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## **TWISTERS TO** PLAY MAGNOLIA HERE SUNDAY

Probably the biggest base ball game of the regular Concho Basin sell is the teacher and is to be League season is in prospect for highly congratulated. She was the Robert Lee diamond next Sun-presented flowers and an Abingday. On that date the crack Mag- ion Bible Commentary. Bruce nolia club of San Angelo tangles Clift led the singing and the class with the Coke County Rabbit Twis- president, Fagan Parker, presidters.

to 5 at Guinn Field during the first He was pastor of the local church round of play, with Tommy Franks holding last year's champs to seven hits. However, Norman Roberts and Lew Heuvel, both highly important to the Twisters' strength, will not be on hand. Roberts is working up at Spearman and Heuvel is on a vacation.

Magnolia has by big odds the finest group of young athletes in the San Angelo area. They've grabbed all the players back from college and have more good players sitting on the bench than most of the other loop teams have on their entire roster.

Anyway, fans like to watch a good team and they should turn out next Sunday to see the Rabbit Twisters engage Magnolia. King Kong Henley will umpire.

Last week's results: Robert Lee 7, Plowboys 5. Magnolia 22, Miles 2. Sonora 20, Jax Inc. 4. Next Sunday's games: Magnolia at Robert Lee. Miles at Sonora. Jax, inc. vs. Plowboys. The league standing:

**Robert Lee** 1 Sonora Mules 2 2 Magnolia 3 Jax Inc. SA Plowboys 4 **Miles** Giants 6 C-C 6

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S. S. CLASS ANNIVERSARY Fourth anniversary of the Simpson Bible Class of the Robert Lee Methodist Church was observed Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Organized four years ago with only three members, the group has grown to 30 or more. Mrs. Melrose Rus-

ed. B. C. Goodwin introduced the Robert Lee defeated Magnolia 7 speaker, Rev. B. B. Edmiaston. 25 years ago and is now retired and lives in Bronte. His remarks were acclaimed by everyone present. Cake and coffee were served.

## Little League **Game Enjoyed By Crowd Here**

Robert Lee and Silver Little Leaguers played a close and exciting game here last Friday night, with Robert Lee winning 7 to 6. everyone was thrilled with the snappy brand of base ball being played by youngsters under 13 years of age.

Silver drew first blood when Paul Baker poled a homerun after two were out in the initial frame The locals tied the count in the second as Bill Farris doubled and came home on Mac Tubb's single. Robert Lee added another tally in the third when John Kinsey socked a two-bagger to score Richard Sims, who also had doubled. The local club put over five runs

in the fourth resulting from hits by Jerry Calder, Joe Jones, Sims and Kinsey and a brace of Silver misplays. Silver sent ten men to bat in

.143 the fifth frame, with Eddie Jac-.000 obs making the first and last outs.

## **Miss Eubanks Is Bride Of** Leon Baker



#### MRS. LEON BAKER

The marriage of Miss Laura May Eubanks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Eubanks, to Mr. Leon A big crowd was on hand and Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Baker of Bronte, was solemnized May 29 at the home of the Bride's parents in Robert Lee.

Bill McDaniel, Church of Christ preacher of San Angelo, officiated. The ceremony took place in the garden of the Eubanks home at 6:30 p. m. with 100 relatives and friends in attendance. The birde was given in marriage by her father.

The bride's dress was of white nylon. Her corsage was of yellow flowers and she carried a white Bible.

Miss Alta Eubanks was her sister's bridesmaid. She wore an aqua cotton dress. Douglas Lowrance of Abilene, cousin of the bride, was best man.

A reception was held at the Eu-

BARBECUE REPAIRS Henry Childress has closed his Barbecue stand for a week or more while he is making extensive repairs, and also resting a part of the time. He plans to re-open some time next week.

## **Court of Honor** To Be Held at **Robert Lee**

Fred McDonald, Jr. of Robert Lee has announced that a Court of Honor for the three Boy Scout troops in Coke County will be held for the three Boy Scout troops in Coke County will be held at the Robert Lee High School auditorium June 23 at 8 p. m. Troops from Silver, Bronte and Robert Lee will be on hand to receive awards.

McDonald said that many Scouts in Coke County completed requirements for merit badge advancements recently when they attended the summer encampment at Camp Sol Mayer near Menard. These awards will be presented at the gathering next Thursday night. The public is invited to attend.

