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# IG INCREASE NORTHWEST OKE OIL PLAY

big increase in Coke County well drilling has taken place past week. Norval Jackson, nager of McMillan Lumber here, advised The Observer dnesday that 27 rotary rigs be in operation by the end this week in the Silver area. tive locations in other sections the county boost the number rotary rigs to more than 30. tanolind is moving in six adional rigs, giving them a toof eight. They have a large eage leased on the Spade nch west of Silver. Ard Drill-Co. is bringing in a second and Noble also its second. er companies to drill for nolind in Coke County are hyr. Rowan, Simmons and rcum. The Marcum rig has n down a month after being ased by Amercian Republics. asin Drilling Co. is now on its ond location for F. Kirk Johnwhile Hall & Stewart is ring on a Johnson location

lumble is rigging up a brand company owned rotary in west end of the county. Dual has a rig drilling for Hum-

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aker & Taylor is drilling a deat for Al G. Hill on the ris Ranch, southwest of Siland Empire moved in this k on Sun A-3 Victor McCabe, th of Silver. This is the only tion mentioned above that is in Coke County.

3 - Sherman Williams, Bell, Zelda Caraway admit-Mrs. Sam Fowler dismissed. ov. 4—June Garrett, Alfred on, Mrs. Marvin Clepper adled. Zelda Caraway, Jeff n dismissed.

v. 5—Colleen Varnadore, nk Smith, Don Walker aded. Alfred Lofton, Sherman lams, Mrs. Marvin Clepper

ov. 6-J. M. Gartman, Mrs. Juera, Morgan Russell, Mrs. Fowler admitted.

ov. 7—Billie Dove Allen, Mrs. haso Facundo admitted. Mrs. Luera, Morgan Russell, Bell dismissed.

ov. 8—Mrs. Melrose Russell, Oscar Collett, Mrs. Jack ley, Mrs. Delmar Stone aded. Son born to Mrs. Stone 345 p.m. June Garrett, Mrs. laso Facundo dismissed.

ov. 9-Mrs. J. D. Boykin, Di-Casey admitted. Mrs. J. D. kin, Don Walker, J. M. Gartdismissed.

ov. 10-Mrs. Elmo Bell ad-Mrs. Melrose Russell, Oscar Collett dismissed.

#### HOMECOMING NOV. 20

Third annual Homecoming for ex-students of the Robert Lee school will take place Saturday, Nov. 20. Former students are also requesteed to be on hand for the Bronte-Robert Lee football game Friday night, Nov. 19. Several hundred cards have been mailed requesting advance reservations to be made for the Homecoming Banquet at 5 p.m. Saturday. Officers of the ex-students association state that their mailing list is incomplete and you do not need to have a card to make banquet reservations. Send in reservations by mail or contact Bruce Clift, Kenneth Lackey or Jackie Mahon.

## STAKE WILDCAT ON F. C. WOJTEK' NORTH OF TOWN

J. B. Randle of San Angelo has announced location for a 7,-000-foot wildcat, 31/2 miles north of Robert Lee and five miles northwest of the McCutchen (Cisco) field. It will be the No. 1 F. C. Wojtek.

Location is 660 from the north and west lines of Section 406, Blk. 1-A H&TC Survey. The property was formerly known as the old Franks place. Land adjoining on the west is owned by Mrs. J. C. Slaughter et al and on the northwest by W. H. Wyatt.

The prospector is 21/2 miles southeast of Stanolind 1 Bryan Gartman, wildcat failure abandoned March 6, 1952, at 6,806 feet. The Ellenburgr was topped at 6, 701 feet on elevation of 2,128

It is also 2 3/4 miles west of Union No. 1 Davidson, wildcat failure abandoned last August at 6,502 feet. The Ellenburger was topped at 6,471 feet.

Randle is a son-in-law of T. W. Murray, prominent San Angelo independent oil operator, who owns the Nora Gee lease block in the west end of Coke County where several rigs are now drilling.

The Wojtek Section 406 is under lease to Union, and the lease is due to expire in May, 1956.

### FOOTBALL BANQUET

Annual community banquet for the Robert Lee High School football team has been set for Dec. 14. Speaker for the occasion will be Homer Norton, Houston sports writer and former A & M College coach. Tickets cost \$1.25 each and will be limited to 100. Tickets will go on sale Monday in charge of members of the Quarterback Club.

## **Discuss Plans** For Building **New Court House**

Coke County Commissioners Court held a special session last Thursday when matters were discussed concerning the new court house. Meeting with the and the architects.

At a special election Oct. 30 High School. the county voted by a majority of 10 to 1 to issue \$300,000 bonds for construction of the new county building.

Results of last week's conference included the following:

It was decided that the new court house will be built in front of the old building and will face north. It will set back 45 feet from the street and have on 18foot clearance between the old structure.

Length of the new building was reduced to 148 feet and the width was set at 561/2 feet. Few changes were made in interior Coming In For plans, except that the jury dormitory will be partitioned to provide room for women jurors.

Architects will proceed at once drawing up specifications and submit a final draft to county officials within a few weeks.

After completion of the new court house the old structure will be torn down and the ground leveled off. A driveway is proposed to extend from east to west through the block and permit parking in the rear as well as in the street in front.

