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Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas, Friday,

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JO ANN MILLICAN was crowned Football Queen at ceremonies during the Bronte-Robert Lee game Friday night. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Millican of Silver, Jo Ann is a junior at Robert Lee high school. Her selection was made by members of the Steer football squad. Princesses were Kenny Sawyer and Lavina McDaniel.

### EMERGENCY OPERATION

Ray Stewart of Lamesa, former well known Robert Lee resident, Industry an appendectomy early To Entertain Saturday at Coke County Memorial Hospital here. He had been Rural Guests working on his farm on the Divide southwest of town when he became ill Friday about 7 p.m. Later he drove to the nearby ranch of his brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ruth. They brought him to the hospital and a successful operation was performed soon after midnight. Ray is making a good recovery. His wife has been here and other kin-Stewart and his niece, Mrs. Weldon Fikes, and family.

### Deer Hunters Report Fair Success Here

Deer hunters have met with mild success in Coke County, nine bucks having been brought to the Baker cold storage locker since the season opened Sunday.

Game has not been too plentiful and better hunting is expected when colder weather arrives.

A few wild turkeys have also been brought in. Gobblers were killed by Roland Willis, Monty Wallace and L. E. Wink.

White tailed bucks in storage

Robert Lee.

lear Silver.

J. T. Sparks, Cummings Ranch. Royce Gene Hood, Elbert Davidson Ranch.

Finis Millican, Radde Ranch. L. F. Gohlson, Tom Peays Ranch.

Frank Coalson, Cummings.

# **BCD Members**

Robert Lee Board of Community Development will observe Farm-City Week at its luncheon meeting next Wednesday at Varnadore Cafe. Members will invite a friend from the country and a special program is to be provided.

A turkey dinner will be served promptly at 12 noon at \$1 per plate. Since the number who may folks include his brother, Marven attend is limited reservations must be made in advance with the BCD secretary, Sterling Lindsey.

> President J. S. Ferrell announced two BCD committees, as fol-

Nominating new officers - Robert Vaughan, Travis McNair, Bill Vetal Flores To

Ivey Jr., Fern Havins, Weldon

Mayor W. D. McAdams repoted that fire hazard's would increase now that weeds and other vegetation have been killed. He cautioned all property owners to see that their weed patches are cleaned up and thus protect their building from possible fire.

### WILL BE INDUCTED

of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. B. Robert- trict and state levels. ter of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Bur- thers and dads present. son of Edith. She will make her home for the present with her We extend a cordial invitation to

### Santa Claus Kids' Party Here Dec. 13

Santa Claus is coming to town! eryone. There will be a skating party and picture show for the youngsters and a big drawing for the adults.

cycles given away.

Date of the party has been Homecoming crowd. set for December 13. The Robert Lee School Band will march and play several numbers for the entertainment of the crowd.

The two bikes given away, one chants of Robert Lee. Further details of the party, time of day and so forth, will be published in The Observer next week.

The party is sponsored by the and the Robert Lee merchants.

#### SUNSHINE 4-H CLUB

ert Lee had its third meeting of day, Nov. 17.

on how to Improve My Manners. We also played an interesting game called "Coffee Pot."

Ann Davis, Reporter.



### Santa Claus Party — Cumbie Speak Here At P-TA Program

Mr. Vetal Flores of San Angelo will be guest speaker this Friday at 7:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

He has held the following positions connected with P. T. A. President of Bronte P. T. A. for two years; vice president of District 16 for four years; aid to president, District 16, for one year; treasurer James Robertson, 23, has re- of Bronte P.T.A. at present time; ceived orders from the draft life membership from Bronte P. here were brought in by the fol- board to report next Monday for T. A.; officially represented the induction into the armed forces Bronte P. T. A. at three state con-Hershall Hall, 8-pointer, shot at for two years of military service. ventions; served on program comthe Wesley Watson place south of For the past three years he has mittee for two years for District been employed by Cities Service Spring Conference; was group Douglas Gartman, Wilbern Milli- on a seismograph crew and re- leader for two district confercan and Wilbur Whitaker, each ently had been stationed at Ros- ences; and has held many other bagged a buck on the Spade Ranch well, N. Mex. James is the son jobs on committees of local, dis-

son and is a graduate of Robert A canary has been donated to Lee high school. He is married the P. T. A. and will be given to to the former Nell Burson, daugh- the room that has the most mo-

A social hour will follow.

# **Bronte Ran Over** Robert Lee is getting set for its third Christmas party and it looks like there is fun in store for ev-

Bronte waited until the final was smothered by four Bronte game of the season to log its only linemen on his own nine yard The skating and show will be District 6-B win, but the Long-line. After an incompleted pass free and the adults are not re- horns accomplished this feat in on first down, the Longhorns hit quired to purchase anything in or- convincing fashion by stampeding paydirt on their next attempt when der to register for the two bi- the Robert Lee Steers 31-8 here Arrott took a pitch-out from Grace Friday night before a capacity and passed complete to Neil Black

Steers, the Longhorns supplied a silver lining to a dismal season.

Bronte rode the airlanes in this rival contest, and rolled up 209 girl's and one boy's, will be pur- yards via the passing route. Quarchased by the civic minded mer- terback Albert Grace and fullback Dee Arrott shared pasing duties for the Longhorns and completed eight of 23 passes.

Other than the terrific passing yardage accumulated by Bronte, BCD, Volunteer Fire Department the game was about even statistically. First downs were even at nine each, and Robert Lee edged tackle for the touchdown. Scott the Longhorns in the rushing de-The Sunshine 4-H Club of Rob- partment 143 yards to 131.

Bronte scored in every period, the 1958-59 year at 8:45-10:00 Mon- and the outcome of the game was There were 25 members pres- horns pushed over the first touch- the drive with good passing and ent. Everyone enjoyed the lesson down of the game midway through the first quarter.

snap from center on a Robert Lee yards. Scott kicked his only point The next meeting will be in fourth down punting situation. December and the program is "To Sam Skipworth, the punter, re-Plan a Christmas Party.-Cynthia trieved the bad snap back but

### WSCS SPONSORS BAZAAR

ments, just south of Baker's gro- two extra points. cery and market. The public is invited to come, see and buy be- went 52 yards for another score. tween the hours of 1 and 5 p.m.

### THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

Next Thursday, Nov. 27, will be tional legal holiday. All stores and Scott missed the extra point. offices will be closed and usual holevening or Thursday morning. | missed the point.

in the end zone. Danny Scott By upsetting the heavily favored missed on his extra point kicking

Mid-way through the second period Freddie McDanald, the Steers scoring threat, fumbled and Bronte recovered on the Robert Lee 23yard line. Alonzo Robbins ran for three, and then Arrott circled left end for 15 to advance the ball to the five yard line. An offside penalty against the Steers placed the ball on the one, and on the following play Robbins burst through a gaping hole over left missed again and Bronte led 12-0 at halftime.

Bronte's third quarter score came early in the third quarter on never in doubt after the Long- a 70-yard drive. Grace sparked running. The drive was climaxed by a pass and run play from Grace The score was set up by a bad to Mickey Black that covered 39 of the game and Bronte took a 19-0 lead.

On the last play of the third quarter Robert Lee broke into the scoring column when halfback There will be a bazaar held ev- Ronnie Sims swept left end on ery Saturday afternoon by the fourth down for a two yard touch-Women's Society of Christian Ser- down. The score came following vice of the Methodist Church. It a 71-yard drive. Jerry Tinkler will be held in the Brown Apart- passed to Kenneth Wink for the

Following the kickoff, Bronte Arrott advanced the ball to the Robert Lee43, then Grace hit Robbins in the flat with an aerial and the fleet halfback raced down observed as Thanksgiving, a na- the sidelines for the touchdown.

The final Bronte score came in iday post office regulations will the waning moments of the game prevail. The Observer will be when Arrott took a pitch-out from printed on Wednesday and local Grace and scampered around right readers will get their paper that end for a 1-yard touchdown. Scott



THEY LEAD THE MARCHING BAND-Brenda Cowley (center) is drum major of the fine Robert Lee high school marching band. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cowley. Majorettes are Marjorie Gladys Rives (left) and Gayle Lewis (right). Miss Rives is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Rives Jr. and Miss Lewis is the daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. H. S. Lewis Jr. All three girls are juniors.

### Silver News

TEXAS NATURAL CAMP

Texas Natural Gasoline Corp. has transferred two more employees to the firm's new Toca plant near New Orleans, They were Jim Tally and Ray Lester. Both are expected to obtain promotions.

C. M. Ledbetter remains at Toca as an electrician but is expected to return here when the new plant begins operating in the near future.

Bob Moore, Delbert Coalson and Jim McDaniel have moved their families to company houses, and M. C. Hendry will move in as soon as the Tally household articles are moved out. Moore and Hendry have resided in Robert Lee and McDaniel formerly lived in Colorado City. Delbert Coalson has been living in a farm house near Silver.

Johnny Kohutek and John Moon were deer hunting Sunday and Monday morning in Kimble County between Junction and Harper. Moon bagged an 8-point buck.

A going away coffee honored Mrs. Gene Garner Monday night at Sun Recreation Hall. The event was sponsored by ladies whose husbands are employed at Sun's Jameson gasoline plant. Mrs. Garher was presented with a chafing dish and pottery. The family is moving to Carthage where Gene was transferred by Sun Gas Department. He had been a clerk in the Silver office five years.

Mrs. Tom Sawyer was honored with a Bridal Shower at Sun Recreation Hall Sautrday night. Sponsoring the event were Mrs. John T. Stewart, Mrs. A. W. Jones and Mrs. C. E. Palmer. Mrs Sawyer was presented with many nice gifts. She is the former Gay Hollis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hollis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Herron and little son of Carthage are guests of Mrs. Herron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Keener. Mr. Herron is being transferred from Carthage to Laverne, Okla., where he will be chief clerk at Sun Oil Company's new gasoline plant which is now under construction. While here Mr. Herron went to Oklahoma to find living quarters for his family.

Paul Ashby, Guy Wheeler, Donald Geer and Bob Edwards were in Snyder Monday night when they attended a meeting of basket ball officials.

A. T. Holt and family were called to Price the last of the week by the illness of the former's father, J. E. Holt. He suffered a heart attack and is a patient in a hospital at Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. David Haught and little daughters, June and Cathy, came from Vealmoor for a visit this week with Silver friends. He is a pumper for the Texas Company and was formerly stationed at Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Jahew Jameson visited over the weekend with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Bowman Gentry in Big Spring.

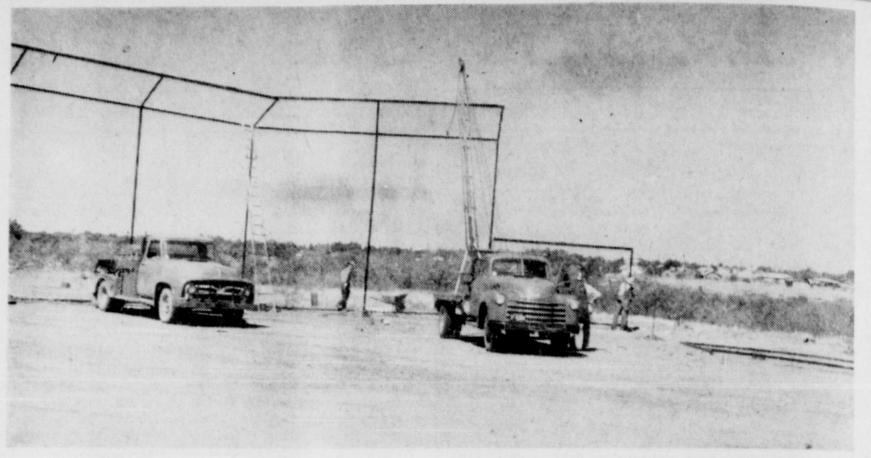
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Haigood and son, Daniel Allen, were guests here over the weekend of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Haigood. They were enroute to their home at Premont after a vacation trip to Illinois and other midwestern states.

The public is invited to attend a Singing Convention at the Silver Church of Christ next Sunday at 3 p. m.

Orville Lee White and family have returned from Waskum where they had been called by the illness of the former's father, who passed away at a Shreveport hospital from a heart attack.

