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Gary Shaffer Buys Funeral Homes from George Newby

After several weeks of negotiations, the sale of Newby Funeral Homes in Robert Lee and Bronte has been announced. George Newby has sold the two establishments to Gary Shaffer, formerly of Midland. Shaffer took over the business Thursday, Aug. 11.

Shaffer said Monday that he does not plan any radical changes in the operation of the funeral homes. He plans to continue to operate the homes in Bronte and Robert Lee and to continue to operate the ambulance service. "It is our plan," he said, "to continue to give the same kind of efficient and sympathetic service that Mr. Newby has provided for so many years."

Shaffer and his wife both grew up in Big Spring, graduated from Big Spring High School and attended Howard

Plans Are Made For County Fair

Plans are continuing to be developed for the Coke County Fair to be held Sept. 23,24, and 25. The Catalogues should be in the mail within the week, but few changes have been made from last year.

Divisions of the Fair are Foods—Canned and Baked; Clothing and Needlework; Crafts and Hobbies; Home Furnish ings; Art; Antiques and Historical; Agriculture and Floriculture.

Plans are to have a concession stand, business exhibits, educational exhibits and a flea market which includes a starving artist sale. The Beau and Belle Coronation will be held on Saturday Sept. 24.

More details will be in the Catalogue.
All persons in Coke
County are urged to prepare to enter many articles for the Fair.
Volunteer workers are needed. Anyone interested may call or write County Extension office.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agriculture Extension Service serve all people of all ages.

County Junior College. While attending college Shaffer began working part time for Nalley-Pickle Funeral Home in Big Spring. He then attended mortuary school in Dallas and for the past 3½ years has been employed by Ellis Funeral Home of Midland. He is a licensed funeral director and embalmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Newby plan to continue living in Robert Lee and he will assist the new owner as his services are needed.

The Newbys moved to Robert Lee from Ballinger in 1968. Before the move Newby had been associated with Newby-Davis Funeral Home of Ballinger for 20 years. Newby said the pressures of the work and health reasons prompted his selling the funeral homes. "We feel that we have rendered a vital service to the people of Coke County and the area," he said, "but mainly due to reasons of health I think it is time to let a younger man take over the business."

Both Shaffer and Newby are running ads in this week's Observer and Enterprise, with Shaffer announcing his purchase and Newby thanking everyone for their past patronage.

Jury Summoned For District Court

Only one jury case appears likely to be heard when 51st District Court convenes Monday in Robert Lee. Judge Earl W. Smith will preside.

The case on the docket is styled Loy Wrinkle vs. Texas Employers Insurance Association, and involves insurance compensation. Jack Sessom of San Angelo is listed as attorney for Wrinkle and Justin A. Kever will represent the insurance company.

A jury panel containing 100 names has been called for possible jury duty in hearing suit, consisting of: T.M. Wylie, Cova Sparks, Ruth L. Bradley, M.D. Continued on Page 6

New School Term to Begin Monday Morning

The 1977-78 school term will get underway Monday morning at the Robert Lee Schools. Teachers have been busy this week making preparation for the beginning of classes.

Football practice started Monday of last week and Band Director George Strickland will get his Steer Band members busy Monday as they make preparation for the forthcoming football season and other activities.

A couple of scrimmages are scheduled before the season starts: the Steers will travel to Wylie Friday, Aug. 19 and Garden City will come here Friday, Aug. 26.

A roster of teachers and other school personnel includes the following:

Superintendent: Jimmy Bickley; High School Principal: Jerry Gibbs; Elementary Principal: William Hood; Secretary: Mary Patterson; Tax Assessor-Collector:

Steers, Wylie To Scrimmage

The Robert Lee Steers can be observed Friday night, Aug. 19, when they go to Wylie for a scrimmage with the Wylie Bulldogs.

Garden City will be here at the Robert Lee Stadium for another scrimmage on Friday night, Aug. 26.