#### WILL IS PROBATED

Last will and testament of the late Mrs. Mattie Bell Read was probated in County Court here Tuesday. It was drawn up and signed April 7, 1951, when she was Mattie Bell Campbell. Witnesses were R. L. Read and Inez Gartman. The will set forth that all property would go to her son, Ben L. Keyes of Christoval.

## .ocal News

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Denman and son, Mike, of Spearman have been enjoying a visit with Robert Lee relatives and friends. J. W. is taking a two weeks' vacation from his oil field truck driving job with

## SIREN TO WARN **APPROACH OF** STORM DANGER

Through courtesy of the State Highway Department's Safety Division at San Angelo, and the Robert Lee Volunteer Fire Department, citizens of Robert Lee will be warned in the future of any emergency disaster, such as cyclones, tornadoes ,etc.

Each person is asked to please take note of the signals as given below:

1. In event of the approach of an emergency disaster such as a cyclone, tornado, etc. there will be a continuous blast of the fire siren of 3 to 5 minutes duration, which wil be a warning to take shelter or be on the alert.

2. The siren will still be blown at twelve o'clock designating the noon hour. This will be the usual short blast.

3. Two blasts in succession of the siren will be a summons to the members of the fire department only.

The City Commission is grateful to these departments for their help in setting up this warning system for the public and they ask the people for their full cooperation.

#### EDITOR ON VACATION

The Observer editor left Wednesday morning on a two weeks trip to visit relatives and old friends in Iowa and Nebraska. During his absence the business will be in charge of Mrs. J. L. Tinkler, while Mrs. Sam Jay will assist with news writing. Your cooperation in sending in items will be greatly appreciated. Also anyone wishing to break into print with a "column" has a fine opportunity to do so next week. Big Talk, Thru the Venetian Blinds or Keyhole Peeps might be used appropriately as headings. You can use initials in the paper but the names of writers must be known n the Observer office. Editor Kirkpatrick expects to be back in Robert Lee June 28.



## **Byrd** Discovery **Finaled** For 30 Bbls. Daily

Kewanec Oil Co. No. 1 W. G. Byrd Estate, 21/2 miles northeast of Robert Lee, has been completed for a daily pumping potential of 30.18 barrels of oil and 28.89 barrels of water, with gas-oil ratio of 895-1.

Production was through perforations 4,368-73 feet in Gonzales sand. Location is in the southwest corner of Section 417 on a farmout from a Union lease which expires July 7, 1955.

#### DRY HOLE

Plugged at 4,053 feet was Robert L. Wood, Midland, No. 1 R. E. Hickman, J. Johnson Survey 9661/2, wildcat five miles southeast of Robert Lee.

Murray No. 1 Lee, wildcat 9 miles southeast of Robert Lee, Mrs. Ivey was assisted in enterdrilling the first of the week at tained by her daughter-in-flaw, 6,283 feet. It failed to find the Mrs. Cumbie Ivey, Jr., Mrs. B. A. lower Strawn formation where Humble recently completed a Lee test will continue to the Ellenburger

Hits by David Lindsey, Lawrence Stewart, Wayne Reed, Baker, Rusty Whitaker and Mac Garret were responsible for the cluster of runs. Bill Farris was replaced on the Robert Lee mound by Tommy Alien in the sixth. Sims, who had been catching, replaced Allen at second. Joe Jones, who had been on first, went in to catch and Far- office in the court house for short ris took over the first base position. Lawrence Stewart hurled for Sil-

ver, with Wayne Reed, Jr. catch-.ng. Silver garnered a total of 10 hits, and Robert Lee 9.

Manager Bruce Allen hopes to schedule additional Little League games in the near future. The lineups:

Silver-Wayne Reed, c: Larry Lindsey, ss; Paul Baker, 3rd; Rusty Whitaker, 1st; Jimmy Palmer, 2nd; Mac Garret, rf; Eddie Jacobs, lf; David Lindsey, cf; Lawrence Stewart, p.

Robert Lee-Tommy Allen, 2ndp; Richard Sims, c-2nd; John Kinsey, 3rd; James Stewart, ss; Bill Farris, p-1st; Mac Tubb, cf; Royce Hood, lf; Jerry Calder, rf; Donald Robertson, 1st; Joe Jones, 1st-c.

