

# Robert Lee Observer

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## Robert Lee Has New Welding Shop

A new business concern which recently began operations in Robert Lee is the B. W. S. Company (Better Welding Service.) Their new welding shop is located in the Millard Meek building, one-half mile east of Robert Lee on the Bronte Highway.

In charge of the business as manager is T. J. Barron, a welder of nearly 30 years experience. Two other men are employed. The shop will be open at all times and two portable machines will handle business in the field. All equipment is first class.

Mr. Barron says his organization will do general oil field welding, and they already have several contracts for work in Coke and adjoining counties.

However, they will also do custom work and specialize in farm implement repairs and maintenance, and the building of stock trailers, bumper hitches, cattle racks for pickups, etc.

This will be good news to farmers and ranchmen since Robert Lee has been without a welding shop for some time.

Mr. Barron and his wife moved to Robert Lee a short time ago and reside in one of the McKinley apartments.

## Location Staked On Jack Walker

Treatment with 5,000 gallons of acid was scheduled yesterday for Sun No. 13 Jewell Brannan, southwest of Silver. The hole was bottomed at 6,373 feet in lime after topping the reef at 6,044 feet.

Baker-Taylor is the drilling contractor and their next location will be Sun J. S. (Jack) Walker No. 3.

Sun No. 13 C. E. Mathers was drilling at 5,698 feet in shale.

Sun No. 1 Ralph Harris Estate was drilling in shale at 5,669 feet.

In the Millican field west and north of Edith Sun No. 8 G. W. Davidson was drilling at 4,495 feet in shale.

Sun No. A-3 Foster S. Price was in shale at 4,412 feet.

In southwestern Nolan county Sun No. 1 Eunice Paramore picked the up Ellenburger at 7,320 feet and was deepening. Small oil shows were reported higher.

A Want Ad Will Sell It

## Teachers Convention

Supt. and Mrs. B. C. Goodwin and daughter, Sue, attended the state teachers convention in San Antonio the last of the week. Also in attendance were Principal and Mrs. P. E. Webb and Miss Eunice McLure. Wilson Bryan and Delmir Sheppard were present for the school trustees session held Friday in connection with the state meeting.

## Suffers Hand Injury

J. W. Denman smashed the forefinger on his left hand Sunday while working on one of the H & L trucks. They were moving a drilling rig in Scurry county when the accident occurred. Denman was treated at a Snyder hospital where the first joint of the finger was amputated.

## Sparks Reunion Held On Thanksgiving Day

Mrs. E. T. Sparks was made very happy over Thanksgiving to entertain a large group of kinfolks at a family reunion. Present for the occasion were eight of her nine children, 22 grandchildren and four great grandchildren. A daughter, Mrs. G. L. (Mabel) Swanson of Brockway, Ore., was unable to be present.

For an hour during the forenoon Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wojtek held open house for the group, as this was the Sparks family home for many years. Forty-seven enjoyed the bounteous Thanksgiving dinner served outside.

The children present included Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sparks, Roswell, New Mex.; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stewart, Sr., Albuquerque, New Mex.; E. C. Sparks and family, Sterling City; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Blair and daughters, Alamogordo, New Mex.; S. B. Sparks and family, Pecos; Mrs. E. B. Creech and family, Big Spring; and C. L. Sparks and family of Robert Lee.

Among the grown grandchildren present were Lt. and Mrs. Curtis Stewart, Jr. and children of Randolph Field, Texas; E. T. Stewart, Portales, New Mex., Mr. and Mrs. Gene Crutcher and little son of El Paso; Jack Sparks, Kermit; Mrs. T. J. Messer and little son of Roswell, New Mex., and Allen Sparks of Robert Lee.

Friends who were present for the dinner included Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Duncan of Big Lake, and Mrs. C. D. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cobb of Robert Lee.

## Fire Destroys Robert Lee Cafe

The City Cafe here was gutted by fire early Friday morning. Origin of the blaze discovered about 4 a. m. is unknown, but it appeared to have started near the front of the building.

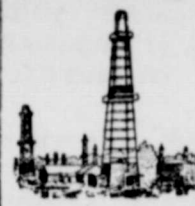
Some difficulty was had in reaching firemen by telephone and flames had spread over the entire establishment before water was turned on.

