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PETITIONS ASK SECOND ELECTION FOR NEW ROADS

Petitions are now being circulated to call special elections in precincts 1 and 3 to vote on the issue of issuing bonds for new roads in the northwest section of Coke County.

County Judge Jeff Dean says 50 names are required on a petition, but committees plan to get as many signers as possible in the next two weeks.

After the petition are filed with the Commissioners Court, a public hearing on the proposal will be held, and the election date may then be set. It would appear that the elections cannot be held until late in August.

It is proposed to issue \$245,000 in Precinct 1 and \$49,500 in Precinct 3. The bonds are to be paid off in 15 years and can draw more than 2½ per cent interest. However, the Commissioners Court has received an offer from Columbian Securities to handle the bonds at 2.35 per cent interest.

The proposed new stretches of highway would circle the side of the Silver loop, provide a new high water bridge across the Colorado River south of Silver, and a new road going south of the bridge to Highway 158 west of Edith.

4-H BAKE SALE

Bake Sale sponsored by the County Girls 4-H Clubs will be held in the former Mac's building next to the post office on Saturday, June 26, from 8 a. m. until noon. Your patronage will be appreciated.

Wildcat West of Edith

A wildcat location, announced on June 5 is A. V. Jones & Son, Albany and Group Oil Co. 1 mile west of Edith. The deep wildcat will be drilled one mile southwest of the Millican Field and 14 miles west of Robert Lee.

The project is slated for a 7-foot bottom. Rotary drilling will begin immediately.

Location, on a 560-acre lease, 467 feet from the north and 1,000 feet from the west lines of 2-H&TC.

The prospector is 3½ miles northwest of Midwest No. 1. In a wildcat failure abandoned Aug. 26, 1953, at 7,284 feet elevation unreported. The following tops were reported: Andres, 1,208 feet; Clear, 1,400 feet; Strawn, 6,906 feet; Marble Falls, 7,195 feet.

HOSPITAL NEWS

June 17—A. N. Fields, Mrs. B. Austin, Mrs. G. F. Mitchell admitted. W. B. Richardson dismissed.

June 18—Nell Burson admitted. Mrs. Elsie Latham, Phebe dismissed.

June 19—Mrs. G. F. Mitchell, A. N. Fields dismissed.

June 20—Gary Williams admitted. Mrs. Cumbie Ivey dismissed.

June 21—Marvin Glasgow admitted.

June 22—Mrs. Roy Ross admitted. Mrs. B. A. Austin, Gary Williams dismissed.

CONCHO BASIN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Magnolia	9	1	.900
Robert Lee	8	1	.889
Sonora	7	2	.778
Glenmore	4	6	.400
Goodfellow	4	6	.400
Colorado City	3	7	.300
Lowake	2	8	.200
Miles	2	8	.200

Last week's results:

Magnolia 15, Miles 5.
Glenmore 18, Colorado City 3.
Sonora 4, Lowake 3.

Next Sunday's schedule:

Robert Lee at Sonora.
Lowake vs. Magnolia.
Miles vs. Glenmore.

Goodfellow Skyhawks dropped out of the league last week. They were scheduled to play in Robert Lee Sunday. Hence the local club will collect \$25 for the forfeited game.

A new member of the Rabbit Twisters is Lester Bird of Blackwell, who looked mighty good in his first game. Bird plays first base on the Texas A&M base ball team in the Southwestern Conference.

HOT, DRY WEATHER

Coke County, along with much of the great southwest, is experiencing a period of extremely hot and dry weather. Temperatures have soared near the 100 degree mark every day this week. Crop conditions remain good in Coke County and the harvest of small grain is under way.

Mrs. George A. Payne of Slaton was here last week to be with her mother, Mrs. W. L. Clawson, who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lassiter and son, Douglas, of Fort Worth came out Friday for a weekend visit with Robert Lee relatives and friends. They made their headquarters in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Briscoe.

Local Residents at Summer Schools

Mrs. C. G. Walker and Miss Eunice McLure left June 6 for Lubbock where they were to enroll for graduate courses at Texas Tech.

Mrs. Sam Powell is at Hardin Simmons Univ., Abilene, where she is working toward a masters degree in education. Also enrolled in graduate courses at H-SU are Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Gassiot, who teach in the Silver School.

