMENT                     | QUARTER      | QUARTER      |
| HOSPITAL                      | 331,261,618 | .17      | 563,144.75             | 17.1%      | 18,835.65                          | (3) 4,708.91 | (1) 4,708.92 |
| HOBBS I.S.D.                  | 57,790,161  | .40      | 231,160.64             | 7 %        | 7,710.50                           | (2) 1,927.62 | (2) 1,927.63 |
| ROTAN I.S.D.                  | 70,663,824  | .84      | 593,576.12             | 17.9%      | 19,716.85                          | (3) 4,929.21 | (1) 4,929.22 |
| ROBY I.S.D.                   | 54,040,786  | .83      | 448,538.52             | 13.5%      | 14,870.25                          | (3) 3,717.56 | (1) 3,717.57 |
| MCCAULLEY I.S.D.              | 35,620,686  | .90      | 320,586.17             | 9.7%       | 10,684.55                          | (3) 2,671.14 | (1) 2,671.13 |
| ROTAN CITY                    | 18,876,166  | .42      | 79,279.90              | 2.4%       | 2,643.60                           | (4) 660.90   |              |
| ROTAN WATER                   | 30,909,454  | .14      | 43,273.24              | 1.3%       | 1,431.95                           | (3) 357.99   | (1) 357.98   |
| ROBY CITY                     | 8,061,716   | .30      | 37,083.89              | 1.1%       | 1,211.65                           | (3) 302.91   | (1) 302.92   |
| FISHER COUNTY                 | 331,261,618 | .30      | 993,784.85             | 30 %       | 33,045.00                          | (4) 8,261.25 |              |
| Total Levy                    |             |          | 3,310,428.08           | 100 %      | 110,150.00                         |              |              |



## Tax Planning by Gerald Rodgers, CPA



### YEAR END DEADLINES

Tax Planning by Gerald Rodgers, CPA

Year end tax planning may require that decisions be made before December 31st.

In no particular order here is a potpourri of year end planning considerations of interest to many taxpayers.

1. Cash basis taxpayers should review the possibility of deferring receipt of income until 1984 when the tax rates will be lower.

2. Accelerate your 1983 tax deductions where possible. Examples of this are making year end charitable contributions, paying interest on outstanding loans up to December 31st, and paying year end payables before December 31st.

3. Keogh plans must be set up by December 31st even though you have until April 15th to make your annual contribution.

4. Individual Retirement Accounts (IRA) need not be set up nor the contribution made until the due date (including extensions) of your tax return. You can contribute 100% of your compensation up to \$2,000. All employees and self-employed persons can have an IRA even if they are under some other qualified retirement plan.

5. Gifts from one individual to another now have an annual \$10,000 exclusion as opposed to the old \$3,000. If your spouse joins in making the gift you can transfer \$20,000 per year to any one recipient. 1983 gifts must be made by December 31st.

6. For 1983, the deduction for married couples when both work has been increased to 10% of the first \$30,000 of "qualified earned income" of the lower-earning spouse.

7. A year end equipment purchase for business purposes, such as a farm pickup or tractor in the case of a farmer, entitles you to a depreciation deduction plus investment credit. As an alternative, you can expense up to \$5,000 in 1983, however, you would not be eligible for the investment credit.

Year end tax planning with your accountant is an important step in minimizing your taxes.

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## Rotan Varsity Boys

### Defeated By C. City

The Rotan Yellowhammers boys basketball team suffered their first loss of the year last week at the hands of a strong Colorado City team by the score of 67-56.

### Rotan 7th Grade Girls Win Game

The Rotan 7th grade girls basketball team recorded their second win of the season last Monday night by defeating Roby's 7th graders by the score of 26-17.

Lynette McQueen was the high scorer with 6 points. Jeri Lyn Boone was the top rebounder with 14 while Lucy Stinson and Shanna Bennett each had 4 steals for the night.

Others scoring were Shanna Bennett 5 points; Jeri Lyn Boone 4; Carye Gruben 4; Vicky Martinez 2; Julie Pease 2 and Lucy Stinson 1.

Other team members were Jenny Dickson and Jeanie Wyrick.

Rotan exploded with 18 points in both the first and final quarters, with 10 points in both the third and second quarters, but couldn't overcome the Colorado City lead.

Three Rotan players were clustered together for high point honors in the loss. Sammy Turner hit for 19 points while team mates Ben Bryan and Greg Gruben each had 15 points. Others scoring were Endgate Adkins 6; Charles Williams 1; Louis Santibanez 1.

Other varsity team members are Randy Martinez, Tony Gruben, Rodney Pearson and Joseph Cabrera.

## Fisher County

### Weekly

SCHEDULE  
December

ROBY BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT continuing the varsity teams from Rotan & McCauley BASKETBALL in this tournament will be the ROTAN GIRLS: 7th, 8th basketball at Snyder begin FISHHER COUNTY SENIOR p.m. at the Senior Citizens

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9  
ROBY BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT McCauley BASKETBALL

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10  
ROTAN BAND: Region II

MONDAY, DECEMBER 12  
ROTAN F.H.A.: Christmas

ROTAN STUDENT COUNCIL ROTAN VOLUNTEER FIRE at the fire hall

ROTAN YOUNG FARMERS Agriculture Building FISHHER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT: 8:00 p.m. at the Court House

ROTAN SCHOOL BOARD: 7:30 p.m. ROBY SCHOOL BOARD: 7:30 p.m.