The cafe was operated by Mrs. Mamie Littlefield, who leased the fixtures from Roy and Keith Hood. Mrs. Littlefield estimates her loss at \$500, and Hoods think their damage may be twice that amount. Neither Mrs. Littlefield nor the Hood brothers had insurance coverage.

The building is owned by Will Simpson of El Paso whose interests were insured. The entire front will have to be replaced and the interior redecorated. Firemen kept the blaze from burning through the roof.

Mrs. Littlefield had served the football team a Thanksgiving dinner the previous night and she reported everything seemed to be in order when the closed up about 9 p. m.

Do your Christmas shopping at Roach's



## Notes From The Oil Field

Union No. 1 City of Robert Lee was drilling Thursday morning at 3,790 feet in shale and lime. Operators were hoping to pick up some shows within the next day or two. The test is being made on city land a mile east of the corporation limit. Nearest production is Union's Daisy McCutchen field, four miles east, which found oil in a Cisco sand section just above 4,000 feet.

Spartan No. 1 L. E. Smith, 14 miles southeast of Robert Lee, was drilling Thursday at 3,905 feet.

Amerada No. 1 Frank McCabe, wildcat three miles northwest of Silver, was drilling in black shale at 6,700 feet. No shows have been reported.

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Elkins of Robert Lee are parents of a daughter born at 8:25 a. m., Nov. 21, in a San Angelo hospital. The baby weighed 5 pounds, 5 3/4 ounces and has been named Linda Jean. The couple has another daughter, Ellen Ruth, age two.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Tremble of Menard are the parents of a daughter born Tuesday morning. Mrs. Tremble is the former Carolyn Farris and was employed in the Farris drug store here for a time two years ago. Arrival of the baby advances Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Farris to the distinguished title of great grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Calder of Robert Lee are parents of a daughter born at 7:25 a. m. Nov. 30 at Coke County Memorial Hospital. The baby weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces and has been named Susan Kay. The Calders have another daughter and two sons. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Martin Casey of Robert Lee and Mrs. Susie Calder of Mullens, Texas.

## Mose Jackson Injured

Mose Jackson of San Angelo, former well known Robert Lee resident, recently received internal injuries including a ruptured bladder, in an accident which occurred when he was moving a building at Silver. He underwent surgery at a San Angelo hospital and later contracted pneumonia. Robert Lee relatives have been advised that additional surgery will be necessary.

## Church Group Entertained

Tuesday evening the Mary Martha class of the Baptist church entertained their families with a turkey supper in the new educational building of the church. The dining hall was decorated with cut out pumpkins, shocks of grain and a scarecrow. About fifty enjoyed turkey and dressing and all the trimmings. After supper Mrs. Victor Wojtek conducted stunts and relay games Mrs. H. H. Chevalier is teacher of the class and Mrs. Weldon Fikes is president.

## Cotton Farmers Take Over PMA

O. E. Kresta, farmer residing two miles west of Robert Lee, has been named chairman of the Coke County PMA Committee for 1951. His selection was announced Monday following a meeting of the three community delegates which included Otto Wojtek, James P. Arrott and Eddie B. Patterson.

Also named to the county committee were Clarence N. Webb, vice chairman; Ralph Garvin, regular member; D. K. Glenn first alternate, and Frank G. Seltz, second alternate. The new officials will assume their duties Dec. 1.

Dissatisfied with cotton allotments the past year, farmers were successful in their efforts to put some cotton growers on the PMA committee. Both Kresta and Garvin are cotton raisers.

## Coke County Hospital News

Nov. 22—Mrs. Clarence Mitchell admitted. Mrs. Teddy Pitcock and infant son dismissed.

Nov. 23—Mrs. Roy Ross, Mrs. L. W. Jackson dismissed.

Nov. 25—Katherine Lord, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilford Lord, admitted.

Nov. 26—Mrs. Daisy McCutchen dismissed.

Nov. 27—Mrs. Clell Varnadore, Mrs. Willis Wayne Smith admitted. Katherine Lord dismissed.

Nov. 28—Roy Walker admitted. Mrs. Willis Wayne Smith dismissed.

Nov. 29—G. L. Johnson of Bronte and Roy Walker dismissed.

Nov. 30—Mrs. C. E. Calder admitted and daughter born at 7:25 a. m. Mrs. Clell Varnadore dismissed.

## Steers Complete Fine Grid Season

The football season ended last Thursday with the Robert Lee Steers defeating the Bronte Longhorns by a score 25 to 12. Robert Lee showed a decisive edge all the way in about the same ratio as the score indicates.