Martha Sue Richardson and Jerry Gassiot are attending summer school at Abilene Christian College. Martha Sue was valedictorian of the May graduating class at Robert Lee High and is attending college on a scholarship awarded to her for having attained that honor.

Martha (Dixie) Taylor, daughter of the Roy Taylors, left June 6 for Austin, where she will complete requirements for the B. S. degree to be awarded at the close of the summer session. Dixie is a home-economics major and has been elected to teach home making in the local high school.

Mrs. Melrose Russell is taking graduate courses at McMurry College, Abilene. In order to carry on her duties on the home front, Mrs. Russell commutes from her farm three miles west of Robert Lee, making the 140-mile round trip to Abilene six days a week.

TWO WILDCATS STAKED IN COKE

Applications have been filed to drill two rotary wildcats in north eastern Coke County.

Union Oil Co. of California, Midland, will drill its No. 1 Lou Whiteside et al, a 6,750-foot test, 8½ miles west and slightly south of Blackwell.

Operation on the prospector will begin June 28.

Location, on a 1,780-acre lease, is 1,980 feet from the north and 660 feet from the east lines of 293-1A-H&TC.

SECOND TEST

Mrs. J. R. Daughtery & Dudley T. Daughtery of Beeville will drill their No. 1-A. R. Whiteside, a 6,500-foot test, eight miles west southwest of Blackwell.

Operations on the test will begin July 1. Elevation is 2,394 feet.

Location, on a 40-acre lease, is 467 feet from the north and west lines of 290-1A-H&TC.

SUBSCRIPTION RENEWALS

J. S. (John) Ross called at The Observer office Monday to renew gift subscriptions to a son and daughter, Warren Ross of Pueblo, Colo., and Mrs. E. E. Ayers, Ravia, Okla. Mr. Ross will leave Thursday for Ravia, where he will spend one month with Mrs. Ayers. From there he will go to Lawton, Okla., for a week's visit with a sister, Mrs. Jim Tillison.

Mrs. Frances Greathouse renewed the subscription of her daughter, Mrs. Roland Vaught, who enjoys keeping up with Coke County folk through the pages of The Observer.

The many friends of the C. M. Byrd family will regret to learn that Mrs. Byrd's illness has become very critical. She is a patient at Shannon hospital in San Angelo.

MRS. MURTISHAW HONORED

The children of Mrs. J. I. Murtishaw, the former Mrs. L. C. Hughes, and the late Mr. Hughes, gathered in Robert Lee last week for a family reunion and to honor their mother on her seventy-fifth birthday, Thursday, June 10.

Here for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hughes and son, Phil, of East Point, Georgia; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gibbins, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hughes and family, and Mr. and Mrs. El Hatley of Robert Lee.

The birthday dinner was served in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hughes. The group spent the day feasting, visiting and taking pictures.

The Emory Hughes family remained here a week.

Jo Alice McDonald To Attend Girls Wisconsin Camp

Jo Alice McDonald, 15-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDonald, Jr., left Tuesday to spend two months at Camp Nagawicka near Delafield, Wisconsin. She was a member of a sponsored group of four girls from the San Angelo area.

All kinds of outdoor activities are provided and Nagawicka is known as one of the finest girls camps in the north.

While there Jo Alice will also study dancing under a teacher from Chicago.

Editor A. J. Kirkpatrick returned home Monday from a two weeks' vacation trip in the east. He visited his daughters and their families in Washington, D. C., and Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heuvel and little daughters returned Monday from a three weeks vacation with relatives at Brenham and Houston. Mr. Heuvel is a pumper for Sun Oil Co. in the Millican field.

DEMOCRATS MAKE PLANS FOR PRIMARY

Coke County's Democratic Executive Committee met here Monday afternoon to arrange certain details concerning the Primary Election set for July 24. R. B. Allen of Silver, County Democratic Chairman, presided over the meeting.

Texas election laws provide that members of the County Committee shall meet a month prior to the primary to apportion among the candidates the cost of holding the elections, to determine the order in which candidates names shall appear on the ballot and select officers to be in charge of the elections in various precincts.

The committee assessed all district and county candidates 4¼ per cent of one year's salary, and precinct candidates (commissioners, justices of the peace and constables) 3 per cent of a year's salary.

All candidates have been notified of the amount which has been assessed, and it is necessary that assessment be paid on or before Saturday, June 26.

The Democratic primary election sub-committee will meet Monday, June 28, to prepare the ballot, Chairman Allen states.

