

Summary Judgement Brings End Coffman-County Dumping Dispute

The law suit involving W.J. Coffman and wife Billie Louise Coffman filed against the members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court, Judge Marshal Bennett and Jay Hendon, individually was settled last week in front of visiting District Judge Chapman of Haskell, Texas.

Judge Chapman, issued a summary judgement from the bench and did not award financial damages in the case. Judge Chapman did however issue an injunction: prohibiting Commissioner Jay Hendon from placing any additional large rocks in the washed out area of the road in question.

The Coffmans were represented by Gary Connally,

attorney of Hamlin while the Fisher County Commissioners were represented by Roger Glandon of the law firm of Glandon, Erwin, Scarborough, Baker and Choate of Abilene, Texas.

The summary judgement issued last Thursday by Judge Chapman allegedly puts an end to the road rock dumping incident that started back in 1983.

Fire Trucks Are Given Two Fire Departments

The members of the Fisher County Commissioners Court, in regular session last Monday morning, voted to turn two fire trucks over to two volunteer fire departments. Commissioners voted to turn a 1964 Chevrolet to Rotan's VFD and a 1964 Ford to Roby's VFD with the stipulation that the units be used for all county fires. Commissioners also agreed to pay for gas and tires for the vehicles.

In somewhat of a related move, the commissioners agreed to accept an old ambulance from the Fisher County Hospital to house the "jaws of life" system currently stored in a fire truck by the Roby Volunteer Fire Department.

Commissioner Charles Meek's precinct sold an old pick-up to Ronnie Joe Lindsay for \$1,000.00 after bids were opened and Lindsey's was accepted.

Commissioners listened to a report by Maggie Briggs, Fisher County Senior Citizen Coordinator, indicating a total of 1,261 lunches served in 12 days at the Fisher County Senior Citizen Center in February.

In final action last Monday, Commissioners discussed providing funds for roadwork in south Fisher County in a joint venture with Sweetwater commissioners. Judge Bennett is to discuss the venture further and report back to commissioners on Thursday, March 16th.

Residents Should Be Wary Of Social Security Scam

Fisher County Sheriff Mickey Counts issued a warning to county senior citizens to be on the look-out for insurance salesmen implying that they are associated with the social security administration.

Counts indicated that he has had several complaints of insurance salesmen calling county senior citizens and implying that they are needing to interview them for social security benefits and giving the impression that the interview has to do with social security benefits. Once the representatives arrive for the interview, it quickly turns into a sales pitch for supplemental policies.

Counts urged county residents to be cautious and to report any unusual sales tactics to the office of the Fisher County Sheriff - 776-2273.

Easter Cantata To Be Presented By County Methodist Churches

The combined choirs of the First Methodist Churches of Roby and Rotan will present the cantata, "Lamb of Promise," on Sunday, March 19, at 4:00 p.m. The performance will be in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church of Rotan, 209 N. McKinley.

The cantata, written by Ed Kee, will be directed by Mary Ann Marshall, music director of the Rotan Church. Rev. Jim Hawthorne, pastor at Roby, will be the narrator. The organist will be Rev. Terry Lowe, pastor at Rotan.

Following the cantata, there will be a time of fellowship and refreshments in the church's fellowship hall.

The public is invited to attend this special Easter event. A nursery will be provided.

Musical To Be Given By Roby Methodist Chancel Choir

The chancel choir of the Roby United Methodist Church will present "The Cross Triumphant", an Easter cantata by Ira B. Wilson, at the regular morning worship service, Sunday, March 19, 1989.

Soloists will include Louise Curlee, Betty Rivers, Elizabeth Billingsley, Marshall Billingsley and Keifer Cauble. The organ accompanist will be Mrs. Ruth Davis.

The chancel choir has a membership of twenty-four voices and is directed by Buck F. Hughes.

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Roby Board Accepts McCarty Resignation

Members of the Roby School Board met last Monday night and voted unanimously to accept the resignation of twelve-year basketball coach and high school principal Mickey McCarty.

Board members also voted to hire all teachers in grades kindergarten through grade 8 in a motion by Jeff McClure and seconded by Richard Gaona.

The board voted to extend contracts to ten current teachers in the high school including: Al Blain, Larry Coates, Curtis Griffith, Steve Long, Jerry Branson, John Curry, Barbara Martin, Aubrey Burrows, Gary Daniel and Hubert Seale. An amended contract is to be offered to Richard Hill.

Board members voted to rehire all auxiliary personnel. They also

voted on a representative for the Region 14 Education Service Center and listened to a report by Superintendent Jimmie Laurie concerning the cancelled state accreditation visit. The superintendent indicated that it could be as late as next Fall before the visitation team reschedules the visit.

Laurie reported a total check of \$769.85 which represents one-eighth of the gate at the girls regional tournament plus mileage and a check received for \$2,126.44 for Roby's share of the boys regional tournament gate.

Richard Hill, Roby High School special education teacher and a representative of the Student Council and junior class sponsor together with Shari Heflin, Student Council president, appeared before the board

seeking permission to hold a junior-senior prom after the banquet. The two submitted a list of nine rules that would be followed if permission for the dance were granted.

Board members requested that four school representatives and four parent sponsors attend the dance. The motion to grant permission for the junior-senior prom was approved by a vote of 5-0.

Andy Moore made a motion seconded by Jeff McClure, to add Jack Vining to the substitute teacher list.

Jimmie Laurie informed the board he had contacted Crawford Roofing to return to Roby to patch lines on the roofing job at the elementary school.

The board, after being offered the opportunity to purchase the

George Goodrum property, passed on the opportunity by opting not to take action.

In final action, Laurie reported on the gas curtailment make-up days indicating that he was going to apply for a waiver from the state on the latest missed day due to the Lone Star Gas curtailment.

Laurie reported that all board members had completed the required 20 hours of board training and those desiring to sign up for board positions (deadline March 22) could contact Andy Moore, Mary Joe Pope or Laurie during Spring break.

Board members present for the meeting were: Jeff McClure, Andy Moore, Steve Terry, David Boyd and Richard Gaona. David Morris was absent due to illness.

UPS Pick-Up Service Is Now Available To Area Residents

The Newspaper Office has added a new service for Fisher County residents - complete package mailing, UPS pick-up service.

Effective, Thursday, March 16th, Newspaper Office personnel will be accepting packages for UPS shipping.

Packages will be weighed and rates figured and will be mailed from Rotan each afternoon Monday through Friday. All packages brought to the Newspaper Office prior to 2:00 p.m., each day will be picked up

by UPS personnel that day. The Newspaper Office is offering complete package mailing. Wrapping; regular ground service to any address nationwide; second day air service; next day air service on both packages and letters. In addition COD services is available and the rates are reasonable.

Additional information on package shipping can be obtained by contacting Annette Martinez at The Newspaper Office, 735-2278.

Roby Lumberyard Is Sold

The Central Lumber Company in Roby has a new owner/manager effective Wednesday, March 8th. Zana Beth Branham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Zanna Anderson of Roby, is the new

owner/manager. She will be moving to Roby from Sunray, Texas with her 12 year old son Leslie in the next few weeks.

The new business was purchased from Polly Matthies.

Eli Sepeda and Melody Morgan with assistance from Anderson, will be operating the yard until the arrival of Zana Beth and Leslie.

A company spokesman said, "We will be offering the same service as in the past and want to encourage everyone needing assistance in building supplies to give us the opportunity to serve them."

Hospital Board Will Hear Select Committee Ideas

The select committee appointed by the Fisher County Hospital Board to investigate future health care is expected to report to the full hospital board on Monday night, March 20, according to Dr. David Morris. Don Dawes, minister of the Rotan Church of Christ and a member of the select committee, is expected to make the report.

It is believed that the report by Dawes will not contain specific recommendations on costs of consultants or possible solutions to specific problems, but will let the Board know that the select committee stands ready to assist in any area.

The members of the select committee are: Dr. David Morris, Vesta Orr, Dr. Maurice Callan, Beverly Rister, Don Dawes, Dr. Jerry Marshall, Alvin Petty, J.T. Palmer, Phil Springer and Joe Dale Burk.

Don Dawes, Rotan Church Of Christ Minister, Resigns

Donald R. Dawes, Minister of the Rotan Church of Christ for the past 3½ years, officially issued his resignation last Sunday morning effective June 1, 1989. Dawes will become the new youth minister at the 4th and Elm Street Church of Christ in Sweetwater on June 1, 1989.

Dawes and his wife Melody, originally from Lubbock, moved to Rotan from Tahoka on September 1, 1985. At Tahoka he was a minister for 3 years and was in private business for 2 years.

He was an associate minister at the Canon City (Colorado) Church of Christ from 1977 until 1980.

The Dawes' have three children: Rachel, age 13; Rebekah, age 11 and Marcus Don, age 5.

Dawes was the organizing president of the Rotan Chamber of Commerce, a position he held for two years; he was active in the Rotan Lions Club and on two occasions participated in plays staged by the Theatre on the Brazos.

"The Rotan Church of Christ congregation is the most loving and considerate congregation I have ever worked with," commented Dawes.



BIG WINNER: Ryan Jeffrey, 17-year old member of the Fisher County 4-H Club, exhibited his Limousin steer "Black Jack" to reserve championship honors at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. The steer sold for \$67,000 at the livestock sale. Ryan is the son of Jerry and Carolyn Jeffery of McCaulley. Ryan said he joined 4-H because he wanted to learn how to win and lose.

Kim's Korner
By Kim Pease

LOSS OF COACH: In 12 seasons Roby Head Basketball Coach Mickey McCarty won 244 games losing 94. He had 9 district champions, seven bi-district this year took his Lions to the area championship before being eliminated by Graford. We salute his accomplishment and make an apology for overlooking three seniors last week in this column. Roby seniors not mentioned last week were: Rick Onofre, Craig Maxwell and Joe Paul Barrera.

HOSPITAL BOARD MEETING: The Fisher County Hospital Board meets on Monday night, March 20th at 7:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend this or any other hospital board meeting. It is anticipated that the board will be fielding a report or recommendation concerning future health care from the select committee appointed last month.

INTERESTING ARTICLE: Read a small article in the Fort Worth Star Telegram recently indicating that Union Carbide Corporation paid a \$465 million settlement for the Bhopal gas leak that killed 3,400 people. The Indian government originally sued Union Carbide for \$3 billion.

FIGHT WITH A BULL: Dee Bridges will be telling tales all spring and summer about the time the bull got him down. Well, brace yourself - a bull really did get the old codger down. Story goes that Bridges went to feed last week, got blind-sided by a bull, was on the ground a few feet from a 3 foot 2 x 4. He wacked the bull between the eyes with the 2 x 4 and made the silly bull mad - things really got serious then. Bridges had to be taken to Lubbock to the hospital. He checked out O.K. - no broken bones, lots of black and blue however. He's back home now - bragging about how tough he is. Could have been serious.

ANNUAL MEETING: The annual meeting of the DPR Water Supply Corporation is Saturday, March 25th at 7:00 p.m.

FUNNY: I have four sisters - the youngest Polly, is married to an electrical engineer - he works for some high tech company on some type of electrical system involving aircraft engines. He plays golf, she has just taken up the sport - in a recent telephone conversation she said it was pure misery playing with him. "He is a typical engineer - he doesn't play golf, he evaluates every shot - wind direction, trajectory, ratio of speed to loft, etc., etc., I just want to wack the ball around and get some experience and he takes the silly game seriously," she said.

FINALLY: Ol' Whistle Britches from his Shinnery Ridge Ranch at Rough Creek called with these few words of wisdom.

Popular Songs: The most wonderful thing about a popular song is that it can't last very long.

Defeat: The highway of fear is the shortest route to defeat.

Enjoyment: If you don't enjoy what you have, how could you be happier with more?

Gambling: Gambling is like diving into an empty swimming pool. The chances that you'll hit bottom are about the same.

Marriage: Marriage is a case of two people agreeing to change each other's habits.

Night Clubs: A nightclub is a unique place on a rainy night. You can stay outside and get wet or go inside and get soaked.

Newspapers: A small town newspaper in Texas advertised, "Read you Bible to know what people ought to do. Read this paper to know what they actually do."

Ten Commandments: When the Lord gave us the Ten Commandments, He didn't mention amendments.