MISS McDANIEL HONORED A coffee honoring Miss Carolyn McDaniel took place Wednesday at

9 A. M. in the Cumbie Ivey home. Austin and Mrs. G. C. Allen. The place Saturday night, June 18.

banks home following the wedding.

The couple will reside near Maverick where Mr. Baker is engaged in farming with his father.

#### HANDLES OFFICIAL DUTIES

Judge Jeff Dean continues to improve and was able to be at his periods Monday and Tuesday. His mother, Mrs. Claud Dean, returned Sunday from her home at Wea-

therford and was accompanied by her daughters, Mrs. Nora May and Mrs. W. N. Henry. Bobby Baker and family took the visitors to Alpine and Balhorhea this week where they will visit the Douglas Deans and the Kingston family.

Mrs. Henry will then return to her home at Blythe, Calif. Jerry Dean is now visiting at the Kingston Ranch near Balmorhea, and his vounger brother, Tony, is joining him there this week.

HONORED AT BRIDAL TEA

Miss Peggy Jackson was honored with a Bridal Tea given Saturday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snead, Jr. Hostesses were Johnibeth Snead, Joyce King, Betty Holland and Dorothy Ott. Frosted punch and cake squares were served from the dining table where the centerpiece was an umbrella design surrounded by shasta daisies. Green and white were carried out in the decorations and July.

Baker & Taylor Drilling Co. He is well recovered from a serious head accident received last winter when he was struck by a section of heavy pipe.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Geer and children left this week on a vacation trip to points in the middle west. They will visit Bart's kinolks in Topeka, Kansas, and with Mrs. Geer's family at Shenandoah, Ia. Mr. Geer is an engineer employed by Coke and Runnels County Soil Conservation districts.

Mrs. Price Yantis of Bangs has been here for a few days' visit with her uncle, Joe Dodson, Sr. and family and with her sister-inlaw, Mrs. Howard Eaton. Mrs. Yantis says her husband is showing much improvement at a Houston hospital where he has been a patient for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCutchen accompanied Mrs. Peral Rutherford to San Antonio the fore part of last week where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McCutchen. Mac is an announcer and news commentator on Radio Station KONO. The past year he has taught a class in journalism at Trinity University.

Milburn Wright of Miles reported here Monday as a student trainee with Coke County Soil Conservation District. He is a graduate of San Angelo College and will enroll at Texas Tech in September.

Bill McCutchen stopped in Satminiature umbrellas were given as urday to renew his subscription. honoree received many beautiful favors. Miss Jackson received He has been a continuous substrike on the Weaver Ranch. The gifts. Miss MsDaniel's marriage many beautiful gifts. She will scriber since 1906 when the paper to Marvin Simpson, Jr. will take marry John McDaniel early in was given him and his bride as a wedding present.

#### STORE IMPROVEMENT

Baker's Grocery & Market has installed a new dairy case of latest and best design. It is a Frederick case and has 80 cubic feet of storage space. It is finished in white porcelain with black trim and everything inside can be viewcd by the customers.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

June 8 W. B. Richardson admitted. Mrs. C. E. Mathers, Mrs. Ronny Baker dismissed.

June 9 - Mrs. Vergil Streng admitted. W. B. Richardson dismissed.

June 10 - Mrs. Julia Bird admitted. Mrs. Vergil Streng, Charlie Cooper dismissed.

June 11 - Mr. O. S. Adkins, Susie Skipworth, Mary Vaughn, Jean Brown, Mrs. W. O. Skipworth admitted. Mrs. Julia Bird, Wayne Wojtek, Mrs. Marvin Jones dismissed.

June 12 - Robert Lewis Jay dismissed.

June 13-Jean Brown dismissed. June 14 - M. A. Cox, E. C. Davis admitted. Mrs. Ed Hickman dismissed.

June 15 - Jackie Sparks admitted. Mrs. Mabel Williams dismissed.

## SILVER NEWS

First services were held Sunday | will continue to Natchez and New morning in the new Methodist Orelans.

Church at Silver with the pastor, Rev. Warren Ellis, in charge. Dedication of the attractive \$20,-000 structure will be held in September.

Al Holt of the gas department and Ed Taylor of Sun Pipeline are in Dallas this week attending a group meeting of Sun Employee Representatives.