The following election judges were selected:

Robert Lee, Bailey Russell.
Bronte, D. K. Glenn.
Ft. Chadbourne, Royce Fancher.

Tennyson, E. D. Little.
Divide, Fred McCabe.
Sanco, Bryan Gartman.
Silver, H. L. Bloodworth.
Edith, Ralph Garvin.
Wildcat, M. D. Chumley.
Olga, R. V. Copeland.
Walnut, G. C. Munn.
Lometa, Eugene Brooks.
Hayrick, J. W. Labenske.
Juniper, Homer Cornelius.

Appointed to count absentee ballots were Lem Cowley, Tom Green, George Thomas and Finnell Smith. This committee will meet at the county clerk's office.

SUN OIL NOTES

Sun Central National Bank A-4 drilling Wednesday at 2,370 feet in shale and lime.

Sun 1 L. R. Schooler, wildcat southwest of Edith, drilling in shale at 5,915 feet.

Sun D. M. Millican at Silver, drilling at 5,530 feet, shale and sand.

Sun 11 V. T. McCabe, north of Silver in Mitchell County, drilling at 1,886 feet in shale and lime. Empire Drilling Co. is the contractor.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson of Wichita Falls have been here this week looking after their property interest west of Edith and visiting among old friends.

BIRTHS

SELTZ — Cpl. and Mrs. Bobby Earl Seltz of Ft. Dix, New Jersey, are parents of their first child, a son, born June 12. The baby weighed 8½ pounds and has been named Joe Dennis. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Seltz of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones of Abilene.



RECENT BRIDE—Mrs. Ronnie Baker was the former Sammie Jo Fowler before her marriage June 15. A recent graduate of Robert Lee High School, the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fowler. The bridegroom is engaged in the grocery business here with his father, Gene Baker. The couple have begun housekeeping in their home in the northeast part of town recently purchased from Will Percifull.

Want Ads

GARDEN TOOLS including seven different hoes; lawn tools including nine different types of sprinklers. **LEEPER SUPPLY CO.**

NOTICE

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—Fred McDonald, Jr.

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COKE GAINS 6 PRODUCERS

Coke County gained seven new producing oil wells, all in the Jameson-Strawn Field in the northwestern part of the county.

F. Kirk Johnson of Fort Worth No. 5 R. H. Vermila, 16 miles northwest of Robert Lee in J. A. Anthony Survey 24½ was completed for a daily potential of 714.18 barrels of 46.5 gravity oil.

Production was through a 20-64 inch choke with packer set on casing and 575 pounds of tubing pressure. Flow was through 360 perforations at 6,211-6,342 feet. Casing was set at 6,439 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 890-1.

Same operator completed his No. 6 Vermila in M. E. Anthony Survey 25½, for a daily gauge of 862.50 barrels of 46.2 gravity oil through a 24-64 inch choke. Casing pressure was 500 pounds, with 750 on tubing.

Production was from 240 perforations at 6,162-296 feet. Casing was set at 6,399 feet, one foot off bottom. Gas-oil ratio was 1,095-1.

Perkins Prothro Co. of Wichita Falls No. 9-B W. C. Blanks, 18 miles northwest of Robert Lee, flowed for a daily potential of 300.35 barrels of 47 gravity oil, through a 12-64 inch choke with 575-550 on casing and 1,075-1,100 on tubing.

Production was from 348 perforations at 6,214-6,345 feet. Casing was set at 6,396 feet, total depth. Gas-oil ratio was 1,179-1.

American Republic Corp of Houston completed its No. 6 W. I. Tubb, four and a half miles southwest of Silver in J. W. Meek Survey A-1949.

Daily potential was 266 barrels of 43 gravity oil, through a 16-64 inch choke with packer on casing and 500 pounds on tubing. Flow was from 504 perforations.

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NOTICE

My ranch, also known as Matapeake Ranch, south of Robert Lee and a portion of which is east of the Colorado River, has been posted. Trespassers will be prosecuted. A reward of \$50.00 will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons trespassing upon this property.

B. St. George Tucker.

6tc

ations at 6,160-6,322 feet. Casing was set at 6,447 feet, with total depth of 6,458. Gas-oil ratio was 1,150-1.

Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 3 W. L. Carr, in D. H. and J. W. Snyder and Von Rosenberg Survey, flowed 149.85 barrels of 42.6 gravity oil in 24 hours.