Children: A small boy is a pain in the neck when he's around and a pain in the heart when he's not.

Church: It is easy to lose interest in the church if you have never made an investment in it.

Education: A person should have enough education so he doesn't have to look up to anyone. He should also have enough to be wise enough not to look down on anyone.

Pollution: Gossip is what might be called "ear pollution."



State Capital Highlights

By Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—A powerful House chairman has Capitol watchers agog over his new bill to curb political ambitions of future attorneys general, but he denies it targets current AG Jim Mattox.

The legislation bars future AGs, starting in 1990, from holding higher office until four years have elapsed after he or she quits the post.

Rep. Stan Schlueter, D-Killeen, chairman of the Calendars Committee, said it's risky for Texas to have its attorney general writing legal opinions with one eye on higher office, particularly when the case involves future political supporters.

Mattox: No Comment

Attorney General Jim Mattox, running hard for governor, had no comment on the bill, which apparently won't affect him.

If both chambers approve by two-thirds support, the proposed constitutional amendment will face voters on the November ballot. Schlueter can likely get the House to pass it; while passage in the Senate will be more difficult, he has clout there, too.

Political Steppingstone

Schlueter said plainly enough it's not Mattox but future officials he wants to keep from using the office as a political steppingstone.

Although he did not say he thinks previous AGs have misused the office, what prompted him to introduce the bill remains the author's secret.

Mattox's ambitions are not. Even before he began his second term in 1988, Mattox vowed to take the Mansion in 1990.

His quest has led him into several controversial political arenas, such as utility rate-making, banking, insurance company insolvencies, charitable foundations, Pony-gate, and on and on.

Like the Star Trek crew, Mattox

ventures where no other AGs have gone before, a dauntless defender of the Texas consumer.

If, as Sen. Lloyd Bentsen said, politics in Texas is a contact sport, then Mattox plays it like an All Pro middle linebacker. The zone he covers is simply the entire field; he fears absolutely no one, and has legions of friends and enemies.

Candidates "On Notice"

Mattox likely is not the target of Schlueter's bill. He's just flashy evidence of accepted AG springboard tactics.

Schlueter said his bill "puts all the people who are running now on notice that the attorney general is going to be the state's attorney and not the attorney of anyone else."

Among the several likely candidates, no obvious connection to the bill is apparent.

However, it is obvious that Schlueter, perhaps the most powerful House member following the Speaker, can probably get this bill passed. Whether he decides to pull it down remains to be seen.

'Crawfish Cowboy' Coup

Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower, touting a 200,000 pound market coup for Texas "Crawfish Cowboys," said Texans won't have to eat "smelly, mud-covered, unintelligent, itty-bitty crawfish" from Louisiana.

Hightower also told a Senate panel that chemical and pesticide industries are out to get him by making his office appointive, while industry reps said they are tired of "regulation by press release."

Hightower won the committee battle when it voted to keep his office elective.

Lewis Gives Deer Back

In a letter to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Commission, House Speaker Gib Lewis asked the state to reclaim deer and three of six

elk placed on his ranches by state wildlife crews.

Press secretary Tim Conger said Lewis believes the stockings of deer and elk on his land were proper, but he wants to put questions to rest by giving the animals back to the state.

Other Highlights

• A bipartisan group of 43 legislators joined in filing a brief supporting the U.S. Supreme Court which may lead to a reconsideration of the legalized abortion ruling.

• State Sen. Hugh Farmer, D-Fort Worth, toured South and East Texas to announce he will run for the U.S. Senate against Republican Phil Gramm next year. Gramm's office retorted, "Surely the liberals can do better."

• State Rep. Keith Valigura, R-Conroe, who was charged with DWI following his arrest near the Capitol last month, denied he was drunk and declined further comment.

• Texas Railroad Commissioners said oil production here is at its lowest level since 1945.

• The Texas Supreme Court ruled that companies owning only the oil rights on a lease cannot produce and sell natural gas by claiming it as a by-product of oil production.

• The Senate last week unanimously approved the appointment of six members of the Texas Racing Commission.



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From Fisher County's Past

From The Newspapers

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO

The members of the Roby Independent School Board hired a lawyer to assist them in collecting delinquent taxes. Mike Terry made a motion that was seconded by Joe DeLos Santos to employ Norman Arnett, lawyer, and authorize him to take the necessary measures to collect the school districts delinquent taxes.

Donnie Stephens, Frank Castor Jr. and James Park, all of Roby were named to the Prep All-American Football program for 1973-74.

Rotan High School presented "To Burn A Witch" a one-act play by James Bray at the High School Auditorium.

The Roby Brownie Troop 279 sold Girl Scout Cookies in the amount of \$396 and earned \$44 for their troop. The girls who earned patches by selling 42 boxes or more were Danette Ray, Susan Fournier, Susan Gaona, Sabrina Herron, Tammy Halliburton, Brenda and Bobbie Hazlewood and Sandra Hickman.

TEN YEARS AGO

Mrs. Lucille Biers was appointed to serve as the acting Director of Nursing at the Fisher County Hospital, according to Administrator Perry Hunsaker.

Special Services To Be Held At First United Methodist In Roby

There will be a special Worship Service at Roby United Methodist Church on Thursday March 23, 1989 at 7:00 p.m. in celebration of Maundy Thursday of Holy Week. "All are invited to attend this special service as we celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper which Christ instituted on the first Maundy Thursday as recorded in the Holy Scripture. All people who intend to lead a Christian life are invited to receive this Holy Sacrament. It is our custom to deliver the elements into the hands of the people while they kneel before the Lord's table, but the elements may be served to any or to all the people while standing or while seated in the pews. The cup of the Lord is not to be denied to the Lay people; for both the parts of the Lord's Supper by Christ's ordinance and commandment, ought to be administered to all. Christians alike, come to be a part of this Holy Week observance," said Hawthorne.

The Fisher County Sheriff's Posse set plans to hold the 23rd Annual Rotan Amateur Rodeo, announced Arena Director C. M. Callan.

The Fisher County Hospital Board heard a report from Jerry Anderson with the CPA firm of Condley and Co. of Abilene and talked with Lanny Wadleigh of Wadleigh Construction Company of Snyder, and approved by split vote, a motion to authorize the drawing of plans for a new four doctor clinic at the Fisher County Hospital.

The members of the Rotan School Board voted unanimously to approve the purchase of new quartz lighting for the Football Field.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Joe Morrow, Rotan farmer, indicated his intention to officially seek a position on the Rotan School Board as a write-in candidate.

Rotan Attorney Norman Arnett was officially sworn-in as the 32nd District Attorney in Sweetwater. He was appointed to serve out the unexpired term of former District Attorney Rusty Carroll. Arnett was running for a full term and was opposed by Colorado City Attorney, Dan L. Barber.

Shelly Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hayes of Rotan, a high school junior, broke her own school record in the discus competition at a track meet in Ranger. The old record was 112 feet and she set a new record at 114 feet 7 inches.

A fund was started at the Citizens State Bank for trees and shrubs for the Roby Cemetery. Members of the Garden Club and Home Demonstration Club, assisted by Alice Ballenger did the landscaping.

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Steve Davis was appointed Extension Agent-Entomologist for the Fisher - Jones - Haskell - Stonewall - Kent County area effective April 15, according to Ed Garnett, District Extension Director for the Rolling Plains 3 District.

Rotan Postmaster Charles Thornton was appointed Postmaster at Snyder, Texas which was effective April 9th, 1988.

Two incumbents on the Rotan City Council announced their intentions to seek re-election by filing for candidacy to the City Council. These two candidates were Charlie Atwell and Ernest Armstrong.

Fisher County Commissioners agreed to assist the Fisher County Economic Development Commission in a project to "clean-up Fisher County," after a presentation was given by Don Dawes, Rotan Minister and chairman of the County Relations Committee for the Economic Development Commission.

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FISHER COUNTY CHURCH DIRECTORY

Pastor's Column

By Rev. Pat Anderson
Cross Roads Baptist Church

IN TIMES OF TROUBLE

Psalms 46:1 "God is our refuge and strength, a tested help in times of trouble." (TLB)

Times of trouble are common to all mankind. You may think, "it will never happen to me," but it will. Trials and trouble come in many different forms and none of us escape.

King David, who experienced trouble in so many areas of his life tells those who trust in God not to fear regardless of what comes (Ps. 46:2). God is our protector and strength. He has been tested and proven true in times of trouble.(Ps. 46:1) "There is no need to fear when times of trouble come."(Ps. 49:5)

We live in a troubled world today. If you are living with your eyes fixed only on this world, then you can only trouble with fear because there is trouble on every hand. But if you fix your eyes upon Jesus you will find that He gives peace. He's the One who said, "In the world you will have trouble; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world." (Matt 16:33)

Knowing the Lord in a daily relationship does not exempt you from trouble, but praise be His name, He will see you through it all if you walk with Him.

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Roby City Commission To Take Action On Unsatisfactory Paving Work

The Roby City Commission is attempting to get something done with respect to what they feel is unacceptable work on a two-year old \$77,000.00 paving job.

The commission feels the job should have lasted considerably longer and told Charles Burnett of Burnett Construction Company that they wanted an inspection of the paving job and a discussion on possible adjustments due the City of Roby.

The \$77,000.00 paid to Bennett Construction Company was to seal cost, gravel and asphalt the majority of streets in the Roby City limits.

In an effort to "move off dead center" on responsibility for the paving job, Charles Bennett is to

have a representative of the asphalt company in Big Spring present at the April meeting to discuss the job with commission members and inspect the streets in question.

The April meeting has been set to begin at 3:00 p.m., April 4th. The paving job in question began in November of 1986 and went through May of 1987.

Although the job was actually finished in May 1987, members of the Roby City Commission complained of the work within a year after the job was completed.

In other action at the last Commission meeting, City Manager Jimmy Price informed the commission of a maintainer in need of repairs. Commission members decided to look into possible pur-

chase of a second maintainer instead of repairing the original.

It was brought to the attention of commission members that the City of Roby had been paying all of the gas bill at the Roby Fire Hall. A motion was passed to send half the bill to Fisher County.

Commission members discussed the possibility of building another restroom facility at City Hall. Cost projections are expected to be provided to commission members by Jimmy Price at the April meeting.

In final action the commission members decided to look into the possibility of getting a salvage company to come to Roby to pick-up junk vehicles in conjunction with a town-wide clean up day.



OPERATION "FACELIFT": Work crews have been busy lately remodeling this structure on Cleveland Street. The former restaurant will be home to Hargrove Crop Insurance. The facelift should be complete in thirty days.

Rotan Chamber Of Commerce To Sponsor Second Annual "May Fair"

The Rotan Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring its second annual May Fair Celebration. The Celebration is scheduled for May 20th and according to May Fair Celebration Chairman, Janece Pease will have activities lasting all day.

Activities will begin early in the morning with a 5-K run, (5 kilometers/3.1 miles). The race will be

followed by a Style Show. Throughout the day there will be continuous entertainment such as bands, singing, square dancers, tumblers etc.

The downtown area will be blocked off and various organizations will have information booths, and fund raiser booths. Individuals will have booths such as flea market type booths, arts

and crafts booths and demonstration booths.

A pet parade and contest are also in the Chambers plans. If you or your organization would like to provide entertainment or a booth at the May Fair Celebration at no charge, you may contact the Chamber of Commerce Office at 735-3091 or Jim Gruben at 735-2217.

Stenholm Re-elected Coordinator Of Conservative Democratic Forum

Cong. Charles Stenholm of Texas was re-elected coordinator of the Conservative Democratic Forum (CDF), a moderate-conservative organization in the U.S. House of Representatives, on Thursday, March 1. Also chosen as a leader of the 50-member group was Cong. Richard Ray of Georgia, who will serve as Deputy Coordinator.

The CDF, which has grown in stature and size in the past 12 months, is an informal caucus of Democratic Members dedicated to producing fiscally sound legislation and refocusing the attention of their party on "the

values of Main Street America," according to Cong. Stenholm.