FISHHER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS COURT: 9:00 a.m. at the Court House.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 13  
ROTAN PRIMARY CHRISTMAS PROGRAM: 7:00 p.m. at the High School Auditorium

FISHHER COUNTY SENIOR CITIZENS: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Building

ROTAN CITY COUNCIL: 7:00 p.m. at the City Hall McCauley SCHOOL BOARD: 7:30 p.m.

HOBBES SCHOOL BOARD: 7:00 p.m. ROTAN YOUNG HOMEMAKERS: 7:30 p.m. in the Homemaking Room.

ROTAN GIRLS BASKETBALL: Varsity, J.V. and 9th Grade girl vs. Snyder, there, beginning at 4:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14  
ROTAN HIGH SCHOOL: Christmas band assembly at 1:45 p.m.

If you would like your organizations activities in this section call 735-2877.

# Treat BRANDS-Great SAVINGS

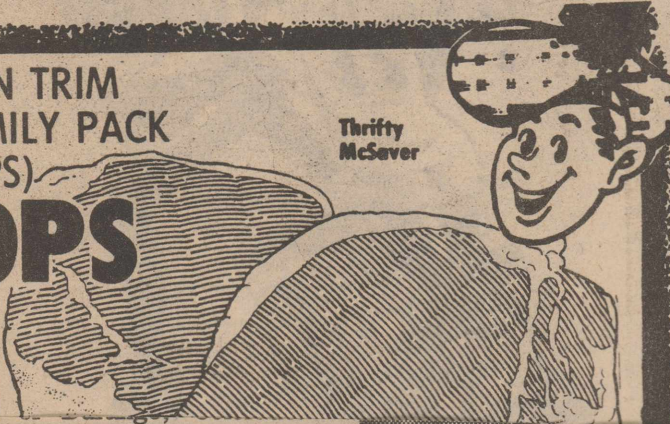
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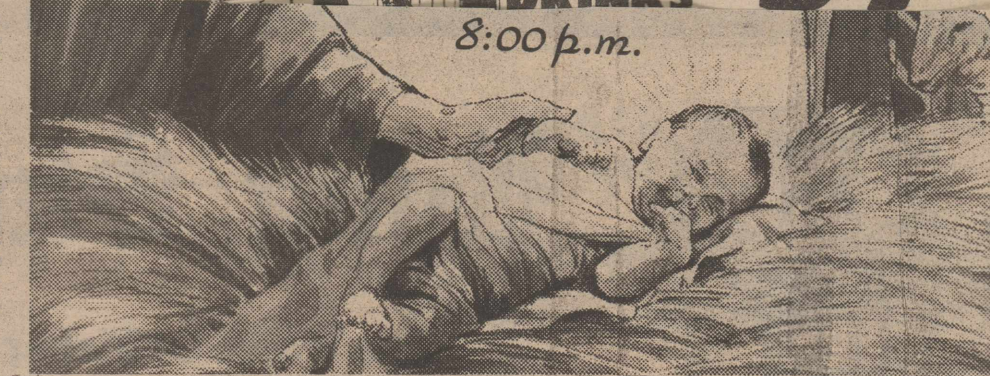


Visiting Mrs. Goodman and Nancy Bagwell was Austin and Empress Bagwell of San Antonio, Mrs. McBeth of Rotan and her sister, Flora Williams of Los Cruces, N.M. Visiting Johnnie Trejo was Mike and Vera Rodriguez of Abilene. Visiting Maude Gruben was her daughter Inez Purser of Merkel. Lora Cleveland

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Sunday Isaiah 12:1-6  
Monday Isaiah 4:2-6  
Tuesday Ezekiel 34:11-31  
Wednesday Ezekiel 36:16-38  
Thursday Zechariah 12:1-14  
Friday Acts 15:1-21  
Saturday Malachi 3:13  
4:6

It was quite a wreck and no one thought it would ever run again. But now it's back on the track and on its way.

We all know how important it is for people, as well as for trains, to stay on the right track. We know that one of the biggest influences in keeping people there is the Church.

We also know that even when people have gotten a little bit off the track, it is never too late to get on again. The Church isn't just a passing station. Instead, no matter where you are, it is always near and ready and waiting.

Get back on track and attend Church this week.

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## Golden Haven Nursing Home

We would like to thank the Anonymous person for their gift to our residents. Family and friends are invited to the Golden Haven Home December 17th at 1:30 p.m. for the residents Christmas party. Santa will be here with all kinds of goodies.

Mayme McCanlies and Ruth Webb are in the hospital. We wish them a speedy recovery.

Visiting Beulah Herron was Meddie Rollins of New Mexico. Visiting Letha Meek was Charles and Norma Meek of Sylvester. Visiting Mary Hurst was Lee Stewart and

Mary of Andrews. Visiting Cora Perkins was Inez Purser of Merkel. Visiting Elizabeth Hale was Armond and Nell Hale of Lamesa. Visiting Janet Conley was Faith Davis, Charity Lawson and Hope Brook of Sweetwater. Nola Jones of Merkel and Zelma Parsons of Odessa visited with Beulah Herron and Ezell Whitten. Visiting Julia Harvey was Leigh Harvey of Lago Vista. Visiting Ezell Whitten was Lee Ward of Hamlin.

Our weekly and monthly bingo winner was Octavaneous Harrell.

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## County Young Farmers

### Meeting Set Dec. 12th

The Fisher County Young Farmers will hold their December Organizational meeting Monday, December 12th. The Young Farmers are sponsoring and serving a Bar-B-Que dinner at this dinner. All members and prospective members are invited to attend.