R. L. Coffman, Sun Pipeline Co. employee, is taking a vacation this week. He and his wife are visiting his parents at Chester in East Texas.

Jim Herford and family have returned from a week's vacation visit with his parents at Batson in South Texas.



The above photo shows two trucks operated by the Ernest Clendennen Portable Welding Service at Silver. They were busy in this scene building a new backstop for the Little League base ball field in Colorado City. Note the truck with the long crane which

was used to a good advantage in raising the backstop. Mr. Clendennen is a well known oil field welder. (Photo courtesy Colorado City Record.)

daughter, Carolyn, spent the week- be published next week. end at Fort Worth where they witnessed the TCU-Texas football

Mrs. Hal Anderson is on a two weeks trip to Los Angeles where the following Monday morning. she is visiting her daughter, Le-W. Higginbotham is helping at the school cafeteria.

plates were served. An article con- Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vinson and cerning the church's finances will

#### THANKSGIVING VACATION

Silver public school will turn out next Wednesday at 2:30 p. m.

Silver Indians junior high footserved Nov. 11 at the school cafe- spending the night in Coke Coun-

Silver closes out the football receiving dental attention. season against the tough Colorado City eighth graders Thursday field clerk, is a flu patient. He night of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Goodwyn for a Thanksgiving holiday until motored to Woodsboro for a weekend visit with her parents.

C. A Kennedy is taking a vacatha. During her absence Mrs. O. ball team was defeated 20-0 at tion this week from his duties as Loraine last Thursday night. Mike a Sun pumper. He joined J. P. Hollis received a bad bump on Jameson and others who have a The Methodist Church supper the head and was released after deer hunting lease near Junction.

Mrs. John Mason was in charge teria was a grand success and 271 ty Memorial Hospital at Robert of the beauty shop Tuesday. The operator, Mrs. Chas. Arnold, was

Don Albright, Sun production was on a vacation trip last week and both he and his wife became ill over the weekend.

Mrs. Claudie Walker and little son, Mike, have come from Alice for an extended stay in the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Walker Sr. The husband and father is stationed in Germany with the U. S. forces.

The Thad Wells family of Grand Continued on Page 3

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\* TOP TV-The Dinah Shore Chevy Show-Sunday-NBC-TV and the Pat Boone Chevy Showroom-weekly on ABC-TV.



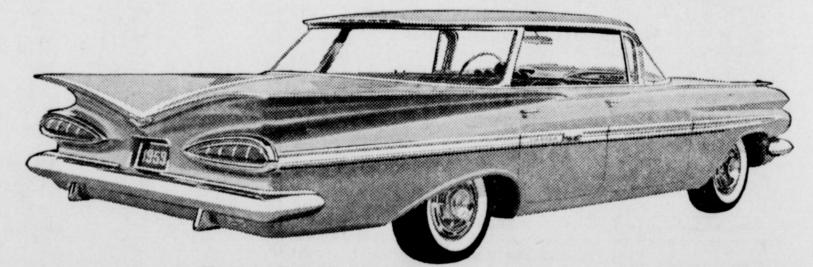
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I read your letter to the Obser- thing. ver very carefully and it seems a bit vague to me. I would like to ask a few questions. Who is trying to strangle the little towns, especto strangle the ber neck? Who is pulling County Agents couldn't be the town itself, could News Column it? Who is knocking on the hospital and wanting it closed? I have heard no one knocking on it or wanting it closed.

to blame?

have many friends in this little humans. town and I value them highly. And as a Texan, you will hear

country people are to be burdened measures. with this deficit by higher taxes. In only two years, at the present people who have oil wells on their trends continue. property and those who do are not It is our aim, through this and prices are high for us too.

out and supplement my income set up a program of action. nough to meet my bare necessi- the national situation, just isn't selling.

There are many things we would programs. all like to have that we cannot af- According to Secretary of Agthere are a few people so desti- for our cattle within two years. tute that they cannot pay, but I With livestock representing forty-

us look this thing squarely in the the need is critical. come apparent who is strangling subject next week further explain-

honest and fair, so I appeal to your ed. integrity. Let's be fair about this

> Sincerely your friend. Julia E. Bird Sanco, Texas

BY STERLING LINDSEY County Agricultural Agent

During recent months, a livepersonally, I am a friend of the stock and human disease, that has doctor and of all the nurses. If been with us for years, has receivthe board finds it impossible to ed more than its share of pubget funds to keep it going, who is licity. You probably have heard and seen it discussed on televi-Sixty years ago, as a bride, I sion. You possibly have discussed came to Coke County, and since it with a frined or neighbor. The that time, my husband and I have disease is brucellosis, or if you spent thouands of dollars in Robert prefer, bangs disease or contagious Lee. I have been a friend to the abortion - a disease of cattle, town, having lived there and work- sheep, horses, swine and goats ed there for a time, myself. I that can cause undulant fever in

Furthermore I pay my hospital more about brucellosis in the fuhills and seldom go elsewhere for ture, not because of the severity anything that can be bought in of the disease, but because Texas Robert Lee. What is true of me is is fast endangering their position also true of many of the country as a producer and supplier of feeder and stocker cattle by not em-Could it be possible that the ploying some brucellosis control

on the farms and ranches? Peo- rate of action, only three per cent ple who have gone through a of the counties in the United States recent drouth of at least seven will have unrestricted markets for years and who have stayed here Texas cattle. Texas' entire econby a great struggle against odds? omy will be affected, not just the It is a very small percent of the farmers and ranchers, if present

getting rich fast. It is not like other means, to help publicize the it used to be in the oil business. situation. And with assistance of And let us all remember that local cattlemen, veterinarians, the Farm Bureau and our County I am a widow and I cannot get Building Committee, attempt to

with wages as so many younger Texas does not have a high rate ranchers have to do. I have a of infection, not as high as some small ranch and am trying to get other states, but the lack of action a living out of it. I have no social to control the costly disease is plasecurity nor old age pension. I cing the State in a very unfavordon't cost the government any- able position. We will attempt to thing. My income is barely e- inform you of that position and