## Season's Record

Robert Lee 13, Sonora 6  
Robert Lee 33, Bronte 0  
Robert Lee 25, Miles 0  
Robert Lee 28, San Angelo B 13  
Robert Lee 26, Hobbs 0  
Robert Lee 19, Loraine 0  
Robert Lee 6, Hermleigh 12  
Robert Lee 6, Coahoma 13  
Robert Lee 6, Stanton 13  
Robert Lee 25, Bronte 12

A detailed account of the annual Coke county grid classic is published elsewhere in The Observer. It might be added that Donald Hamilton made more yardage than Gerald Sandusky, also that every man on the two clubs played a fine game. The Steer line was superior and on numerous occasions the Bronte fullback was stopped in his tracks.

A dusty norther blew in just before the contest started and a strong wind swept across the field all afternoon. Many spectators were in their shirt sleeves and suffered from the increasing cold.

The Steers had a highly successful season with seven victories and three defeats. They finished fourth in the 6-B conference, losing by one touchdown to the top three clubs, Stanton, Hermleigh and Coahoma. Loop wins were registered against Hobbs, Bronte and Loraine.

Robert Lee loses eight seniors from this year's starting lineup, but there is some excellent material coming on and a good season in 1951 is predicted for Coach Charles Dennis.

Stanton Buffalos, winners of the conference, meet Meadow in a bi-district game at Brownfield Friday night of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wigginton motored to Carrizo Springs for a weekend visit with the former's brother, Otis. They visited some of the citrus orchards and brought back a small quantity of fresh fruit picked off the trees.

Mrs. Jo Barrett arrived last week from California for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Newton, and her sister, Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough. Mrs. Newton is enjoying a visit this week with her daughters in the home of Mrs. C. A. Beeman at Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Richardson and daughter, Martha Sue, returned Sunday from a visit over Thanksgiving with relatives at Woodville. Mr. Richardson went hunting in the big pines with a party which bagged three deer.

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## Robert Lee Wins From Bronte, 26-12

Bronte kicked off to open the game, the ball being downed on the Steer 21. Baker and Havins were unable to gain and Hamilton punted out of bounds on the Longhorn 45.

Sandusky failed to gain at left guard and Robert Lee was assessed a 5 yd. penalty. McCutchen completed a pass to Sandusky to the Robert Lee 20. Sandusky advanced 2 yards over right guard, then lost 4 on a fumble. McCutchen was good for 4 yards around end. The Longhorns failed to gain and lost the ball on downs on the Steer 20.

Hamilton couldn't advance in two tries and punted to his own 44. Sandusky went around left end for a 1st down on the 32. McCutchen carried over right guard for 3. Sandusky was stopped without gain at left tackle and a pass from McCutchen to Sandusky was incomplete. Sandusky punted out on the Robert Lee 15, but the play was called back and a 15 yd penalty went against the Steers, giving Bronte a 1st down on the 17.

Sandusky cracked over left tackle for 4 yards, but there was a 15 yd. penalty against Bronte. McCutchen passed to Sandusky for 7 and two more aerials failed. A 5 yd. penalty was called on Bronte. Sandusky gained a yard thru center and punted out on the Robert Lee 12.

Baker picked up 4 yards over right guard. Hamilton was good for 4 at right tackle and then carried to the 23 for a 1st down. On the next play Hamilton went around his right end for a 1st down on the 39. Bill Havins got thru center for 7 yards and Baker made it 1st down on the Longhorn 49. Hamilton went off left tackle for 12 yards and 1st down on the Bronte 37.

### 2nd Quarter

Baker went off tackle for 3 and Hamilton hit the right side for 8 and a 1st down on the 26. Havins went thru center for 8, but Bronte recovered a fumble on the their 20. Sandusky was stopped at right end. A forward pass was incomplete and Sandusky ran into a stone wall at center. His punt was caught by the wind and went out of bounds on the Longhorn 29.

On a reverse handoff Norman Roberts came around right end and ran for a touchdown. He had plenty of blockers. Baker crashed over left guard to convert the extra point. Score: Robert Lee 7, Bronte 0.