Fans are invited to view the local team in these pre-season encounters. Reba Roberts.
ELEMENTARY TEACHERS
Donna Bailey, Gayle
Bolding, Lana Clendennen, Myra Nelle Craig,
Laura Herford, Melba
Mauldin, Chanda McBroom,
Sheri Millican and
Virginia Walling.
HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS
Max Anthony, Wilma
Carwile, Jay Clyde

LARGE NAMED TO HEAD R-LEE WATERWORKS

Robert Large has been employed as water superintendent for the City of Robert Lee. The new water man has worked in the water and sewer departments of a number of cities and has completed courses which entitled him to credentials certificates in Texas, Oklahoma and Missouri.

Large replaces Sherman Williams as head of the Robert Lee waterworks and sewage disposal system. Williams resigned the position several weeks ago. Gary Williams, who was assistant water superintendent, was in charge of the water system temporarily before Large's appointment by the City Council. He will continue as assistant water superintendent.

City officials said they were glad to secure the services of Large, noting his experience and training in the operation of these services of the city. Dukes, Jerry English,
Roddy McIver, Eloise
Guerrant, Sid Long,
Winnie McPeek, Kenneth
Rasco, Connie Ricci,
Ronnie Ruff, George
Strickland, Daniel
Vaughn, Wyniese Way,
Dorthea Helen Wright
and Ronda Wojtek.
Auxiliary and Lunchroom: Aides: Sammie

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Jo Baker, Wanda Green,
Mona Mathers and Joyce
Rives.

Lunchroom: Virginia Garlington, Bea Patterson, Lena Roe at Ofelia Torres.

Custodians: Santos Gloria. Bus Drivers: Jeane Salmon and Melinda Strickland.

Homecoming Set By Edith Citizens

A large crowd is expected to attend the annual Edith Homecoming which will be held Sunday in the Robert Lee Recreation Hall.

Everyone is invited to bring a basket lunch and come and enjoy a day of fellowship with old and new friends. A devotional program will be held at 11 a.m. with some entertainment and visiting in the afternoon.

Dave King is president of the Association and Finis Harmon is vice president and secretary.

RL BAND BOOSTERS TO MEET MONDAY

The Robert Lee Band
Booster Club will meet
Aug. 22 at 7:30 p.m.
in the Band Hall. All
members and others who
are interested in supporting and boosting
the Robert Lee School
Band Program are urged
to attend the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. B.B.
Pierce attended the
graduation exercise of
their grandson, Doug
Pierce, last Friday
from Angelo State University in San Angelo.
Also here for the graduation were his mother
Mrs. Jack Raymond, his
sister, Fronnie Sue and
his brother, Jack Mitchell all of Houston.

CITIZENS OF TOMORROW



SHANE SMITH, 7 CLINT SMITH, 6 Children of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Smith



BRENT McPEEK, 3½
WENDY McPEEK, 8 Mos.
Children of
Mr. and Mrs.
Douglas McPeek

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Congressman

Bob Krueger

Reports

JOBS FOR TEXANS

The nation owes much of its warmth in winter months to Texas, and to the Texans who work hard tapping one of our greatest natural resources—natural gas.

NOTICE OF HEARING FOR REVENUE SHARING FUNDS

Notice of Proposed Use Budget for Revenue Sharing Funds Hearing is set for 10 a.m. in the Commissioners Court Room, Courthouse at Robert Lee, Texas, on August 29, 1977.

But Texans have very little hope left of fighting off what amounts to an attack on our resources. The House of Representatives has passed President Carter's energy bill with much of the original proposal intact. The provision in the bill which concerns me most today is the "fine print"--which gives the President power to allocate natural gas in times

of shortage. The
President has insisted
all along that he intends never to use
that power. He has
insisted, however, that
it be there for him to

With that power to allocate Texas' cleanest, cheapest, most plentiful fuel, comes the power to export jobs out of our state. I am spending the month of August traveling throughout the state, explaining to both labor and management what their stake is in this new legislation. Everywhere I go, workers are startled, and dismayed to learn how the federal government can, and very likely will, affect their livelihood.