Nine more Members also were elected to leadership positions. They will serve on a Steering Committee to provide direction and policy recommendations for the full CDF. Serving two-year terms on the committee are: Cong. Doug Barnard of Georgia; Cong. Ben Nighthorse Campbell of Colorado; Cong. Claude Harris of Alabama; Cong. Earl Hutto of Florida; Cong. G.V. "Sonny" Montgomery of Mississippi; Cong. Liz Patterson of South Carolina; Cong. Ike Skelton of Missouri; Cong. Richard Stallings

of Idaho; and Cong. Tim Valentine of North Carolina.

"You are going to be seeing and hearing more about the CDF this Congress than you have ever before," said Cong. Stenholm. Our membership is sincere in its drive to have an impact within the Democratic Caucus and on House floor votes on a variety of issues. The men and women serving in the key positions are a diverse group with many constructive ideas and goals. Be on the lookout for the CDF to make a real difference in the 101st Congress."

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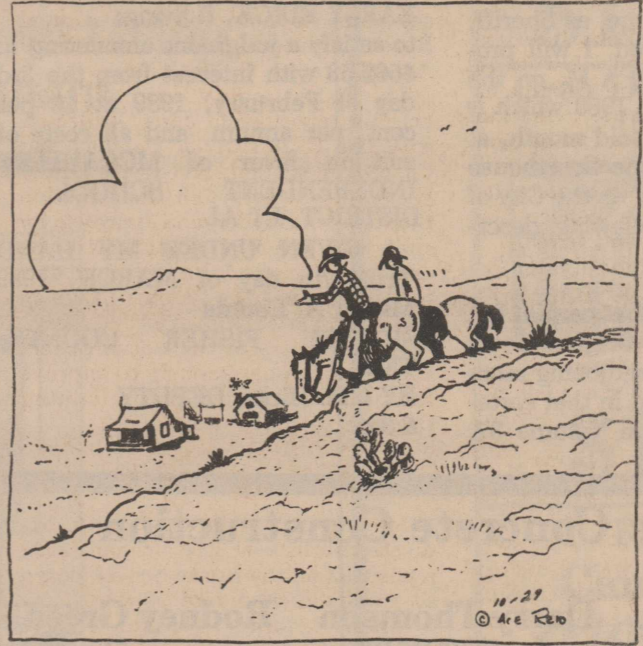
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ROBY ONE-ACT PLAY CAST: Karie Martin, Teresa McClure, Jennifer Kincaid, Melanie Ray and Autumn Shelley rehearse their parts for the one-act play, *I Never Saw Another Butterfly*, which was performed in competition at Jayton this week.



DEEP DISCUSSION: Larry Van Liew and Jennifer Kincaid portray the meeting of concentration camp detainees in the Roby one-act play, *I Never Saw Another Butterfly*.

"Fit For Life" Classes Almost Over

Fit for Life, a comprehensive 12 week series of lessons aimed at improving fitness and reaching and maintaining a healthy body weight, is near completion in Roby, states Beth Dannheim, County Extension Agent and coordinator of the series.

The two sessions have been meeting weekly each Thursday. The first session was designed for the women who needed to firm up, develop a regular exercise plan, and develop a nutritious eating habit. The second session was designed for women who needed to lose weight plus develop a

regular exercise and nutritious eating plan.

The nutrition segments taught by Beth Dannheim included topics such as eating cues, nutrition, calorie control snacking, selecting lower calorie foods, nutrition myths, modifying recipes, controlling your weight while eating out, and fad diets. The exercise portion was led by Rhonda Boyd of Roby.

Participants of the Fit for Life series have been Grace Doyl, Gloria Floyd, Terrye Gruben, Susan Griffith, Melinda Meador Beth Martin, Beverly Rister, Sano Upshaw, Bettie Rivers, Nora Barrera, Anna Barrera, Bonnie Waldon, Eddie Brigham, Elizabeth Billingsley, Dorothy Decker, Sandra Dennis, Louise Mahaffey, Geneva Maberry, Helen Noles, Norma Lou Parks, Willa Dene Kafer, Susan Atkins, Marcie Gonzales and Thelma Burk.

Graduation is planned for March 30 with a low calorie covered dish supper and the presentation of certificates of completion.

Mary Lee Hicks Will Perform In WTC Choir

Mary Lee Hicks of Roby will be performing with the Western Texas College Choir during the spring concert set for 7:30 Thursday night (March 16) in the Fine Arts Theatre.

There is no charge for admission and the public is invited to attend the concert. It will include a variety of serious musical styles, with selections representing the Renaissance, Baroque, Romantic and Contemporary periods of music. The program consists of "mini-concerts" by the choir, the Ladis' Ensemble and the WTC Flute Ensemble.

Directing the concert will be Brent Hardegree and Jane Womack.

Sheriff Sales

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COUNTY OF FISHER

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 32ND Judicial District Court of Fisher County, on the 7th day of MARCH, 1989 by the Clerk thereof, in the case of MCCAULLEY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT VS. W.C. COSPER; Cause # 4250 and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, at 10:00 A.M. on the 4th DAY OF APRIL, 1989 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 2 and 3 in Block A of the Original Town of

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GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 7th day of MARCH 1989 Mickey A. Counts SHERIFF FISHER COUNTY, TEXAS BY L.H. HICKS, DEPUTY 5:3tc

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Tract I: Being all that certain Lot 14 in Block 34 of the Original Town of Sylvester, Texas, and being more particularly described in that certain Deed of record in Volume 37,

Page 57 of the Deed Records of Fisher County, Texas.

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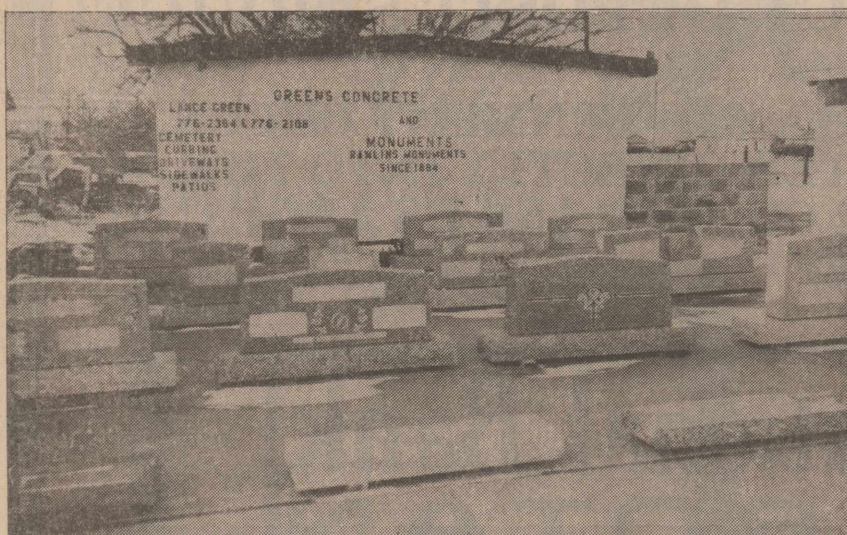
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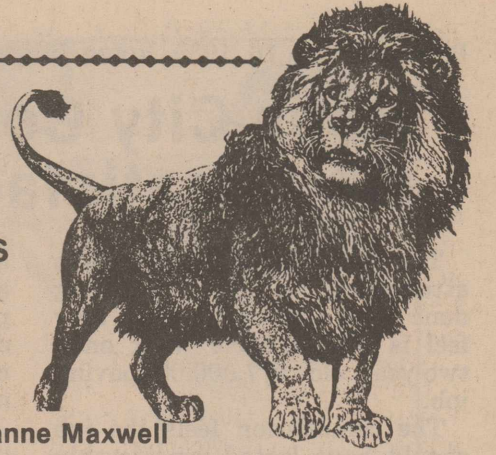
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Monday the one-act play went to Jayton to practice. They performed the following day. The cast did an excellent job! Great work!! Remember, we're behind you!!

Well... Well! What about Powerlifting? Those that qualified for the Regional Powerlifting meet at Ralls include: Jennifer Blaine, Kim Justiss and Myra Hohon. Yeah, Girls! Others on the team include: Joe Don Helm, Eddie Gonzales, Mike Williams, Tim Hohon, Rodney Matthis, and Gilbert Carreon.

Saturday, the track team traveled to Garden City. Everyone had a great time. Hang in there!

Well, next week is S-P-R-I-N-G

B-R-E-A-K! It's about time, huh? I hope everyone has a very long, relaxing week at home or where ever.

Once again that's it for now. Look for more Lion Tracks soon.

Roby Powerlifters qualifying for regionals are: Jenny Blaine-qualified in girls division; Tim Hohon- Alternate 132 lb. class; Joe Don Helm- Alternate 220 lb. class; Mike Williams- Alternate, S.H.W. class.

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Rotan Tennis Team Competes In Trent Tournament

The Rotan High School Tennis Team competed in the Trent Tournament on March 7th and 8th in Merkel. Billy Speck and Philip Matthies captured 1st place in boys doubles defeating Payne-Carriger of Trent 5-7, 6-0, 6-3 in the semifinals, and Speck-Wyatt of Rochester 6-4, 6-1 in the finals. Lynette McQueen and Ester Guerra defeated Marshall-Penton of Trent 6-1, 6-4 in the semifinals and Tran-Gaona of Merkel 6-4, 6-3 in the finals to take 1st place in girls doubles. Vanessa Peek and Debra Martinez defeated Beauchamp-Maxwell of Roby 6-1, 6-3 to advance to the semifinals where they lost 3-6, 0-6 to Tran-Gaona of Merkel. They later defeated Marshall-Penton of Trent to take 3rd place in girls doubles.

Blake Morrow defeated Justiss of Roby then lost to Masonheimer of Trent in the semifinals. Morrow defeated Shipp of Roby by default to take 3rd in boys singles. Misty Gruben lost to Heflin of Roby 0-6, 2-6, then came back to defeat J. Gibson of Trent 7-5, 6-2 to capture 3rd place in girls singles. Jeff Cave, Brian Sheehan, and Shawna Speck also participated in the Trent Tournament. Other members of the Rotan High School Tennis Team are Mike Garcia, Lane Landes, Lucy Stinson, Shannon Boone,

Jennifer Dickson, Tiny Carrion, Elizabeth Gonzalez, Priscilla Gonzalez, Delores Gauna, Jodie McClain, Sharilyn Murdoch, Czrena West, Stephen McQueen, J.P. Martinez, and Michael Weidler. The tennis team will play matches with Merkel and Trent on Tuesday, March 14, followed by the Rotan Tournament March 27 and 28.

Students Of Celia Cain To Perform On The Ten Piano Ensemble Team

Fourth graders, Laura Blackwelder and Mandy Dycus, Sixth graders, Amy Blackwelder and Melissa Burk competed for a place on the Abilene Music Teachers Association 10 piano ensemble team. Laura and Mandy will perform with the Elementary Ensemble Team and Amy and Melissa will perform on the

Junior Ensemble Team. They will perform with the team in Abilene in May and then travel to Galveston to perform for the Texas Music Teachers Convention in June. They are all students of Celia Cain.



ROTAN TENNIS TEAM: Members of the Rotan Tennis Team are pictured above. Left to right: Blake Morrow, Coach John Cox, Billy Wayne Speck, Philip Matthies, Lynette McQueen, Ester Guerra, Misty Gruben, Debra Martinez. Not pictured is Vanessa Peek.