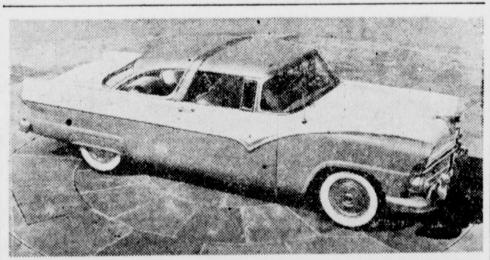
### Jack Brock And **Family Escape Serious Injury**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brock and their year-old daughter, Jackie Nell, escaped with bad bruises and cuts in a headon collision with another car Saturday.

The accident occurred between Snyder and Post when the Robert Lee family was enroute to visit Mr. Brock's parents at Floydada. They were hit by an oncoming auto which had turned out to pass another vehicle. The Brock 1954 Ford sedan was badly damaged.

Jack's father was called to the scene of the accident and after receiving first aid treatment the family returned to their home

Jack was able to take up his teaching duties at Robert Lee High School Monday, but he will have a substitute bus driver for a few days.



Ford's newest entry into the high-styled car field is the Fairlane Crown Victoria, (shown above) with a tiara-like chrome strip arched over the top of the car. The Crown Victoria has a wrap-around windshield, and is under five feet in overall height. Dual exhausts, which provide extra power are standard on this new model. It also is available with a transparent roof over the driver's compartment.

#### DISCHARGED FROM NAVY

John L. Bruton, has received his discharge from the U.S. Navy after serving nearly four years. He achieved the rank of Quartermaster 3rd Class. He was released at San Francisco and was met in El Paso over the weekend by his wife, the former Janie Sue Higgins. They arrived in Robert Lee Monday afternoon John L. saw a lot of duty in the commissioners were members of Pacific during his enlistment. He the citizens advisory committee is the son of Mrs. Ralph Garvin and a graduate of Robert Lee

#### WORK DELAYED

Engineering on the proposed new paved road around the loop at Silver has been completed, as well as the several blocks of paving in the school and hospital areas of Robert Lee. However, some landowners in the Silver area have not signed easements for the new right of way and this is holding up letting a contract.

# Applications **Drouth Feed**

Eighty-two applications for grain and hay under the Government Drouth Relief Program were approved at the first meeting of the FHA committee here

The applications involved 1. 361,800 pounds of grain and 430 tons of hay.

Members of the committee are Delmir Sheppard, George Thomas and W. W. Ivey.

Coke County was recently added to the Drouth Disaster Area, making it possible for farmers and stockmen to obtain help in buying feed for their foundation herds and flocks.

The government allows \$1.00 per 100 pounds on corn, oats, barley, grain songhums and grain cubes containing 60 percent and 75 percent grain. The relief program also pays one-half rail freight up to \$10, or trucking hauling at the rate of \$1.00 per ton per 100 miles.

Applications for obtaining grain and hay under the program must be made at the ASC office in Robert Lee, which is in charge of J. E. Quisenberry.

Feed is to be purchased from retail dealers. Key Feed Store in Robert Lee is set up to handle orders promptly.

The FHA Committee will meet again next Monday afternoon to consider additional applications.

### TO SERVE OVERSEAS

Pfc. Tommy Kirkpatrick came in last Thursday night on a three weeks' army leave. After being stationed at Fort Bliss the past year, he has received overseas orders, and will leave Dec. 4 for an assignmnt in Germany. He is attached to an anti-aircraft artillery unit. Tommy left by plane Tuesday on a 10-days eastern trip to visit his sisters. They are Mrs. James Hillman of Alexandria, Va., and Mrs. Joseph Dausch of Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr .and Mrs. Joe Garvin returned last week from a two weeks' visit with their daughters, Mrs. Zelachoski and Mrs. Wallace, and their families in Cleburne. Mr. Garvin's health has improved very much after a considerable spell of illness during the hot summer.

## ROBERT LEE TO **FACE COYOTES** FRIDAY NIGHT

All fired up after their 34-19 victory over Trent last week, the Robert Lee Steers aim to cop the two remaining games on the 1954 schedule. Richland Springs comes here Friday night of this week and the season closes with the Bronte Longhorns here Nov. 19.

Not only Coach James Mancill, but the players themselves feel they have finally hit their stride, and they will settle for nothing less than two more victories. They will face a tough outfit this week in the Richland Coyotes.

That club has won eight and lost none this season. Here's their record:

Coyotes 7, Bronte 0.

Coyotes 40, Lometa 0. Coyotes 13, Goldthwaite 6.

Coyotes 37, Banks 19.

Coyotes 43, Eden 14.

Coyotes 26, Melvin 12.

Coyotes 40, Rochelle 0. Coyotes 50, Mays 7.

That kind of a record would scare most anyone, except the Steers. Robert Lee played a whale of a game against Trent. and continued their explosive offensive play which resulted in five touchdowns. At least two of the visitors scores were set up by Steer fumbles.

Sherman Williams and Don Bell came through with fine performance, although both had been hospitalized several days with the flu. The squad is in good shape now. Atha Hall was back at end, having recovered from a back injury received in the Hobbs game several weeks

### BRONTE UPSETS DOPE

Bronte Longhorns upset the dope bucket last week with a 19 to 18 win at Hermleigh. It was the first conference defeat for the Cardinals and put them into a tie with Loraine for loop honors.