It is horrible, on the fact of it, but true, that someone up in Washington will have the power to turn off the gas to Texas industry when there are shortages of supply. That means that the federal government will have the power to say it is more important for a steel mill in Pennsylvania to stay open than for one in Texas to remain open. The legislation gives the federal government power, then, to allocate our energy, our jobs and our wealth to other statesall for no more terrible a crime than that Texas produces and uses more gas than any other state.

The House did vote against a proposal for a direct gasoline tax increase designed to curb consumption. But by voting for a socalled wellhead equalization oil tax, the House has ensured that drivers everywhere will be paying up to seven cents more for a gallon of gas in the near future. Texans are an independent breed, not

pendent breed, not given to whining when things seem to be going wrong. But we have been known to stand up for our rights in the face of injustice. It will take much of that independent spirit and determination, to get us through the long, cold winter ahead.

Before buying a used car, (1) check the odometer; (2) read any notice attached to the left door panel; (3) require in writing the actual odometer and reading and a statement verifying accuracy; (4) learn date of ownership transfer; (5) car identification number; (6) the seller's acknowledgement that he understands the law and his own liability for falsifying any information.

REPORT YOUR NEWS!

DUNKLINS ATTEND FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. J.A.

Dunklin attended the
first Dunklin reunion
in Flint, Saturday,
Aug. 6, with all the
immediate family attend-

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Dunklin of Robert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. B.J. Luckett and Joey of Bronte, Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Dunklin of Avoca, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jack Dunklin of Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. T.W. Dunklin of Athens; Mr. and Mrs. B.A. Dunklin of Clifton; Mrs. Clara Goodson of Flint: Mrs. Kaye Dunklin and daughter, Linda, of LaRue; Mrs. Jeanice Phillips and Tom Dunklin of Malakoff. Mr. and Mrs. Morris Campbell and children of Flint hosted the

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph
Dunklin and two sons
of Brownsboro and
several friends called
in the afternoon. Plans
were made to have the
reunion again next

reunion.

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Recapitulation of Proposed Use Budget For Coke County for 1978 Including Revenue Sharing Fund

Îtems	Road and Bridge Funds	General Fund	Interest and Sinking Funds	Revenue Sharing Fund	Total all Funds
TOTAL RECEIPTS	199,684.00	322,610.00	_43,100.00	79,536.00	644,930.00
BEGINNING BALANCES	103,178.59	178,675.76	83,667.48	38,633.33	404,155.16
TOTAL RESOURCES	302,862.59	501,285.76	126,767.48	118,169.33	1049,085.16
Add Transfers In					
Deduct Transfers Out	5,800.00	10,000.00		1,100.00	16,900.00
AVAILABLE RESOURCES					
	297,062.59	491,285.76	126,767.48	117,069.33	1032,185.16
APPROVED BUDGETED EXPENDITURES					
	216,929.40	336,937.51	24,974.50	102,616.86	681,458.27
ENDING BALANCES	80,133.19	154,348.25	101,792.98	14,452.47	350.726.89
EXPENDITURES AND BALANCES	297,062.59	491,285.76	126,767.48	117,069.33	1032,185.16

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Killam - Martin Rites Solemnized

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wayne Martin are living here following their marriage Aug. 6 in a garden ceremony at the home of the bridegroom's grandfather, Wilson Bryan.

The bride is the former Lorri June Killam, daughter of Doris Kil-

HOSPITAL NEWS

The following admissions and dismissals were reported by the West Coke County Hospital:

Aug. 9: Marsella Torres dismissed.

Aug. 10: Russell Mc-Broom dismissed.

Aug. 11: Mike Stevens admitted and Kathryn Smith dismissed.

Aug. 12: Lena Russell, The bridegroom attend-Vivian Scott, Ruth Tidmore and Carrie Palmer admitted. Juanice Miller dismissed.

Aug. 13: Frank Hageman, Tom Williams, Mike Stevens and Vivian Scott dismissed. Aug. 14: Jackie Cowan admitted. Odella Coalson dismissed.

Aug. 15: Florine Sturdivant, Ann Ivey and James Bryant admitted.