ties. If it had not been for a few | On a national scale, brucellosis oil leases, I do not know how I control is moving rapidly. During would have made the grade. These 1958 four more states were added come only every ten years or so. to the list of those already modi-My pasturage lease and a few hun-fied Brucellosis free. Fifteen dred dollars oil rentals have en- states currently recognized are: abled me to get by so far and I New Jersey, Michigan, New Mexido not think an added burden of co, Utah, Pennsylvania, Rhode taxes should be expected of me. Island. Connecticut, Delaware. What I say of myself would ap- Maine, Minnesota, New Hampply to many others. There are shire North Carolina, Vermont, three or four other widows in this Washington and Wisconsin. In advicinity who have little ranches dition 537 counties in other states and get little or no income from have received certification. At last them. Land is not selling at these count, fifty-three persent of the fictitious prices you hear about. It Counties in the United States are either certified, or on area control

ford. If we are to stay solvent, iculture Benson, ninety per cent of We must live within our income. all U. S. Counties will be certi-No one would regret the closing fied by 1960. Texas' 254 counties of the hospital more than I would. represent approximately seven You are so right when you say percent of the U. S. total. Unless that if we go to another hospital we act with speed, only three perwe have to pay the money, so why cent of the counties in the United not pay it here at home? Of course States will be unrestricted markets

daresay there is not a big percent- eight percent of the agricultural age of the delinquent bills in this income of Texas, such a situation must not be allowed to develop. If the country people are to be No one is in better position to 'strangled" and become unable to help the livestock industry meet Pay their bills, who then will come the critical challenge of brucelloforth to fill this emergency? Let sis than you. Time is short and

face and then maybe it will be- We plan another article on the

Priced Right

Now Virginia, I know you are some action that has been propos-

### PHONE MAN MOVES HERE

recently moved from Bronte to home of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Ma-Robert Lee and are occupying thers. General Telephone Company's residence. Mr. Lindsey is mainten- Kregg and Keri, of Dallas are ance man for the Blackwell, spending the week in the paren-Bronte, Robert Lee and Sterling tal home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank City exchanges. He and his wife Mullican. have taken over operation of the local switchboard, succeeding Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Goode, who preach at the Silver Baptist have returned to San Angelo. The Church next Sunday morining and telephone company is now chang- evening. Bob Vann of San Angelo ing the Robert Lee rural lines over preached here last Sunday but was to dial, and when this work is not an applicant for the pastorcompleted the switchboard will be ate. Rev. Ray Sparks resigned

ing the situation and mentioning The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

SILVER NEWS -

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E. G. Lindsey and his family Prairie were weekend guests in the

Mrs. Bill Hood and children,

#### BAPTIST PREACHING

Allen Cartrite of Clairemont will the pulpit the last of October and

has retired to San Angelo.

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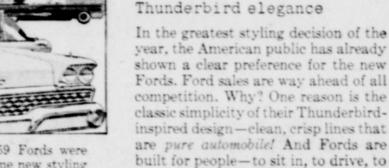
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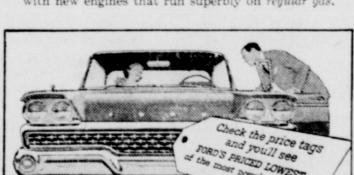
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## Get 4-H Awards

A. J. Bishop, Coke County's clothing, foods, gardening, recrea-State Representative, was speaker tion and has served on a number as Coke County 4-H club activi- of planning committees. ties for the year came to a climax at a supper last Saturday Dress Revue and was one of the night at the band hall in Robert top three in the District Revue, Lee. Directing his remarks to entitling her to model in the State the club members, Bishop stated Revue. Other awards she has won that human development is accom- include: Dress Revue, Food Preplished throuh service to fellow paration, County Achievement Amen and using today's achieve- wards; year pins for five years; ments as stepping stones for future first place, county Dairy Foods,

member and friends were present. second place dairy demonstration Fifty-two girls, boys and adult 1958; first place, share the fun, leaders received awards.

Topping the list of 93 awards were the Gold Star awards pre- ward this year she received her sented to Marjorie Gladys Rives sixth year pin and the County and Dee Arrott. Miss Rives is Leadership award. the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. his credit. He has garnered 103 Arrott of Tennyson.

The past year she won County 1955-56; first place, county team Steers Draw 2 About 175 persons, parents, 4-H vegetable demonstration, 1957;

In addition to the Gold Star a-

Dee, Bronte high school fresh-Rives, Jr. of Robert Lee and Dee man, has seven years 4-H work to ribbons, medals, banners, tie Marjorie Gladys, Robert Lee clasps and trophies from his exhibhigh school sophomore, has been iting and judging. His more nota 4-H member for six years. She able winnings include: grand had a well rounded program with champion junior Hereford, West

**Closed All Day** 

Thursday, Nov. 27

THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

E. C. DAVIS

# **Building Material Specials** Pre-Inventory

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Other awards presented are to be published next week.

### **Positions On** District Team

Eldorado Eagles meet the Wink Wildcats in a bi-district playoff school this week. at Rankin Friday night at 8 o'clock. Eldorado represents District 6-B, having tied with Loraine Bulldogs for the loop championship. Wink won on a toss to represent District 5-B after ending in ties with Van Horn and Rankin.

Trent Gorillas defeated Hermleigh Cardinals 22-6 last week while Bronte Longhorns were trouncing Robert Lee Steers 31-8. Final standing of the 6-B confer-

Team	W	L	Т	Pct.
Eldorado	4	1	0	.800
Loraine	4	1	0	.800
Robert Lee	2	2	1	.500
Trent	2	2	1	.500
Hermleigh	1	4	0	.200
Bronte	1	4	0	.200
Debent Tes				

Robert Lee placed three men on the all-district team. They included Freddy McDonald, offensive halfback, and Melvin Dunean and Sam Ed Skipworth, defensive tackles. Bob Wrinkle of Bronte was chosen on the first team as an offensive guard.

Five seniors completing their high school football carrer for the Steers are McDonald, Duncan, Skipworth, Jerry Tinkler and Bobby Cowley.

Bronte loses only four by graduation, including Albert Grace and Dean Black on the starting eleven. Others are Stover Taylor and Steve Colvin.