Bronte won the game in the closing minutes when Arbie Phillips completed a pass to Dean Scott in the end zone. Kenneth Scott plunged over to convert the winning point. The Longhorns were ahead 12-6 at half

Bronte plays a non-conference game in Rankin this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hill of Midland were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough. The ladies are sis-

SCOTT - Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Scott (Wilma Roberts) of Bronte are parents of a son born Nov. 5 in the Bronte Hospital. Arriving at 10:25 a. m. DeWitt Edwin weighed 7 pounds, 11 ounces. He has a brother and sister. Grandparents are Mrs. Veva Lilly of Ozona and Mrs. Maggie Scott of Bronte.

STONE-Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Stone are parents of a son born at 8:45 p.m. Nov. 8 at Coke County Memorial Hospital. The baby weighed 6 pounds, 13 ounces and has been named Delmar Glenn. The Stones have two other children. They moved to Robert Lee Monday from Odessa. The father is a driller for Rowan Drilling Co.

# History of Coke County

By Jessie Newton Yarbrough

#### INSTALLMENT 37

A. W. Puett, who became publisher in 1925 was one of the most independent in spirit. He called a spade a spade and spared nobody. Once when a group petitioned the Robert Lee City Commissioners to call an election to vote off the incorporation, Puett published a list of the petitioners giving the amount of city taxes that each had paid, showing that some of the petitioners had paid no tax. He fairly "roasted" the people who went away from the home town to trade with "chain stores" in near by cities.

A. J. Kirkpatrick, present editor and publisher is, from the standpoint of journalsim, perhaps the best qualified of all the long list of editors. Mr. Kirkpatrick was connected with publishing companies in Iowa for a number of years. He was in service in Alaska during the Second World War. Mr. Kirkpatrick is very ably assisted by his son, Tommy Kirkpatrick, who will be a Junior student in journalism next fall. Tommy edited The Ram Page, San Angelo College newspaper during th 1952-53

A list of editors and publishers who at one time or another were connected with the Robert Lee Observer includes: J. S. Brady, Sam Wilkins, Gray Reed, Tom Durham, Irvin and Pritchard, Merchant and Reed, Hubert Pearce, J. C. Newton, G. A. Beeman, M. H. Davis, J. T Rankin, George Cowan, J G. Berryman, Berryman and Lamb, A. W. Puett, F. W. Puett, Bob Hall, S. R. Young, Mr. Hunter and A. J. Kirkpatrick

The Bronte Enterprise was first published at Bronte in 1907, by C. H. Bentley, who came to Bronte from Tennessee. Bentley owned The Bronte Enterprise from 1907 to 1910, when he sold to T. R. Butler in 1912.

The plant which Mr. Bentley installed was fairly modern. Mr. West used the same plant, but he brought in an experienced newspapr man, C. W. Goff, to edit the paper. The Entereprise had done well under Mr. Goff, and he was retained by Mr. Butler and the next owner, A. J. Nelson.

The Bronte Enterprise suspended publication in 1915, and resumed pubilcation in 1918, with J. D. Scott as editor and publisher. Mr. Scott sold to W. C. Redmond, who re-sold to D. M. West.

Mr. West published the paper until November, 1944. He was succeeded by J. H. Mullane, Exton Talley and Ed Nunnally, Jr.

Ben Oglesby, Jr., bought the Bronte Enterprise on July 1, 19-48, and has edited and published the paper since that time.

For three years in succession, The Bronte Entreprise was named the leading newspaper in West Texas towns under two thousand population. The rating was by

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the West exas Press Association. The Bronte Enterprise has contributed in many ways to the upbiulding of the Bronte community and of Coke County.

Mrs. Horace Scott and two daughters left Friday night on a long jonrney which will unite them with their husband and father, who was recently transferred to England for a three-year tour of duty with the Air Force. They took a Pullman on the Santa Fe from San Angelo and were due to reach New York Monday morning. They will cross the Atlantic by boat and Lieut. Scott will meet his family when they dock at Southampton. The Scotts will live at Oxford which is about 15 miles from Horace's base at Brize Norton.

## **Former Edith Resident Died** In San Angelo

Miss Josephine Millican, 70, former Coke County resident, died at her home at 215 E. 41st St., in San Angelo at 5:20 p. m. Friday. She had been in failing health two years.

The daughter of early day Coke County residents, Miss Millican was born April 20, 1884, in San Saba County. She moved to Coke County in 1895 and joined the Pecan Baptist Church at the age of 15. She was a member of the Lake View Baptist Church in San Angelo.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. in the Lake View Baptist Church with the Rev. Ted Cotten, pastor, officiating.

Burial was at 5 p. m. Sunday in the Paint Creek Cemetery at Edith community, west of Robert

Burial was by the grave of her father who died in 1936.

Survivors include her mother Mrs. Mary E. Millican of San Angelo; three sisters, Mrs. Henry Burk and Mrs. R A. Linney,

both of San Angelo, and Mrs. D. Denman, Hayrick; R.C. Lasswe Walker of Robert Lee; four brothers, W. M. Millican, Pleas W Millican and C. C. Millican, all of Edith, and Charlie Millican of San Angelo.

Pallbearers were nephews. They were Henry Vernon Burk and J. D. Burk, both of San Angelo; Elton Millican of Andrews; Finis Millican of Robert Lee; Howard Millican of Odessa; Ralph Walker of Robert Lee; Stanley Millican of Sweetwater and Turney Linney of San Angelo.