Perry Post and his family have returned from a week's vacation trip to Louisiana. Former residents of Silver, he now resides in Colorado City and is in charge of Sun's Lake Trammel compressor station.

Bill Dean and family have returned from a two weeks' vacation which they spent in Galveston, Beaumont and points in East Texas. While in Beaumont they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Duplissey, former Silver residents.

James T. Hays moved his family to their residence in Tubb Camp last Saturday. A Sun Pipeline Co. employee, Mr. Hays was transferred to Silver from Seabreeze.

A. H. Jones and family have gone on a two weeks vacation visit to Greggton and Longview.

Ralph Hughes, area engineer for Sun Pipeline at Snyder, will be honored with a going away covered dish party Thursday evening of this week. Several Silver families plan to attend the affair.

Jack Sands of Baytown was here recently visiting the L. K. Mc-Kinnons and Curtis Dukes and family at Edith.

Richard Parrish has resigned his position with Sun Oil Co. and will move to Houston to take a job with a newly formed insurance company. For the past two years he has been a field clerk in the Jameson gasoline plant at Silver.

Bob Edwards received bad injuries Monday about 7 p. m. when ne fell off the roof of his home in Tubb Camp. He was rushed to the Colorado City hospital where 14 stitches were required to close a head wound. He also suffered ser-

George Lomas, Sun pumper, has left with his family on a vacation. George Fugate was back in the hospital the fore part of the week with a throat ailment.

The Charles Kennedy family have returned from a two weeks' vacation trip to Colorado Springs and other points in that state.

J. B. Asher, Sun production roustabout, is off duty with a stomach disorder.

Mrs. Ewell Martin returned to ailment in the Colorado City Hospital.

Chas. Crowson and Don Yarbro cnjoyed some deep sea fishing in the Gulf over the weekend. They were in a party of 20 who caught more than 1300 pounds of fish. Most of the catch were red snappers and both the Silver men brought home 20 of these excellent fish which averaged 2 pounds each.

Dennis George Pennington and or more in El Paso.

June 17, 1955 | a friend from Prague, Okla., motored here over the weekend to visit the former's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mathers. They made the trip while Dennis George's parents were visiting in Houston.

> Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Allen of Winslow, Ariz., are here for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen, and other relatives. The Allen family gathered in San Angelo Sunday for a reunion and a fish fry. The menfolks caught the fish down in South Texas early this year and they had been in a deep freeze awaiting this occasion.

Silver Little League baseball her home here Monday after being team lost a close game at Robert treated several days for a throat | Lee last Friday night. The clubs will play in Silver Thursday night of this week.

> Mrs. Pearl Rutherford returned Sunday to her home in El Paso after a ten days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Bill McCutchen, and other relatives and friends. She was accompanied home by Mrs. McCutchen and the latter's daughter, Mrs. Bobby Hood and two children, who will spend a week

#### GUESTS IN KEY HOME

Recent guests in the D. P. Key home were Mrs. F. W. Hunter and little grandsons, Terry and Stevie Hunter of Austin, Mrs. C. C. Gobbel and son, Jimmy, Mrs. A. C. Williams and children, Linda, Vicki and Byron of Tuscon, Arizona and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Reed,, enroute to their home in Florida from Albuquerque, New Gobbel are sisters of Mrs. Key. of San Angelo.

Mrs. Williams is a niece and Mr. Reed, a nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Shellburne and children, G. B. III, Gene Paul and Ruth Ann also visited recently in their home. Mrs. Shelburne is the former Wilma Jean Key.

Mrs. Sam Powell returned last week from a trip to Dallas where she spent several days in company Mexico. Mrs. Hunter and Mrs. with her friend, Mrs. Bob Jones,





icus arm an shoulder sprains. He was climbing on the roof to repair a TV antenna, when he slipped and fell on his head on the cement sidewalk. Mr. Edwards is chief clerk in Sun's Jameson gasoline plant.

O. L. Snyder has returned to his work at the gas plant after a week's vacation. He and his family spent a couple of days with kinfolks in Eastland.

O. L. White and family are vacationing this week in East Texas

Joe Warren returned the end of the week from Delhi, La., where he attended a week's school of instruction for Sun Chemists.

N. K. Cheatham and family have also returned from a week's vacation. He is an operator at Sun compressor plant in the Millican field.

