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J. C. Wallace, Jr. Named Cubmaster

At a reorganization and award presentation program held at the Methodist Church here Monday night, J. C. Wallace Jr. was named Cubmaster by the District Scout Executive, Mr. B. F. Woolsey.

The local Cub Scout program has been dormant here for some time until Mrs. Ava Lou Hanna became a den mother a few months ago and started proceedings for reactivating the Cub Scouts of America here.

During the award ceremony Jacky Lee Wallace was presented

the Bobcat pin and the Wolf badge.

Charles Eubanks earned the Bobcat pin, the Wolf badge, a gold arrow and 2 silver arrows.

Joe David Key was presented the Bobcat pin, Wolf badge, 1 gold arrow and 2 silver arrows.

Mike Bagwell was awarded the Bobcat pin.

Jacky Preslar earned the Bear badge, 1 gold arrow and 2 silver arrows.

Earning the Bear badge were Mack Adkins, Gary Thomason, Jerome Hanna.

The meeting was opened by a prayer by J. C. Wallace Jr., followed by the Pledge of Allegiance by Jerome Hanna.

Gary Jack Thomason orally gave the Cub Scout Promise.

Crafts and collections of the Cub Scouts were on display during the meeting.

Refreshments were served to the Cubs, den mothers and guests during a social hour that followed the program.

Parents who are interested in the boys between the ages of 8 and 10 in becoming Cub Scouts are urged to call or see Mr. Wallace.

The local Cub Scout program is sponsored by the Robert Lee Board of Community Development.

a second glance

By JOHN H. KING II

According to a news release from the American Medical Association the assorted hisses, gurgles, buzzes, snorts and raspings and other noises related to snoring are not as funny to persons who live with a chronic snorer as the writers of movies and some "slap happy" tv programs present it. . . The medical bulletin said that snoring is the primary reason for many divorces. . . You might ought to see your doctor before you see your lawyer if snoring is one of your problems.

Mr. W. D. Augustine, who ranches on the Divide and lives in Sterling City, was in The Observer this week to visit and to start his subscription to The Observer. Mr. Augustine said that ranch work was demanding a lot of his time the same as it is with other ranchmen this time of year.

I found out this week how much trouble a simple typographical transposition can cause. We have been sending The Observer to Mr. H. D. Gartman, Tr. 3, Box 513, Arlington, Texas, and he said Saturday that his paper is as long as two months reaching him. It seems that Tr. means terrace in the Arlington area and Mr. Gartman lives on a route. . . We've got it straight now, Mr. Gartman.

Snipe Conley, father of John Conley of Silver, wrote from his home at 6609 West Read Avenue, Glendale, Arizona this week that he will be 70 years old April 25 and is "still going strong" He also wrote, "We enjoy getting your paper and miss all you people. Give all our friends our love, Snipe and Mary Conley."

Recent polls have revealed that the unpublicized race for congressman-at-large seems to be leveling out into a duel between moderate Judge Woodrow Bean of El Paso and Russell T. Van Keuren, Houston conservative.

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Reverend Dempsey Salter, minister of the Robert Lee Methodist Church, announced this week that a Maundy Thursday Communion service will be held at the Methodist Church at 7 p.m.

A Good Friday service will be held at 12:30 noon.

Good Crowd Out For Political Rally

A large crowd was present Monday night at the political rally sponsored by Coke County Farm Bureau. The rally was held in Robert Lee school auditorium.

Edward M. Cumbie, area Farm Bureau representative of Bronte, was master of ceremonies. He introduced each candidate who was allowed to speak to the audience.

County and precinct candidates were introduced and limited to a one minute talk. Included were Charlie Boecking and W. W. Thetford, candidates for county judge; J. L. Tinkler and Mrs. Polly Roe Holland, candidate for county clerk; Mrs. Gertrude Gray and Mrs. Inez Burns, candidate for county treasurer; C. E. McGuire, candidate for commissioner, precinct 2; E. J. (Gene) Halamicek, Robert I. Brown and Jack Corley, candidates for commissioner, precinct 4.

Following the county talks, Cumbie asked for candidates for state offices to come to the stage. They included David Read and Ed Carpenter, both of Big Spring, candidates for state representative and Wayne Connally, who represented his brother, John Connally, a candidate for governor. Each of them was allowed to speak five minutes and then Cumbie questioned them on pertinent issues connected with Texas government. They were allowed a two minute final speech after the question and answer session.