Production was through a 12-64 inch choke with packer on casing and 500 on tubing. Flow came from 648 perforations at 5,998-6,162 feet. Casing was set at 6,315 feet. Total depth was 6,315, plugged back to 6,280. Gas-oil ratio was 726-1.

Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. No. 5 J. E. Chappell was completed in Section 23, Block 15, T&P Survey.

Daily potential was 104.3 barrels of 45.9 gravity oil, through 16-64-inch choke with 975 pounds on casing and 40 on tubing. Flow was from 192 perforations at 6,192-6,278 feet. Casing was set at 6,303 feet. Total depth was 6,320 feet, plugged back to 6,290 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 1,366-1.

Perkins-Prothro Co. No. 4-W. C. Blanks, Section 1, Block 2, H-&TC Survey, is another new oiler.

The well gauged 286.77 barrels of 46 gravity oil per day, flowing through a 12-64-inch choke with 400 pounds casing and 1,025 pounds tubing pressures. Production is from 256 perforations at 6,245 to 6,400 feet with casing set at 6,464 feet. Having a gas-oil ratio of 1,214-1, the well is bottomed at 6,466 feet.

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Need More Teams For Soft Ball

Soft ball activities are getting under way in Robert Lee and good crowds are turning out for the games. The new lighted field was opened two weeks ago.

Chilly Tinkler, soft ball committee chairman for the Board of Community Development, says two more teams are needed so that a season schedule can be drawn up.

Teams already organized include Ivey Motors, Fire Department, High School Boys and Conley's Sluggers. A team made up of county employees defeated Ivey Motors Tuesday night 18 to 8. However, the county team may not join the league since its

players are scattered out over the county. Two games are played Tuesday and Friday night.

Mrs. Sam Jay is taking a vacation this week from her duties as City Secretary. During absence Mrs. Emory Davis is in charge of the city office.

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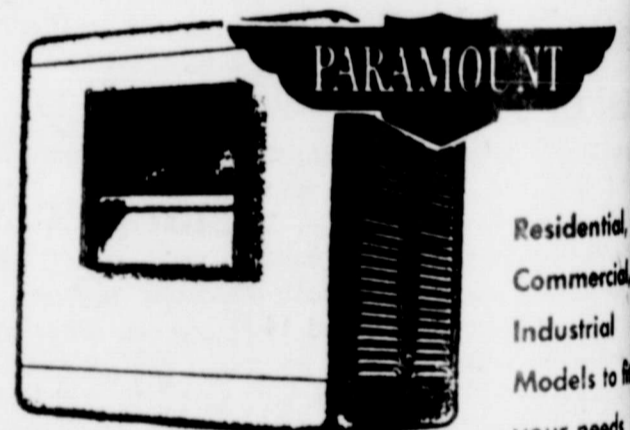
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SERVICE INSTALLATIONS

History of Coke County

By Jessie Newton Yarbrough

TALLMENT EIGHTEEN

Colonel Odom and the Brothers began to fence land, "trouble really began. The cowboys "came in for or fifty miles, got drunk, cut the fences; then they into old Runnels City and up the town."

1876, Colonel Odom moved the site of old Fort Chadwell. By the early 1880's, he accumulated quite a tract and fenced it." Some felt "aggrieved" at Colonel Odom and they "promptly cut fence to pieces." Colonel Odom was instrumental in organizing the Cattleman's Association, they hired a detective "to and prosecute the fence cut-

They hired Ben Warren, had lived at Hylton, and was well acquainted with the people in that region. sent Warren to Austin for Warren and Col. Odom in Sweetwater the night District Court convened investigate the fence cuttings. Two men were sitting in the of the Commercial Hotel, "when someone shot through a north window and Warren."

The theory and understanding at the time was that another was to have killed Colonel Odom at the same time, but lost nerve."

In the meantime, things had in such a bad state that Rangers were sent into the to quell the disturbances fence cutting. They were by a mob of wire-cutters "five times their man

The Rangers were made to am, given wire-cutting tools, commanded to "Cut wire."— they did.

January 7, 1884, Governor Ireland called a special session of the legislature which passed a law making fence cutting a felony.

According to Frank Dickey, Robert Lee Attorney, it is today against the law for a person to carry wire cutters, just as it is against the law to carry a gun.