HOST BARBECUE

Gathering in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Finis Millican and Sue Ann, Sunday, for a barbecue and a day of visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Danford, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Mammone, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Elliott, Brandi and Trish and Kelly Alexander of San Angelo, Terry Webb of Houston, Ronnie Wolfe of Lampasas, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Pirtle of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Smith, Lee and Todd of Nolan.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Millican, Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Millican, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbern Millican, Terry Joe, Pammy, Wibby and Teddy, Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Long and Charles Sims of Robert Lee.

> REPORT YOUR NEWS!

lam. The bridegroom's parents are C.L. Martin of Merkel and Ann Martin.

Doyle Oliver of Assembly of God Church officiated. The bride was presented in marriage by her uncle, Duke Prine.

Jo Ann Killam was her sister's honor attendant, and Terry Sparks was best man.

Flower girl was Stella Killam, also a sister of the bride. John Bill Brock and Sid Burns of Odessa seated

Reception was in the garden at the Bryan

The bride is a graduate of Robert Lee High School.

ed Robert Lee High School and is employed by Bryan Concrete.

The bridegroom's mother hosted the rehearsal dinner at her home.

Lunchroom

The lunch menu of the Robert Lee schools for the week beginning August 22 is as follows:

Monday: Fish with tartar sauce, creamed potatoes, combination salad, hot rolls and butter, milk and chocolate cake.

Tuesday: Meat loaf, english peas, macaroni and tomatoes, hot rolls and butter, milk and rainbow jello with

Wednesday: Pinto beans with salt pork, french fries with catsup, spinach, corn bread and butter, milk and peach cobbler.

Thursday: Hot dogs with chili, corn, cole slaw, potato chips, milk and vanilla pudding.

Friday: Barbecue chicken, scolloped potatoes with cheese, green beans, hot rolls with butter, milk and peanut butter supreme.

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lce Cream \$2.



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ARM & HAMMER DETERGENT 70 oz. box \$1.09



Instant Tea 3 Oz. \$1.69

LIPTON INST. TEA, w-Lemon Flavor \$1.79

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West Coke Nursing Home News

BY YVONNE CONNER

Since I have neglected writing, I will catch up on the last month or two.

We have been busy getting our patio finished. The residents have really enjoyed watching it all and we want to thank everyone for the memorial contributions which were used to build the patio. We are working now to get chairs and tables for the patio.

In July Mrs. Jesse Key's children had the birthday party, as she was one of the residents who had a birthday. Others with July birthdays were Mrs. Mary Tracy, Mrs. Hazel Morrow and Mrs. Kate Cox. Our thanks goes to Vernie Smith and Mrs. David Key and Dee Anna for such a nice party.

BIBLE STUDY 10:00 A.M.

We also had a large crowd at the Senior Citizens meeting last month. We are looking forward to a nice time Thursday, as we will try to take as many as can go to the Senior Citizens get-together. After the luncheon we are going to play bingo and they all like bin-

Our Tuesday craft class is in full swing. Anyone who has scraps of lace or ribbon is asked to send it to the nursing home.

We have a group of ladies from the Methodist Church who come at 10 Tuesday mornings to read the Bible to us. We are realy enjoying it.

Bro. Epperson comes on Thursday afternoon and conducts a class.

EVENING WORSHIP ... 6:30 P.M. WED. BIBLE STUDY ... 7:00 P.M.

MILLICANS TRAVEL THROUGH SOUTH

Mr. and Mrs. Waldon Millican have returned from an 11 day trip that took them through the South and on a tour planned by the Farm Bureau. Millican, who is representative for the Farm Bureau Insurance Companies, qualified to make the trip because of his insurnace sales record. The first big stop

for the couple was New Orleans where they toured the many sights of the picturesque city, including Bourbon Street and the French Quarter.

They traveled through Mississippi and Alabama where they saw the beautiful plantations and sugar cane farms, and then on to Florida. They visited Disney World and saw miles and miles of palm trees and orange groves. They also visited Daytona Beach where they waded in the Atlantic

Ocean and saw "acres of suntanned bodies lying on the white sand."