Others present were Edwin Mayer, Republican candidate for congressman and J. L. Taylor, who represented Giles Miller, Republican candidate for congressman-at-large.

Several other short speeches were made for other candidates who were not present. Following the program, coffee and donuts were served during a visiting session.

Elton Mims Speaks at Historical Society

Elton Mims of Water Valley presented a program to the members of the Tom Green County Historical Society Monday night on the "Civil War in Texas in 1862."

Attending the meeting from Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen, Mrs. W. W. Thetford and Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough.

P.F.C. Blankenship Leaves for Europe

U. S. Army P. F. C. James Blankenship is enroute to Fort Dix, New Jersey where he will await government air transportation for his destination in Europe.

Blankenship, well known former Robert Lee High School athlete, is a teletypist in the U. S. Army. He is a 1961 graduate of Robert Lee High School.

He will join the 12th Engineering Battalion in Europe. Blankenship said that he didn't know his exact destination.

P. F. C. Blankenship has been in the U. S. Army for 1 year serving 7 months at Dyess Air Force Base in Abilene. He will probably serve overseas for two years.

He has been visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Blankenship while on authorized leave for the past 30 days.

Angeloan Seriously Hurt In Truck Mishap

A refrigerated poultry truck turned over about 3 miles south of Robert Lee at approximately 4:30 p.m. Monday seriously injuring the driver, Carl Jesse Paul.

Paul was rushed in a Cliff ambulance to Coke County Memorial Hospital where he was treated for cuts, bruises and brain concussion. Dr. McDaniel said that the San Angelo man sustained severe head injuries and possibly a fractured skull.

Hospital and ambulance attendants had difficulty in controlling Paul after he regained semi-consciousness. After he was treated in Robert Lee he was transferred

at the request of Paul's father to the San Angelo Clinic-Hospital.

According to Sheriff Melvin Childress the exact cause of the accident is not known as yet. The truck is owned by the driver's father's firm, Angelo Poultry & Eggs at 2507 North Randolph in San Angelo.

Mrs. Melvin Childress and Mrs. W. D. McAdams were returning from San Angelo and discovered the accident and alerted authorities.

Wrecker service from San Angelo had to be used to get the truck set upright. The owner of the truck said the truck was a total loss.

Twisters To Play First Game Sun.

The Robert Lee Rabbit Twisters will host the San Angelo Rockets, a highly talented Negro team, at Ed Hickman field here at 3:00 p.m. Sunday.

The San Angelo team had an excellent record last year and most of the last year's lineup is expected to return here Sunday.

According to manager Ronnie Baker the probable lineup for Robert Lee will be: Richard Dumas, pitcher; Ed Poehls, left field; Joe Beasley, catcher; Ronnie Baker, first base; Bobby Roberts, second base; Dale Wojtek, third base; Larry Robinson, short stop; Bobby Baker, right field and Dick Denman, center field.

Lion President Tells Joint Group Its Responsibilities

Silver Lion President Clay Mullins told members and guests attending the joint Silver Lions Club and Robert Lee B. C. D. meeting held Tuesday night at Silver School Cafeteria "man's responsibility on this earth."

Mullins said that "man was the last thing God created on this earth, and he created him in His image; therefore we must fulfill our responsibility to our churches, jobs, schools, teachers, our nation, state, and our community development.

He also said in his after dinner talk that people who were working and taking their part of the responsibility were a happy, satisfied people and that outside influences such as communism could not get a foothold in such a community or nation. He said, "On the other hand, people who are willing to sit down and do nothing are dissatisfied and will accept almost anything that could eventually destroy them."

The four winners of the recent Lions Club "I Am An American" contest read their winning essays to those attending the ladies' night affair. After each girl read her essay Mullins presented them with a check from the Lions Club in appreciation of the time and effort put forth in writing the essays. Winners were Daphne Roe, Karen Fugate, Debbie Hines and Susan Newell.

Mrs. Jerry Eubanks, accompanied by Miss Susan Hughes at the piano, sang 3 songs entitled "I Could Have Danced All Night," "The Man I Love" and "Moon River."

Approximately 65 persons attended the dinner meeting.

ATTEND OPEN HOUSE

Mrs. Mable Parker held an open house at her home in Eldorado Sunday for the purpose of relatives and friends to greet her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Parker and children, Andrea and Howard Grady Jr., who reside in Casper, Wyoming.