The Warren killing just about an end to fence cutting in the Coke area; and things had cooled down considerably before homesteaders began to arrive in large numbers. But the old-time cowman never seemed to like fences, his dislike being expressed poetically, "Let the cattle rub my tombstone down

and coyotes mourn their kin, let hawses paw and tramp the ground,

"but don't you fence it in!" Charles Badger Clark, Jr., Homesteaders

to the country of the Conchos came the rumbling covered wagons

the slow, winding trains of destiny across the westward years; stirring muskets, household treasurers,

iron pots, and earthen flacons, carrying all the worldly goods of the Texas pioneers."

—Grace Gaddis
That native Coke Countian not pictured in his mind the train trains, those winding paths of destiny, that brought forefathers into the land of birth? There, indeed, were

the earth's own children, coming to claim their birthright—land, the opportunity to labor, and to build homes. There in those ox-drawn wagons were the daring, the brave, the grim pioneers, seeking homesteads, a place to give their children as good or better bringing up than theirs had been. In those prairie schooners were the future leaders of the valley of Colorado and the Kickapoo, the future doctors, preachers, teachers, lawyers, and the postmasters; there the future ranchers, farmers, merchants, and blacksmiths—all of those who were necessary to the building of a community, state, or nation.

A closer approach would reveal a man riding horseback or trudging along on foot, driving before him a few head of cattle, a horse or two, or a "handful" of sheep. Coming still closer to the wagon, it is evident that it is being driven by a woman who was gazing over the vast, empty stretches of prairie which lay before her, hearing nothing in the brooding silence but the rumble of the wagon wheels, or the wind against the canvas wagon cover. Tired and anxious

she looked. Perhaps she had buried a child in an unmarked grave beside the trail; many of her loved ones had been left behind; perhaps fear of the unknown had seized her. But still she came, driving over the rough trail behind the husband and the herd, on and on, toward the place where land was to be had and a home established.

Finally, there was a group apart. The father was driving the cattle, the mother guiding the wagon team, while from out the round opening in the wagon sheet at the back was a little one who peered anxiously down the road and called, "Wait, wait Mother, I can't see them."

Mrs. Caraway stopped the team and waited, for this was the W. T. Caraway family on the dim trail leading to the regions of the Colorado and the Kickapoo one morning in 1883.

Mrs. Hawley Allen (Amelia Caraway) remembers vividly how frightened she became each time that the wagon carried her out of sight of Ada, Sally, Alice, and Howard, who were walking in order to drive the goats. She remembers well the old nanny goat that went into a store, caused a commotion, and after that was tied to the wagon when they came in sight of a village.

In other wagons about that same time came Mr. and Mrs. Ran Stewart who had recently been married in Fort Worth and were seeking a home. They stopped near Moro Mountain in the Buffalo Gap country to gather up the sheep which Mr. Stewart had been pasturing there. With the Stewarts were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robbins and M. B.

(Bert) Sheppard. The Stewarts stopped at Hayrick until the lambing season was over.

Mr. and Mrs. Robbins found land near Hayrick Mountain, but in the fall (1883) the Stewarts moved to what later became Edith. As they came to the river west of Robert Lee, the Stewarts saw a smoke on the west bank

and went down the stream from the crossing. They were told that people who opposed fencing had burned a lot of cedar posts and wire on the Harris land, and that they were still burning.

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SILVER NEWS

(For Last Week)

Light rain—scattered showers. Speaking of showers — One of the prettiest affairs of the season was the one honoring Mrs. Carroll Wilkes, Friday night, June 11, at the Sun Recreation Hall. The table cover was lace over a yellow background. White daisies formed the center piece featuring a tiny bride and groom with yellow streamers running across the table with AMANDA and CARROLL written in gold letters. The centerpiece was flanked by white candles. Coffee, cokes and cake were served for refreshments. Gifts were displayed on a long table in the center of the hall. Hostesses for the occasion, were Mesdames Ernest Clendennen, J. D. Gilbert, Oscar Higginbotham, Roy Walker, O. W. Newell, C. Butcher, Bill Gibson, Maurice Duncan, Bob Odom, Charlie Kennedy, Sherman Anderson, Walter Paul, and Miss Beth Newell.

Attending were Mrs. Wilkes mother, Mrs. W. B. Scoggin, Mrs. C. T. Wilkes, Sr., Mesdames Wm. W. Dean, Jerry Gallier, John T. Stewart, T. H. Caldwell, Myrl Jameson.