A record crowd was on hand Friday night to witness the Rob-! ert Lee-Bronte game. It was a bitter disappointment for the homecoming folks and loyal Steer fans. However, on the other side of the field Longhorn boosters gave noisy

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champion, 1954; grand champion approval to their team's slaughter

group of lambs, county, 1955; re- Activities between halves feaserve champion group of turkeys, tured the Bronte marching band in State Fair, 1954; and champion an excellent performance, followgroup of toms, State Fair, 1954. ed by Jo Ann Millican being Dee is a former winner of the crowned Robert Lee football

> Basket ball will now take over at Robert Lee high school.

J. E. Quisenberry, secretary of Coke County ASC office, went to Big Spring Wednesday where he entered the Veterans Hospital for examination and possible treat-

Sam Ed Skipworth received a bad cut on his upper lip and cheek in the football game Friday night. Several stitches were required to close the wound. He is back in

SCOTT-Mr. and Mrs. Noel Dean Scott (Jo Alice McDonald) are parents of a son born at 7:45 a.m. Nov. 15 in Coke County Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds, 8 ounces and has been named Stephen Doughty. He has a brother, Noel Dean Jr., 20 months old. The family resides at Lubbock where the father is employed by Jim Peel Construction Co. Grandparents are Mrs. Fred McDonald Jr. of Robert Lee and Mrs. Ara Scott of Bronte.

### BAND CLUB TO MEET

Robert Lee Band Club is scheduled to hold its next meeting next Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Band Hall. All persons in the community who are interested in boosting the high school band are invited to attend.

### FIRST KILLING FREEZE

This area exprienced the first killing freeze of the season when temperatures dropped to 26 degrees early Wednesday. Earlier frosts had done only slight damage to vegetation. Nov. 19 is later than normal, as the end of the growing season averages about

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A barbecue dinner was served and Mrs. F. C. Hearrell (Jessie 5 p.m. at the school cafeteria, Buchanan '13) Long Beach, Calif.: with Henry Childress in charge. Mrs. Vernon Lammers, Bronte; plates were served to 147 persons. Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Lammers A program followed at the (Betty Jo Mauldin '49) San Angechool auditorium when Geo. L. lo; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mauldin Taylor of San Angelo, former '51 (Melba Rives '52) Corpus teacher and superintendent, serv- Christi; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mauled as master of ceremonies. Talks din '41, Belton; Mr. and Mrs. Wiland introductions extended the bern Millican '44 Silver. program later than was expected. Adjournment for the football game Spearman; Mrs. Dora Hester between Bronte and Robrt Lee Montgomery '29 Haskell; Mr. and was necessary soon after 7 p.m. Attending from the greatest distance were Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hearrell of Long Beach, Calif. She is the former Jessie Buchanan and was a member of the class of '13. Others from that class were Mrs. Jess Craddock of Colorado City and Mrs. Opal Brown of San An- Simpson '44 San Angelo; Mr. and

Oldest ex-student was A. W. Mobley and his wife of Spearman. Thirteen members of the '38 class' of twenty enjoyed a reunion and coffee after the football game.

E. C. Davis, president of the exstudents association, and other officers who made arrangements for the homecoming were Willis Wayne Smith, vice president, Mrs. Wanda Smith, secretary, and Yvonne Devoll, treasurer. Lack of time prevented election of new officers, but they will be chosen

A list of out of town persons registering includes the following: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth (Gertrude Landers '41) Silver; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brock (Nelda Sheppard '49) Shallowater; Mrs. Paul J. Brown (Opal Bell '13) San Angelo: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Burns (Inez Harmon), Cecil R. Cates (Susie Skipworth) Midland; Mrs. Jake Clark Luda Roberts '41) Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Copeland (Boneta Childress '49) Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Craddock Lela Morrow '13) Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. Bob L. Davis '38, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bradshaw and Mrs. W. E. Morgan and son, A. J. Morgan, all of Rayville, La., visited the latter part of the week with the C. R. Bradshaw family. Mrs. H. L. Bradshaw will remain her a couple of weeks in her son's home. Mrs. Morgan is Mrs. C. R. Bradshaw's mother.

12-Ronnie Baker admit-Bonnie Quisenberry, Jack Cowley dismissed.

Nov. 13-Mrs. Noel Dean Scott, Mrs. Curtis Walker, Michael Gene Hollis admitted.

Nov. 14-Mrs. B. B. Pearce admitted. Michael Gene Hollis, Ronnie Baker dismissed.

Nov. 15-Ray Stewart admitted. Son born to Mr. and Mrs. Noel Dean Scott.

Nov. 16-Oscar Collett admitted. Nov. 17-Sam Ed Skipworth admitted. Mrs. Henry Briscoe dismissed. Mary Beth Bradshaw transferred to Shannon hospital.

Nov. 18-Sam Ed Skipworth dis-

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Silver News

The Intermediate MYF of the Silver Methodist Church had a pic-Mary E. Morgan, Sue Ree Ken- ta Anna. She passed away short-Mills, Karen Fugate, Jann Mills, Conley. Visitors were Scott Jones, Robert Fugate, A. J. Roe, III, Mmes. Charles Kennedy, Walter Paul, George Fugate, John Conley A. J. Roe Jr. Mrs. Billy M. Jones is the sponsor for this group.

PERKINS-PROTHRO CAMP

Deer season started with a literal "bang" at Perkins-Prothro Camp with W. R. Whitaker, Douglas Gartman and Wilbern Millican getting their deer. There are several "hopefuls" still getting up early and staying out late.

Mrs. J. C. Monks and daughters, Valariee and Carrie Flo, of Sweetwater were visitors this past week in the Billy M. Jones home. They recently flew from Germany, where their husband and father is in the Army, to be with Mrs. Monks' mother who is seriously Roberts '38 San Angelo; Capt. and ill. Mrs. Monks is Billy's niece.

Rhonda Gartman was ill and missed Tuesday from school, but returned Wednesday.

TECH STUDENTS HERE

Robert Lee students at Texas Tech came for the school homecoming and football game Friday. They included Leslie Nell Wink, Mary Beth Schooler, Bub Burson, Doris Sparks and Dennis Blair. Another former Robert Lee grad, Carolyn Elliott, is also attending Tech and spent the weekend with her parents at Ft. Stockton. Doris Sparks was recently cited as one of 66 freshman students at Tech who graduated from high school as class valedictorians.