Attending the open house from Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tubb, Mrs. Ava Lou Hanna and children, Jerome and Vincie.

Mrs. Parker is a sister of Mr. Tubb.

Mr. and Mrs. Chism Brown are visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Young in Ralls, Texas this week. Mr. Young is a brother of Mrs. Brown.

Beasley resides in San Angelo. He caught for two years in Class 4-A High School league while attending school in San Antonio.

Veteran Richard Dumas, right hander, will be starting his 6th year with the Rabbit Twisters.

Ronnie Baker, a veteran of 11 years with the local team, will play at first and also manage the team. Baker's batting average nears the .300 mark.

Bobby Roberts is rejoining the team after laying off last year. He has had several years experience with the local team.

Dale Wojtek played the hot corner last year for the first time in several years. He is expected to help his teammates a great deal this year. At the end of the season last year he was hitting .275.

Ed Poehls who has held the catching position for several years, at his own request, has been shifted to the outfield. Poehls is a long ball hitter and has played with the local team for 5 years.

Bobby Baker is coming out with the team this year for the first time in several years.

Denman is coming out for the Twisters for the first time. He has had two years experience in Class 4-A High School play. He played with the San Angelo Bobcats.

A capacity crowd is expected Sunday for the first game of the season.

Coalson Wins First in Regional Meet

Derwood Coalson, Robert Lee High School sophomore, won 1st place in the 180 yard low hurdles at the Region VIII-B track meet held in Odessa Saturday. Coalson also placed second in the 120 yard high hurdles.

The speedy youngster will represent Robert Lee at the State Interscholastic Meet in the high and low hurdles at Austin April 27 & 28.

Robert Lee placed second in the One-Act Play event. The cast included Bill Ledbetter, Tommy Allen, Barbara Gray and Derwood Coalson. Barbara Gray and Derwood Coalson won acting awards for their performance.

Juveniles Charged With Theft

Two Latin American youths were apprehended by Glasscock County officers in Garden City Friday at the request of Sheriff Melvin Childress to face charges of newspaper rack thefts in Bronte and burglarizing two cotton gins in Miles.

The boys, 15 and 16 years old, were placed on probation to their parents by Judge Rampy of Balingier after finding them guilty of the theft charges.

Mrs. Eddy Paul Good of Carthage, Texas is visiting with her mother, Dona Roberts, for a few days.

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The Observer received a letter this week from Mrs. E. C. Burpo's daughter, Mrs. Jack W. Gough of San Angelo, stating that Mrs. Burpo is a patient in Brooke General Hospital at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Mrs. Burpo is the daughter of Mrs. Hattie Day of Robert Lee.

Persons who are interested in visiting Mrs. Burpo should address mail to her at Ward 15-A, Brooke General Hospital, E. A. M. C., Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Mrs. Burpo is scheduled to remain in the hospital from 3 to 4 weeks.

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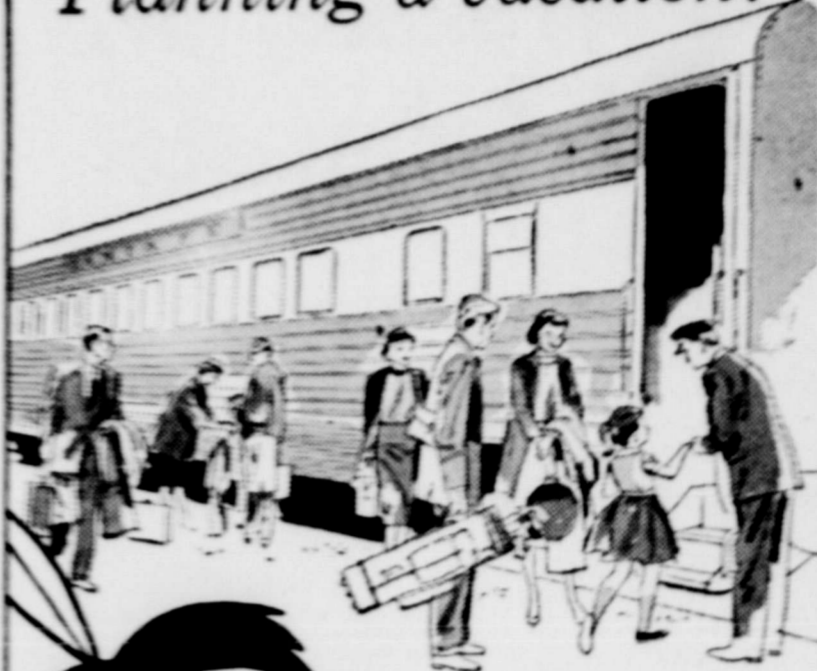
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Agriculture News

By STERLING LINDSEY

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Whether you pick up a mailing carton or not, please send in for identification any worm cases you may have. One case of screw worms north of their buffer zone left unattended could seriously hurt the program. Their knowing where screwworms are occurring is a must for the program to succeed.