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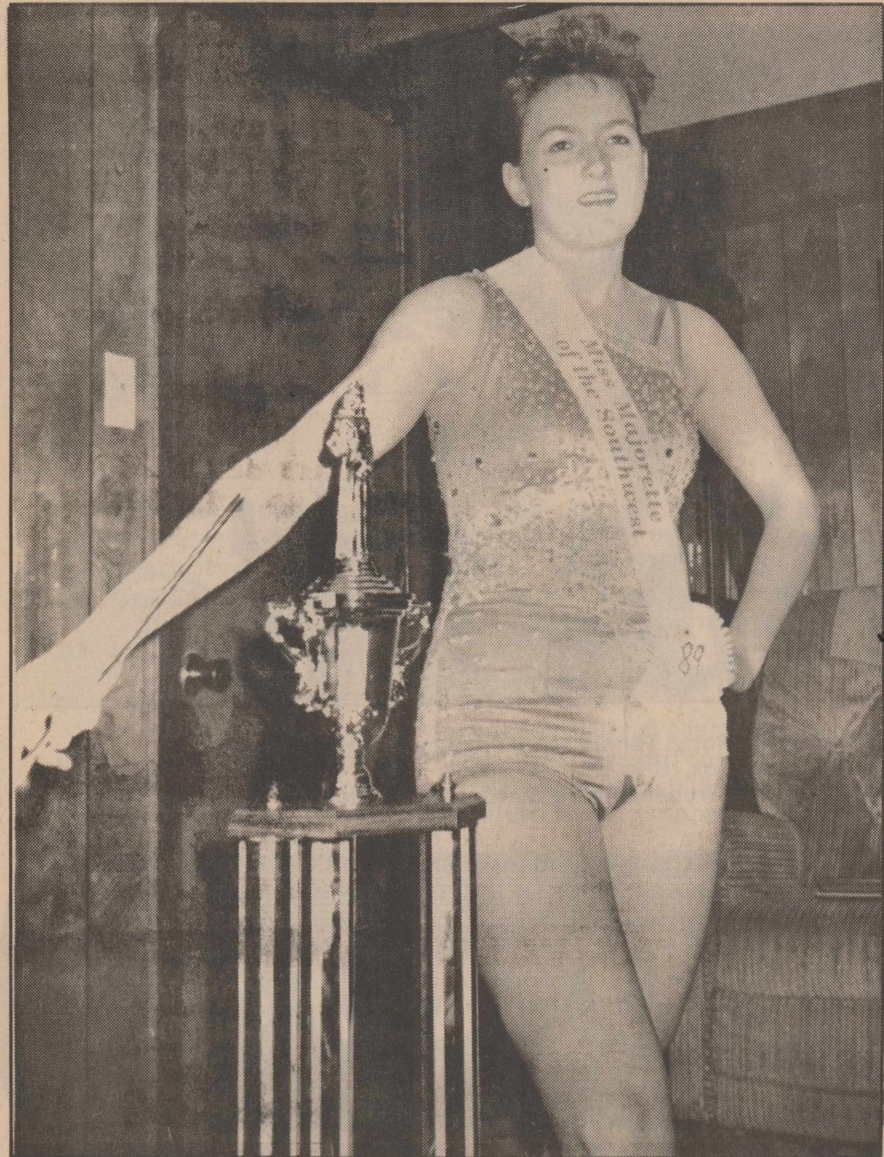
All professional positions require appropriate Texas Education Agency certification.

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WINNING TWIRL: Jennifer Dickson was named Miss Majorette of the Southwest and will compete in national competition this July at Notre Dame University in Indiana.

Jennifer Dickson Receives Miss Majorette Of The Southwest Title

Jennifer Dickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dickson of Rotan, won the right to compete in the national championships for twirling to be held at Notre Dame University, South Bend, Indiana in early July.

Her trip to Notre Dame University was awarded after she won the 1989 Southwest Regional Twirling Championships and Miss Majorette of the Southwest

Pageant at Amarillo last weekend.

The regional competition covered entries from five states, Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, New Mexico and Colorado.

She took first place wins in Miss Majorette of the Southwest age 16-24; Opel Solo Competition age 17-24; Open Fancy Strut Champion age 16-24 and Hoop Champion age 16-24.

Low-Income Families May Be Eligible For Catastrophic Health Care Aid

About 35,000 low-income Texans may be eligible for payment of Medicare fees for federal catastrophic health care, according to Charles Stevenson, Acting Commissioner of the Texas Department of Human Services. "The Department will pay Medicare premiums, deductibles and co-insurance fees on Medicare-covered services for persons who qualify for the special benefits," Stevenson said.

He said these criteria apply:
 * Persons must be enrolled in Medicare Part A.
 * Gross monthly income cannot exceed \$444 for a single person or \$589 for a couple.
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Hustling Around Hobbs

By Joy Walker

What a drastic change we had in the weather, last weekend it was snowing and Sunday the weatherman reported over 90 degrees, so we went from one extreme to the other. Anyway everyone is enjoying this warmer weather, and the farmers are really beginning to get busy now that the fields are getting dry.

Wednesday was a beautiful day and made us think Spring and all that work there is to be done in the garden. All my bulbs are up so it won't be too long now before they start to bloom.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ratliff went to Abilene after church on Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ratliff, Trese and new baby, David. They spent the night and came home early Monday morning. Trese came home with them and is going to spend a week with his grandparents. Teressa and John Swofford from Lubbock came to the Ratliffs Friday night and they stayed until Sunday.

Mrs. Bea Hardin has had a whole houseful of company over the weekend. They came for the Rattlesnake Round-up and some of them did hunt snakes but most of the time was spent visiting. Coming Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hardin from Strawn and Mrs. Mary Finch from Comanche.

Also coming Friday night was Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hancock from Stephenville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Briles from Katy, near Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Mikeska from Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Gary Winkelmann from Bellville. W.B. Hardin from Rotan visited with them all Saturday night and Derrick and Damon and Pam Thompson from Throckmorton. Kenneth, Barbara and Wade Hardin all visited Sunday. They had such a good time and enjoyed their get-together. Most of them left Sunday evening so they could be home for work on Monday.

Bro. P.A. Mitcham from Anson had eye surgery again last week, but was able to be at church on Sunday, although he had a patch over one eye. He is going back to his doctor again on Monday, and we hope that he will get a good report.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rister from Lubbock came by to see Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boydston on Saturday, and they really enjoyed seeing them.

James Nettleton had to go back to the doctor in Sweetwater on Friday. He is now having bad headaches caused by the medication, so has another appointment on Wednesday, and we hope that he will soon begin to feel very much better. I went to Snyder on Tuesday and visited for a while with Mrs. Faye Patterson. Although there was still some snow on the sides of the road, there was none in the fields, and now with the warmer weather the

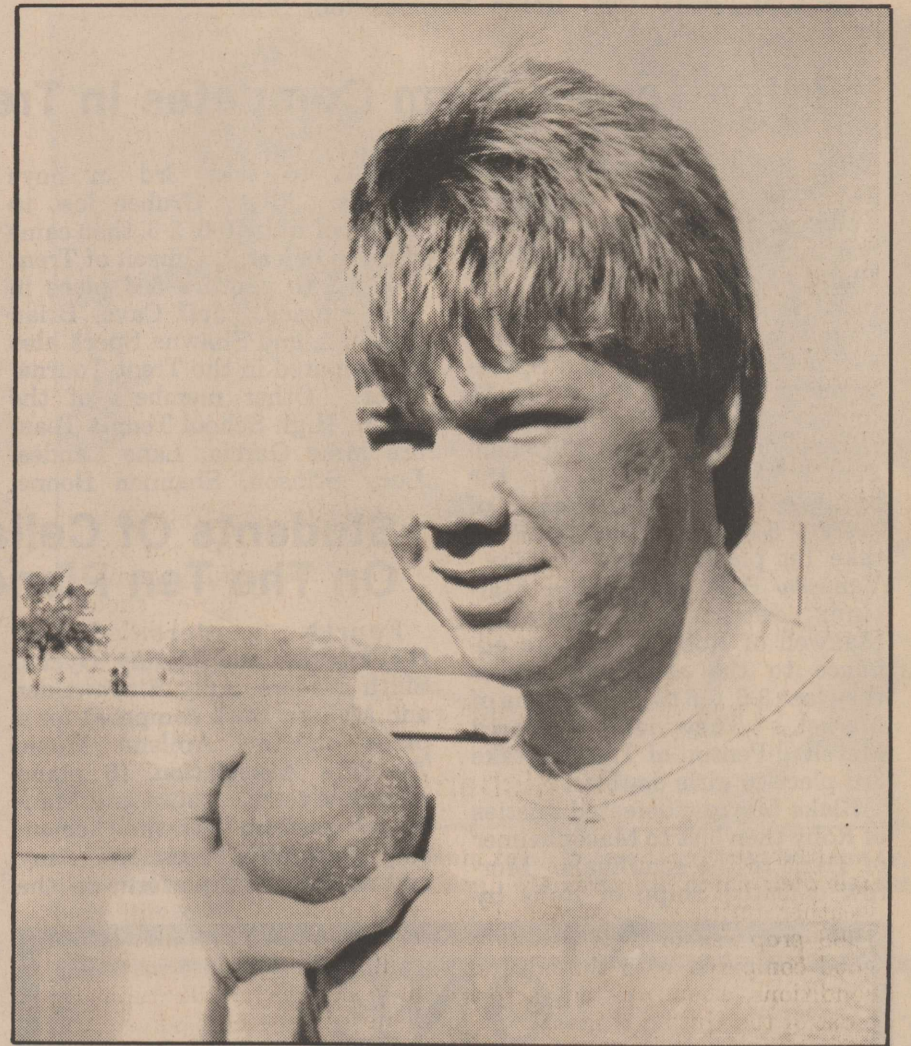
roads will be dry again. It was a pretty wet snow and left the roads a little muddy.

I went to Sweetwater Thursday night with Carol Gruben and watched the Miss Snake Charmer contest. It was sure crowded and was really good and we enjoyed it. Congratulations to Lori McCoy who was crowned Miss Snake Charmer. There were so many beautiful girls in the contest, it was hard for the judges to choose.

We visited with Becky Baer and Evette Gruben at the contest, also Shanna Neighbors who was there from Plano, and with Tralese Ham who also came in just for the competition. Friday I attended Rotan's one-act play which was held Friday afternoon in the Auditorium. Carye Gruben, granddaughter, has a part in the play and it was really a good production. We'll see how good a critic I am after Tuesday night when the play goes to Jayton and will be competing in Zone Competition. Saturday night Carol and I went to Sweetwater and visited with Evette, and Becky Baer, also Greg Gruben who was there from Midland. He and Wilber had been to a calf sale in Hawley and he was going to another sale in Snyder on Sunday, and then to one in Abilene Sunday night, so he has really been on the road, but returned to Midland late Sunday night.

I have missed several folks this morning, but they were either gone or outside as the weather is just about perfect. I read where some protestors turned up at the Rattlesnake Round-up this weekend at Sweetwater. Personally I wouldn't care if there were no rattlesnakes left anywhere, but that is just my opinion.

See you next Thursday.



SHOT PUTTER: Lance Ragan, senior member of the Rotan track team, competed in shot put competition at the Breckenridge Relays last weekend.

Gamma Tau Chapter Meets In Roscoe

The Gamma Tau Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met in regular session for a potluck supper, March 3, at the home of Joyce Smith, in Roscoe, with 15 members present.

Louise Bollinger gave the Moment of Meditation and the invocation.

Joyce Smith, presided for business.

Marilyn Threlkeld gave the Extra! Extra! She explained the process to follow in order to transfer membership from one Chapter to another.

Joanne Hairgrove, a member of the Music Committee, led the group in singing "The Delta Kappa Gamma Song."

Hostesses were Joyce Smith, Edith Hughes, and Ruth Wiman.

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Extension County Agents Report

By Beth Dannheim
Extension Home Economist

With easter, the thought of eggs comes to our minds. And this year, yet another egg product is surfacing - low cholesterol eggs - and buyers need to be cautious.

Any statement of this type requires a firm to declare a full nutritional label which must be approved by the Food and Drug Administration. The label should disclose the cholesterol level.

With all the concern about dietary cholesterol and fat these days how do these eggs shape up?

Recent analysis indicates large eggs contain about 210 mg of

cholesterol and 5.2 percent fat. Tests dating back to 1976 show large eggs to have 274 mg of cholesterol and 5.8 grams of fat.

Why the reduction? Changes in feed, management and breeding practices as well as more sophisticated analytical methods for measuring dietary cholesterol all account for the lower levels.

The FDA will likely release regulations next year regarding cholesterol labeling claims. Even if eggs have lower cholesterol, they cannot be labeled "low

cholesterol" or "reduced cholesterol" without meeting FDA definitions.

Consumers need to be cautious of product labeling and various claims that may or may not be true.

A 4-H method demonstration workday has been planned for Monday afternoon, March 20 from 1-4 p.m. in the Courthouse Annex. All 4-H'ers needing help with their posters for demonstration contest are asked to bring blank poster boards and we'll help you get started.

Two Lunch & Learn sessions are scheduled for next week in both Roby and Rotan. "How to stretch your wardrobe with scarves" will be presented by me on Wednesday, March 22 from 12-1 p.m. at the Courthouse Annex in Roby and March 23 from 12-1 p.m. at the Rotan Community Center. All homemakers are invited to bring a sack lunch and learn how to tie and wear scarves.