Other business that will be included in this meeting session will be election

of officers for 83-84, the State Convention to be held in Austin Jan. 19-21, and discuss a ski trip in Jan. or Feb. The Young Farmers and guests will play a few hands of dominoes after the business meeting. All Young Farmers who are not a part of this organization are being given a special invitation to come and take part in this meeting and dinner.

### Legal Notice

Fisher County Commissioners Court will accept sealed bids on a used D6 Caterpillar-as is. This machine can be seen at Fisher County Precinct 3 barn located in Rotan, Texas. Bids will be opened in Fisher County Commissioners Court, Monday, December 12, 1983 at 9 a.m. Commissioners reserve the right to accept or reject all bids.

Marshall Bennett  
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## Fisher County Students In WTC Voice Ensemble

Sunday (Dec. 11) in the First United Methodist Church.

The program will include traditional carols and modern Christmas music.

Members of the Ensemble who will be performing

are Robert Allen of Roby; Donna Andrews of San

Angelo; Todd Jeffrey of McCauley; Duncan Joys of Lubbock; Veda Owens and Stephan Ortiz of Sweetwater; Robert Turnlee of Ozona; Mitch Leaming and Joe Martin of Nash-

ville, Tenn.; Jack Rylant of Post; Joyce Cook, Denise Bode, Rosie Perales and Tommy Collum of Snyder, and Kevin Huddleston of Ira.

The group is under the

direction of Jane Womack. Cheri Stewart will be pianist and Barbara Big-ham will provide a special narration. There is no charge for admission to the program.

### Fisher County Hospital Auxiliary Meeting

The Fisher County Hospital Auxiliary Volunteers met December 5th with 20 members present. A luncheon salad is planned for December 14th from 11:30 to 12:30 at the Fisher County Hospital for the pink ladies and their husbands and hospital staff, Doctors and wives and nurses.

Please bring a salad or dessert.

The next meeting is the 1st Wednesday in January, Jan. 4th at 9 o'clock. Please try to come.

We are sorry to report that only 35 units of blood were taken at the blood drive. Despite the fact that our county has 5,000 residents. Some people cannot give blood, some are too old, but there are a lot of healthy young men and women. Remember you might have an accident or sickness and need blood.

### New Books Listed At Rotan Library

The library is a good source of practical information, and entertainment for young people and adults. A variety of books

### County Clowns Plan To Make Anson Parade

Thirty-five Fisher County 4-H clowns participated in the Sweetwater Christmas Parade. The group plans to go to the Anson Christmas Parade on Dec. 17th. The group has been named "Clowns, Incorporated" and is for 4-H'ers from Roby and Rotan in grades 5, 6, 7, 8. High School 4-H'ers serve as Junior Leaders for the group.

### "The First 107 Years of Fisher County History" Is Ready For Delivery

Please bring your receipts to:

Senior Citizens Bldg., next to the Hospital, Wednesday, Dec. 7th-1:30 to 4:00 p.m.

Homestate Savings and Loan Community Room, Thursday, Dec. 8-1:30 to 4:00 p.m.

County Courthouse Annex in Roby, Friday, Dec. 9-1:30 to 4:00 p.m.

Additional books will be for sale at Senior Citizens Bldg. and Courthouse Annex at Reg. price \$14.50 plus tax \$15.23

Books will also be available starting after noon Dec. 7 at Roby Flower Shop, Roby; Summers Pharmacy, Garcia's House of Flowers and Martin's Feed and Garden in Rotan. Reg. price \$14.50 plus tax \$15.23.

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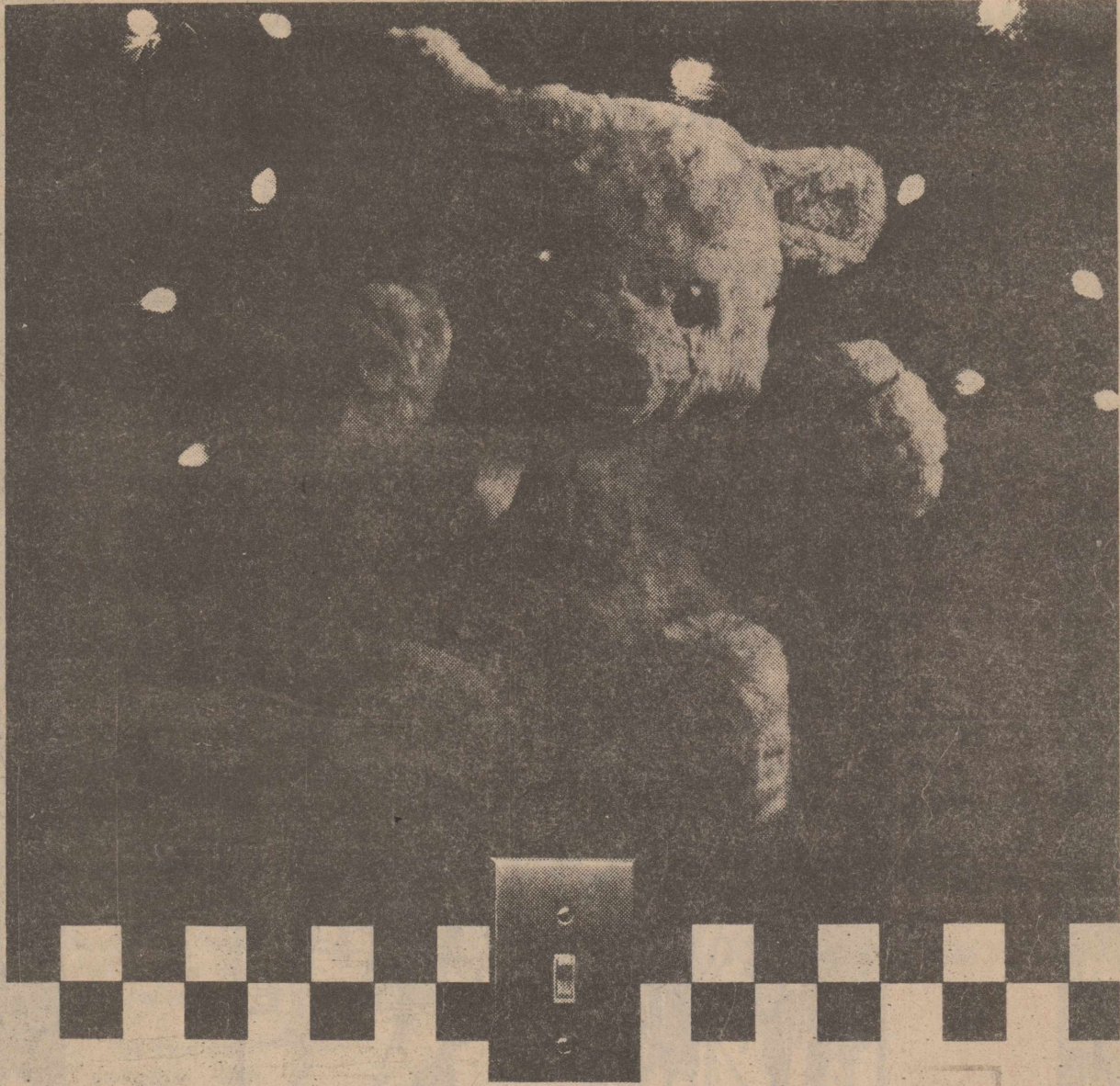
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## TURN ON A CHILD'S CHRISTMAS