PERKINS-PROTHRO PARTY

Perkins-Prothro Oil Company held its annual barbecue and party for employees and their families last Saturday. The event took place at their camp, across the river southwest of Silver. Coming for the day were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Prothro, who flew from Wichita Falls, and Supt. Joe Haynes and his family.

Volley ball games furnished entertainment in the afternoon and there was a bingo party Saturday night. The company now has twelve permanent employees in Coke County.

Perkins-Prothro has 108 preducing wells and are operating five rotary drilling rigs.

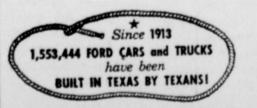
Jack Byrd, Sun production clerk, is vacationing in Dallas and Sulphur Springs and he and his wife

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## LOCAL

(Intended for Last Week)

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Willis Smith were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson of Bronte, and her sons, Willis Wayne and Royce, and their families.

J. F. McCabe, Jack Brock and Brent Clark and their families spent the weekend at Ruidoso, New Mex. The Clarks remained for a week's vacation at the resort.

came over Sunday to visit their son John Conley, and family. They also were on hand to watch the Rabbit Twisters defeat the Jax club of San Angelo.

Mrs. D. H. Kingston and two children of Balmorhea were here for a weekend visit with relatives. Mrs. Kingston is a sister of Judge and daughter, Elaine, of San An-Jeff Dean and Mrs. Bobby Baker. gelo. Mrs. Braswell is a niece of porter.

and daughter, Sue, left Sunday to

spend six weeks at Lubbock where are visiting his mother, Mrs. Hat- The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas the former will study Supervision of Elementary Schools at Texas Tech. Sue will take a month's course in band. The Goodwins plan to spend weekends at their

home in Robert Lee. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roe, Sr.

were in Abilene Sunday to attend the annual reunion of the Mapes family. Mrs. Roe's mother, Mrs. J. M. Mapes, who is 91, was present as well as all of her children except one. Others attedning

Snipe Conley and wife of Texon from Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roe, Jr. and family, and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Roe and family and Anita and Sandra Roe. Guests last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Richardson included Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Braswell and two children of Denver City and Mrs. Horace Keel Supt. and Mrs. B. C. Goodwin Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Keel.

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tie Day, and other relatives in Robert Lee and with his wife's joying a month's leave from the Air Force. Since returning from Japan last fall he has been stationed at Smyrna, Tenn.

Donald Mauldin is now serving as bookkeeper and parts man at Vaughan's Chevrolet Co. He recently attended a school in Dallas for parts department managers.

#### GREEN MT H.D CLUB

The Green Mountain Home Demonstration club met at the recreation center on June 7 at 2:30 p. m. Program was on "Buying and Serving Low Cost Meals;" and was demonstrated by Mrs. Fay Roe, Home Demonstration Agent. There were three members present. - Mrs. Glenn Waldrop, Re-

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## parents in Miles. Sgt. Day is en- BCD Discusses Night Ball Games, Water Saving

Fifteen members of the Robert Lee Board of Community Development attended a luncheon meeting Wednesday of last week at Henry's Barbecue.

Weldon Fikes reported improvements had been made at the ball grounds. Additional lights have been installed and seats will be provided in the near future.

Five soft ball teams have been organized and a schedule will be published next week. There will be two games on Tuesday and Friday nights.

Bruce Allen has his Little Leaguers rounding into shape and Howard Varnadore has taken over of Humble service station operamanagement of the Pony League, | tors.

which includes boys too old for Little League competition. A lot of games will be scheduled with

A. V. Sheppard, Soil Conservation specialist, spoke on West Texas water conditions. He said the recent legislature failed to pass the conservation bill proposed by Senator Dorsey Hardeman. However, the former board of Water Engineers is being replaced by a Water Commission to be made up of six appointive members. West Texas receives an adequate amount of moisture for all needs and purpose, Sheppard said, if we can devise ways and means of preventing so much of it running off.

J. F. McCabe, Jr. was in Abilene Wednesday and Thursday of this week attending a convention

outside clubs.

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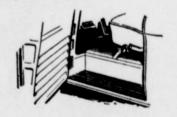
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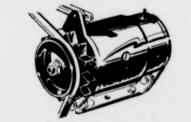
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equipment this week to start on the road project leading from a point north of the Millican field to the new Colorado River bridge, southwest of Silver. Ed Hawkins is foreman of the bridge crew, while Ford Allen will be in charge of dirt moving. The contractor agrees to complete the project within 120 calendar days.