Bronte downed the kickoff on their 31. McCutchen's pass to Sandusky was good for a 1st down on the 46. A pass to Waldrop was incomplete. McCutchen lost 2 yards trying to circle end. Sandusky failed to gain at right tackle. There was a 5 yd. penalty on Bronte. Sandusky gained 3 yards over left tackle. Robert Lee was penalized 5 yards. Sandusky failed to gain at left tackle. He punted out on the Steer 30.

Hamilton's pass to Roberts was too long. Hamilton and Wilton Robertson made short gains thru the line. Hamilton's punt was almost blocked. The ball went out of bounds on his 28.

McCutchen's short pass to Sandusky netted 8 yards. Sandusky hit right tackle for a 1st down on the 17. Sandusky fumbled but recovered after a loss of 6 yards Baker intercepted a Bronte pass on the 14.

Hamilton circled right end for 7 yards and Havins pushed thru center for a 1st down on the 25. Hamilton was good for 9 yards around his left end Baker went off left tackle for a 1st down on his 38.

Robertson moved over guard for 2 yards. Hamilton went off left tackle to the Bronte 48, but the play was called back and a 5 yd. penalty was called on Robert Lee. Hamilton gained 6 yards off tackle. Baker got 3 yards at the same spot. Hamilton drove thru thru for a 1st down on the 50. Robertson was stopped at center and Baker gained 2 off left tackle. Hamilton circled right end for a 1st down on the Bronte 38.

### Third Quarter

Bronte downed the kickoff on its 45. Waymond Davis intercepted a pass on the Longhorn 47. Baker hit left guard for 2 yards and Hamilton gained 6 around right end. Robertson was good for a yard over right guard. On the fourth down Hamilton got thru the right side of the line and ran 38 yards for a touchdown. Baker failed to convert on a line play. Score: Robert Lee 13, Bronte 0.

Sandusky brought the kickoff back 15 yards to his 28. Sandusky lost a yard at left tackle. Waldrop passed to McCutchen for 10 yards and Sandusky went thru center for a 1st down on the Bronte 40. Three pass attempts failed and Sandusky punted to Havins on the Steer 17.

Hamilton gained 4 over left guard and Robertson was stopped on the right side. Hamilton circled right end for a 1st down on his 46. Baker cracked over left guard for 5 and Robertson was good for 3 at center. Hamilton went off left tackle for a 1st down on the Bronte 42. Hamilton completed a 20 yard pass to Roberts who went for a touchdown. Conversion failed. Score: Robert Lee 19, Bronte 0.

Sandusky fumbled the kickoff and was downed on his 5. Sandusky went thru center for 3. He fumbled on the next play but McCutchen recovered for a 1st down on his 16. Sandusky fumbled again but Bronte recovered for a

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## Folks You Know

Thanksgiving guests in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Ray Lee were their son-in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Garrett, and daughter, Sallie Margaret, of Vega. Mr. Garrett is high school athletic coach there. Other guests were Mrs. Lee's mother and sister, Mrs. L. R. Williams and Mrs. E. W. Bellamy, and the latter's sons, John and Tom, of Dallas Mrs. Williams remained for a month's visit in the Lee home.

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Thanksgiving visitors in the home of Paul Killam at Sanco were Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Owens and children, of Texon, Miss Myrtle Killam, Gerald Owens, who is attending San Angelo College, and Miss Lova Lee Martin of Big Lake. Also in for the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Killam and Jimmy and Julia Nell, of Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey attended the A & M vs. Texas U football game in Austin yesterday.

Mrs. Mattie Bell Campbell and Miss Inez Gartman were guests last Friday of Mr. and Mrs. James Barron in Sweetwater. The Barrons were observing their first wedding anniversary.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Hanna over Thanksgiving were the former's father, Robert Hanna, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bradshaw of Yazoo City, Miss. Mr. and Mrs. Hanna accompanied their guests on a weekend trip to the Carlsbad Caverns.

Mrs. Hubert Fields and son, Hawley, were Thanksgiving guests of Robert Lee relatives. Hawley is employed in the engineering department of Sun Oil Co at Snyder and his mother is living there with him.

## SILVER NEWS

Returning to their home in Dallas Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dodd after spending the Thanksgiving holidays here with their daughter, Mrs. G. D. Screws and family.

The R. K. Beggs family are in

East Texas for a two weeks vacation with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Millican and children of Wildcat spent Sunday with the D. M. Millicans.

Mrs. J. Jameson was called to Albuquerque, N. Mex., last Thursday because of the death of an uncle, Boyd Green.