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From now until December 20, everyone who donates a new toy or cash donation of \$10 to United Cable's Toys for Tots will get a free installation. That means you will be able to enjoy all the original sports, information and entertainment that United Cable has to offer at a real savings. Or, if you already subscribe to United Cable, you'll be able to take advantage of so much more for so much less.

Christmas is a time for sharing. Share a little you've been given by bringing your toy to United Cable's offices anytime during regular business hours until 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 20, 1983.

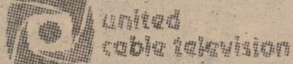
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| <p>Rich-N-Ready<br/>1 Gal.<br/><b>Drink 99¢</b></p> | Del Monte Early Garden 17 Oz.<br><b>Peas 2/89¢</b>             | Zesta 1LB.<br><b>Saltines 89¢</b>                                 |
| <p><b>Double Coupons<br/>On Wednesday</b></p>       |                                                                | Gandys 1/2 Gal.<br><b>Buttermilk \$1.29</b>                       |
| Kleenex 125 Ct.<br><b>Facial Tissue 69¢</b>         | Gooch Bologna<br><b>\$1.39 LB.</b>                             | <b>Carrots 39¢ Bag</b>                                            |
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Fisher County

Grandparents Corner

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



Brandi and Bradey Murphree, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Murphree, Rotan. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Crawford and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Murphree, all of Rotan. Paternal great grandmother is Mrs. V.B. Murphree of Rotan; Maternal great grandmother is Mrs. Lois Deel of Mineral Wells.

## Dallas Neals Celebrating 50th Weeding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Neal will be honored Sunday, December 11th at a reception in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary from 2 to 4 in Fisher County Senior Citizens Building.

Children of the couple are, Mrs. Durwood (Loretta) Smith of Brady, Mrs. Roy (Dorothy) Riley of Midland, Mrs. Winfred

(Johnnie) Rogers of Sweetwater and Neal Neal of Amrillo will host the reception with their spouses and children. Neal was born Feb. 5th, 1911 in Milan, Texas. Mrs. Neal, the former Lucy Cozby was born at Celeste, Texas. They met at Tuxedo and married Dec. 12, 1933 where they lived 12 years before mov-

ing to Rotan. They have lived 38 years at their present place 3 miles east of Rotan. Neal worked for Rotan Cotton Oil Mill 16 years and farmed part time. The couple has seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren. They are members of the Calvary Baptist Church.



Mr. & Mrs. Dallas Neal

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### Daughter Born To Michael Lovvorns

Ron Lovvorn would like to announce the birth of his baby sister, Kimberly Michelle, born Tuesday, Nov-

ember 29th at 6:50 in Stamford. She weighed 7 lbs. 12 oz. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Michael L. Lovvorn.

### Smith Monuments -Curbing

J.B. Smith

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Rotan, Texas

### Sheriff Investigates Money Theft

Fisher County Sheriff's Department officers investigated the theft of a social security check and \$140.00 in cash from the purse of Mrs. LaMerle Denton, an employee of the Golden Haven Nursing Home in Roby, early this week, according to Fisher County Sheriff Mickey Counts.

Counts indicated that the theft took place on Sunday, December 4th and was reported to his office on Monday, December 5th. The social security check was in the amount of \$267.00, making the total amount stolen \$407.00.

The incident is under investigation by County and Deputy L.H. Hicks.

### Well Child Clinic Set

The Texas Department of Health is sponsoring a "Well Child Nurse Clinic" on Wednesday, December 21st and a "Well Child Medical Clinic" on Thursday, December 22nd in Roby.

The Well Child Nurse Clinic is open to children from birth to 12 years: This includes weights, heights, developmental screening, dietary history and counseling, anemia and urine tests, and many other screenings. This is by appointment only. Please call 776-2178 on the first Monday for an appointment.