Also Mesdames O. H. White, A. T. Holt, Bruce McFerrin, P. P. McGee, Colorado City; Dwight Newsom, P. L. Wilkes, Maryneal; Harold Congdon, Robert Lee.

And Mesdames Hal Anderson, Hale Kincaid, A. Paul Gilbert, Jr., Homer Jameson, H. L. Bloodworth, Hunter Howlett, J. B. Walker, Jr., Wayne Reed, Miss Mary Walker, J. M. Shimer, Jr., E. R. Pace and Jahew Jameson.

It was a nice party. May you both be always happy.

A limited vocabulary may be an asset in some instances but when one needs to say all the nice things people deserve having said about them then apologies are in order. My bouquet for this week goes to those of you who work with our children and in this particular instance, the small or should I say smaller boys Ball Club. This group of boys, age 8 through 12, are managed, coached and inspired by Manager Earl Lindsey assisted by Louis Carden and Oscar Higginbotham. Tues., June 8, the boys played Colorado City Farm Team at Silver, score was 21-11. Silver winner.

Manager for Colorado City was Tom Cox assisted by Harry Bishop. Pitching for Silver was left handed Norman Agee, left-handed Bud Duplissey and Lawrence Stewart. Catchers, Larry Lindsey and Jimmy Palmer.

Pitching for Colorado City team was Tony Jones, Robert Boney and Cockrell. Catching was Bobby Jones, Tom Cox. Silver has two teams. The first string consists of boys in ages from 10-12. Second, 8-10. Playing on the 1st string are Catcher, Larry Lindsey, Pitcher, Norman Agee, Lawrence Stewart, 1st base, Jimmy Palmer; 2nd base, Jay Shimer; 3rd base, Wayne Reed; Shortstop, Lawrence Stewart; left field, Curtis Higginbotham; Centerfield, Mike Lomas; Right field, Pat Lomas.

2nd Team — Catcher, Jimmy Palmer; Pitcher, Bud Duplissey; 1st, Bill Newell; 2nd, David Lindsey; 3rd, Tommy Jacobs; Shortstop, Eddie Jacobs; Left field, Jerry Jameson; Center field, Raymond Kincaid; Right Field, Stanley Post. Both teams played 3 innings each.

New suits are expected soon and will be furnished by Sun Oil Co.

Different contractors and individuals have donated equipment.

These boys practice every day except Sunday. Practice starts at 4 P. M. Visitors are always wel-

come. These boys are looking for some games. How about it Robert Lee, Bronte or both?

Lunching in Silver Tuesday were the W. L. Carrs who recently bought a new home in San Angelo and moved there. We just sorta miss these folks and speaking of folks we miss who should be here but Gadys Mowbray. She will visit a few days and then on to Premont to visit her parents. The Mowbrays have been transferred to Sidney, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lindsey and children from Bushop are visiting her brother, Earl Lindsey and family.

Visitors in the C. B. Jacobs home last week were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jacobs of St. Louis, Okla. Mrs. Jacobs has worked for Magnolia Oil Co. for 33 years. Also in the Jacobs home was his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Williams and daughter, Kathryn, of Vernon. Mr. Williams is a gang pusher for Humble Oil Co.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bradham and daughter, Roslyn, are spend-

ing their vacation in Dallas.

Mrs. R. B. Allen is visiting in San Angelo with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Jones, and Mrs. Bill Archer.

Mrs. Ollie Newell and Beth, Bill and Susan left Tuesday for Duluth, Minn. to spend six weeks visiting with relatives and Mrs. Newell will attend Superior University.

The Church of Christ revival began Friday night, June 18 to 27. Everyone is invited to attend. Bro. Earl E. Smith will preach.

The Leonard Caswells spent the weekend in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Carroll and son of Big Spring visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barber.

The Maurice Duncans have about completed their new home on the Allen Jameson ranch.

Pat and Gerald Brasuel have moved to the J. Jameson ranch.

Bob Edwards family are home from vacation to valley and east Texas.

Mrs. Coy Pittman and children are in Amarillo to visit her brother.

The Johnny Cliftons are home from vacation, also the Cliff Ramseys and Johnny Voekels.

E. L. (Tooter) Horn, roving drilling foreman, has moved to

Knox City.

Mrs. Ed Snowden is at home after attending her mother-in-law, Mrs. A. Z. Snowden of Colorado City. Mrs. Snowden is improved and is able to be up and around.