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DEATH OF MRS. OAKES Sympathy is extended Mrs. Ot. husband, four daughters and four nic and outing Sunday at Seven to Wojtek in the death of her mo- sons. A number of Robert Lee Wells. Members attending were ther, Mrs. J. T. Oakes, 71, of San- people attended the funeral.

nedy, Linda Higginbotham, Lynn ly after noon Sunday from an ap- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and munity and reside on a farm a ter.

mile from town. Surviving are her

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parent heart attack. Funeral ser- Mrs. J. O. Rudd recently made Billy Paul, Keith Jones, Daphne vices were conducted at 4 p.m. a weekend trip to Dallas. The Roe, Aletris Ackerman, and Gayle Monday at the Santa Anna Metho- Smiths visited their daughter, Mrs. dist Church. The family are old Carl Grubenman, and family while residents of the Santa Anna com- Mrs. Rudd was the guest of a sis-

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### THE ELEMENTARY MAKES

(MARIAN MASON and SUE PARKER)

A picture-word dictionary has been created by the children in the first grade. They associate the word with a picture which helps them remember the words better. They have already accumulated about fifty interesting words.

Drawing turkys has seemed to capture the interest of the first grade children. After the turkeys are drawn, they are cut out and some are put on the bulletin board while others are taken home to show the children's families.

Twenty-two train cars are now on the bulletin board. When a paper in good printing, it is put onto a train car and then the car is put on the wall in line with the others.

Jams Owens, a student in the enrolled in the Robert Lee school from Colorado City.

Several students in the third grade have been absent from school due to sickness. They are: Eric Samuelson, Jeffrey McCabe, Kay Roberts and Verna Vaughn.

The prize money won by Marilyn Wallace for second place winner of the Fire Prevention poster contest was used to buy an engineer's game and a most interesting and is Darline Owens." fascinating game called Scrabble. Great fun will be shared by the these games.

The fourth grade also has a new student. He is Steve Owens from Colorado City, the brother of

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James Owens in the second grade. Captains this week for the point

system in the fourth grade were Buddy Vosburg and Susan Gloria.

Several maps have been placed on the wall in the fifth grade room. The students seem very interested in the maps and are enjoying studying them.

How many people can tell the states of the United States and name their capitals. Well, if you don't know what they are, just ask a student in the fifth grade. They are learning this in geography and will be happy to name them for you.

In English the students are making reports on different subjects child is able to print his name on and in science they are bringing cactus to observe.

Gaylon Pitcock has brought a pretty little pet to the room. This type of pet is very much disliked by farmers and this particular playing volleyball, then being ser- gazine. second grade, has recently been one is about four inches long and ved refreshments. Everyone had a green in color. It is known to most people as a tomato worm.

The grade school patrol is now on duty in full force. Mr. Hervey Latham, grade school principal, has reported that most of the people have been observing the boys who have been directing traffic.

The reporter in the sixth grade has this news. "The sixth graders gained a new girl. Her name

There will be a band concert by the Steerettes who started children in the third grade with playing last year. It will be Novembr 21 at the PTA program in the auditorium.

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fun the night of November 4. They initiated their new members. The night started off with a bang by every new member wearing sack dresses made out of tow sacks.

One of the funniest sights was John Kinsey and Mary McNair. They had to suck a cold drink from a bottle through a lamb's nipple. John Kinsey won this race, but Mary tried even though she did spill Coke all over her.

The suitcase game was very exciting. The students were divided into four groups. Two groups got at one end of the gym and two groups at the other end. The stugroup. The girls' group had boys' clothes: the boys' group, girl's clothes. They were to put the clothes on, rush to the middle of the gym, pull the clothes off and give them to the next one in line. This was probably the most fun of all because no one knew what they were doing.

The night ended with everyone grand time.

### Longhorns **Trip Steers**

(FREDDY McDONALD)

The Bronte Longhorns scored in every quarter to defeat the Steers must be made up by study outside

of their touchdowns cam on pass-

an end run by speedster Ronnie for the extra points.

The Steers have a 4-5-1 record dard Times. for the season. They finished third in the district.

Carr	ries	Yds.	Avg.
McDonald, Freddy	143	1122	7.9
Sims, Ronnie	86	260	3.1
Walker, John	67	249	3.5
Tinkler, Jerry	43	154	3.3
Ledbetter, Gary	10	45	4.5
Kinsey, John	13	43	3.3
Sims, Richard	1	2	2.0
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#### TEACHERS WORKSHOP (BETTY HOOD)

Miss Melba Brown, Miss Eunice McLure and Mr. and Mrs. Latham attended a one-day workshop on curriculum study in Austin last Saturday, November 8, 1958.

The opening session, at Hogg Memorial Auditorium on the campus of the University of Texas was addressed by Dr. J. W. Edgar, Commissioner of Education for the State of Texas. His topic concerned the Hale-Aiken Report, compiled by lay groups in each of Texas' 254 counties.

There were fifteen curriculum workshops held throughout the day, and each teacher from Robert Lee attended a different session. Valuable information was received on making the various subjects more meaningful to students.

The four teachers left Friday, November 7, and returned Sunday morning, November 9, 1958.

> GOOD, Today, BETTER Tomorrow-ROBERT LEE.

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### Steer Co-Captain Chosen for Interview

(JERRY TINKLER & SANDRA BAKER)

Melvin Dunean, co-captain of the Robert Lee High School football team, is the senior boy chos- offense. On defense he also de en for the student interviw this a very outstanding job as a week. He stands 5'10" tall, weighs backer. Melvin has played ba 185 pounds, and has brown hair ball for the past four years. and gray eyes. Melvin says his plays one of the hardest positi favorite dish is oatmeal. His fa- on the team, catcher. Melvin p vorite color is a certain color of ticipated in the FFA for the pink, and he enjoys study hall yars. His sophomore year, he h more than any other class. Mel- the office of secretary in the FF. vin's favorite sport is football.

football every year for the past years. After graduation he pl four years. He was chosen co- to attend either SAC or Nor dents had suitcases for each captain by the Steer squad this Texas State College.

year and has done a fine job helping to lead the team. vin does a tremendous job blocking at his tackle position

Melvin has been attending Melvin has earned his letter in bert Lee School for the past

### **Student Editorial**

FULL EDUCATION

"If your child is not asked to complete part of his work at home, then he is receiving only a halftime education," declares Dr. Arthur Bestor in an article in the November pages of a national ma-

Dr. Bestor is a past president of the Council for Basic Education and is the author of "Educational Wastelands" which has created a stir in educational circles.