### **New Directors** Named By Coke Farm Bureau

The Coke County Farm Bubert Lee Tuesday night, Nov. 1, reau Convention was held in Robert Lee Tuesday night, Nov. 1, in the American Legion Hall. A barbecued supper was served to the group and music was furnished by Eddie Garvin and his Boys.

In a business meeting, directors for next year were elected. They are C. E. Arrott, Bronte; A. Z. state.

Ft. Chadbourne, Claude Ditmor Juniper; Ed Garvin, Edith; R. Bloodworth, Silver; Walter Kin Blackwell; G. H. Denman, Sano Alton Roberts, Valley View: C. Patterson, Friendship and W. Wiginton, Robert Lee.

A brief talk on the farm b reau and its services was gin by President O. T. Colvin, w announced his resignation to the presidency to assume the ties of County Service Office

Directors will meet Nov. 16 Robert Lee to elect new office

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Sheppa and daughter, Martha Kay, vis ed recently with the L. L. H. ring family in Stephenville. T ladies are sisters. The Robe Lee folks attended a progra marking Stpehenville's Center nial Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Pierce r turned Friday from a trip to Rio Grande Valley as guests a real estate firm. They enjo ed their stay of three days South Texas and were highly in pressed with that section of

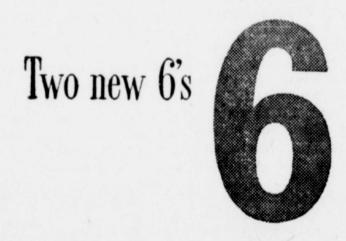
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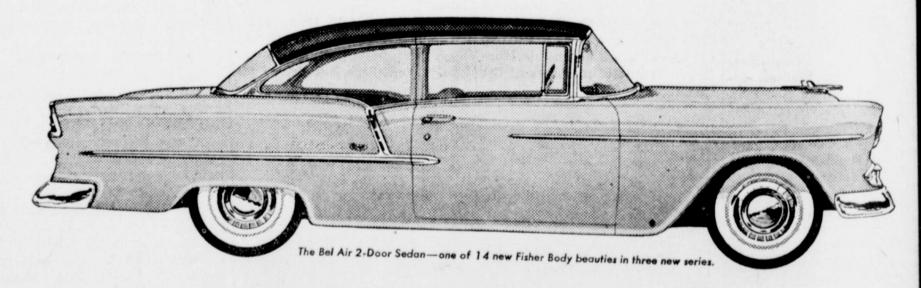
## It's the valve-in-head V8 as only the valve-in-head leader can build it!

You'd expect Chevrolet to out-V8 the field-and it has! Chevrolet's new "Turbo-Fire V8" puts a brand-new kind of excitement under your foot. The excitement of 162 horsepower! The excitement of an 8 to 1 ultra-high compression ratio that squeezes more pure fun out of a gallon of gas than you ever dreamed possible! The new "Turbo-Fire V8" is so efficient that it requires only four quarts of oil instead of the usual five or more. And it has the shortest piston stroke in the lowprice field, for longer engine life. But we can't even begin to give you the whole story here. Come in and drive the new "Turbo-Fire V8!"



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Chevrolet offers two new highstepping sixes for 1955! There's the new "Blue-Flame 136" (teamed with Powerglide as an extra-cost option) and the new "Blue-Flame 123." Both bring you new, higher-rated power-the zippy, thrifty high-compression kind. Both have new, more efficient cooling and lubrication systems . . . new engine mounts that result in almost unbelievable smoothness. And, like the new "Turbo-Fire V8," both are sparked by a new 12-volt electrical system for finer performance and faster cold-weather starting. They're the liveliest, smoothest sixes Chevrolet ever put into a passenger car!



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### SILVER NEWS

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Clyde Hornback and Don Yaro and their wives plan to atnd the TCU-Texas football me in Fort Worth Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen are

andparents of a daughter born t. 31 to Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Walker Angelo. The baby has been named Mary Lynn. Mrs. Sanders is the former Cleone Allen. The Sanders family reside in Eldorad where Jerrell is employed by Pan American Pipeline.

> Pete Ashmore brought his wife home Monday night from the Colorado City hospital where she had been treated several days for an abcess.

> Ed Taylor and John T. Stewart were in Beaumont recently where the former attended a meeting of Sun Pipeline Employees Association.

Mrs. L. L. Farr was honored

R. L. Coffman is being transferred to Silver from Meraux, La., as an assistant gauger with Sun Pipeline Co. He is scheduled to arrive this week.

A meeting of the Cub Scout Pack has been set for Thursday night of next week, Nov. 18.

Silver boys from the 5th through the 8th grades are getting some football workouts these days. School trustees recently purchased needed equipment and 22 suits are in use. A standout is a 12-year-old who weighs 210 Mrs. C. M. Haigood. pounds.

Tuesday night at Sun recreation; The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

to visit Mrs. Yarbro's mother who, a physical examination in Abiis being treated by a specialist lene on Wednesday of next week

R. B. Allen, accompanied by his sons, Bill of Sweetwater and R. D. of Vancourt, and his sons- inlaw, Jerry Sanders, Bill Archer and Walter Jones, are on a fishing expedition in South Texas this week. During their absence Mrs. Allen is visiting her daughters in San Angelo.