The S. V. Fants were San Angelo visitors over the weekend.

Having Thanksgiving dinner with the H. D. Smiths were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Legg and children and with the Paul Gilberts was Frank Haughton.

Jim Herford and Lee Weigel have returned from a trip to Sun Field in Starr County where they visited relatives and friends. Mrs. Weigel and Tommy accompanied them and remained in Uvalde for a longer visit with her mother, Mrs. T. J. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Carr visited the latter's brother, Elmer Allen, in Orient, Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Mowbray returned Monday after spending a few days in Midland with the J. B. Hamiltons.

Home for the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, were Pat Preston, Donna Jean Jameson and Esther Allen of San Angelo, Gerald Millican of Lubbock, Bill and Dave Gassiot of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Keith and children are in Odessa this week with the N. J. Keiths.

Visiting Mrs. M. L. Baker and Hank recently were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker and Tommy of Starr County, the Cecil Bakers of Lawton, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Baker and Linda Kay of Perry, Okla. Mrs. Baker accompanied the Gene Bakers home for a visit.

Dianne Conner of Breckenridge spent the recent holidays with Mary Ann Snyder

The Bill Archers of San Angelo and the R. D. Allens of Van Court spent Thanksgiving day here with

the R. B. Allens.

Hank Baker left Sunday for a week's vacation from his duties as an engine operator at the gas plant.

The L. J. Lanes returned Tuesday night from a vacation in Fort Worth with relatives.

The Victor Justus family of Odessa were recent visitors in the Fred L. Jones home.

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For Sale—Baby beef turkeys for breeding purposes; 10 hens and one gobbler. Mrs. Charlie Cooper. 24w3p

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### Honors for B. C. Goodwin, Jr.

Dallas, Nov. 29.—B. C. Goodwin, Jr., Robert Lee student attending Southern Methodist University, will be awarded recognition in the 1950-51 Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges to be published next spring. In all 29 SMU students will receive the honor.

Goodwin is president of the SMU Student Council. He also was listed in the 1947-48 college Who's Who, as well as the edition of 1946-47.

The student must qualify for recognition on the basis of outstanding scholarship, leadership and cooperation in educational and extra-curricular activities, general good citizenship and promise of future usefulness.

### Completes Training

Clemence R. Caston, seaman apprentice, USN of Robert Lee, Texas, recently completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif., and is now available for assignment to a Fleet unit or to one of the Navy's schools for specialized training.

During this period of training, he underwent intensive drill in such subjects as signaling, navigation, basic ordnance and seamanship. He also was indoctrinated into the ways of the Navy and learned the customs of the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Briscoe motored to Pecos for a Thanksgiving visit with his sisters. They made the trip in their new Chrysler.

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Harpo Marx	701 N. Cannon Drive Beverly Hills, Calif.	5,100.00
Chico Marx	407 1-2 S. Spaulding Drive Beverly Hills, Calif.	2,550.00
Louis Shelley	9239 Doheny Road Los Angeles 46, Calif.	2,550.00
Arthur Freeman	4555 Arcola Avenue North Hollywood, Calif.	2,550.00
Victor Saville	807 N. Roxbury Drive Beverly Hills, Calif.	2,550.00
Laurence W. Beilenson	1946 Gramercy Place Los Angeles, Calif.	2,550.00
George Burns	720 N. Maple Drive Beverly Hills, Calif.	2,550.00
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### District 18-B Plans Interscholastic Meet

MILES, Nov. 29.—L. M. Hays, retiring director of the District 18 B Interscholastic League and superintendent of the local school system, announced today the results of a recent meeting in San Angelo, when the executive committee of the group met.

On report of the committee the following faculty members from the district's schools were appointed as directing officers for the 1951 spring meet: Clyde Kenneman of Wall, director general; Gordon Creel of Bronte, director of athletics; Mrs. Larry Knowlton of Mertzon, director of declamation; V. H. Smith of Bronte, director of debate; Mrs. Goldie Coleman of Miles, director of one-act plays; Mrs. McNeil Wylie of Robert Lee, director of extemporaneous speech; Frank Miller of Miles, director of number sense; Miss LaVerne Darter of Robert Lee, director of shorthand; Miss Stanfield of Norton, director of typewriting; Mrs. Chet Holcombe of Bronte, director of ready writing; Mrs. Myrtle Hart of Miles, director of spelling and and plain writing.