Dr. Bestor feels that learning is a full-time job and that classroom hours add up to less than a normal work week.

The additional time, he says, the classroom. Such study not only Bronte took to the air gaining helps the student digest what he their win from the Steers. Three has learned but will help both him and his teacher to spot the particular points or areas where Robert Lee's only score came on he lacks full understanding.

The amount of homework assign-Sims, Kenneth Wink caught a pass ed, therefore, is one measure of a good school. - San Angelo Stan-

### "IDIOT'S DELIGHT"

(JERRY DEAN)

A man from the city of Stagu Had heard of an on-coming plagu He rushed to his yard To be on his guard

But fell down and fractured lague.

A man with his mind in the gutt Was heard to sadistically mutt 'I doe wan' no cheese, 'Or taters an' peas.

But I would lak some good bread 'n butta!"

A fat man named Taller McGrogs Had entered the contest of logs, The purpose, you see.

Was to cut down a tree. And drag it o'er hills and through bogs.

The judge of the contest, McSwine Said, "Grogs, you're too fat to de

fine. 'You have been laggin'

'Behind in the draggin' 'Because of your draggin' be hind."



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sketball game of the season for Coach G. E. Davis played his shmen most of the game, Kay rink took scoring honors for the ome team with 14 points and Bet-Tinkler was close behind with markers. Tinkler and Wink did of Robert Lee's scoring. Susan hes dropped the ball in the sket the most times for Silver the past s lucing 16 points.

Robert Lee got a good show out their eighth graders, Carol Heser, Lexie Lewis, Carolyn Parer and Prescilla Wylie.

The girls gave a very laudable eriormance even in defeat. Coach Davis said he was expecting vast mprovement in his young squad.

### Basketball Captain Outstanding Senior

(SANDRA BLAIR & JERRY TINKLER)

versatile senior, was chosen for his week's column. Eunice is 5' gayish-green eyes. Her favorite and is an outstanding band memor is pink, which looks very ber. well on her, and her favorite food sfried chicken. Basketball is this enior's favorite sport, and she represents the Robert Lee High School girls' basketball team as its captain. Home Economics is her favorite subject, and sewing happens to be her favorite pasime. Eunice's pet peeve is "peoole who give idle compliments or boys that flatter girls and do not mean it."

This senior participates in school ectivities, and she is also a good tudent scholastically. Eunice beonged to the FHA her first three ears in high school, and she was also a member of the 4-H Club in 51, 52 and 55. This year Eunice s on the Observette staff and the annual staff. The offices that she held while she was in FHA were rice-president, merit committee hairman, and degree chairman.

After graduation, this senior plans to attend college at Texas Tech or Arlington State. Her ambition is "to do well whatever I do and to make as many friends and as few enemies as possible."

### SCHOOL CALENDAR

(EUNICE BLAIR)

Nov. 20 - PTA meeting, 7:30

Nov. 20 — Robert Lee basketball girls, the Hi-liters, play Eola in the Winters' basketball tournament, 2:45 p. m.

Nov. 20, 21 & 22, Girls Basketball tournament, Winters

Nov. 22 - Senior Bake Sale, All Nov. 25 & 26, Six weeks test,

Nov. 25-27, Junior Bake Sale, Deevery any day

Nov. 27 & 28, Thanksgiving holi-

### Dec. 6 — Band Marching Contest

GRUBBY GRASSHOPPER

Once upon a time there was a grasshopper, his name was Grubby. He always got killed. One way he got killed was this: he walked through a graveyard at the darkness of midday. He went behind a grave and went under the ground and a ghost scared him. When he got out of the ground and started to jump, he found out that he was being followed by a monstrous BOO-BOO, his name was Boo! Boo ran over Grubby Grasshopper with a mouse (pulling a chariot) and he died and lived again ever after until he got killed again. - Darvin Gregston, 4th grade.

### Silver's Juniors Trip Robert Lee

THANKS TO COACHES (FRANCES WYLIE)

Two great men at RLHS have given much extra time and patience for the past three months to a bunch of grand boys. These two men are the coaches for the football team, C. D. Manire and Garland Davis.

Vacations were cut chort for Manire and Davis because of summer football practice. Then came afternoon practices which sometimes lasted longer than usual.

Though the boys they coached didn't receive the district title, we think they're champions and the men who coached them are champions as well.

#### BAND BEAU CHOSEN (BRENDA COWLEY)

Jerry Dean, senior, was elected

Weathers, junior, and Mack Tubb, HS. sophomore. He was presented at the Bronte-

Robert Lee football game. Jerry is first trombone in the won 1st on a solo at Snyder. Jerry Hood. Both are juniors. Funice Blair, outstanding and was 5th chair in the all-region of the band for the past two years. tall, has light brown hair and Jerry has won numerous awards

### SENIORS BAKE SALE

On November 22 the seniors of Robert Lee High School are planning to hav a pie and cake sale in front of Dickey and Dickey. The pies will be sold at one dollar up and the cakes two dollars and up. The seniors will appreciate your business very much.

### Mr. and Miss Personality Are Elected

(KENNEY SAWYER)

The results of the Mr. and Miss Personality election were revealed recently.

Those competing in the election were: Jerry Tinkler and David Waldrop for Mr. Personality. Betty Hood, Frances Wylie, and Barbara Gray were candidates for Miss Personality.

Winning the election was Jerry Tinkler, Mr. Personality, and Betband beau Wednesday, November ty Hood, Miss Personality. Both 11. Other candidates were Don of the students are seniors at RI-

Election for Most Handsome Boy and Most Beautiful girl was held last Friday at noon in the bookkeeping room. Winning the elechigh school band. Last year he tion were John Walker and Jo Ann

The girls competing for Most band. He has been vice-president Beautiful were: Jo Ann Hood, Kay Wink, Ann Smith and Glenda Blair. John Walker, Royce Hood and James Harmon were entries for Most Handsome boy.