Mrs. Bobbye Keith attended a beauty clinic at Odessa last week end. Douglas Keith went on to Hobbs to visit his parents. Their daughters, Cheri and Sheila, visited their grandmother, Mrs. Blease Cathcart of Odessa.

Mrs. Paul Livensparger and Paul, Jr. of Mansfield, Ohio, are visiting home folks, the Sherman Andersons. Mr. and Mrs. Hal Anderson have moved here from Miami, New Mexico. Hal will be associated with his brother in the filling station. Sherman is beginning a new home for the Hal Andersons and children, Wade and Jenny Lou. Welcome folks.

Helen Pace's parents of Dallas are coming for the extraction of two wisdom teeth. Mrs. Pace will go to the hospital to have the embedded teeth extractor. Mr. and Mrs. Powell will keep the Pace children.

The Wayne Reeds are leaving Sunday for Monroe, La. They will take Wayne, Jr. to Camp Teacaboca near Kerrville. Mrs. Reed will have a physical checkup at Shreveport.

Dorothy Boggus was hostess of the T. E. L. Class social. An evening of music and singing was enjoyed.

Mary Ann Snyder will go (Midland) Wednesday night to the wedding of Billie Shoemaker of Colorado City and Kay Matthews of Midland. Mary Ann employed by the Odom Drug Store.

Billie Jameson spent the weekend at Throckmorton as the guest of Buzzy Thorp at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thorp.

Charles Robertson, who was injured in an explosion at Colorado City is improving. He is brother-in-law of Mrs. P. Jameson. Mrs. H. C. Blaine game and son, H. C., Jr., were also injured are improving. They are in the Big Spring hospital.

GREEN MT. MUSICAL

Don't forget us tonight at Green Mountain Junior Grand Ole Opera. Good evening of entertainment is all lined up and we are hoping to have the conditioners installed so we can carry on thru the summer months. So come on out and join in the fun. Starting time 8:00 P. M.

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Twisters Lose Inn Field Tilt Magnolia Club

County Rabbit Twisters defeated 4-0 Wednesday by Magnolia Red Horses at Guinn in San Angelo. It was an exhibition game and did not count in the Concho League.

Ralph Englert, who has been playing pro ball in the area, was on the mound for Magnolia and allowed the Twisters to score one hit. It was a single to center field by Marlon McCutchen in the fifth inning. Hollis attempted to score from first base on the hit, but was thrown out at the plate.

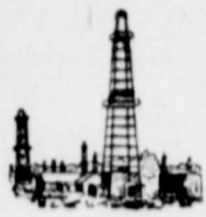
Ernest Tinkler was touched by eight hits, Paul Feist getting two and two singles in four innings. Both pitchers were wild and several errors were committed on each side.

Askins and family recently enjoyed a vacation trip to Colorado and visited the former parents who are operating a home at Wellington. The Robert Lee travelers visited numerous scenic spots in Colorado, including Estes Park, Mt. Evans, Pike's Peak.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray had as guests this week his sister, L. C. Grubbs, and daughter, Kaylin, of Taylor, Texas.

Hayrick Lodge

No. 696 A.F. & A.M. Meets second Tuesday night in each month. Visitors welcome.
LEWIS, JR., W. M.
EDDIE GOOD, Secretary



Notes From The Oil Field

Shamrock Oil & Gas Corp. No. 6 H. G. Wendland, T. Hennessy Survey 1, was completed in the Wendkirk field 6 1/2 miles southeast of Robert Lee.

Daily potential was 546 barrels of 40.5 gravity oil, flowing through a 3-8-inch choke with 190 pounds casing and 120 pounds tubing pressures. Production is from an open hole at 3,675-80 feet, pay topped at 3,676 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 225-1.

TWO NEW PROJECTS

Magnolia Petroleum Co. spotted two projects in the Jameson Strawn field in northwestern Coke County.

No. 8 W. L. Carr is located 167 feet from the northwest and 2,300 feet from the northeast lines of J. D. Eakin Survey, A-1510.

Brenda Allen of Corsicana is here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen.

Fred McCabe, Jr. has taken a position as mechanic in the Vaughan Chevrolet Co. shop.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vaughan of Victoria are here for a visit in the home of their son, Bob Vaughan, and family.

Charles Briscoe left Tuesday for his home in Grandview after a week's visit with his brother, Henry Briscoe, and wife.