Incidentally, Dr. Gartman lives in Mission rather than Mason as we erroneously reported.

The Sonora Experiment Station will not conduct their Field Day this year as in the past. Instead, for convenience of ranchers in West Texas, three field days, will be held away from the Station in which the Sonora Station Personnel will participate.

Meetings will be held in Coleman April 30; Kerrville May 2; and Ozona May 4.

I plan to attend the one in Coleman on April 30. If you would like to go give me a ring.

According to the 1959 census, Coke County has 337 farms with an average of 1701.9 acres. The 1954 census showed us to have 419 farms with an average of 1304.6 acres. That is a loss of 82 farms in five years.

Other figures released show Coke County to have 13,216 cattle and calves; 177 milk cows; 640 horses and mules; 860 hogs and pigs; and 104,023 sheep and lambs.

Coke County ranked 24th in sheep numbers in the state and 62nd in the nation. We ranked 50th in the nation in wool production.



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Home Demonstration

By FAY C. ROE

Mrs. Jerome Sirius was elected President when the Silver Home Demonstration Club met Thursday evening in the Methodist Church. Meetings were set for the first and third evenings of each month at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Jahew Jameson, who had served as president since the club had reactivated, resigned several weeks ago. Mrs. P. L. Lowder, vice president, presided in the Thursday meeting.

Mrs. Jameson was in charge of the craft training. Each member present started a seed picture. I made cheese skillet bread which was served with coffee to Mmes. Jim Henford, Lowder, Jameson, Sirius, Hilda Feaster, Thelma Odom, Sherman, Hal Anderson and Frank Mullican.

I was so proud of all the 4-H girls who participated in the County Contests Saturday. They did such wonderful jobs of their demonstrations. I think this is marvelous training for them. I hope by contest time next year I can have enough leaders to work with each 4-H girl in the county. I am sure we could have had two or three times more girls trained if we had leaders to work with with them.

I have some "fan mail" and one reader ask for a recipe — here is one for a good biscuit mix and two variations using the Mix. Biscuits may be made by using 2 cups mix and 3/4 cup milk.

MASTER MIX

9 cups sifted flour
1/4 cup baking powder
1 tablespoon salt
2 teaspoons cream of tartar
1/4 cup sugar
2 cups shortening.

Sift dry ingredients together three times. Cut in shortening until mix is consistency of corn meal. Store in covered container. To measure the Master Mix pile lightly into cup and level off with spatula. Yield 12 cups.

H. D. A. Meets in Abilene

John E. Hutchinson, director of the Texas Extension Service, was speaker for the District 7 Texas Home Demonstration Association meeting in Abilene Thursday. Mr. Hutchinson spoke in the morning assembly to the 48 delegates, 202 members and visitors and 13 Extension personnel.

C. L. Kay, vice-president of Lubbock Christian College, addressed the afternoon assembly in the Aldersgate Methodist Church. Mr. Kay's speech was entitled "Challenge of the 60's."

Other speakers were Mrs. George Hackney Jr. of Greenville, T. H. D. A. vice president at large; Judge Reed Ingalsbee, Abilene, Mrs. Jim Rusche, Llano.

Mrs. George Johanson, Concho County, was elected by unanimous vote as District 7 vice president. She will follow Mrs. Maynard Gaines, who was endorsed as a candidate for State treasurer.

A salad luncheon was served by

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McMurry College. Special music was presented by Jefferson Junior High School choral group.

The program of work was presented by Runnels, Llano, Nolan, Blanco, and Schleicher counties.

The \$100 4-H fund was voted to go toward expenses for a junior leadership camp. This fund is presented by the T. H. D. A. each year to be used for 4-H activities.

Schleicher County was selected as hostess county for the planning meeting to be held on the first Tuesday in February 1962 in El-dorado.