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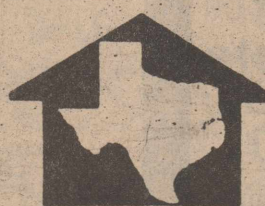
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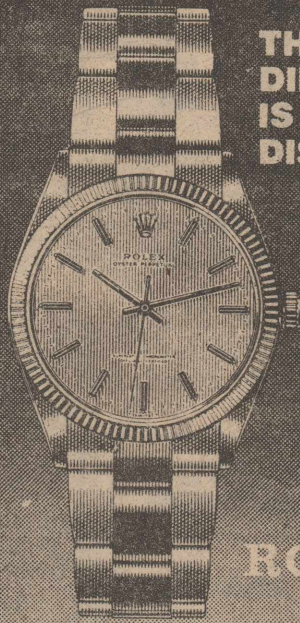
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## County OK'd For Grant

Governor Mark White announced today that he recently authorized a grant of \$720,504 in federal funds to the West Central Texas Area to provide job training programs and employment opportunities for youth and unskilled adults. These programs and funds are authorized under the Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA). The Governor's Office has approved the job training program designed by a locally-appointed Private Industry Council (PIC) and local elected officials. The PIC will oversee this program in Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Kent, Knox, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, Scurry, Shackelford, Stephens

Stonewall, Taylor, and Throckmorton counties. "This job training project is an example of what state and local government, working in partnership with the private sector, can do to put Texans back to work," Governor White said. The JTPA differs from

the decade old CETA program which it replaced by emphasizing a mix of classroom and skills training for career type private sector jobs rather than public works jobs. For further information, contact Sabrina Foster, Governor's Job Training Section, 512-475-1078.

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## Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

Well, another good week for the farmers, but too much moisture to be able to strip much cotton. Its been blowing and Monday the weather was just about perfect, so maybe the fields will begin to get dry enough for the strippers to get back to work. I thought we would all be through by now, but the weather is either too damp or its raining and some folks are probably stripping when they would rather wait a few days for the ground to dry up some more.

Randall Carter, son of Mrs. and Mrs. Billy Carter from Brownwood, spent part of the week-end with his grand-parents Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Cave and visited in Roby with his grandmother, Mrs. Edd Carter. Randall is a student at Western Texas College in Snyder. We are pleased to hear that J.C. is feeling a little better this week and we hope that he will continue to improve.

Mrs. Opal Phillips attended a big Birthday dinner given for her in the home of Mrs. Marie Phillips Thornton. Her birthday is actually on Tuesday, so Happy Birthday to Opal. All of the Phillips, Porters and Hyers attended the dinner, also Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Phillips and Larry Phillips from Post. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cave from Midland spent Saturday and Sunday visiting with the Porters and the remainder of the family.

Mrs. J.W. Etheredge went to Lubbock on Friday and took Mr. and Mrs. Lealon Wilburn so her Dad could get a check-up. He hasn't been feeling too good, and we hope that he will soon begin to feel very much better. The J.W. Etheredges went to Abilene on Saturday and watched the Sweetwater girls

### Final Rites Held For O.A. Smith

Graveside rites for Otie A. Smith, 83, of Fairfield and formerly of Midland, were held Nov. 26 at 1 p.m. in Resthaven Memorial Park with the Rev. Lloyd Lester, retired minister of Calvary Baptist Church, officiating.

Smith died in Fairfield. He was born Aug. 23, 1900 in Penelope, moved to Fisher County at an early age and married Jewell Estelle Daniels on June 10, 1923, in Merkel. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Smith, a pioneer family of Roby. He farmed and was a mechanic in agricultural construction and water well drilling. He drilled water wells in Mexico from 1944 to 1948.

In 1949, Smith moved to Midland and then to Fairfield in 1976.

After the death of his first wife, he remarried on May 21, 1968, in Santa Barbara, California. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church of Midland.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth; a son, Bobby C. Smith of Midland; a daughter, Alma Driskell, of Phoenix, Ariz.; a brother, Don Smith of Lockhart; four sisters, Lavonia Reed of Tredell, Maybell Spence of Bloomfield, N.M., Bessie Lou King of Corpus Christi, and Gwendolyn Merrel of Bedford; two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

### Seekers Gold Show

Seekers are sponsoring Polly Denton and "The Gold Connection". Beautiful Christmas gifts of 14 karat gold jewelry will be displayed for your convenience in Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church, Saturday, December 10, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

play in the Hardin Simmons Basketball tournament. The Sweetwater girls won the tournament. Shannon Wilburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilburn, plays on the Sweetwater team. Mr. and Mrs. James Sherrill from Sweetwater were also there at the ballgame, also Mr. and Mrs. Lealon Wilburn and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wilburn. Mrs. Eunice Arp from Roby spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kincaid.

Jim and I have been keeping busy this past week, going to Basketball games. We went to 4 games at Rotan Monday night; the 7th and 8th grade boys and girls played Hamlin. Tuesday we watched 4 more games at Colorado City. Junior Varsity and Varsity Boys and Girls played that night. Thursday we went to Snyder and watched 2 games, Freshman and Junior Varsity girls played Snyder. Then because we hadn't seen enough basketball, we attended the last three games of the Hardin Simmons girls tournament on Tuesday. Watched Merkel vs. Hawley, Abilene High vs. Seminole and then Sweetwater vs. Colorado City. Saw some real good games. We spent the day at Abilene on Saturday as I think did everyone else; I have never seen such crowds.