The 1951 spring meet is to be held at San Angelo Junior College, April 13, Hays said.

Four of the district's 11 schools were represented at the San Angelo meeting in the St. Angelus Hotel. Robert Lee, Bronte, Mertzon and Miles were the schools with representatives at the meeting. Other schools in District 18B include Wall, Norton, Water Valley, Olfen, Barnhart, Christoval and Carlsbad.

### Personals

Mrs. Carlos Rabb, Jr. and daughters, Carrie Jo Ann and Jerry Lee, and Mrs. Billie G. Rabb of Roswell, New Mex., were guests of Mrs. W. L. Clawson and Miss Viola Clawson over Thanksgiving and the weekend. They also visited Mrs. J.C. Rabb in San Angelo.

Leslie Wink's father, E. H. Wink, who resides nine miles southeast of San Angelo, recently had his home destroyed by fire. No one was at home at the time and origin of the blaze is unknown. It was a good 5-room house.

A family gathering was enjoyed Thanksgiving at the Pete Davis home, honoring Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Puett and son, Leland, who were here on a vacation visit. Other guests were the T. C. Coffeys, Fred Smith, Willie Wallaces, Mrs. Tommy Williams and two sons, and Mrs. R. C. Scuddy and little daughter. The Puett's departed the last of the week for their home at Bell, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cathey visited over the Thanksgiving holiday in the Ralph Garvin home near Edith. They are now living in Fort Worth where Mr. Cathey is engaged on construction of a new hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Scott spent a couple of days this week in the parental H. L. Scott home. They were enroute to their home in Del Rio from Alexandria, Nebr. where Mrs. Scott and daughters spent a month with relatives. Horace says it was below zero and there was lots of snow when they left Nebraska Sunday morning.

Thanksgiving guests in the Roy Taylor home were the Lee Ligon family of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Good of Weimar and Patty and Dixie Taylor, students at the state university in Austin.

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## Soil Conservation District News

H. G. Wendland and B. St. George Tucker completed ranch plans on their ranches last week. C. N. Webb, chairman of Board of Supervisors, has announced.

The plans on 18,800 acres of ranchland and cropland were developed to treat each acre according to its needs to make an economical return, Webb pointed out.

The plans include such practices as range improvement; contour farming; building terraces; seeding

of pasture grasses; constructing stock ponds, constructing diversions, and seeding all new earth work to King Ranch Bluestem, Webb went on.

Tucker's plan included a 4 pasture 4 months deferred rotation grazing system for faster improvement of range vegetation. The livestock will be grazed on three pastures and one pasture will be deferred for a 4 month period. The livestock will be rotated to graze each pasture 12 months and defer each pasture 4 months each 16 months period. The livestock will be rotated around March 1, July 1, and November 1 of each year.

Wendland's plan includes a 3

pasture, 3 months deferred rotation system. Wendland will rotate his livestock around March 1, June 1, September 1, and November 1 of each year.

The plans were developed whereby deferred period for each pasture would not be the same months any two years in succession, Webb added.

A diversion terrace was staked on N. J. Taylor's farm last week. The diversion terrace was designed to control runoff water and divert it into a farm pond. The diversion terrace is a part of Taylor's plan as a district cooperater with the Coke County Soil Conservation District.

## Premium Lists Ready For Fat Stock Show

San Angelo, Texas, November 27. —Premium lists for the San Angelo Fat Stock Show have come off the presses. The exposition, one of the leading in the Southwest, will be held March 1 through 3, 1951.

This announcement was made by H. E. McCulloch, general chairman for the 1951 show.

Prizes in the sheep division will be awarded to Rambouillets, Delaine-Merinos, Corriedales, Suffolks, Hampshires, Southdowns, Shropshires, and fat lambs. The swine department will feature fat

pigs. Divisions in the cattle department will be Herefords, Aberdeen-Angus, Brahmans, and fat steers.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to everyone who helped extinguish the fire at my cafe early last Friday. Especially members of the Volunteer Fire Department for their good work and to the Firemen's Auxiliary ladies, who served coffee. —Mrs. Mamie Littlefield.