A leader training program on "Calcium, the Prime of Life" will be conducted Thursday, March 23 at 2:00 in the Courthouse Annex. The training is primarily for program leaders from the Extension Homemakers Clubs, however, a program leader from any organization who wishes to receive this training is invited to attend.

A home-based business short-course will be held at Tarleton State University in Stephenville on April 7-8, 1989.

The shortcourse will begin Friday afternoon with a tour to several home-based businesses in the area with a reception following the tour. Saturday's program will include a keynote speaker, luncheon, concurrent sessions dealing with the aspects of home-based business by a variety of speakers, and a summary session. The shortcourse is sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Small Business Development Center and the Home Economics Department of Tarleton State University.

For more information contact me, Beth Dannheim, County Extension Agent, or Glenda Trimble, District Extension Director, Rt. 2 Box 1, Stephenville, Texas 79401; 817-968-4144.



ROPE JUMPERS: The following Rotan school students collected over \$50.00 each in a "Jump Rope For Heart" marathon recently. They are (front row) Cassidy Early, Macario Ramera, Phillip Hull, Michael Hull, Dawn Tandy, Monica Merrell, Brandi Long, Amanda Clamson and Zack Burnes; (back row) April Martin, Amy Bennett, Rebekah Dawes, Trisha Deen, Annie Messick, Selina Garcia, Christie Alaniz and Buffy Shipp.

Rotan Students Participate In "Jump Rope For Heart"

Rotan 4th, 5th and 6th grade students participated in "Jump Rope for Heart", on Friday, March 3rd. This event is sponsored by the Texas Association of Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance to raise money for the American Heart Association.

Seventy-one students collected \$1,969.34 which was deposited into the local American Heart

Association account at the Rotan Bank. The following students collected \$50.00 or more: Amber White, Buffy Shipp, Dawn Tandy, Michael Hull, Selina Garcia, Brandi Thomason, Christy Alaniz, Trisha Deen, Annie Messick, Amy Bennett, Phillip Hull, Zack Burnes, April Martin, Amanda Clawson, Cassidy Early, Monica Merrel, Rebekah Dawes,

and Simon Rivera. (Buffy Shipp won a trophy for collecting the most money. She collected \$210.00)

The American Heart Association expressed appreciation for these student's outstanding efforts in helping keep their hearts healthy through exercise and raising funds to fight against heart attack and stroke.

County Agent's Column

By Richard Spencer

Although portions of Texas had their share of extremely dry weather during the past year, the 1988 crop season was generally good compared with the adverse conditions that existed across most of the United States.

Texas upland cotton producers will harvest the largest crop since 1981 with production estimated at 5.2 million bales, up 12 percent from last year.

Statewide yield is expected to average 471 pounds per acre, 35 pounds below last year's record high but still the second highest yield on record.

Moisture supplies across the High Plains were generally favorable during the summer, and cotton made excellent growth under the beneficial conditions. A later than normal freeze also allowed most fields to reach their full maturity.

Sorghum production totaled 75.85 million cwt, down 19 percent from last year and the smallest crop since 1956. Yield, at 3,528 pounds per acre, was unchanged from a year ago, but harvested acreage dropped 19 percent from last year to 2.15 million acres, the lowest level since 1939.

Texas producers planted a record low 2.30 million acres of sorghum during 1988, mainly in response to changes in the national farm program.

The Texas cattle and calf inventory on January 1, 1989 increased 1 percent from last year to 13.7 million head and marked two years in a row that the inventory has shown an increase. Texas ranked number one in the nation in total number of cattle and calves with 14 percent of the U.S. inventory.

Total value of the state's cattle and calf inventory was \$9.29 billion, up 30 percent from 1988. Value per head averaged \$605, compared with \$470 last year.

Inventory figures for beef cows increased 4 percent from last year to 5.45 million head. The milk cow inventory, at 355 thousand head, was also up 4 percent.

Beef replacement heifers totaled 970 thousand head on January 1, up 5 percent from last year, while milk cow replacements totaled 120 thousand head, up 20 percent.

Steers 500 pounds and over dropped 3 percent from last year's record high January 1 inventory to 2.70 million head. The total inventory of steers, heifers and bulls under 500 pounds was 2.60 million, 4 percent below last year and the lowest level since 1960.

The 1988 calf crop totaled 5.25 million head, up 4 percent from the previous year and the largest annual calf crop since 1983.

The U.S. inventory of all cattle and calves totaled 99.5 million head on January 1, down slightly from last year and 2 percent below 1987. This continued the downward trend in cattle inventories that began six years ago and was the second consecutive inventory below 100 million head.

All cows and heifers that have calved totaled 43.9 million head, up 1 percent from a year ago, and the first increase in this category following six consecutive years of decline. Beef cows totaled 33.7

million head, up 2 percent from a year ago, while milk cows declined 1 percent to 10.2 million. Beef replacement heifers, at 5.51 million, increased 5 percent from a year ago. Milk replacement heifers increased 2 percent to 4.20 million head.

The 1988 calf crop was estimated at 40.9 million head, up 2 percent from 1987 but down 1 percent from 1986.

Rotan Nursing Center To Hold White Elephant Sale

The Rotan Nursing Center will be having a white elephant sale Friday, March 17th, starting at 9 a.m. till 2 p.m. There will be miscellaneous items and baked goods at Rotan Nursing Center, 711 E. 5th. Proceeds will benefit the Arthritis Foundation.

Hospital News

Patients admitted to Fisher County Hospital March 7 through March 13, 1989 are:

Byrdie Houghton - Roby; Odell McQueen - Rotan; Maureen Mitchell - Rotan; Lester Gunter - Hobbs, New Mexico; Felix Silva - Rotan; Jesse D. Feagan - Lakeview, Oregon; Jonnie Morgan - Rotan; Annie O'Briant - McCaulley; David L. Morris - Roby; Lloyd Hicks - Rotan; Geneva Chandler - Roby.

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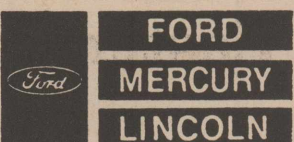
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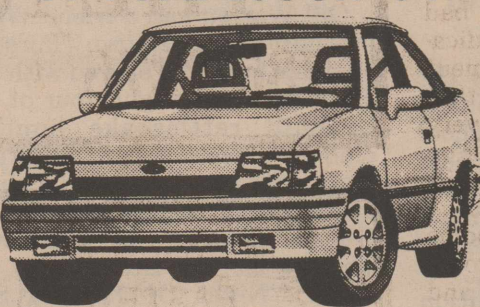
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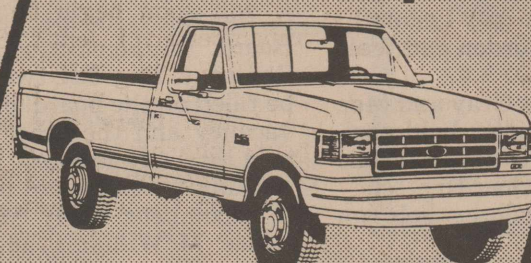
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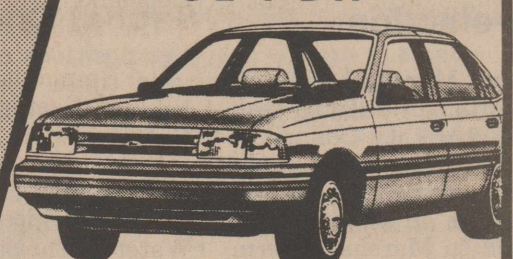
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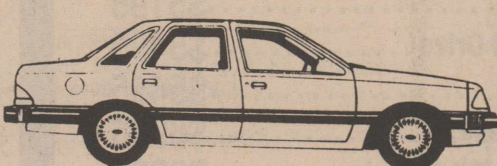
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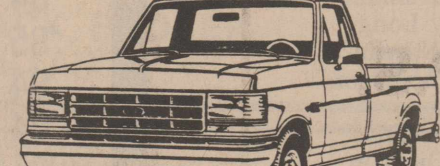
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Written By
Richard E. Rodgers, CPA



BREAKEVEN ANALYSIS (An Effective Business Tool)

Before any company can earn a profit, it must pass the "breakeven point", the level where total sales equal total expenses (costs).

Fixed costs are those that do not change with the level of sales (rent, insurance, etc.). Variable costs change depending on the level of business activity (inventory, commissions, etc.). Some costs have both fixed and variable components which should be separated.

The breakeven point in dollars is calculated by dividing total fixed costs by the gross profit percentage.

For example, let's look at a company selling pencils for ten cents each, with total fixed costs of \$100. If each pencil costs six cents (the variable cost), then four cents from each pencil sold is the profit margin (40 percent gross profit). Given these facts, how many pencils must be sold to break even?

Fixed costs of \$100 divided by the 40 percent profit equals \$250 of sales needed to break even. The pencil company must sell at least 2,500 pencils just to break even. They must sell more than that to make a profit.

Before starting a new business, you can use breakeven analysis to find out what it will take to turn a profit and whether expectations for the business are realistic.

For an existing business, breakeven analysis can help determine the number of sales needed to make a new product profitable, or show the effect of different price structures and sales levels, or let you see how cutting fixed or variable expenses will change the company's net profit picture.

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Fisher County Places Three Steers & Five Heifers At San Angelo Show

Fisher County placed 3 Steers and 5 Angus heifers at the San Angelo Show last weekend.

Johnny Smith won the lightweight steer class. Ryan Jeffrey placed 5th and Cody Smith 10th in the heavy middleweight class.

Johnny Smith sold his steer in the premium sale for \$1300.00.

Ryan Jeffrey won the steer showmanship trophy.

In the Angus heifer division, Makala Herron placed 7th in the Junior heifer calf class and 5th in the early senior heifer class. Carissa Kiser placed 5th & 6th in the junior heifer calf class and 1st in the summer yearling class.

Fisher County 4-H members had a good year on the show circuit. They are already selecting livestock for next year.

Deadline For Filing For Fisher County Hospital Board March 22nd

March 22nd is the deadline for filing for positions on the Fisher County Hospital Board, Hobbs School Board and the Rotan

Water Authority Board. As of press time, Tuesday March 14, no one had filed to serve on any of the three boards.

The Fisher County Hospital Board has two board members whose terms expire this year, they are Billy Jeffrey and Glen Copeland.

The Hobbs School Board has two positions up for election this year those which are currently held by Howard Gordon and Walt Cave.

Bill Hardy, John Gray and Mac Weathersbee currently hold positions expiring this year on the Water Authority Board.

The elections will be held on May 6th.

Dr. Jerry Marshall Announces Files To Seek Re-election

Dr. Jerry Marshall, Rotan Mayor has officially filed to seek re-election to the City Council in the May 6th elections. Newcomer Norvelle Kennedy Jr., has also filed for a position on the council.

In addition to Marshall's term expiring, terms of city councilmen Phil Springer and Jim McCright also expire.

Filing deadline for Rotan City Council is Wednesday, March 22nd.

Rotan Junior High Honor Roll Released

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News From Down South

By Bertha Warren

On farm to market road 419 south of Sweetwater, some of you may have observed a small dog sitting by a mail box by the side of the road. He (or she) doesn't chase cars but starts spinning as fast as he can until you pass then he sits back down to await the next vehicle.

This weekend was different from the last as we had 95 Sunday afternoon and not much wind so a very nice time for the Rattlesnake Round-up. I helped with a booth in the S.N.A.P. Building and it got a little warm as they couldn't run the air conditioners because of all the doors being opened all day. There were a lot of snake hunters visiting in the community and I know I missed some of them. The C.M. Hodges' guests Friday and Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Rex Horner of Sweetwater and their son Ken, and grandson Cliff and nephew Bob of California and another son Doug of McCamey. They all went out to hunt and visit. We're sorry to learn that Karen Hodges is in the hospital again. She was in

Humana for several days and was discharged Thursday but admitted to Hendrick Hospital Friday night. We hope she is home and feeling better soon.