Leon and Noel Gregston are visiting their grandmother and uncles at Carlsbad, N. Mex., for a couple of weeks. The grandmother, Mrs. Dixie Gregston, is a former Robert Lee resident.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen returned Friday from a week's visit with relatives and old friends in the Corsicana locality. They report good crop conditions there. Mr. Allen has been taking a vacation from his duties as custodian of Coke County Memorial Hospital.

The Bill Lloyds recently moved from Midland to Bronte, where Bill is employed in the Rippetoe drug store. Bill is a former Bronte resident and his wife is the former Gertie May Burgess of Robert Lee. They have two children, Linda Sue, 6, and Michael, 3 years old. Mr. Lloyd graduated in pharmacy from the University of Texas and was recently employed in drug stores in Kermit and Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sheppard have been spending a vacation visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delmir Sheppard and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor. They reside at Spearman where Bert is employed by Baker & Taylor Drilling Co.

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rida.

Robert Lee folks got to see some S. B. Plumlee wishes to announce that an all day meeting will of the movie folk at the hotel in take place here Friday at the Holi-Marfa, but there was no activity on the sets Sunday. In Marfa they ness Church, east of the court also visited Miss Caraway's coushouse. ins, Ben Avent and Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Turner de- He is foreman of the Foster S. parted Tuesday for their home at Price ranch west of Sanco.

John McDaniel returned the last | Artesia, New Mex., after a visit of the week from two weeks on of several days with Mrs. Turnactive duty with the Naval Re- er's parents, Commissioner and serve.. He flew from San Angelo Mrs. Ed Hickman, and other relto New Orleans where he took an atives here. They were accompicture, "Giant," a story of early 8-days cruise to Jacksonville, Flo- panied by Earl's stepmother and had been on a trip to the southern part of the state.

J. L. Carwile, Jr. returned to his home Saturday and is much improved after several days treatment in a San Angelo hospital.



June 17, 1955



## **ROBERT LEE** WINS FROM **PLOWBOYS**

Robert Lee Rabbit Twisters defeated the San Angelo Plowboys here Sunday 7 to 5. It was the first game of the second round in Concho Basin League play and permitted the Coke County club to hang on to first place in the loop standing.

The locals scored twice in the third frame when Jimmy Grav walked and John Conley singled. Barnell Malish cracked a hit to left to bring in both runners. Marlon McCutchen led off the next inning with a perfect infield hit and went to third on a wild pitch. He scored when Tommy Franks singled to center.

in the fifth. Paul Griffin open- stationed at first and looked good ed with a double and two infield both in the field and batting in the hits, an error and a single to right cleanup spot. accounted for the damage. The visitors went ahead in the next inning when Denny Conley, Plowboy catcher, drove a short hit to left which rolled for a homerun.

Robert Lee netted the score at 4-all in the botom of the sixth. A triple by Franks sent home Lynn Davidson, who had singled. Three more tallies were made by the Twisters in the seventh. Malish

Ronnie Baker followed with hits. The Plowboys counted again in the eighth, as Conley poled his second homer of the afternoon.

Jack Henderson, on the mound for the visitors, struck out 10 but was touched for 13 Twister hits. Malish got two singles in addition to his triple, Royce Smith hit a double and a single, and McCutchen came out of his batting slump with a pair of hits.

Franks allowed only six hits during the six innings he worked. He struck out eight and was given wobbly support. Robert Lee was charged with five errors. Ray Mc-Millan, a new man on the Twister roster, hurled the last two frames and looked impressive. The game ended with a double play, McCutchen to Davidson to Malish.

Capt. Lew Heuvel is absent on vacation and Lynn Davidson took The Plowboys evened the count his place at second. Malish was

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to friends and neighbors for the sympathy and many acts of kindness in our recent bereavement. Your many kindnesses will never be forgetten. - R. E. Hickman and family.

Bob Godwin was called to San One Year in Advance ...... slugged a three-bagger to deep Angelo Saturday by the serious center, Franky Percifull was safe illness of his mother. Her condion an error and McCutchen and tion remains critical.