Melvin Haigood and wife of Alice were guests here recently of the former's parents, Mr. and

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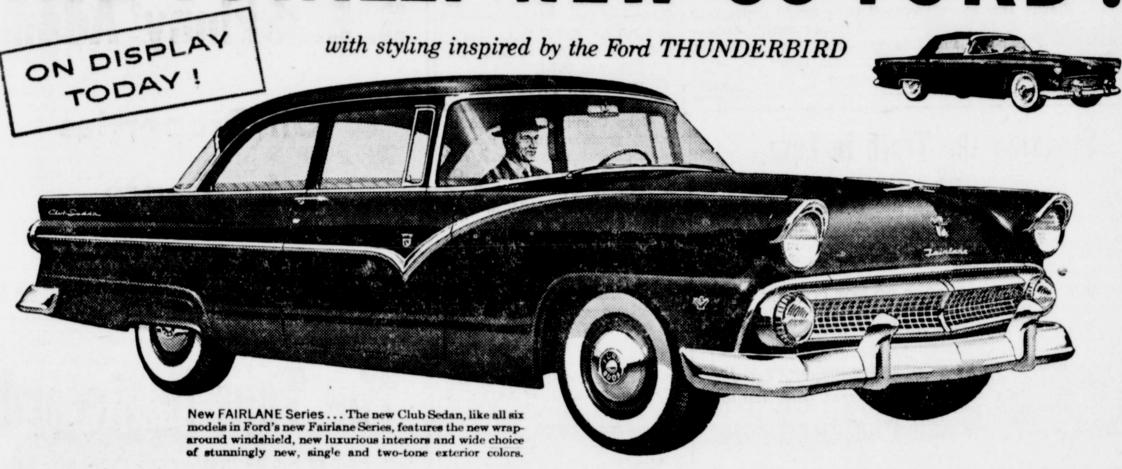
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### FIRST KILLING FROST

Coke County's first freeze occurred last Friday morning, Nov. 5, when the temperature dropped two or three degrees below freezing. Considerable vegetation was killed, although the more hardy plants and most trees were not affected. Some of the mesquite leaves are beginning to fall because of the freeze. Cold weather prevailed here last week but sunny warm days returned Bobby Hugh Odom was home this week. A cool drizzle Tues-Mr. and Mrs. Don Yarbro re- from Texas Tech over the week- day afternoon and night failed

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NewSTATION WAGON Series... The new 6-passenger, 4-door Country Sedan (above) is one of five new do-itall beauties. There's also an 8-passenger Country Sedan, an 8-passenger Country Squire and a 2-door, 6-passenger Ranch Wagon and Custom Ranch Wagon.

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### **Eight Officials to Start Four-Year Terms January 1**

Eight of Coke Couty's officials will not have to worrq about running for re-election two years from now. They will begin four year terms Jan. 1, 1955, instead of the usual two-year term.

The extended terms come as a result of the general election Nov. 4, when the people of Texas voted to extend the terms of officials. The amendment calls for half of the county officials to be elected every two years. Thus the remainder of them will face re-election in 1956. Staggering of the groups assures election of half the officials each two

Those who will serve four years are County Judge Jeff Dean, County and District Clerk Weldon Fikes, County Treasurer Mrs. Gertrude Gray and Commissioners Howard Brock of Precinct 2 and Claude Ditmore of Precinct 4. Justices of the peace C. E. Bruton of Precinct 2 and Emory Davis of Precinct 1 and and Mrs. Arch Lewis, Jr., secre-District Judge Joe Mays also tary-treasurer.

have 4 year terms.

Those who will serve regular two-year terms are Sheriff and Tax-Assessor Paul Good, County Attorney Frank Dickey, Jr., Commissioners J. W. Service of Precinct 1 and Ed Hickman of Precinct 3, District Attorney Aubrey D. Stokes and Constables T. F. Sims, Sr., and V. H. Simpson.

Coke Countians voted against the amendment, by a vote of 266 to 118, but it carried over the state and becomes a part of the constitution

#### SAC HOMECOMING

Annual Homecoming for exstudents of San Angelo College will take place Saturday, Nov. 13. The day's program includes a parade at 2:30 p. m., open house and get together at the college at 3:30 p. m., the Ram-Shriner football game at 8 and a dance at St. Angelus Hotel roof garden after the game. Annual dues are \$2 which pays for all events and entitles ex-students the privilege of buying a student ticket to the football game for 50 cents. Officers of the ex-students association are John Olive, president;

# Speaking the Truth in Love

Eph. 4:15

Each week this space is dedicated to some lesson which the Scriptures teach.

These lessons are not written to hurt the feelings of their readers, but are dedicated for the express purpose of spreading God's Truth.

IF ANY OF THESE LESSONS DO NOT COMPLY WITH GOD'S LAWS, WE SHALL QUICKLY AND LOVINGLY DONATE THIS SPACE FOR ANYONE WHO WISHES TO REPLY.