Carrol Tankersley, 52, of Los Vegas, Nevada, died Thursday of a heart attack. Funeral services were held Thursday at Weathersbee Chapel in Rotan. Officiating was Rev. Dutch Parks, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church. Burial was in the Rotan cemetery. Survivors include his mother: Gracie Jewel Tankersley of Rotan; 2 brothers: Billy of Millsap, Cecile of Weatherford, and 3 sisters: Wanda McKennon of San Angelo, Levera Burkhart of Rotan and June Underwood of Blyth, Calif. Our sympathy goes out to the remainder of the family.

Dot and F.A. McCain of Rising Star spent a couple of days with Jewel Ratliff in Sweetwater. They took in the arts and craft show leaving for home Sunday afternoon. Max and Melba Ratliff and Landon came Sunday afternoon to visit her a couple of hours. Tuesday was Jewel's 83rd birthday and as they couldn't be here then she had early birthday wishes. Happy Birthday mom.

Christy Bunn and her fiance Tommy Smith of Snyder visited her parents Bub and Delores Bunn over the weekend. Lolly Whitworth stationed in Ft. Ord, Calif., has been on maneuvers and should be back on base by now. Lolly is the daughter of John and Kay Whitworth of Sweetwater. Mary Sullivan of Snyder visited with Agnes Bunn. Buddy and Tootsie Bates' guests were Buddy's two sisters and their husbands from Shiner and Abilene.

Erna Lee Jones had weekend visitors: Truett and Mary Lou Eaton and a couple of friends of Fort Stockton spent Saturday night with her. I spoke with the Eatons' and Opal Upshaw and they reported their mother Bessie Jones is home and feeling better. Harvie and Cleo Davis entertained Harvie's brother and sister-in-law Calvin and Ruth of Fredericksburg over the weekend.

Ben and Edith Ashlock and Carrie McCain of Abilene spent Sunday with Eircle and Marry Etta O'Donald. Also visiting the O'Donalds' were Ken and Downett Ashlock. Frances and Winfred Jones went to Odessa Sunday to be with Frances' mother, Anna Bartlett. Mrs. Bartlett suffered a heart attack. Frances remained in Odessa to be with her mother. We will keep them in our prayers.

Gill Warren and a friend Willie of Andrews, came down Thursday to snake hunt and stayed with us. Then Saturday night, four of the Sandhill rattlesnake hunting club's wives, spent Saturday night with us. We sure did enjoy everyone. I talked with Gerald Guest, director of the next Theatre on The Brazos play entitled, "Night Of January Sixteenth" and he reports everything is coming along fine. Watch for opening dates in this newspaper. Call and let us know what's going on in your world.

Three Positions To Be Filled On Rotan School Board

The Rotan School Board will see three positions filled on May 6th at the School Board Elections. Those three positions are currently held by Roger Blackwelder, Donald Gruben and Donna Kennedy.

As of press time, Tuesday, March 14, only two persons have filed to fill the positions on the board. Persons who have filed include: Craig Rowland and incumbent Roger Blackwelder. Others wishing to file may do so at the Superintendent's Office. The final deadline is Wednesday, March 22.

McClure Files For City Commission

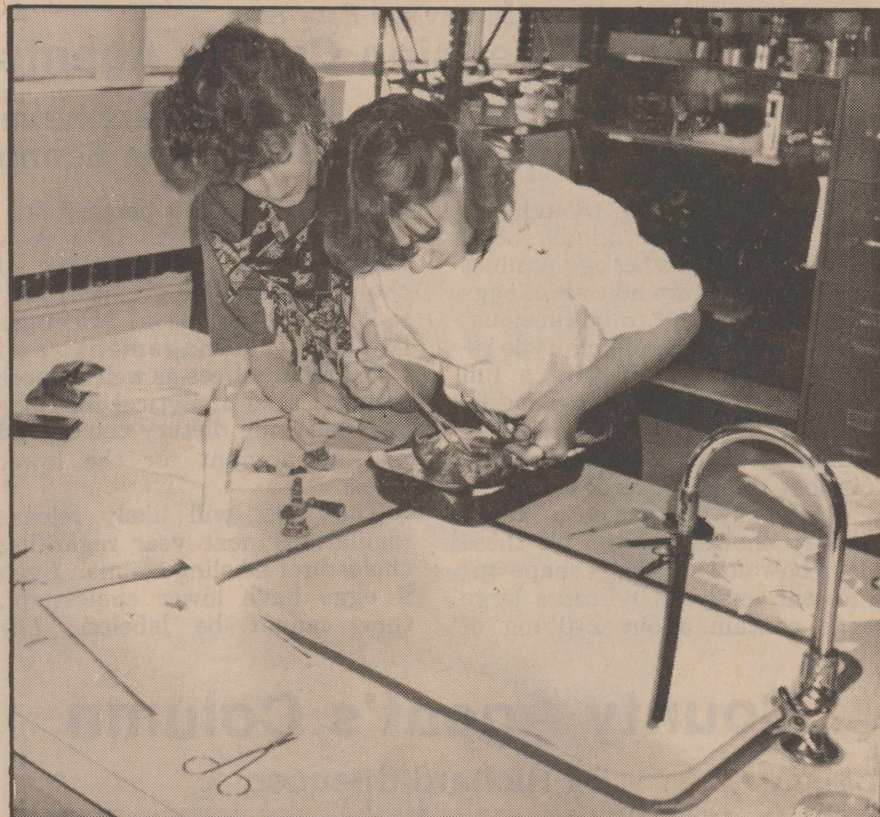
Incumbent Jack McClure has officially filed to serve on the Roby City Commission. McClure's name along with Archie Rivers and incumbents Cecil King and Murray Simmons will appear on the voting ballots for the election of the commission on May 6th.

Persons wishing to file for the commission must do so by the March 22nd deadline.

Deadline Near To File For Roby School Board Candidacy

Wednesday, March 22, is the final deadline to file for candidacy to the Roby Independent School Board. In the election to be held Saturday, May 6th, two spots will be filled on the board; one being a vacancy and the other currently held by Andy Moore.

Filing for the board in addition to incumbent Andy Moore, are: Lance McWilliams and Elwood Mize. Others wishing to file for the board may do so at the Superintendent's Office.



CLOSE INSPECTION: Rotan students Jenny Burnes and Karen Dickson take a close look during their biology class. The class was involved in dissecting frogs last week.

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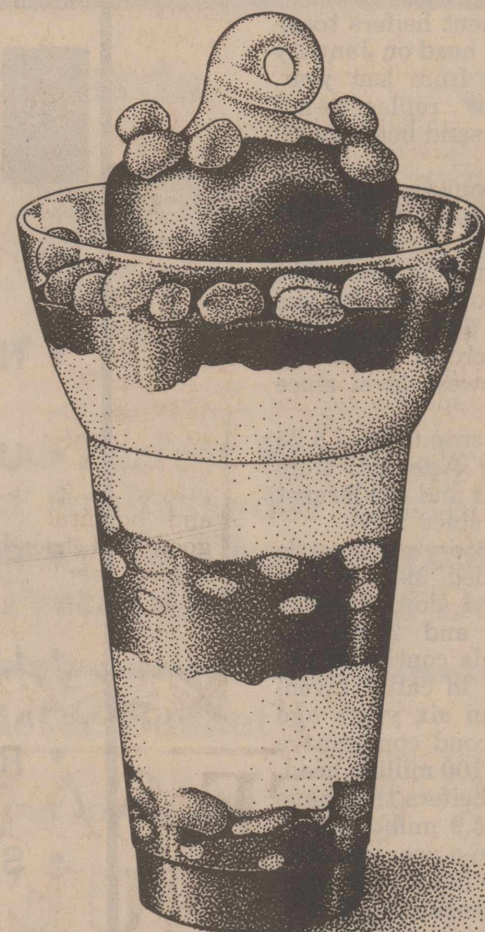
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ROTAN ACTRESSES: Jodi McClain, Kristi Martinez, Shanna Bennett and Sharilyn Murdoch will be part of the one-act play cast that competes at Jayton this week.



FINAL PREPARATIONS: Rotan one-act play director Floyd Garcia assists cast members Mike Garcia and Lane Landes behind the curtains before their presentation of *The Girl In The Mirror*, for the public last week.

Area Families Are Invited To Host A Foreign Exchange Student

American Scandinavian Student Exchange (ASSE International) would like to introduce Fisher County to some very special people.

Exceptional high school students from Scandinavia, France, Australia, New Zealand, Germany, Italy, Holland, Great Britain and Spain are looking forward to spending the upcoming academic year in America as exchange students. Local families are needed to host students in all areas of Texas.

"Potential host families come from a wide variety of backgrounds and lifestyles," says Toby Hall, spokesperson for the Texas region. "Ideal host families are open-minded, have an interest in people, especially those from another culture, and have a sense of humor."

The students are between 15 and 18 years old, are fluent in English, fully insured and have their own spending money. They expect to share household responsibilities and be included in fami-

ly activities.

For more information on hosting a student, please call Carroll Draper, Rt. 2 Box 216-CC, Early, Texas 76801 at 915-646-4239 or Nina Fronk, 807 E. Reynosa, DeLeon, Texas 76444 at 817-893-6279 or call toll-free 1-800-333-3802.

THANK YOU

Just want to thank my friends and relatives for their visits while I was in the hospital. Thanks to those who called to ask about me. Thanks to my pastor Terry Lowe for his comforting words and prayers. Thanks to the nurses and hospital staff for their good and friendly service. A special thanks to Dr. Maurice Callan for his comforting care.

Linda Williams

Social Security Won't Cover All Your Retirement Needs

More than a few times, people have been counting on bigger Social Security checks when they retire. But when the time comes for those people to go to a Social Security office to apply for retirement benefits, they find to their dismay that their checks are much smaller than they thought they would be.

This happens because there are many people who still think Social Security will replace all of the earnings they have before retirement. They don't realize that Social Security was never designed to replace all the earnings people lose when they stop working. Social Security is intended to replace only a percentage of the earnings.

Until now, Social Security has been able to give benefit estimates to every worker 60 or older who asked for it. If some of those people made plans based on the amount of benefits they thought they would have at retirement and then learned that their benefits would be less, it was too late for them to start planning to add to their Social Security checks.

But now the opportunity to plan for the future on a realistic base is offered to people of all ages by the Social Security Administration. Workers will have enough time to increase their retirement income since they will have a better idea of the amount of benefits they will receive.

This is possible because Social Security started a national program in August to provide

estimates of future benefits to everybody who asks for it, regardless of his or her age. All people have to do is call and request an application for a personal earnings and benefit estimate statement. The form requires workers to provide their age of expected retirement, last year's and this year's earnings, and average yearly earnings to the time of retirement.

With these facts, Social Security will adjust these earnings based on expected average growth to the time of retirement. The estimates of benefits will be in today's dollars.


The statement will show estimated monthly benefits for retirement at 62, at 65, and at 70. Information will also be provided on survivors and disability benefits.

After completing the form and mailing it back to Social Security, the applicant will receive a statement with a year-by-year breakdown of earnings after 1950 that are subject to the Social Security tax, in addition to benefit estimates.

It is expected that 6 million workers will apply for the new statement this year. You can be one of them. Remember, all you have to do is call Social Security and ask for the Form SSA-7004 "Request for Earnings and Benefit Estimate Statement."



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YOUNG HISTORIANS: Kelly McWilliams and Amanda Moore, 5th graders at Roby, compiled a scrapbook of the civil war which was on display during Texas Public Schools Week.

Nathan Calvin Colwell Born At Hendricks Hospital On March 8

Ron and Lois Ann Colwell of Aspermont are pleased to announce the arrival of their special gift from God, Nathan Calvin Colwell. He was born at Hendrick Medical Center on Wednesday, March 8, 1989, at 9:27 a.m., weighing 8 lbs., 9 oz., at a length of 21 1/4 inches. Proud grandparents are Kiefer and Aubry Nell Cauble of Roby and Quinton and

Vicki Colwell of Lubbock. Proud great-grandparents are Neoma Cauble of Roby, Aubra Dennis of San Angelo, and A. B. Colwell of Lubbock.