Sunday was Jim's birthday and he is now a fully fledged Senior Citizen. He got cards from his sisters, and one sister who lives in California called him yesterday. We also heard from Melody and Sunday evening after church Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Gruben and family and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Gruben and family visited with us for a short while.

Morris Hardin from Lubbock visited over the weekend and Monday with his mother, Mrs. Bea Hardin.

Well, this is about all for this week. Everyone seems to be getting real busy now as the holidays approach.

See you Thursday.

# Rotan Methodist Church Elects New Church Officers

The membership of the First United Methodist Church of Rotan met for their annual charge conference last Sunday with District Superintendent Dr. Darris Egger of Abilene.

Two of the main items to come before the charge conference were (1) Election of Church officers for the 1984 calendar year and (2) approval of the 1984 budget.

The 1984 budget of \$54,636.00 was approved by the local church. The budget was divided into three categories (a) Local Expenditures-\$44,215.00 to include salaries, insurance, utilities, Vacation Bible School supplies, etc. (b) Apportionments-\$10,021.00 to include District work, Wesley Foundation, Texas Methodist College Association, Dist. Supt. Fund, Missions, Education Fund, etc. and (c) Special Offering Causes-\$400.00.

In other action the local church approved the appointment of the following members to church offices for the 1984 year. Lay

Leader-Buck Denton; Lay Member To Annual Conference-Alvis McArthur; Chairman Pastor-Parish Relations Committee-Kim Pease; Communion Steward-Pauline Fleming; Secretary Nominations-Janece Pease; Custodian-Mary Blanton; Chairman of Administrative Board-Joe Dale Burk; Alternate Lay Member of Annual Conference-G.W. Crawford; Finance Committee Chairman-Mr. Jerry Marshall; McMurry Annual Fund Chairman-Joe Dale Burk; Chairman of Board of Trustees-Perry Thomson; Chairman of Records and History-Nan Arnett; Recording Secretary-Janis Collins; Chairman of Council on Ministries-Sheila Murphree; Health-Welfare Reporter-Betty Kiker; Membership Secretary-Debbie Mercer; Music Director-Mary Ann Marshall; Chairman of Parson-

age Committee-Golda Springer; Archives and History Chairman-Nan Arnett.

Other members of the Council on Ministries: (Work Area Chairmen) Education-Gayle Duke; Evangelism-William Duke; Church and Society-Connie Hargrove; Missions-William Duke; Stewardship & Finance-Dr. Jerry Marshall; Worship-David Hargrove; Communications Coordinator-Pat Cox; Church School Secretary-Oleta McNaron; Youth Member to Council-Meg Field.

Age Level Coordinators-Children-Jan Wetsel; Youth-Dot Harris; Adults-Stephanie Dickson; Supt. Church School-Gayle Duke; Nursery-Aurora Martinez; Young Adult Member Council-Alva Mercer.

Administrative Board Members At Large (1984) Vick Burk, Robert Phillips, Monte Morrow, Wayne Harris, Patti Morrow and Lisa Cade (1985) G.W.

Crawford, Leamon Blanton, Tom Collins, Earl Kiker, L.W. Sparks, John Mercer (1986) Sim Groves, Bruce Box, Yoke Fleming, Ina Berry, Alvis McArthur and Allen Kiker. Pastor Parish Relations Committee (1984) G.W. Crawford, Bonnie Duke and Jerry Dickson. (1985) Kim Pease, Chairman; Mary Ann Marshall and

Janet Sparks (1986) Becky Burk, Barron Wetsel and Mike Cade.

Nominations Committee: 1984-Barron Wetsel, Janece Pease, Sec. and Gayle Duke. (1985) Vick Burk, Janet Sparks and David Hargrove (1986) Gwen Helms and Sheila Murphree.

Board of Trustees: (1984) Carlton Burrow and Rob-

ert Phillips; (1985) Perry Thomson, Chairman; and William Duke (1986) L.W. Sparks and James Springer.

Parsonage Committee: Golda Springer, Chairman; Janis Collins, Patti Morrow and Lisa Cade.

Board Members Emeritus Mrs. Jewell Malouf, Golda Springer and Ruth Strickland.

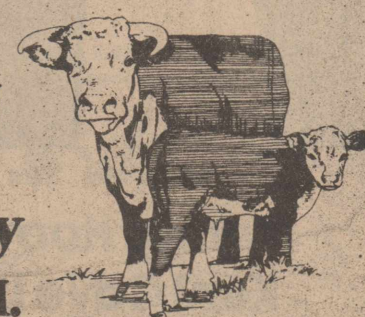
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Mr. & Mrs. Kent Cave

## Teresa Hoover And Kent Cave United

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Cave are at home north of Rotan following their marriage in a ceremony, at Central Baptist Church in Sweetwater, Texas, October 15, 1983. The Rev. Roy Brasher led the couple in repeating double ring wedding vows.

The bride is the former Teresa Hoover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoover and parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Haldean Cave.

Vows were read on the altar which was centered with a brass archway entwined with greenery centered with white silk mums. Flanking the center setting were arrangements of white silk flowers.

Sandra Taylor, pianist, rendered nuptial selections and accompanied Shelly Grassie as she sang, "You Light Up My Life", and "Through The Eyes of Love".

Entering with her father, the bride wore an orchid street length frock fashioned with a V neckline. The blouson bodice was made with a sheer overlay. The sheer sleeves were elbow length.

She carried a white lace fan topped with an arrangement of orchid and white silk flowers and tied with matching ribbons.