Mrs. Palmer Leeper and her sister, Mrs. Calla Mae Cargile, left Wednesday for Dallas where Mrs. Cargile will have a medical checkup.

You Are Invited To Services at The

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SUNDAY SERVICES — Bible Study 10:15 to 10:55 a. m. Worship at 11:00 A. M. Young Peoples Class at 6:00 P. M. Evening Worship at 7:00.

Mid-Week Bible Study Wednesdays at 7:00

OWEN COSGROVE, Minister

Political Announcements

The Observer is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices indicated, subject to action of the Democratic Primaries.

FOR CONGRESSMAN
21st Congressional District—
Sam Connally
O. C. Fisher

FOR COUNTY JUDGE—
Jeff Dean

FOR SHERIFF AND TAX
ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR—
Paul Good

FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT
CLERK—
Weldon Fikes

FOR COUNTY TREASURER—
Gertrude Gray

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY—
Frank C. Dickey, Jr.

FOR COMMISSIONER,
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FOR COMMISSIONER,
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Coke Girls Attend District 4-H Camp

Coke County 4-H girls, leader and home demonstration agent attended the District Seven 4-H Camp at Buffalo Gap June 16th-18th.

The 1954 theme was Vacationing with the airliner taking off from Buffalo Gap and stopping at Aculupuca, Mexico; Chattanooga, Tennessee; New York, New York; Pocetello, Idaho; and Honolulu, Hawaii and returning to Buffalo Gap.

The campers divided into four groups participating in crafts, recreation, nature study and the hostesses group.

Highlights of the District Camp included parties typical of the section of country visited; outdoor cooking, swimming and the compiling of camp booklets.

The group from Coke County included Mary Beth Schooler, Betty Ruth Hood, Alta Faye Eubanks, Danell Dixon, Mrs. Jack Dixon, adult leader and Jonell Black, home demonstration agent.

Sgt. Roy T. (Waddy) Fowler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Fowler, will arrive here Friday to spend a 30-day leave visiting his parents and other relatives before leaving for overseas duty in Korea about July 28.

Waddy has been serving as a mechanic in the Air Force for three years. The last year he has been stationed at Albuquerque where he recently received a promotion from the rank of corporal to sergeant.

Mrs. Jim Mauldin and grandsons, Ronnie and Dickie Sims, are spending the week with relatives in Gatesville and Belton.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Large and children arrived here last week from San Diego, Calif. The former has orders for 15 months of sea duty and his family will reside here with Mrs. Large's mother, Mrs. Mattie Tinkler. Mr. Large left Thursday of this week to report back to his base at San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Baker and daughter, Sandra, and Carolyn Childress recently enjoyed a week's vacation trip through Arkansas, Kentucky and Tennessee. They visited Jack Turner at Scottsville, Ken., who was a buddy of Gene's when they were in the service. The Robert Lee folks report a very enjoyable trip and visited many points of interest including Mammoth Cave, Lincoln's birthplace and My Old Kentucky Home.

First Lieut. Horace Scott and family have been guests the past ten days in the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Scott. They will return to El Paso Monday and Lieut. Scott will be stationed at Biggs AFB another month before leaving for a tour of duty in England.

Visiting recently in the D. P. Key home were Mr. and Mrs. Ford Shropshire and little daughter, Ila Kay, of Del Rio and Mr. and Mrs. Anceel Reed and daughters, Carol and Susie of Sterling City.

Mrs. David Key and little son, Joe David are spending a few days in San Angelo with Mrs. Key's father, Jess Gaines, who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foss returned to Robert Lee this week. Johnny was transferred to the Morris & Hamilton drilling rig at Silver.

Band Director Jack Gray attended the University of Texas Music Conference this past week at Austin. This conference is held in conjunction with the All-State Band and the Interscholastic League music selection for the coming year. Mrs. Gray and children accompanied him for a tour of historical points in Austin.

Mrs. Frank Dickey, Sr. left Thursday of this week for a visit of several weeks in Mexico City. She was accompanied by her friend, Paulita Palfax of Mexico City, who had been here for a visit of ten days in the Dickey home. They will make the trip by rail.

Effective July 1 Mrs. Frank Wojtek, Jr. will be employed in the West Texas Utilities Co. office here. She succeeds Mrs. Leslie Copeland, who resigned. Before her marriage Mrs. Wojtek held a similar position at Bronte.

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