Delegates from Coke County

were Mmes. Pat Rives, R. L. Page, Bobby Roberts. Others attending were Mmes. Floyd Harmon, C. E. Arrott, J. C. Boatright, H. H. Holland, Dale Wojtek and Mrs. A. J. Roe, Jr., Home Demonstration Agent.

Mrs. Dick Skipworth spent Thursday in Big Spring where she visited her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams. She was joined there by her daughter and grandchildren, Mrs. Cecil Cates and Suzan and Dudley, of Midland.

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Silver News

By MRS. GEORGE FUGATE

The Silver P. T. A. was well represented at the 16th District P. T. A. Spring Conference April 14 at Sterling City. Those attending were Mrs. Lawrence Feaster, Mrs. Frank Mullican, Mr. Guy Wheeler, and Mr. and Mrs. Hershel McDonald, former residents of Silver.

Mr. Wheeler presented a lifetime membership in the P. T. A. to Mr. McDonald at this conference.

Mrs. Mullican also attended the banquet Friday evening, given by

the Sterling City Board of Education, in honor of the District's Board of Directors.

The 9th grade attended the Abilene Christian College Track Meet, Saturday, and also went ice skating at the Ice Arena. Those sponsoring the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Don Swinney, Mrs. Billy Jones, and Mrs. Charles Kennedy.

Larry Lindsey recently won a Wurlitzer Electric Piano in the KBYG radio contest in Big Spring. Larry is a student at Howard County Junior College.

Mrs. Jean Furr and children were weekend guests in the home of her sister, Mrs. Lettie Autry, of San Angelo.

Visiting in the Earl Lindsey home is Buddy Stallings of Houston. Buddy is Mr. Lindsey's nephew.

Miss Mary Ann Caldwell, a senior at Howard Payne College in Brownwood, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Caldwell.

Miss Fredda McCabe served as a Girl Scout guide Saturday at Camp Boothe Oaks in Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hoffman, of Chicago, are visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy

Jones. Mrs. Jones and Mr. Hoffman are cousins. Also visiting in the Jones' home this past weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilcox and children of Wichita Falls.

Raymon Kincaid, Karen Fugate, Sue Kennedy, Aletris Ackerman, and Gayle Conley attended the Sub-District MYF meeting at Bronte Sunday.

Guest speakers at the Silver Methodist Church Sunday were Mr. B. B. Edmiaston, retired Methodist minister of Bronte and his brother, W. E. Edmiaston of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Green and children were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hearne in Abilene. The Hearnes are former residents of Silver.

Honored on Anniversary

A group of friends gave a surprise dinner party for Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Keener Friday evening at the Sun Recreation Hall, in honor of their Silver wedding anniversary.

The honored couple were presented sterling silver candleholders, creamer and sugar bowl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gilbert, of McComb, Miss., were in Silver for the occasion.

Injured in Oil Field Accident

Rodney Boyd, employee of Perkins-Prothro, was in an oil field accident last Thursday, resulting in severe back injuries. He was taken to the Root Memorial hospital in Colorado City and transferred to Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Paul and Larry attended the Paul family reunion in Kennedy, Texas this past weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Atskins of San Angelo, visited the Jack Denman's Sunday.

Guests in the home of the W. W. Pauls last week were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fleming, parents of Mrs. Paul. The Flemmings reside in Brady.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Jones have returned from a two week vacation, visiting friends and relatives in East Texas and Arkansas.

The Hope Sunday School class had its regular monthly meeting in the Fellowship Hall of the Silver Baptist Church, Monday the 16th.

A group of women are gathering at the Sun Rec Hall each morning with a record of exercise. After two weeks of strenuous exercises, it is reported they have gained a minimum of 2 lbs. and a maximum of 4 lbs.

Girl Scout News

By JUDY KINCAID

Girl Scout Troop 360 entertained Troop 275 with a tea Wednesday, April 11. Games, a sing song and folk dances were included in the entertainment part of the tea.

Saturday Girl Scout Troop 417 visited Girl Scout Camp Boothe Oaks which is located near Sweetwater. Girl Scouts making the trip were Brenda Henderson, Kay Jameson, Jay Lowder, Donna and Nona Ramsey accompanied by Mrs. J. P. Jameson and Mrs. H. White. Fredda McCabe of Troop 262 served as a guide for the visitors.

Judy Kincaid, Brenda Jameson, Aletris Ackerman, Karen Fugate and Fredda McCabe went to Colorado City with Mrs. Fred McCabe and Mrs. George Fugate Saturday to do work on a badge.