The bride's attendant was Mrs. Sharon Gotcher of Sterling City and bridesmaid was Lisa Ayers of Eula, cousin of the bride. The attendants wore orchid floral street length frocks and carried white lace fans and white silk flowers and orchid bows.

Best man to the groom was his brother Reid Cave and groomsmen was another brother Bryan Cave of Houston.

Guests were seated by Neal Hoover, brother of the bride and Jeff Cave, brother of the groom. Immediately following the ceremony was a reception in fellowship hall of the church. The table was laid with an orchid cloth with a white lace overlay. Marking the table center was a three tiered cake decorated with orchid flowers. The bride's attendants flowers were at the base of the cake.

The cake was served by Mrs. Susan Wolfe, cousin of the bride. Presiding at the punch bowl, was Kathy Murphree, sister of the groom. At the brass coffee service was Mrs. Vanessa Cave, sister-in-law of the groom.

Silver and crystal appointments were used. Others in the houseparty were Messrs. and Mmes. Royce Mims, Jessie Young, Kelly Estes and Roger Wolfe and Mrs. Sharon Gotcher.

The couple spent their honeymoon in Ruidosa, N.M. The bride is a 1980 honor graduate of Sweetwater High School and the groom is a graduate of Rotan High School and West Texas State University. He is engaged in ranching in Kent County.

## Fisher County Nursing Home

Well, Christmas decorations are going up fast. The residents are having their party on December 17, at 2:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend. Each resident's family is asked to bring one cake or pie for their family.

Out of town visitors this week were Stella Carter of Abilene visited Elsie Carter. Dossie McCain of Sylvester and Della Maberry of Ira visited Neda Kiser. Bill and Reta Fee of Sylvester and Ike and Jiggs of Sylvester visited Cora Roberts.

We invite all groups, organizations, and individuals to come by. Beverly McKinney

The 1983 8th grade Yellowhammers took on Roby in their second game and

## Hospital News

Patients admitted to Fisher County Hospital from 11-29-83 to 12-05-83 were: Norville Kennedy, Rotan; Margaret Reaid, Rotan; Clara Latham, Rotan; Debbie Mann, Rotan; Kathryn Alaniz, Rotan; LaRue Vann, Rotan; Odell Rains, Rotan; Deena Williamson, Rotan; Sam Cochran, Rotan; Lillian Martin, Rotan; Oran Shelley, Rotan; Minnie Zimmerman, Rotan; Michael Terry, Roby; Marvin Ashley, Roby; Ruth Webb, Roby; Minnie Cole, Rule; Fay Hart, Hamlin; Bruce P. McCain, Haskell; Paul R. Bettis, Stamford.

## Christmas Party Set

The Rotan Young Homemakers will have their Christmas party on Wednesday evening, December 14th at 7:00. It will be

at the Homestate Savings Building. All who are interested in Young Homemakers are welcome. Bring a salad and a gift.

## Fisher County Political Calendar

Rate for listing in the Rotan Advance-Roby Star Record Political Column is \$80.00 for all offices. This fee includes a front-page announcement article and a one-column photograph to be run with the announcement, in addition to the listing in the Political Column from the date the announcement is made until the final election.

Charges for announcements must be paid in advance, and the same policy applies to all political advertising carried in the columns of this newspaper.

Names of candidates for each office will be listed in the Political Column in the order that they are received at the newspaper office.

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## Rotan 8th Grade Boys Lose To Roby

was defeated 42-23. The kids hustled and gave a good effort.

Donnie Gruben fouled out in the second half. Scoring for Rotan went with Daren Ragan and Mitch Whitefield each scoring two in the first

quarter. The second quarter. Donnie Gruben scored a free throw, Steve McClain scored two points and a free throw. The second half started with Donnie Gruben scoring four points in the third quarter. Todd Gruben scored two points and a

free throw.

The 4th quarter Steve McClain scored two points for the Yellowhammers, while Todd Gruben scored two also. The final score was 42-23. The kids gave a good effort. We will just have to improve and look to the next game. We did make some mistakes such as missing easy layups, but the kids did give it their best.

## Rotan 7th Grade Boys Defeated By Lions

The 1983 Yellowhammers 7th Grade took on Roby in its second game and was defeated 41-13.

The scoring for Rotan went with nobody scoring for Rotan in the first quarter. Travis Hale, Randall Tankersly and Kenneth Warren each added two points in the second quarter. The third

quarter scoring was led by Travis Hale scoring two and Randall Tankersly also scoring two. The final quarter of play, scoring was led by Lance Ragan scoring two and Felix Yanez scoring on a free throw. The players put forth a good effort but made many mistakes. Too many bad shots were taken.

## Hobbs Winners In Poster Contest

The Hobbs 4-H'ers had a Cotton Poster Contest on Friday December 2nd at the Hobbs School. All entries exhibited a great deal of originality and creativity. Judge: Mrs. Wilbur Gruben awarded Blue Ribbons to all the 4-H'ers, for their outstanding work.

Winning Blue Ribbons for the Posters were Aaron Porter, Rhonda Gantt, Wesley Hale, J.P. Martinez, Jerami Martinez, Calvin Butler and Elaine Gomez.

Two trophies were also awarded to the top two posters. Winning the

## Rotan School Christmas Concert

The Rotan High School band will present a Christmas concert at the elementary and junior high assembly on Wed., December 14th, at 1:45 p.m. The public is invited.

trophies were Aaron Porter with the Best Poster and Rhonda Gantt with Second.

The posters were carried to Abilene on Tuesday December 6th for the Area Contest. Results will be published at a later date.