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**Hi-Liters To Open Winters Tournament** 

(EUNICE BLAIR)

The Robert Lee girls' basketball team, the Hi-Liters, will open the Winters' tournament in a game against Eola in the Winters' gym at 2:45, Thursday afternoon, November 20.

game, they will play the winner of do not forget about the girls. They the Anson, Bronte game. If they like to have boosters, too.

should win both of the first two games, they will compete in the finals, Saturday night, November

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Everyone is invited to come out and support the Hi-Liters throughout the basketball season. You If the team should win this have stuck behind the boys; now,



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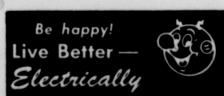
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### SMALL TALK By A. J. K.

Robert Lee's feeble showing against Bronte Friday night was taken as a bitter pill by loyal Steer fans. Most of us don't know why the team played such wonderful ball on some occasions, only to bog down later. They rose to great heights to defeat Eldorado, Menard and Hermleigh, but didn't look like the same outfit in their final three contests against Trent, Loraine and Bronte.

One thing sure is that they took Bronte too lightly as the Longhorns hadn't won a conference game. But they made up for it against Robert Lee, and closed out their poor season in a blaze of glory, while the Steers sputtered to an inglorious defeat.

We've said before, and it may be worth repeating. An indication of good coaching is a team that may not look too hot at the start Silver, underwent surgery for an of the season but improves from eye injury Monday at a Big Spring game to game and reaches its clinic. The boy was shot in the peak in the final game.

MAN WHO IS WILLING TO MAKE THE BEST OF IT, SEL-DOM GETS THE WORST OF IT.

Most people pay too much for the things they get for nothing.

We hadn't heard of it, but somebody around here is all hot and bothered because he thinks a new bond issue is coming up. It's surely news to use. This newspaper stated before the election that the state's finances were in bad shape and the legislature would have to find some way of getting in more tax money. Thatis not a local proposition, and we are certain there is no plan on foot to raise county or city taxes. The school situation has not been made public, but a financial statement Wildcat On is to be published in the near fu- Foster Price ture we understand.

### UNDERGOES SURGERY

an operation at Shannon hospital is located 660 feet from the east Wednesday forenoon for the pur- and south lines of Section 323 Hpose of grafting skin on an injur- &TC Survey. Lease on the propered leg. The child received a frac- ty runs out Jan. 27, 1959. tured limb and serious lacerations when she was run over by a pick- three-fourths mile west of the Cynup truck several weeks ago. She thia Malone wildcat drilled two is the 6-year-old daughter of Mr. years ago on top of Meadow Mounand Mrs. C. R. Bradshaw and tain. Sun, Humble and Magnolia a first grade pupil at Robert Lee were interested in the test which public school.



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#### MOBLEYS VISIT HERE

Among the homecoming visitors in Robert Lee the past week were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mobley of Spearman. Mr. Mobley was raised on a farm southwest of town and learned the barber trade from the late Jess Buchanan. He set up a shop at Hermleigh and worked at the business 50 years before moving to Spearman three years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Mobley are now retired and came to Robrt Lee from a visit in Fort Worth with a son. They visited his sister, Mrs. Lucy McDorman, in San Angelo and also in the Henson Fikes home. Mrs. Mobley had the misfortune to fracture an arm in a fall the last of the week and was hospitalized two days. The Mobleys left Wednesday for their home in Spearman.

### UNDERGOES EYE SURGERY

Charles, 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth of eye with a BB gun while playing at his home a few weeks ago. A cataract resulting from hemorrhage was removed. The degree of vision impairment remains unknown

Mrs. Henry Briscoe returned to her home this week after 10 days of treatment in Coke County Memorial Hospital. Her many friends will be happy to learn that she is improved.



Notes From The

Oil Field

# Sun Stakes

Sun Oil Co. has staked a wildcat, No. B-1 Foster Sims Price, 16 Mary Beth Bradshaw underwent miles northwest of Robert Lee. It

The location is a mile north and reported a good showing in the Strawn but was not completed as a producer.

A contract for the Price wildcat is expeted to be let immediately.

### IMPORTANT TEST

Humble set 7-inch casing at its No. 4-B Harris Estate at 5,558 feet, after plugging back from a total depth of 6,400 feet.

The wildcat located in T. G. Goss Survey 1 is about 13 miles northwest of Robert Lee and is a long stepout from production in the new I. A. B. (Menielle Penn) field.

Casing will be perfoated oppo-50 site a lime section. This is an important test and if a producer is made a wide extension of the field is will be assured.

Also Cartoon

### ALAMO THEATRE

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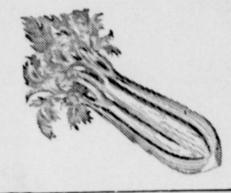
THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY, NOV. 20, 21, 22 Steve Cochran, Diane Brewster, Gale Robbins in

"QUANTRILL'S RAIDERS" (In Color & CinemaScope)

SUNDAY & MONDAY, NOV. 23 & 24, Matinee Sun. 1:30 & 3:30 Burt Lancaster, Frank Sinatra, Deborah Kerr in "FROM HERE TO ETERNITY

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# Thanksgiving Specials



LARGE STALK

FIRM HEADS

Lettuce

1b.

12c

Cranberries

lb.



Crisco

Sugar

CATSUP, Stockton

Large Bottle 15c

JACK SPRAT

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23c

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MARSHMALLOW CREAM, Hip-o-Lite

NO. 303 CAN

**Cranberry Sauce** 

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CRACKERS, Wortz Brand

PINEAPPLE - LIME DRINK

1 Lb. Box 19c Qt. 29c

PUMPKIN No. 2½ Can 23c

SEVEN BONE

Roast

55c

SWEET RASHER SLICED

Bacon

1b.

49c

Plenty of Turkeys, 6-8 to 14 lbs. Also Hams and Fat Hens

BAKER'S Groc. & Mkt.