Miss Jo Hood to Receive Certificate

Miss Jo Hood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jett A. Hood of Robert Lee, has been named as a candidate for a certificate of completion at Tarleton State College. Certificates will be presented at the conclusion of the spring semester.

Miss Hood is a sophomore studying home economics at Tarleton.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rives of Robert Lee and their daughter and children, Mrs. Donald Mauldin, Danny and Jana of San Angelo

visited over the weekend with the former's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rives, Jimmy and Barbara in Odessa.

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- ★ Former F.B.I. Agent and Assistant Attorney General of Texas.
- ★ Former Briefing Attorney for Texas Supreme Court.
- ★ Trial Examiner for Texas Railroad Commission for 2 years.
- ★ Resident of Austin, Travis County for 26 years.

(Pol. Adv. paid for by John C. Phillips)

Original 1c Sale

April 26th marks the starting date of another Rexall Original 1c Sale at Farris Rexall Drug Store. This traditional sale will again feature scores of nationally advertised Rexall products which may be purchased at two for the regular price of one, plus a penny.

Mr. Farris, speaking for Farris Rexall Drug Store, stated that customers will find specially selected items for men, women, and children. "Particular care has been taken to offer items that are useful during the spring and summer seasons . . . items for all members of the family as well as many items for the home. Besides the many 1c Sale features, shoppers will also find plus-values in Money Savers and Surprise Buys which are not on the 1c Sale plan, but were specially purchased for this event to offer customers big savings!"

The Rexall 1c Sale originated in 1913 to give people an opportunity to try Rexall products while they saved nearly 50%. And Rexall has had 1c Sales ever since, according to Mr. Farris.

Farris Rexall Drug Store is now offering customers Advance Shopping Lists, which permits a customer to check off the items he wants before the sale starts. If he leaves the list with a salesperson, he may return on the first day of the sale and his order will be ready.

Kirkpatrick Rites Held Friday in St. Joseph, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kirkpatrick returned Sunday evening from St. Joseph, Mo., where they were called early last week by the death of the former's brother, E. V. (Virgil) Kirkpatrick, 74.

He and his wife had begun a



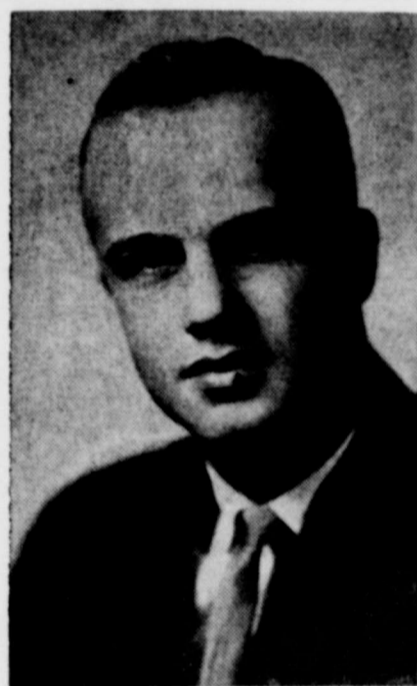
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two weeks' vacation trip to Texas and planned to visit in Houston and then come on to Robert Lee. On Sunday night he suffered a heart attack at Marshall, Tex., and was taken to a hospital where he died Monday noon.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p. m. Friday in St. Joseph.

A native of Pawnee City, Nebr., Virgil went to St. Joseph as a young man. He was employed in the Tootle-Lemmon National Bank and for a number of years was secretary-treasurer of Missouri Valley Trust Co.

He attended night school and obtained a law degree and for the past 26 years had conducted a private law practice, specializing in probate work.

He was a past president of the St. Joseph Bar Association, a member of Sertoma Club and the Methodist Church.

Virgil had visited in Robert Lee in past years and was interested in his brother's activities here as publisher of The Observer.

He is survived by his wife, Genevieve, a son, Ernest Virgil Jr., a daughter-in-law, Jeanette, and a granddaughter, Patricia. Also two sisters, Miss Florence Kirkpatrick of Kansas City, Mo., and Mrs. Vena Gifford of Pawnee City, Nebr., and two brothers, Wm. S. Kirkpatrick of Decatur, Ga., and A. J. Kirkpatrick of Robert Lee.

Visiting from Arlington in Robert Lee this Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Gartman and sons, H. J. and Eddy and Mr. and Mrs. George Walker. Mrs Walker is a daughter of Mr and Mrs. H. D. Gartman. The Arlington family also attended the Gartman family reunion at Sanco Sunday.