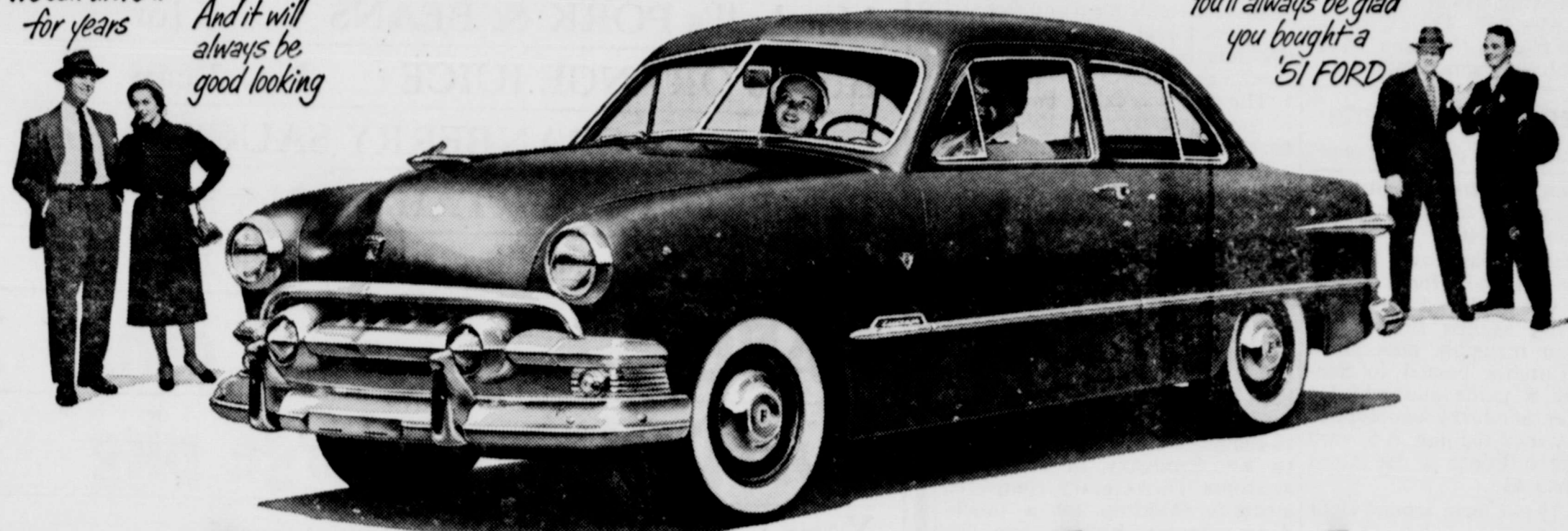
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Farris and the former's mother, Mrs. G. C. Farris, were Thanksgiving guests in the Charlie Farris home at Sweetwater.

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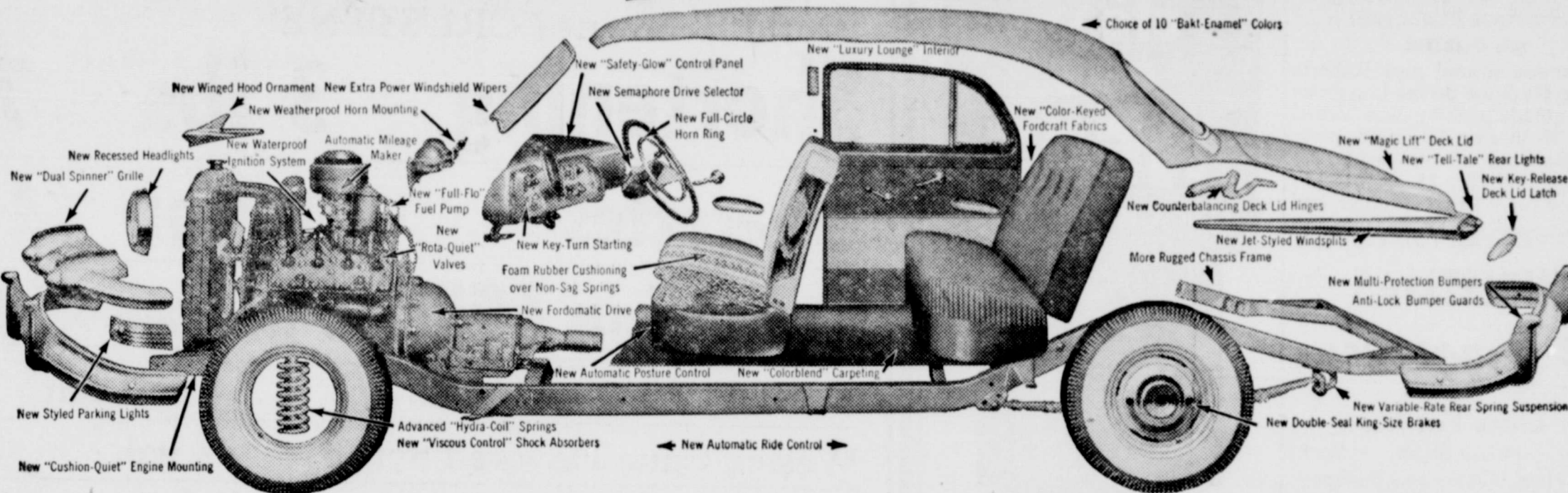
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## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Fields and children and Maurice Yarbrough and family were Thanksgiving guests in the parental H. B. Yarbrough home near Snyder. Mrs. Fields and Freddie and Janie remained there until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Varnadore were happy to have all their children and their families with them for Thanksgiving, except J. Que, who is employed at the gypsum factory in Sweetwater. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Clell Varnadore and sons, H. C. and Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Scott and family, and Lynn Doris Varnadore of Robert Lee; also Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Varnadore and son, Billie, and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Varnadore and son, DeWayne, of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cole and children came out from Fort Worth for a Thanksgiving visit with relatives. They were accompanied by Joyce McCutchen, who is attending Draughon's business college in Ft. Worth.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McAdams were their friends, Mr and Mrs. O. L. Hobbs and son of Winters.