Dearly beloved, let us never harden our hearts at the teachings of God. (Hebrews 12:5-6, Hebrews 3:8, 15) Just such prejudice caused Stephen to be stoned (Acts 7:51-60), early Christians to be persecuted (Acts 8:1), James (John's brother) to be killed (Acts 12:1), Paul to be mobbed (Acts 21:27-28), and Christ to be crucified. (Matt. 26:65-8; 27:22-26,

If we teach the Truth, we beg your love and fellowship, though God's ways may conflict with the ways that you have been taught. Let us not rejoice in unrighteousness, but rejoice with the Truth. (I Cor. 13:6)

These articles are written because we love your soul and God's Truth which will make it free. (John 8:32)

'So then am I become your enemy by telling you the truth?" (words of Paul in Galatians 4:16)

Church of Christ services: 10:15 a.m. Bible study; 11:00 a.m. Worship; 7:00 p.m. Worship; Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Bible Study. We WELCOME everyone to worship and study with us!

### LOOKING FOR SOMETHING NICE

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Notes From The Oil Field

Empire Drilling Co. moved rotary in this week from Brownfield to drill Sun's A-3 Victor McCabe, a short distance north of Silver in Mitchell County.

Sun has staked No. 11 McCabe as a south offset to Sunray No. 1 Robert Tubb. Location is 467 feet from north and 6461/2 feet from west lines of Section 6 H&-TC 1-A. A drilling contract has not been announced.

NO. 10 FOR W. L. CARR

Jameson-Strawn Field in north western Coke County has gained a new oiler. It is Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 10 W. L. Carr, J. D. Eakin Survey.

Daily potential was 166.16 barrels of 43.6 gravity oil, flowing through a 9-64-inch choke with 2,050 pounds casing and 1,325 pounds tubing pressures. Production is from 342 perforations at 6,030 to 6,130 feet, treated with 3,000 gallons of acid. Gas oil ratio was 987-1.

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Members of the Robert Lee school band were taken to San Angelo Tuesday afternoon where they attended the concert given by the U.S. Navy Band in City Auditorium. A number of individuals also attended. Ronnie Sims and Marybeth Schooler of Robert Lee were invited to play one number with the band.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen are now living in the Frank Smith house near the telephone office. They vacated the Steve Moore place west of the Baker Grocery and Market.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wallace motored to Junction Wednesday evening and spent Thursday with

### **New Ford Trucks** On Display Today At Ivey Motor Co.

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BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The Robert Lee Baptist Church reports an increase in attendance in both Training Union and Sunday School over the same period last year. During the month of October the average attendance in Sunday School was 191 and the average in Training Union was 93. For the month of October last year the average was 162 in Sunday School and 87 in Training Union. There were four additions to the church during the month.

The W. M. S. met Monday morning at 10:00 for a book review on Brazil. There were 14 ladies present for the program which lasted through the noon hour. A covered dish luncheon was served.

Seven men from the church attended the Associational Brotherhood meeting held at the opinions a year.

Nov. 12, 195 Seventh Street Baptist Church Ballinger. A good program stewardship was presented. R. H. Cagle, pastor of the Fi Baptist Church of Balling brought the closing mess Those attending were Weld Fikes, Maurice Yarbrough, J. Cowley, H. E. Ivey, Paul Goo Brent Clark and Rev. J. C. Shi

Billy Graham's film, "Oiltown U. S. A.," will be shown at the evening service this Sunday the church auditorium. This a dynamic religious film and he received wide approval of who have seeen it. The public is invited to see this film. The evening service begins at 73 There is no admission charge.

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Living Room Upholstery and

The general exhibit was made

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tures, copper planters, aluminum

trays, hand tooled leather purse

and belt, ball point painted ap-

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es, scarves and handkerchiefs.

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GREEN MT. HD CLUB

stration Club met in regular ses-

sion Nov. 2 in the home of Mrs.

Crowley Harmon, election being

held at the Community Center. Mrs. E. C. McArthur was the

leader. Mrs. Tyrus Davis gave a

talk on first aid treatment for a

drowning person and how to stop

bleeding. She also spoke on how

Mrs. Harmon gave instructions on the proper way to set the

bers and six children were pre-

A social hour followed the business session. Pumpkin pie,

Mr. and Mrs. O. Sheppard and

two daughters of San Angelo

visited here Saturday with the

former's brother, A. V. Sheppard,

Lamont Scott was in Dallas a

couple of days this week on bus-

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coffee and cocoa were served by

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Green Mountain Home Demon-

ning was done by the E. E. E.

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Hawley Fields has been improving rapidly the last few days

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have been with him. Buster and

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Robert Lee Steers chalked up their first 6-B conference victory of the season here Friday night by posting a 34-19 win over Trent's Gorillas.

Halfback Lynn Davidson led the Steer scorers with three touchdowns, while Fullback Sherman Williams and Halfback Sammy Duncan tallied the other two. Robert Lee scored twice in the first quarter and added one touchdown in each of the other periods. They converted the extra point in four out of five attempts.

Trent tallied once in each quarter except the first. Steer fumbles set up two of the Gorilla touchdowns.

#### FIRST QUARTER

End Jerrell Harmon downed the opening kickoff on the Steer 45. On the first play from scrimmage Davidson found an opening off his right tackle and ran 55 yards for a touchdown. He had a clear field after getting past the scrimmage line. Williams carried over to convent.

Trent took the next kickoff on its 28. Two line plays and a 5 yard penalty gave the Gorillas a 1st down on their 39. Jimmy Hobbs hit center for 6 yards, then was thrown for a 2 yard loss by Davidson. Duncan intercepted a pass and raced 57 yards for a touchdown. Davidson converted from placement and Robert Lee led 14 to 0.