GOOD Today,
BETTER Tomorrow;
ROBERT LEE!

Robert Lee Defeats Melvin 15-7

Tommy Allen, senior Robert Lee High School hurler, pitched his teammates to 15-7 victory over Melvin Tuesday afternoon. This is the second victory for Allen against no defeats this season.

Terry Thetford, local freshman, got the only home run of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lomas and Lisa Lyn of Colorado City visited Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lomas and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wylie, Jr.

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Robert Lee State Bank

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Pol. Adv.—Pd. for by Price Daniel Committee, George Christian, Campaign Chairman

Wildcat Staked Northeast of Here

Tucker Drilling Co., Inc., and Peter Henderson Oil Co., San Angelo, announced location for the No. 1 Cynthia Malone Estate a 6,000-foot lower Canyon sand wildcat, in Coke County, 13 miles northeast of Robert Lee and 3/4-mile south of Sun Oil Co. No. 1-A Cynthia Malone, Canyon pay opener in the Panther Gap multi-pay field.

Location is 330 feet from the south and 660 feet from the west lines of 321-1A-H&TC.

Sun's No. 1-A Malone was finished April 11, 1957, for 139.96 barrels of 49 gravity oil, through a 3/8-inch choke and perforations between 5,538-625 feet.

DRILLING NOTES

Tucker 1-B Simpson, 4,719 feet in shale and lime.

Tucker 1 Gartman, 815 feet in shale and redbeds. Operator set surface casing, size unreported, at 255 feet.

Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough attended a Delta Kappa Gamma luncheon in Winters Saturday.

Local Firm Selected, Wins National Award

Mr. L. C. Ivey, Jr. and Mr. L. C. Ivey, Sr., Ivey Motor Company, have been selected as one of the nation's outstanding Ford dealerships and have received Ford Motor Company's Distinguished Achievement Award.

The award is presented in recognition of progressive management, modern sales and service facilities, sound merchandising practices, high quality standards and continuing interest in rendering superior service to Ford owners.

The Iveys, who have been Ford dealers in Robert Lee since 1944, were presented the award by Mr. J. W. Mendel, District Sales Manager for the Dallas District of Ford Division, at a special ceremony at the Sands Motor Hotel, Midland, this week.

ATTEND FUNERAL AT EDEN

Mrs. Velma Thomason, Mrs. Jerry Thomason and Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough attended the funeral of Mr. Harmon Meixner, 83, a Concho County stock farmer in Eden Tuesday morning.

Mr. Meixner was the father-in-law of Mrs. Frank (Naomi Yarbrough) Meixner.

Mrs. Frank Meixner is a sister of Mrs. Velma Thomason and Mr. Bryan Yarbrough of Robert Lee.

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SCOT TOWELS - - - Jumbo Size 33c

Giant Tide box 69c

SWEET PEAS, Jack Sprat, No. 303 Can - 2 for 39c

KOUNTY KIST

12 OZ. CAN

Corn 2 for 35c

DIAMOND

SLICED PINEAPPLE, No. 2 Can - - 2 for 59c

KIMBELL

WITH FREE TEA GLASS

TEA 1/4 lb. box 35c

PILLSBURY

ANGEL FOOD CAKE MIX - - - Box 43c

PINEAPPLE JUICE, Del Monte - 46 Oz. Can 37c

OUR DARLING

NO. 303 CAN

Corn 2 for 43c

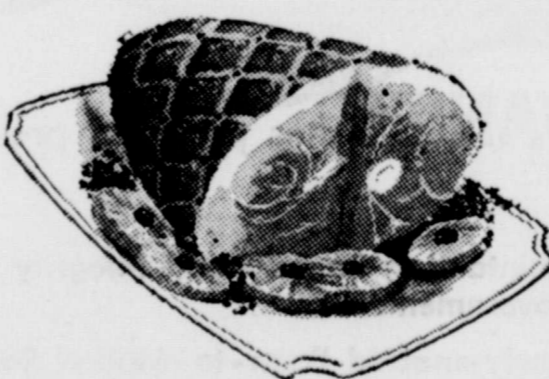
CUT RITE WAX PAPER - - 125 Ft. Roll 29c

GANDY'S

1/2 GAL. CRT.

Frozan 2 for 89c

MEATS



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PICNIC HAMS - Lb. 31c

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