### Robert Lee vs Bronte

(Continued from preceding page)

4 yard gain. Waldrop completed a pass to Sandusky for a 1st down on the Longhorn 46.

McCutchen's pass over center to Gentry was good for 7 yards. The play was nullified by a 15 yard penalty against Bronte for having an ineligible man down field. McCutchen passed to Sandusky for 8 yards and added 4 over center. Sandusky was stopped at the center of the line. A 5 yard penalty gave Bronte a 1st down on the Steer 43.

Sandusky got loose around right end and ran for a touchdown. McCutchen's kick failed to convert. Score: Robert Lee 19, Bronte 6.

Hamilton returned the kickoff 25 yards to his 41. Baker went over right guard for a 1st down on the Bronte 46. Hamilton gained 8 yards around right end.

#### 4th Quarter

On an end around play Roberts made it 1st down on the Longhorn 32. An offside penalty was called against Bronte on the next play. Hamilton went off left tackle for a 1st down on the 21. Robertson was good for 3 yards around end.

## CHRISTMAS

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and Hamilton gained 7 off left tackle. Baker drove thru the same hole for a 1st down on the 9. Hamilton circled right end for 8 and Baker went over left guard for a touchdown. Robertson failed to convert thru the line. Score: Robert Lee 26, Bronte 6.

Bill Fletcher downed the kickoff on his 39. McCutchen's pass to J. W. Caudle failed and there was a 5 yard penalty on Bronte. Sandusky made 9 yards around left end. On the next play he fumbled and Robert Lee recovered on the Steer 49.

Baker hit left guard for 6 and Robertson was stopped. Hamilton went around left end for a 1st down on the Longhorn 40. Havins got 2 yards thru center and Hamilton lost 4 trying an end run. Baker made 2 over left guard. Hamilton's kick was caught by the wind and traveled less than 10 yards. Bill Best got the ball and returned to his 49.

Gentry lost 3 yards and then picked up 2 at right tackle. Two pass attempts failed and Robert Lee took the ball on the Bronte 47. McCutchen dropped Havins for a 5 yard loss. Hamilton crashed off left tackle for 8 and Robertson gained 4 at right guard. On the fourth down Hamilton ran around right end to the Longhorn 5. The play was called back and a 15 yard penalty set the Steers back to the 33.

Baker went over left guard for 3 and Hamilton circled left end for a 1st down on the 20. Baker hit left guard for 2 and Hamilton was good for 4 yards around end. A 15 yard clipping penalty was called on the Steers. Bronte intercepted a pass on their 35.

A pass was incomplete. Most of the Robert Lee first team had been replaced with reserves. Sandusky got around his left end ran to the Steer 22. McCutchen failed to hit Sandusky in three pass attempts. Then Gentry completed a toss to Waldrop for a touchdown. Score: Robert Lee 26, Bronte 12.

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