They started back, going through Georgia and said their biggest disappointment was not seeing one peanut farm, they did see some but they did see some large tobacco farms.

Traveling to Gatlenburg,* Tenn., they spent three days in the Smokie Mountains, saw some magnificent scenery and skied on an artificial ski surface.

On Aug. 6 they were off to Nashville where they witnesses the Nashville Jubilee, a side show of the Grand Ole Opry. A visit to the Grand Ole Opry had to be passed by, as all seats are sold out through December.

They left Nashville and headed back to West Texas, the longest leg of their trip. They said, "It rained every day we were gone till we hit Texas."

OWNERS TO REBUILD FISHING RESORT

The Wildcat Fish-A-Rama, which was badly damaged by fire July 28, will be rebuilt, according to an announ-

cement made this week. The popular lakeside business is operated by Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Duncan and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tom (Bubba) Duncan.

Mrs. Maurice Duncan said this week that they * have been busy cleaning up the debris left by the fire. She added that they definitely are planning to rebuild and keep the business in operation.



Mr. and Mrs. Jim Snow of Houston are parents of a son, Jayson Denman, born Thursday, August 11 at 11:59 p.m., weighing 7 pounds and 13 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Isham Snow of Pickens, South Carolina, and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Denman of Bryans Road, Maryland. Greatgrandparents are Mrs. Velma Denman of Robert Lee, Mrs. Alma Anderson of Pickens, South Carolina, Mrs. Cordia Reeves of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Piper would like to help of Wichita Falls.

CALL IN YOUR NEWS

***** Sponsors Needed For Football Ads

The Observer is in the process of selling names of sponsors for our 1977 football ads. We have contacted most of the business firms and professional people in the community, but still need a few more sponsors. Anyone who was missed, as well as any individuals who would like his name on the ads as a sponsor, is asked to call the Observer office.

Schedule of games, results of games completed and other information will be included in the ads which will be published throughout the season. Pictures of the 1977 Steers will also be printed in some of the ads.

Call 453-2433 if you sponsor these ads. The first ad will be published Sept. 2.

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BACK-TO-SCHOOL





STUDENTS

WELCOME TEACHERS

It's our pleasure to welcome you back to the classrooms of the Robert Lee School. We've missed you this summer and are happy for school to start with all its activities. We especailly want to welcome new teachers, students and parents to our community, and look forward to meeting you. Come by to see us any time we can be of service to you.

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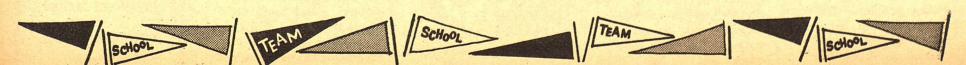
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Coke County Library News

Coke County Library sponsored a party Friday, Aug. 12 for the children that participated in the Summer Reading Club. The party was held at the park in Robert Lee.

The Summer Reading Program was sponsored by the library and the Texas State Library. Ther were 48 children enrolled in the program. Linda Boone, librarian and Lisa Bessent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bessent served the twenty-six children that attended the party cookies and punch. Reading certificates were presented to the children at the close of the party. Those receiving certificates this summer are as follows: Kathy Paden, Gary Calder, Debbie Flowers, Bobby Boone, Brooke Boone, Melanie Epperson, Nikki Epperson, Stephen Epperson, Douglas Hart, Shannon Hart, Jim Herring, Jason Herring, Joel Herring, Sheri Ebenstein, Stephen Ebenstein, Eliza Garza, Alma Garza, Mike Oliver, Pete Ensor, Wes Hood, Kim Hood, Craig Grant, Johanna Service, Lin Long, Sue Ann Millican, Khanh Do, Kim Do, Loan Do, Kim Clanton, Janet Eubanks, Jason Peirce, Ben Boykin, Tracy Boykin, Cody Anthony, Dana Anthony, Jeff Meyers, Christine Waddell, Melisa Waddell, Mary Lara, Luther Lara, Eddie Lara, Cindy LaFountain and Steven LaFountain. Children who did not receive a certificate at the party may come by the library and pick it up.