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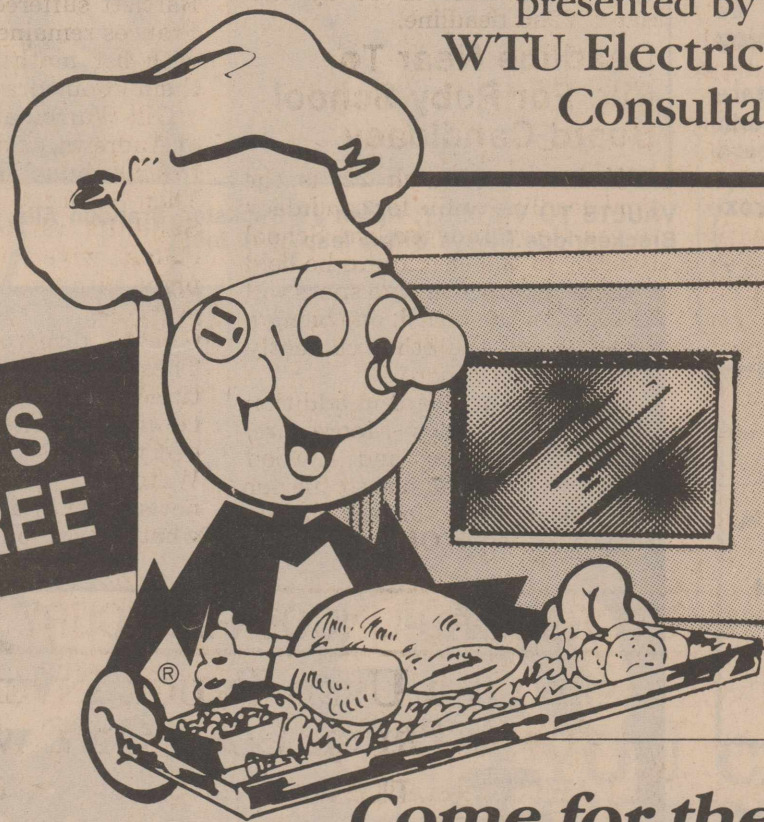
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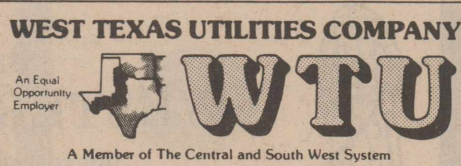
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Hammer Happenings

By Donna Turnbow



This week is just full of activities. Last Friday the one-act play group performed the "Girl in the Mirror", for the entire school. This Tuesday the one-act play group traveled to Jayton for Zone competition. Good Job!!

U.I.L. This past weekend the Math/Science team traveled to San Antonio to compete in a Math/Science meet. This Thursday and Friday is the High School District Literary meet at Rotan High School.

FOUR!! It's time for golf. Tuesday the golf team traveled to Robert Lee for their first golf meet. Good Golfing!!

TENNIS! The High School tennis team traveled to Merkel Tuesday. Well done!!

POWER! This Saturday the powerlifting team will travel to Ralls for the Regional Power lifting meet. GOOD LUCK!

TRACK! This week the girls and boys track teams will travel to Jayton for their track meet. GOOD LUCK!

SPRING BREAK!! Yeah, Spring Break is coming up next week. Everyone is ready and waiting for this week to finish so they can have a break.

Keep looking for more Hammer Happenings!

Rotan School Board Renews All Teacher Contracts

Rotan School Board members met last Monday night and voted to issue contract extensions to all teachers currently in the system.

The board, after being long on the budget by \$6,514 in February, revised income and expenditures to reflect a zero balance.

Superintendent Alton Fields, in the report to the board concerning the financial condition of the district, indicated that "we're in very good shape". He said a total of 62 percent of revenue had already been collected for the year and only 59 percent of the expenditures had been allocated.

"Basically, we are right where we ought to be financially," he said.

In other action, the board agreed to sell several old sewing machines from the home economics department which have been in storage. Fields is to advertise for bids on the machines.

Fields also reported a total of 94.1 percent of the budget for the current year had been collected. The budget was built around a 95 percent collection factor.

The superintendent informed the board of seven tracts of royalty interests in Kent County that sold for \$21,940 on back taxes. Rotan ISD would be due a portion of the funds. Fields is to correspond with tax attorneys and petition Kent County for the Rotan ISD share of the interest the funds will earn over the next seven years.

Rotan Science Team Places 2nd At San Antonio

The Rotan High Math/Science team traveled to San Antonio to compete in the Texas Math and Science Coaches' Association state meet this past Saturday, March 11. A total of 96 schools were represented at the meet approximately 20 of which were from class A. Competing against other class A schools, the RHS Science team of Randel Clawson, Jeff Cave, Candi Hayes, Kevin Smith, Ester Guerra and Paul Carrillo placed second. Individual winners for RHS were: Randel Clawson (3rd - 12th gr. Science, Biology medalist) and Ester Guerra (2nd - 11th gr. Science).

The board briefly discussed board member training which requires each board member to have completed six hours of training to the school district calling the next election. Fields reviewed the hours with Larry Landes, Donna Kennedy and Roger Blackwelder.

Superintendent Fields discussed the gas curtailment days with the board and the possibility of switching from the low industrial rate to a higher commercial rate. Fields advised that the commercial rate would be approximately 37 percent higher. The board instructed Fields to sign the lower industrial contract when issued by Lone Star Gas Company in July.

Board members voted to renew insurance coverage with Rotan Insurance Agency, after a recommendation was submitted by Superintendent Fields. The local agency, according to Fields, was approximately \$1,000 higher on coverage, but Fields felt it best to keep all four policies with the local agent. The coverage from Rotan Insurance Agency represents more extensive coverage.

The board appointed Eula Mae Hull as election judge, Anne Mae Fleming, Sue Cleveland and Mae Belle Smith as election clerks, and Helen Heathington as absentee judge in the upcoming May 6 school board election.

The board discussed a state mandated technology plan and voted on a member of the board for the Region 14 Service Center before adjourning at approximately 8:55 p.m.

Rotan Girls Track Team Totals 85 Points At Breckenridge Meet

The Rotan girls had a good track meet last week at Breckenridge, getting the runner-up trophy with a total of 85 points. Participating last week for the girls were:

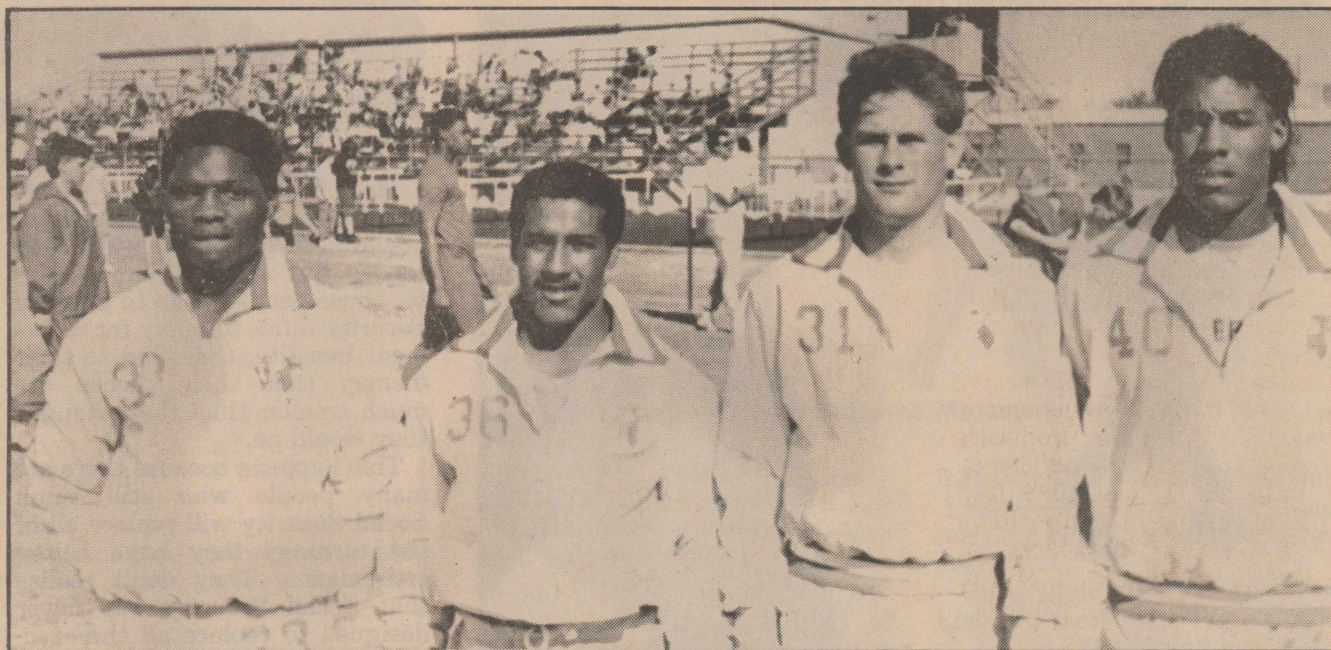
Shot put: S. Speck, T. Carrion, J. McClain; Discus: S. Speck, T. Carrion, J. McClain; High Jump: T. Johnson, 5th 4'7"; Triple Jump: S. Conner, 32'7" 3rd;

3200 meter run: V. Peek, 14:21 3rd, Jennifer Martinez; 400 meter relay: 2nd- J. Pease, S. Conner, D. Powell, T. Williams, 53:2 2nd; 800 meter dash: 1st- T. Johnson 2:31, Vanessa Peek; 100 meter dash: 3rd- T. Williams 13:76, D. Roddy, J. Daniel; 400 meter dash: 1st- T. Johnson 61:24, A. Williams; 800 meter relay: 3rd- A. Williams, S. Conner, J. Pease, T. Williams 1:52.2; 200 meter dash: D. Roddy; 1600 meter run: S. Long 6:37, 6th; 1600 meter relay: 2nd- S. Conner, J. Pease, A. Williams, T. Johnson 4:24.

"The girls last week did a good job for the first track meet and if we will continue to improve we will have a really fine track season," said Coach Diggs.

ROTAN LUNCH MENU

Monday: Chalupas, Buttered Corn, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Fruit Salad.
Tuesday: Salisbury Steak, Whipped Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Butter, Cake, Milk.
Wednesday: Vegetable Beef Soup, Grilled Cheese Sandwich, Fruit, Crackers, Milk.
Thursday: Frito Pie, Pinto Beans, Green Salad, Cornbread, Jello, Milk.
Friday: Hot Dogs, French Fries, Pork & Beans, Cookies, Milk.



SECOND PLACE RELAY TEAM: The Rotan sprint relay team of Willard Roddy, Robert Daniels, Billy Wayne Speck and Joe Huitt placed second at the Breckenridge Relays with a time of 43.7.

Willard Roddy Sets New School Record In The Long Jump With A Leap Of 21'8 1/4"

Willard Roddy lead the Rotan Varsity Track Team in the Breckenridge Track meet last Saturday, by setting a school record in the long jump winning first in that event and first in two others. Roddy had a long jump measurement of 21'8 1/4" breaking Fred Acorn's 1978 record of 21'7 1/2". Roddy also took first place in the high hurdles and intermediate hurdles with times of 15.13 and 40.9 respectively. Roddy was also a member of the second place sprint relay team.

Joe Huitt followed Roddy in the meet by scoring 24 points with first in both the 100 meter run with a time of 10.8 and the 200 meter run in 23.1 seconds.

Huitt was also on the sprint relay team that placed second with Robert Daniels and Billy Wayne Speck, with a time of 43.7 seconds.

Gray Fowler finished fifth in the 100 meter dash with time of 11.8 seconds. Lance Ragan and Blake Morrow competed in the shot put with throws of 39 feet. In the 3200 meter run, Randy Randolph had a time of 13.10 and Mike Wielder had a time of 12.25. Aaron Porter ran the 800 meter run with a time of 2.20. Robert Daniels ran 59.3 in the 400 meter run. Gray Fowler ran the 200

meter in 24.7 seconds.

In the 1600 meter relay Robert Daniels lead off with 55 seconds handing off to Billy Wayne Speck. They dropped the baton during the exchange putting Rotan out of the race. Finishing out the race with a lap time of 60 seconds were Billy Wayne Speck, Aaron Porter and Randy Randolph with 61 seconds finishing in 3:58.

"These times were good for most everyone, due to the short time we had to work out since basketball season," said Coach Ted Posey.