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#### COMMISSIONERS COURT

Coke County Commissioners Court held a regular session Monday with all members and Judge Jeff Dean in attendance. A bond filed by Hunter Strain was approved and he will be given an immediate order to start work on the 7-mile stretch of new road in the west end of Precinct No. 1. The County tax rate for 1955 was continued at 85 cents, and road bond levies of 13 cents in Precinct 1 and 19 cents in Precinct 2 were voted. Valuations of livestock and personal property will be the same as last year. Approval was given the appointment of Gerald Hooten as Coke County's new assistant agricultural agent.

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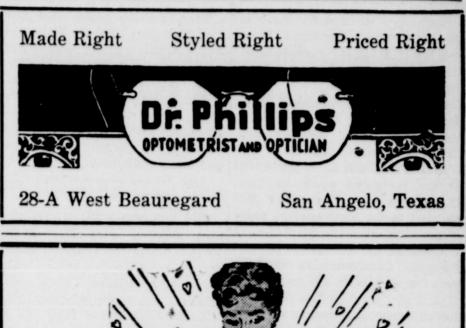
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#### The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

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Mr. and Mrs. Foy Askins and Wellington and enjoy a good busichildren returned last Thursday ness. The town is located on a from a vacation visit with the for- main highway for tourists going mer's parents at Wellington, Colo. | into Estes Park. Foy is shop fore-They operate a grocery store at man at Vaughan Chevrolet Co.





# Father's Day Sunday, June 19

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ROACH'S

## **Robert Lee Methodists**

Dedicatory services for the Mattie Belle Read Memorial Piano will be held Sunday morning during the 11:00 o'clock worship hour, the pastor conducting. A special feature of the service will be a duet, "Gathering Flowers for the Master's Bouquet" sung by Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough and Mrs. Otto be used for church improvement Wojtek. They will be accompanied at the memorial piano by Mrs. Cortez Russell. The piano will be used in the Kindergarten room of the new educational building.

Attending the San Angelo District Planning Conference in San Angelo Tuesday were the pastor and Mrs. Ellis, Freddie Lee Roe and Bryan Yarbrough. Suggested goals and objectives to be attained in the

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June 17, 1955 | time and place.

attended to some needed cleaning up and painting in their Sunday School room. Jack Waide is the class teacher, Mrs. Harold Congdon, president.

Next Thursday night, June 23rd, the Methodist Youth Fellowship will conduct a snack supper sale at the church. Offering hamburgers, hotdogs, home-made cake and ice-cream, the group will serve either at the car or at tables placed on the lawn. All proceeds will and camp activities.

#### FRIENDSHIP HD CLUB

The Friendship W. H. D. Club met June 9 with Mrs. Lowell Roane. There were eight members and nine visitors present. Marjorie Gladys Rives, 4-H

club girl, gave the program: A "Special Party Dip," to be used as a T. V. snack with crack-

No. 697

You are hereby notified that I

Ulmer S. Bird Guardian of the Estate of Dorotry Irene Eubanks, a minor.

No. 697 IN THE MATTER OF THE GUAR-DIANSHIP OF DOROTHY IRENE EUBANKS, A MINOR.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF COKE COUNTY, TEXAS GUARDIAN'S NOTICE OF AP-PLICATION FOR AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE OIL, GAS AND MIN-ERAL LEASE

IN THE ABOVE WARD OR HER | to said Railway Company by Pat-ESTATE:

You are hereby notified that I have, on the 11th day of June, 1955, 320 acres, more or less. filed with the County Clerk of Coke County, Texas, an applica- of Coke County, Texas, on the 11th tion, under Oath, for authority to day of June, 1955, duly entered his make, enter into and execute an Order designating the 11th day of Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease, cov- July, 1955, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., ering the interest of Dorothy Irene in the County Courtroom in the Eubanks, a Minor, in the follow- County Courthouse of Coke County, ing described lands situated in Texas, as the time and place Coke County, Texas and belonging where such Application would be to said Minor, described as fol- heard, and that such Application lows, to-wit:

The East One-half (E. 1/2) of place. Section No. 375, Block 1-A, Houston & Texas Central Railway Company Survey, Certificate No. TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED 38/4350, Abstract No. 323, patented

ent No. 342, Volume 99, dated January 5, 1887, and containing

The Judge of the County Court will be heard at such time and

Ulmer S. Bird

Guardian of the Estate of Dorothy Irene Eubanks, a Minor.