The library would like to take this opportunity to thank these children and their parents for making the first Summer Reading Club a big success.

Brown spots do not spoil lettuce. Just cut away the brown spots. Apparently temperature changes discolor the lettuce. No one quite knows why. The brown part does not taste good and it looks unattractive, but there is nothing dangerous about it.

Summer beach parties and cookouts are special fun, and they require especially nourishing snacks. Be sure to take along lots of wholesome, homemade oatmeal cookies for everyone.

JURY SUMMONED -Continued from Page 1 Chumley, Elton Francis Millican, Katherine Thomas, B.A. Boykin, John M. Green, Till George Russell, Mike Reasonover, Darwin Lee Williams, Essie Childress, Thelma Odom, J. Lee Ensor, Sarah Ann Hammon, Susan Cumbie Arrott, Lola Maude Gibson, Verna Smith, Pearl Ditmore, Ola Belle Wilkins, Elsie Latham, Patricia C. Gross, Tommy Hood, Joy Bagwell, Zada Denman.

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Here's a berry-bright breakfast tip for summer. Top each serving of hot instant grits or instant oatmeal with fresh berries, milk, sugar (if desired) and a dash of nutmeg.

and Robert T. Ragsdale.

The instant oatmeal flavor variety pack is great for camping. Everyone has a choice of flavors for breakfast oatmeal that "cooks" right in the bowl when boiling water is added.

Lewis Family Reunion Held

Descendents of the late Samuel and Sallie Lewis attended the annual reunion at the Recreation Center the past weekend. Mrs. Mary Hinton and Mrs. Pearl Ditmore of Robert Lee are the surviving children.

Others were Mrs. Mayme Lewis and Chuck Peirce of Whitewright; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Schooley of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pessara, Shannon McDougal of Freeport; Iva Brewington of Manchaca; Billie Zoet, Paula Dujay, Keith and Kenneth, Kim Rall, Ione Raymond of Houston; Jerry Ellis, of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lewis of Clute; Mr. and Mrs. John Kinsey, Randy and Michelle of Eunice.

Also Thelma Cooke of Kerville; Frank Davis of Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Don Bell of Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Chesney of San Angelo, Turney and Nelson Coulter of Bronte; Trey Davis of Harlingen, Ann Bailey of Big Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams, A.J. Hinton, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Williams and John, Mr. and Mrs. Shell Williams and Rebecca, Joydell Deen, Kathy, LaJohnna, and Vallery; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bell, Doug, Tanc-Bell, Irma Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Davis and Waid, Mitchell Davis, Maurine Vosburg, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Kinsey of Robert Lee.

Other relatives and friends were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wallace of Amarillo, Henrietta Payne of Clovis, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. James I. Akin of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wallace Jr. and Buddy, Mrs. Opal Crabb, C.H. Higginbotham, Mr. and Mrs. Buz Sawyer, Calvin Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maples, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Watson, Willie Embrey and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reese of Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hendley of Bedford spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hendley, and picked up their children, Saresa and Kyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton King and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mears of Lake Jackson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S.B. Plumlee last Saturday.



Notes From The Oil Field

Exxon Corp. No. 38 R. H. Harris Estate is a planned 5,800-foot venutre for the IAB (Harris Sand) Field 10 miles northwest of Robert Lee.

It spots 1,200 feet from the north and 660 feet from the west lines of T.S. Snyder Survey

Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Tubb-Omega was plugged back and recompleted in the Jameson (Strawn) Field four miles southwest of Silver.

Location is 660 feet from the south and east lines of A.E. Wiley Survey 2.

Absolute, open flow was 176,000 cubic feet of gas daily. It had a gas-liquid, hydrocarbon ratio of 20,000-1 of 59.1 gravity.

Production is from perforations at 5,793 to 5,836 feet, treated with 500 gallons of acid.