After taking the kickoff on its 35 Trent failed to gain and punted to the Steer 35. Williams advanced 3 yards over thee left side and Duncan gained 5 around end. Williams plunged for a 1st down on his 46. A 5-yard penalty and

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recovered fumble set the Steers back and Davidson punted to the 25. The Gorillas were stopped and punted to Duncan, who fumbled the catch and Trent recovered on the Steer 33. Hobbs circled end for a 1st on the Robert Lee 20.

#### SECOND QUARTER

Jerry Estep hit left tackle for 4 and Robbie Godwin stopped Hobbs without gain. Quarterback J. B. Swinney went around end for a 1st on the Steer 9. On the next play Hobbs went over for a touchdown. Swinney failed to convert thru the line. Score: Robert Lee 14, Trent 6.

Quarterback Ben Bessent returned the kickoff 20 yards to the Steer 42. Duncan hit enter for 2 and Williams added 3. Williams then crashed thru for 20 yards and a 1st on the Gorilla 34. Davidson was thrown for a small loss and Williams gained 7 over left guard. Trent recovered Davidson's fumble on the Trent 30. Davidson threw Swinney for a 10 yard loss and he was stopped again by Williams and Davidson trying to skirt right end. A pass was incomplete and Robert Lee took a punt on Trent's 46. Bessent hurled a long pass to Davidson which netted nearly 50 yards and a 1st down on the Gorilla 8. Davidson picked up 3 yards at end and Williams hit the left side for 3. Davidson went over from the 2. He converted thru the line. Score: Robert Lee 21, Trent 6.

Trent took the kickoff on its 30. They suffered a 15 yard clipping penalty and punted out to their 20. Duncan's fumble was recovered by the Gorillas on their 15. Three passes failed to click and Trent punted to the Steer 45.

#### THIRD QUARTER

Trent took the kickoff on its 43 Hobbs hiked around end for a 1st on the Steer 46. Godwin stopped Horton for no gain. Hobbs

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Sealed proposals for construction 16.821 miles of Grading Structures, Flexible Base and Hot Mix Asphaltic Concrete Pavement from Sterling City to Tom Green County line on Highway No. U. S. 87, covered by F 563 (3), in Sterling and Coke County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., November 24, 1954, and then publicly opened and read. This is a "Public Works" pro-

ject, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provision of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workman or mechanic employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

Plans and specifications available at the office of H. L. Bailey, Resident Engineer Sterling City, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

#### LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: J. W. Hinson, Mrs. G. T. Rogan, Mrs. G. T. Ragan, D. W. Ritchie, Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, Archibald Jones, Thomas H. Bradley, John A. Woods, Charles H. Ora, S. J. Murray, H. L. Scales and L. H. Taylor, Mr. Rogan, husband of Mrs. G. T. Rogan; Mr. Ragan, husband of Mrs. G. T. Ragan; Mr. Hunter, husband of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter; the unknown stockholders of Biard Development Company, a defunct corporation; the unknown heirs of J. W. Hinson, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. G. T. Rogan, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. G. T. Ragan, deceased; the unknown heirs of D. W. Ritchie, deceased: the unknown heirs of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, deceased; the unknown heirs of Archibald Jones, deceased; the unknown heirs of Thomas H. Bradley, deceased; the unknown heirs of John A. Woods, deceased; the unknown heirs of Charles H. Ora, deceased; the unknown heirs of S. J. Murray, deceased; the unknown heirs of H. L. Scales, deceased; the unknown heirs of L. H. Taylor, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mr. Rogan, deceased, husband of Mrs. G. T. Rogan; the unknown heirs of Mr. Ragan, deceased husband of Mrs. G. T. Ragan; the unknown heirs of Mr. Hunter, deceased, husband of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter

GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's first amended original petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 13th day of December, A. D., 1954, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable Dis-

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trict Court of Coke County, at H. L. Scales, deceased; the u the Court House in Robert Lee, known heirs of L. H. Taylor,

Said plaintiff's first amended original petition was filed on the 25th day of September, 1954.

The file number of said suit

being No. 1974. The names of the parties in said suit are: J. Willis Johnson, Mary B. Hall and Ruth J. Gordon as Plaintiffs and J. W. Hinson, Mrs. G. T. Rogan, Mrs. G. T. Ragan, D. W. Ritchie, Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, Archibald Jones, Thomas H. Bradley, John A. Woods, Charles H. Ora, S. J. Murray, H. L. Scales and L. H. Taylor, the residence of each of whom is unknown; Mr. Rogan, husband of Mrs. G. T. Rogan, whose further name and residence is unknown; Mr. Ragan, husband of Mrs. G. T. Ragan, whose further name and residence is unknown; Mr. Hunter, husband of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, whose further name and residence is unknown; the unknown stockholders of Biard Development Company, a defunct corporation; the unknown heirs of J. W. Hinson, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. G. T. Rogan, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. G. T. Ragan, deceased; the unknown heirs of D W. Ritchie, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, deceased; the unknown heirs of Archibald Jones, deceased; the unknown heirs of Thomas H. Bradley, deceased; the unknown heirs of John A. Woods, deceased; the unknown heirs of Charles H. Ora, deceased; the unknown heirs of S. J. Murray, deceased; the unknown heirs of (Seal)

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The nature of said suit bei substantially as follows:

For the title and possession the North Half (N2) of Northeast Quarter (NE/4); Southwest Quarter (SW/4) of Northeast Quarter (NE/4): Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of Southeast Quarter (SE/4); the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) the Northwest Quarter (NWI4): Section 77, in Block 2, H. & T. Ry. Co., in Coke County, Tex plaintiffs claiming title under 5 year and 10 year statutes limitation.