Rotan Junior Varsity Track Team Does Well At Breckenridge Relays

Rotan Junior Varsity boys track team competed at Breckenridge last Saturday. Coach Ted Posey summed up the day's events, saying, "I was real proud of the sprint relay team, even though they were disqualified for handing off out of the exchange zone. The boys did real well overall."

Members of the sprint relay team were Dave Daniels, Jerry Gauna, J.P. Martinez and Brandon Alls. Their time of 46.4 was the best time despite the disqualification.

Landon Alls won first in the 3200 meter in 11:22, while Brandon Alls won the pole vault with a

vault of 10 feet. Dave Daniels, Jerry Gauna and Brandon Alls placed third, fourth and fifth, respectively, in the 100 meter dash with times of 11.6, 11.7 and 11.8 seconds. J.P. Martinez placed fifth in the 400 meter run with a time of 57.2.

Danny Warren placed sixth in the high hurdles, clocking in at 20.8; he was fifth in the intermediate hurdles at 46.7; and fifth in the shot put with a heave of 35 feet. Landon Alls ran the 800 meter in 2:19. Brandon Alls had a shot put throw of 34 ft. and participated in the 200 meter run with a time of 25.3.

Logan Noelle Terry Born Jan. 25

Tyson and Cecille Terry welcome their new sister home, Logan Noelle, born January 25, 1989, weighing 6 lbs. 3 ozs. Parents are Tony and Kathy

Terry. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil King and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Terry. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Terry.



VAULTS TO VICTORY: Rotan JV trackster, Brandon Alls, placed first at the Breckenridge Relays with a leap of 10 feet.

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CCC Payments To Reach \$125 Million

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Commodity Credit Corporation this month will make about \$125 million in deficiency and 0/92 provision payments in commodity certificates to eligible producers of 1988 crop corn and sorghum.

Sorghum producers will receive about \$25 million in deficiency payments. Sorghum producers who requested advance deficiency payments during the 1988 feed grain program sign-up have already received payments of about \$218 million, said Milton Hertz, CCC executive vice president.

Most corn producers requested advance deficiency payments and were paid about \$2.6 billion at sign-up. "Corn producers who did not request advance payments will receive approximately \$1 million in deficiency payments in March," Hertz said.

Deficiency payments are required under the 1988 corn and sorghum programs because the national weighted average market price received by producers during the first five months of the marketing year (September through January) were below the established "target" price levels.

Deficiency payment rates are the difference between the target price for the commodity and the higher of the five-month average market price or the basic price support loan rate for the commodity.

Producers who did not request advance deficiency payments will receive \$0.36 per bushel in corn payments and \$0.48 per bushel in sorghum payments. Sorghum producers who received advance deficiency payments will receive \$0.048 per bushel while corn producers who received advance defi-

ciency payments will be required to refund \$0.08 per bushel.

In accordance with the Disaster Assistance Act of 1988, any refunds of advance deficiency payments that were made to corn producers during the 1988 program sign-up are not due until after July 31.

Under the 0/92 provision feed grain program participants had the option of underplanting program crop acreage while still earning program payments. Eligible producers in the 0/92 program are assured of receiving payments

which are equal to at least the minimum deficiency payment rates of \$1.10 per bushel for corn and \$1.08 per bushel for sorghum.

At this time, eligible producers will receive 0/92 payments of \$0.72 per bushel for corn and \$0.68 per bushel for sorghum, less any advance payments. The total amount of these payments is about \$100 million, \$85 million to corn producers and \$15 million to sorghum producers.

The balance of the 0/92 payments will be made later.

Rural Texas Women Exhibit Is Opened To Honor Women's Role In Agriculture

Rural Women played a significant part in shaping Texas agriculture, said speakers at a symposium at Texas A&M University Feb. 24 commemorating the opening of a photography exhibit, "Rural Texas Women at Work 1930-1960."

Mrs. Florence Low, assistant director emeritus for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, gave an overview of Extension programs for women from 1930 to 1960.

"Extension agents had a hard time because book learning was not as popular during this time," she said. "Women had many responsibilities, and mothers taught daughters housekeeping. Most of the early teaching was done by 'show and tell'."

Mrs. Lenora Speir Poole of Manchaca was a member of the Extension Homemakers Club for 55 years. Serving in many leadership positions, Poole said the friends she made in the organization provide the fondest memories of her work.

"The Homemakers Club taught women how to cope with problems and time management practices," she said. "There will always be a place for this program."

"A Farm Woman's Work: The Life of Sally DeLoach" was presented by Janet Neugebauer, assistant archivist of the Southwest Collection at Texas Tech University.

By reading excerpts from the diary of DeLoach's husband,

Neugebauer portrayed the day-to-day lifestyle of women in a rural society.

Dr. Evelyn King, assistant director for Collection Interpretation at Texas A&M's Sterling C. Evans Library, presented "Ruffles and Frills: Women on the Ranching Frontier."

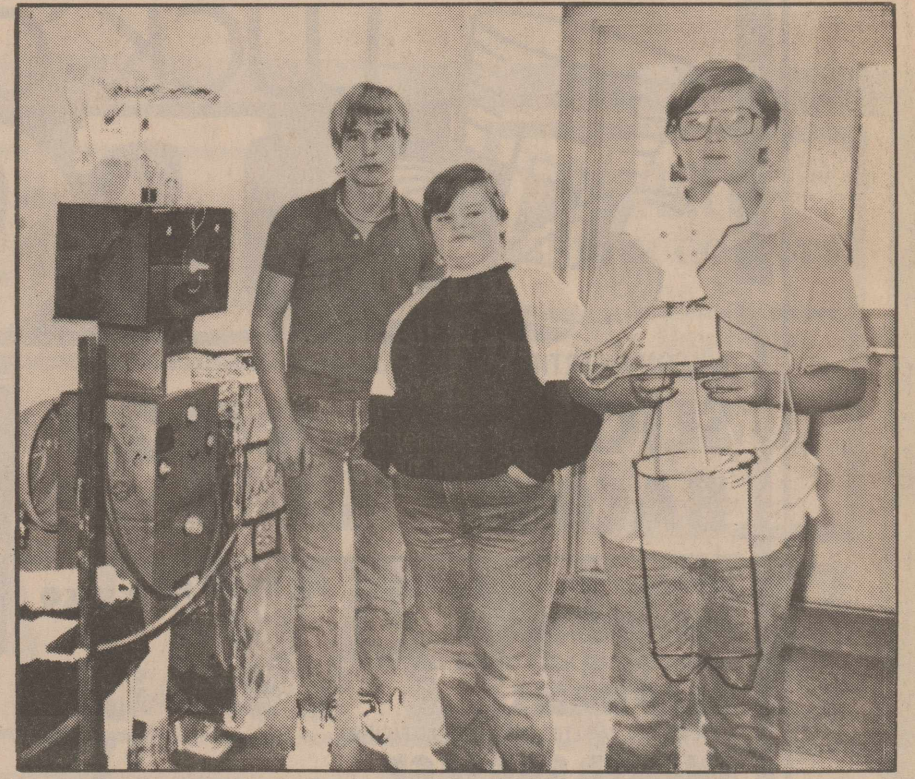
Rural women liked to be ladies but knew how to dress and act appropriately for the agricultural sector of their lives, King said. She presented an entertaining account of rural women and their lifestyle.

Dr. Sara Alpern, Texas A&M associate professor of history, chaired the symposium.

The 20-foot-by-20-foot exhibit is currently on display at the Evans Library. Organizations interested in displaying the exhibit may contact Dr. Charles Schultz, Evans Library, Texas A&M University, College Station, Tex. 77843; telephone: (409) 845-1815.

Tickets On Sale For Theatre On The Brazos Play, April 7-9

Tickets for "Night Of January Sixteenth", are available from: Gerald Guest, Jim Gruben, Don Daves, Beverly Rister, Greg Rains, Joe Dickson, Beth Martin. Performances presented by Theatre On The Brazos will be April 7th, 8th & 9th. Everyone is invited to attend.



ROBOT BUILDERS: Roby 7th graders Elliot Mize, Teddy Currant and Joe Zumwalt show off the robots they constructed for Texas Public Schools Week. Their teacher is Ann Harrell.

New Arrivals ...

Lauren Ann Park, Born March 9th

James and Patti Park are proud to announce the arrival of their daughter Lauren Ann who was born Thursday, March 9th at 5:47 p.m., at Hendrick Medical Center. She weighed 10 lbs. 1 1/2 ozs. and was 21 inches long. She was welcomed home by her brother, Tanner.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Groves of Jal, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Park of Roby. Great-Grandparents include Rev. and Mrs. Elton Wyatt of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McMillan of Hermlegh.

Timothy Raleigh Miranda Born March 2

Mr. and Mrs. Lazaro Miranda, Jr., would like to announce the arrival of their son, Timothy Raleigh Miranda.

Timothy Raleigh was born March 2, 1989, at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene at 8:03 a.m. He weighed 7 lb. 1 oz., and was 19 3/4 inches long.

Timothy also has a sister, Victoria Leslie Miranda, age 5. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Serapio Guerra of Rotan. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lazaro Miranda of Rotan.

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Coby Moore

SEVENTH GRADE

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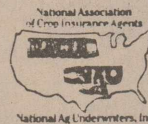
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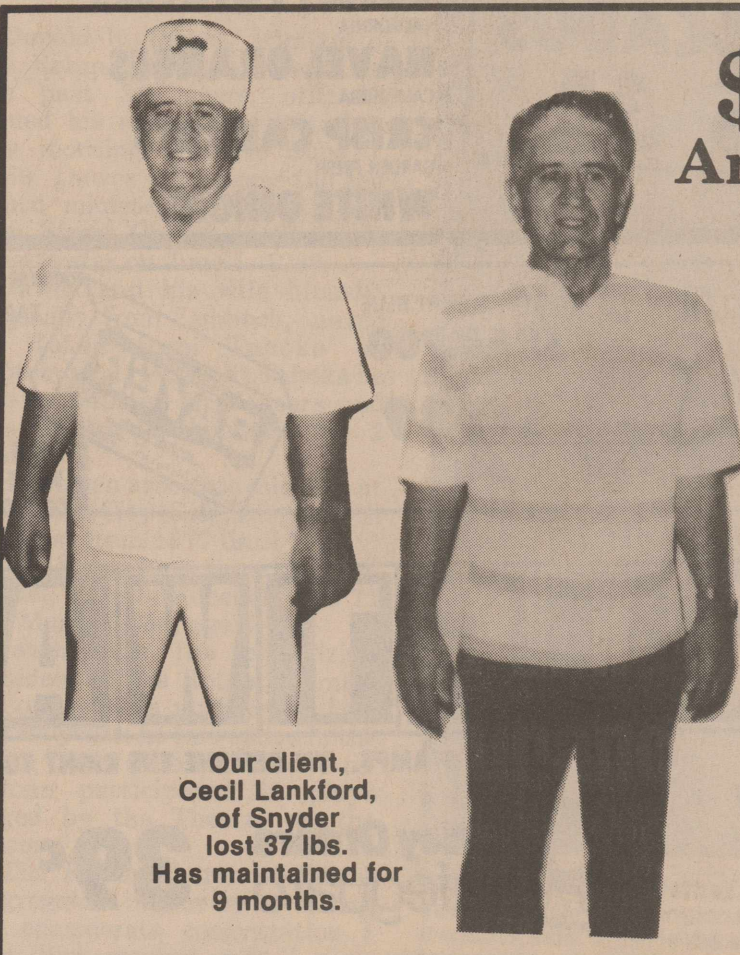


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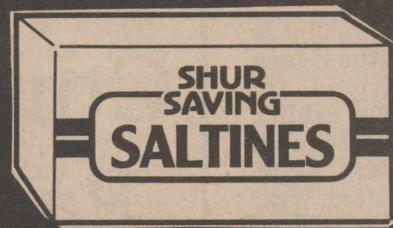


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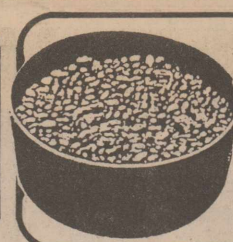
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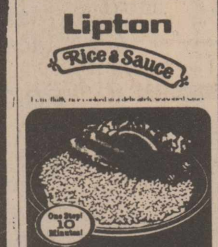
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