Scouts Attend Arrow Meeting

Gene Hinnard was in Austin with a group of Boy and Adult Scouters attending a 3 day conference of the Order of the Arrow. This conference was held for Section 3 B at the University of Texas. It was attended by approximately 300 members of 4 Lodges, covering an area from Austin to Ft. Stockton, west and from San Angelo to the Rio Grande on the South. 30 members of the Wahinkto Lodge in Concho Valley Council were present. This conference is planned and conducted each year by the boy members of the Section for their member Lodges.

Miss Deena Herron of Garland spent last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Bess Keener. They drove to Brownwood Thursday and met Deena's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Herron. The Herrons went on to San Antonio on a short trip before Deena enters A&M Aug. 29. Mrs. Keener went on to San Saba to visit her father, John Duff and to attend LVN commencement exercises. Her sister, Mrs. Marietta Adams was valedictorian of the class. Mrs. Keener came back to Voca Saturday afternoon and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Mert Donley.

Rites Held for Fred Ashworth

Fred Ashworth, 65, of May and a former resident of the Edith Community, died at 3:30 A.M. Thursday, Aug. 11, at Scott and White Hospital in Tem-

Services were held at 5 p.m. Friday in Higginbotham Chapel at Rising Star with the Rev. Eddie Martin, pastor of First Baptist Church of May, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Armo Bentley. Burial was in the Wolf Valley Cemetery.

He was born Jan. 1, 1912 in Kaufman County. He and Eva Powers were married Dec. 24, 1938 in Robert Lee. He was a retired farmer and a member of the First Baptist Church of May. He had lived in May about 12 years. Suvivors include his

wife, Eva, of May: four sons, George Fredrick Ashworth of Dallas, Douglas Gene Ashworth of Springfield, Va., Morgan Dean Ashworth of Burkburnett and Larry Dwayne Ashworth of May; two brothers, Johnny Ashworth of Abilene and Elmer Ashworth of Lindsey, Calif.; five sisters, Katherine Burt of San Pablo, Calif., Minnie Powers of Abilene, Lucille Engle of Cross Cut, Mageline Orr of San Antonio and Clara Hood of Robert Lee; six grandchildren and four greatgrand-

He was preceded in death by a brother, Monroe Ashworth.

children.

LANDERS TO MEET

The descendents of the late Mr. and Mrs. A.K. Landers will gather at the Robert Lee Recreation Hall, Friday night and Saturday, Aug. 19 and 20 for the annual Landers Family Reunion. There will be sandwiches Friday night and a basket lunch on Satur-



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We wish to express our appreciation and thanks to each of you who helped during our fire, especially the fire department.

Maurice, Elna, Bubba and Audrey Duncan

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3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE. Carpets, dinette set, miscellaneous. 9 W. 15th, Friday, Saturday, Sunday.

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Mrs. J.C. Wallace Jr. underwent surgery Wednesday morning at Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. She was reported Wednesday afternoon to be in good condition following the surgery. She is in room 210.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. C.G. Walker Sr. last Wednesday was Mrs. Gene Sharp of Austin, formerly of Silver and Robert Lee. Also visiting with Mrs. Walker was her nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude A. Ballard of Ft. Worth. Mr. and Mrs. C.G. Walker Jr. and family of Artesia, N.M., were weekend visitors in the home of his mother, Mrs. C.G. Walker Sr. Visiting with Mrs. Walker last Friday was her sister, Mrs. W.K. Scudday of Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Boone Sr. of Stamford were weekend guests of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Boone, Bobby and Brooke.

Weekend visitors in the Turney Casey and Pearl Ditmore home were Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Schooley, Sr. of Ft. Worth, Mrs. H.O. Lewis and grandson, Chuck Pierce of Whitewright, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lewis of Clute, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pessarra and grandson of Freeport, Mrs. Iva Brewington of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Chesney of San Angelo, Mrs. Thelma Cooke of Kerrville, Mrs. Jerry Ellis of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Hinton from West Coke County Nursing Home. All attended the Lewis reunion.

Edna Havins flew to Denver, Colo. for a weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Travis Allen. She then went to Arlington to spend a week with her neice and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Srikijkarn.



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