If this Citation is not serv within 90 days after the date its issuance, it shall be return unserved.

Issued this the the 27th day October, 1954.

Given under my hand and se of said Court at office in Robe Lee, Texas, this the 27th day October A. D., 1954.

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ball and Trent again recovered on the Steer 40.

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Mrs. Annie Sparks has returned from a month's stay in New Mexico where she visited her childrn at Tularosa, Roswell and Albuquerque. While she was in the latter city she was a dinner guest in the home of W. E. Newton and family. W. E. was a OCCUPY NEW HOMES

Nov. 12, 1954

Two attractive new homes in the south part of town were occupied last week by their new owners, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Farris and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Skipworth and children. The houses are very similar and occupy adjoining 100-foot lots, with a south frontage.

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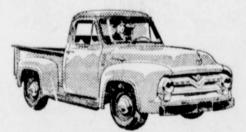
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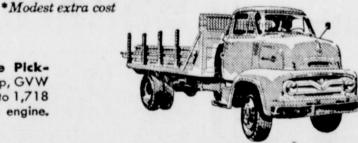
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Ford, which offered the first V-8 engine in the low price field in 1932 and has built 14 million V-8s singe, introduces for the first time three new engines:

A high compression Y-block V-8 engine of 272 cubic inch displacement and an 8.5 to 1 compression ratio.

engine of 223 cubic inch displacement and a 7.5 to 1 compression ratio.

Dual exhausts, which provide extra power, are standard on all Fairlane V-8 and station wagon

The new Ford Fairlane series, named after the home of the late Henry Ford, includes a completly new styling idea - the Crown Victoria model. This car has an arch of chrome over the top like a tiara. It also is available with a transparent plastic roof over the driver's compart-

Like all 1955 Fords, the Fairlane models have a new concave grill composed of a sturdy chrome-plated grid. Fairlane cars are immediately recognized by a chrome trimline which starts on top of each front fender at the headlamp and follows the curvature of the fender down ward - then sweeps along the side to the tail lights. Hooded headlamps give the high front fenders a forward thrust look Angelo Sunday when she attendwhile rear fenders form a reverse ed a Hair Styling Show. During angle above larger tail lamps. All the evening he also took some the new Fords have a flatter private instruction in new methhood and a longer rear deck.

#### BCD LUNCHEON

Members of the Board of Community Development held luncheon Wednesday noon at the Henry Childress Barbecue. Bob Vaughan announced that his committee on the proposed Santa meet with a similar group in Bronte. Commissioner J. W. Service and County Clerk Weldon Fikes reported on plans for the new court house and road work in Precinct 1. W. H. McAdams said West Texas Utilities Co. was preparing to extend a high line from a point near Edith into Robert Lee, giving our city loop electric current. Possibilities of getting Lone Star to bring natural gas to Robert Lee was discussed. Latest information received by Mayor J. S. Ferrell indicated the project was not being considered this year. Guests at the luncheon were C. E. Math- at its concert in Kermit. ers of Silver and James Fleming, a representative of Foremost Dairies in San Angelo.

Genie Baker was program chairman and songs with guitar accompaniment were given by Sammy Joe Duncan.

## **Committees For** An improved 6 cylinder I-block HD Xmas Party

The following committees have been named for the WHD Clubs of Thetford. annual Christmas Party:

Arrangements - Gladys Wal-

Decorations-Mrs. T. M. Wylie, Jr., Mrs. Cortez Harmon, Mrs. Tom Rives, Jr. Refreshments - Mrs. J. W.

Labenske, Mrs. Nolan Pentecost, Mrs. Crowley Harmon. Program - Mrs. O. B. Jacobs,

Mrs. M. H. Jameson, Mrs. Charlie Arnold. Gifts - Mrs. Taylor Emerson,

Mrs. R. S. Walton, Mrs. Dee Es-

County Judge Jeff Dean is making considerable improvement and was dismissed from Coke County Memorial Hospital last Thursday. He attended meetings of the Commissioners Court that afternoon and again Monday, but as yet is not able to devote full time to his office.

Mrs. Olene Sims was in San

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## Robert Lee Youth In Sul Ross Band

Alpine, Texas, Nov. 1 - Robert Jay of Robert Lee is a member of the Sul Ross Lobo band this fall. Majoring in chemistry, Robert must spend many hours each week practicing the precision drills and intricate marches in which the band is being drilled by director Joe Bellamah. Halftime band demonstrations have included fancy marching steps, a dance done to "Dark" Town Strutters' Ball", and the Charleston performed by the band members while playing their own accompaniment.

Robert Lewis was honored this week when he was invited as the only representative from Sul Ross to play with the Navy Band

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jay of Robert Lee.

#### DIVORCE GRANTED

Nannie Freeman was granted a decree of divorce from Tony M. Freeman after a hearing in district court here Saturday before Judge Joe L. Mays. The couple had been married ten years and formerly resided at Edith. The plaintiff was permitted to resume her previous name

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