You Are Invited to Attend the

## Set Rambouillet **Ram Sale June 18**

Registered Rambouillet Ram Sale will be held June 16 through 18 at day to talk sheep, and show their ine San Angelo Fairgrounds. Twenty-four registered breeders have consigned 291 head of top quality promptly at 10:00 a. m., Saturday, rams to this sale sponsored by the June 18, in the sheep barn at the American Rambouillet Sheep San Angelo Fairgrounds with Lem Breeders Association.

All rams must be in the barns eer's stand. by Thursday, at 8:00 a. m., when a committee of five breeders will teen man committee of leading begin the difficult task of select- Texas Rambouillet breeders, ing the stud rams from the best two rams of each consignor. This Sheffield of San Angelo. committee will also pass on the A-B-C pens of three, which are sold with the buyer privileged to take all or any part of the pen at the his son, Maynard, who resides at winning bid. The quality of the San Angelo. Maynard is employed

#### of studs and A-B-C pens selected; however, the rules limit these pens to not over 10. Lot branding, sale order, and other routine work will

The 19th Annual San Angelo be completed Thursday so that the consignors will be free all day Frirams to interested sheepmen.

> The sale proper gets under way Jones of Junction on the auction-

> The sale is managed by a thirwhose chairman this year is R. O.

Bob Read has ordered a year's subscription to The Observer for rams will determine the number by General Telephone Co.

June 17, 1955 PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tubb and son, Mac, left Saturday on a vacation trip. They plan to visit in northwestern Oklahoma with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Hanna, and will likely extend their tour to other points. Lewis Heuvel and family left Friday on a three weeks' vacation trip. They will visit kinfolks at Brenham and various other points in that section of the state. Mr. Heuvel is a pumper for Sun in the Millican field.

H. C. Allen attended a board of directors meeting Tuesday night at West Texas Boys Ranch near Tankersley. He reports there are 28 boys at the ranch now and everything is progressing nicely. A former resident of Boys Ranch graduated this year from Texas A & M. Mr. Allen has been a di-

rector of the organization seve- and visiting in the home of his ral years. He would be happy for brother, Hershal Hall, and family. oke County folks to take more in- Atha is now living in DeKalb crest in the project. Atha Hall was here a few days G. E. Hall bought an acreage there last week taking high school exams this spring.

where his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

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Also Cartoon

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, JUNE 22 & 23

Robert Mitchum, Marilyn Monroe in

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PHONE 60

Victor Wojtek says he gets scared over so many headlines in The Observer about "Twisters." It \$426.60 to the Cancer Crusade this makes him think of bad storms in- year, failing to reach a goal of stead of the crack Robert Lee base \$500 which had been set. Texas

(In CinemaScope & Technicolor)

Drilling Mud, Oil Field Lumber.

ball team. Money isn't everything but it's way ahead of whatever is in second place.

Coke County folks contributed

Also Cartoon

June 17, 1955 | has reached more than 80% of its million dollar goal. The national goal is 24 millions, and 21 million has been reached.

The secret of cancer control might well be reached in the not too distant future if sufficient funds are forthcoming to carry on continued research. The American Cancer Society will devote nearly 6 million dollars to research this year.

Don't worry about the job you don't like. Someone else will have it pretty soon anyway. Back in World War I era Henry Ford revolutionized American economy by paying a minimum \$5 a day wage scale. American industrialists - and the general public too - shook their heads and agreed that Henry was a fool, that no common laborer could be worth that much and that it would "break" American business.

Within the past week Henry's grandson and namesake became the first major industrialist to accede to the principle of the "guaranteed annual wage."

The cry is the same as it was when the first Henry broke with tradition.

REMEMBER DAD ON HIS. DAY NEXT SUNDAY, JUNE 19. When you read this paper the editor will be well up in the Middle West visiting among kinfolks in Iowa, Nebraska and Missouri. I'm doing good on turnip greens, blackeyed peas and all that truck, but up there you're a sissy if you put sugar in your iced tea. Yes. going back to yankeeland for a couple of weeks. By the way, do you know the difference between a Yankee and a damnyankee. Chig Brown says a damnyankee is one who

Elizabeth Ann Powers of Vernon has been visiting here recently with relatives and friends. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Powers, former Robert Lee

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In addition to the Saturday noon closing, the following holidays will be closed during the year: Lincoln's Birthday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Armistice Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas.

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