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### Rotan Varsity Girls Defeated By C. City

The Rotan varsity girls basketball team lost by the score of 35-54 to Colorado City but a total of 8 girls registered in the scoring column for Rotan in the loss.

High scoring honors went to three Rotan players: Terri Whitefield, Desire

Gray and Georgette Ramirez each had 6 points in the game. Others scoring were Kristi Holt 2; Shelly Hayes 5; Cathy Conner 4; Tina Mendoza 5; and Annette Overby 1.

Other team members included: Dilana Long and Sonia Carrillo.

### Rotan J.V. Girls Win

The Rotan junior varsity girls, behind an 11 point scoring birrage by Yoland Acorn, defeated Colorado City by the score of 31-41 last week.

Rotan trailed 5-4 at the end of the first quarter; jumped to a 20-11 halftime lead; and pushed that lead

to 32-20 at the end of the third period.

Scoring for Rotan was Penny Yanez 4; Pearl Huit 2; Mary Williams 2; Rochelle Huit 2; Helen Reese 2; Evette Gruben 10; Cindy Gaspar 4; Sherrie King 2 and Vicki Wright 2.

### Roby 8th Grade Wins

The Rotan 8th grade girls were defeated 21-31 by the Roby girls in a game last Monday night. The top Rotan scorer was Lorie Garcia with 9 points. Dee Ann Montez was the top rebounder while three girls had 5 steals each: They were Jan Posey, Cecilia Hernandez and Lo-

rie Garcia.

Other scoring were: Millie Gaspar 6; Cecilia Hernandez 4 and Jan Posey 2 points.

Other 8th grade team members are: Candi Carreon, Denise Weiss, Leslie Ratliff, A. Martin, Glorie Neeper, and Mary Martin- ez.



# Fisher County basketball

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### Rotan Basketball Schedule

Dec. 8, 9 & 10-Roby Tournament

Dec. 13-Snyder-There-4:30 P.M p.m.-9th Grade

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Dec. 8-Snyder-There-4:30 p.m.-7-8 Boys & Girls

### Roby Basketball Schedule

Dec. 8, 9 & 10, Roby Tournament



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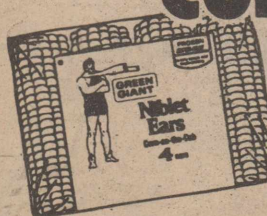
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20" OFF LABEL

**SUNLIGHT LIQUID**

**\$1.19**

22 OZ. BTL.

SHURFINE PURE  
**VEGETABLE OIL**

**\$1.99**

48 OZ. BTL.



RANCH STYLE  
**PLAIN CHILI**

**99¢**

19 OZ. CAN



KRAFT  
**MIRACLE WHIP**

**\$1.39**

32 OZ. JAR



ARM & HAMMER  
**BAKING SODA**

**2 \$1**

16 OZ. BOXES

CHUNK DOG FOOD  
**FIELD TRIAL**

**\$3.99**

25 LB. BAG



## HEALTH & BEAUTY AID SAVINGS

REG/ MUSK SHAVE CREAM

**OLD SPICE**

**\$2.29**

11 OZ. CAN

REG/ MUSK DEODORANT

**OLD SPICE**

**\$1.99**

2 1/2 OZ. STICK



ASST. REVLOX FLEX

**SHAMPOO**

15 OZ. BTL.

**\$1.79**

ASST. REVLOX FLEX

**CONDITIONER**

15 OZ. BTL.

**\$1.79**

## FRESH DAIRY SPECIALS

KRAFT  
**VELVEETA SLICES**

16 OZ. PKG.

**\$1.99**

SHURFRESH QUARTERED  
**MARGARINE**

2 1 LB. PKGS.

**\$1.00**

PILLSBURY BTRMLK/ CNTRY. ST.

**BISCUITS**

6 4 1/2 OZ. CANS

**\$1.00**

SHURFRESH CREAM

**CHEESE**

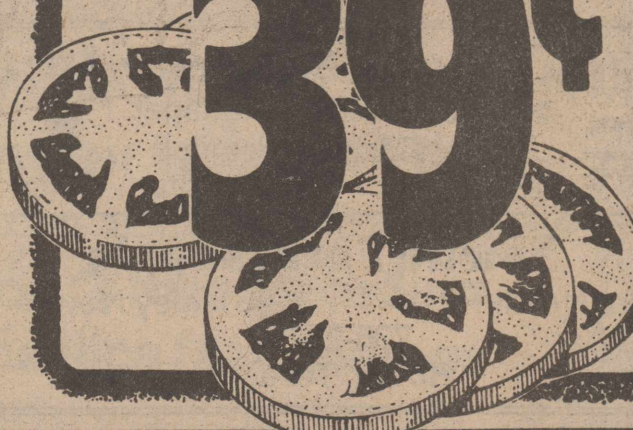
8 OZ. PKG.

**79¢**

SALAD SIZE  
 CALIFORNIA VINE RIPENED  
**TOMATOES**

LB.

**39¢**



5 LB. BAG TEXAS RUBY RED

**GRAPEFRUIT** OR

5 LB. BAG TEXAS JUICY

**ORANGES** OR

3 LB. BAG RED DELICIOUS

**APPLES**

**\$1.19**

YOUR CHOICE

CRISP SELECT

**CUCUMBERS**

LB.

**29¢**

YELLOW SWEET

**ONIONS**

LB.

**25¢**

CALIFORNIA RED EMPEROR

**GRAPES**

LB.

**69¢**

CALIFORNIA ZIPPER SKIN

**TANGERINES**

LB.

**59¢**

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 MEMBER STORE



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