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Public Invited To Visit Local Schools During Public School Week, Special Program Tuesday

The Robert Lee School wishes to extend to every citizen in the Community a special invitation to visit the school during the week of March 2nd through 5th. If the public schools are to remain free of outside government forces, stay abreast with rapid educational changes, and produce the quality of student desired in today's society, every citizen must take an active interest in school business. This can best be accomplished by visiting school and observing school procedures.

The school, in conjunction with the PTA, has planned a special program for Tuesday evening, March 3rd. The PTA will hold a

regular meeting beginning at 7:30. The program will consist of taking the parents through a regular days schedule during the period of one hour. Each student in Jr. High and High School will be given a form whereby he may write down his personal schedule for the first six periods of the school day. He, in turn, will give this schedule to his parents. A regular days teaching schedule will be conducted with six ten-minute periods. The faculty will meet classes and explain the goals and objectives of each course being taught. The parents may follow the schedule of their own children and experience what it would be like to be in school for one day.

The Elementary teachers will be in their respective rooms to receive parents and discuss school problems.

Members of the Robert Lee Beta Club will act as Hosts and Hostesses by directing parents to various rooms.

Upon visiting the school, each parent will be given a blue ribbon. This ribbon will denote a school visit. It is hoped that all parents and citizens will be wearing a blue ribbon by the end of Public School Week.

WEST CENTRAL TEXAS LAWYERS MEETING HERE

Robert Lee will be host to the West Central Texas Law Enforcement Association here today, Thursday, at the Recreation Hall, Robert Lee County Park.

Coke County Attorney, Frank C. Dickey, is master of ceremonies, and the program opens with registration at 9:30 this morning, Mayor Robert Vaughan giving the welcoming address 9:30-9:45.

Frank C. Dickey, Jr., District Attorney, is one of the afternoon speakers, at 2:15, on the topic, "Admissibility of Evidence in Criminal Cases." The program concludes at 2:45.

Other topics relate to other specific problems of law enforcement.

Sheriffs, deputies, and other police officers largely compose the meeting here.

Student Council Representatives Receive Pins

The Student Council of Robert Lee High School received their year pins last week. The pins are gold electroplate with chainguards bearing the numbers 64. The officers pins have their respective office on the guard. Those receiving pins were: Lynn White, President; Charles Askins, Vice President; Mary Beth Walker, Secretary-Treasurer; Senior representatives, Robert Holland and Jeanette Higginbotham; Junior representatives, Tony Dean and Raynelle Bloodworth; Sophomore representatives, William Hood and Linda Jacoby; Freshman representatives, Buddy Vosburg and Nancy Jacoby; and Eighth grade representatives, Gary Sam Williams and Lois Heuvel. Student Council sponsor is Mrs. John Malone.

Looks Like Activity In NE-I.A.B. Oil Field

The men from oil company offices who usually come around when there is something cooking have been around Sanco lately.

Local report is that another location is to be drilled on Bible soon. Published reports indicated a dual on the state lease well being drilled by Tucker.

One pay is in the usual 5,000 foot zone for that field, the other reportedly in the Gray, which would confirm the new Gray sand field at around 6,400.

Midwest Drilling Company of Abilene under contract to Standard of Texas was drilling at an unreported depth on Russell land south of Sanco.

If another well is drilled on

RAINS PROMISE GREEN SPRING, CAUSE SOME LOSS OF YOUNG LAMBS

Rainfall as recorded at the Soil Conservation office in the Court House on Thursday, Feb. 20, was .28 inches and Monday of this week, .25. At Sanco .6 inch was measured.

Rainfall in Robert Lee for the year so far is recorded at a total of 3.32 inches.

Top District, Then Drop Heartbreaker To Wall

BRONTE-RL ADULTS TANGLE IN BENEFIT VOLLEY BALL GAME

As a benefit for the Heart Fund, Bronte adults, men and women, are to play Robert Lee in two volley ball games at the High School Gym Saturday night, to start at 7:30.

It could be the Bronte Whizzers versus the Robert Lee Fizzers, but the Bronte aggregation are veterans of one game, while so far as is known the Robert Lee stars have not played volley ball within the memory of their grandchildren.

Length or girth or both combined have nothing to do with selection of players, it is understood. There will be a box at the door to drop in donations to the Heart Fund, with no stated admission charge. Elmer Hurley, Bronte pharmacist, issued the challenge as a BCD guest Tuesday, and it was accepted on the spot.

As they did in football, the Steers won the district in Basketball to lose in a hard fought bi-district against Wall, 52-50 at Lakeview gym Tuesday night.

The lead changed 14 times in the last half with luck leaving the Steers in the very last of the play.

Game at Forsan Tied District In Boys Basketball

Tuesday night, February 18, the Robert Lee Varsity cage squads journeyed to Forsan to play their final regularly scheduled game of the season. The Forsan Buffs nipped the Robert Lee Steers 57-53 so both teams wound up with 9-1 records. Radio Station KBST of Big Spring broadcast the game directly from Forsan's large white brick gymnasium.

The Hi-Lighters lost their contest with a score of 65-41. Rhonda Gartman was high-point girl with 18. Kay Havins and Linda Thetford notched 10 apiece. The Hi-Lighters only lost 4 out of 10 district games and those losses came from Forsan and Garden City which tied for district championship.

Before the boy's game got under way, Donnie Gooch, who is President of Forsan's Senior Class and one of their main scoring threats, raffled off a gun to one very surprised young lady. The starting five for Robert Lee were Derwood Coalson, Terry Thetford, Dennis Gartman, Charles Askins and Robert Wink. The game was close every minute but Forsan triumphed with a little ball-stealing on their part. Terry Thetford was high-pointer for the Steers with 23 followed by Derwood Coalson with 12. Ken Soles had 19 for Forsan and a racy little Freshman named Ray McKinnon netted 14 more.

Score by quarters:
 Forsan 20 14 14 9-57
 Robert Lee 11 22 10 10-53
 After the game, the students were treated to hamburgers and Cokes by the school at a Sterling City diner.

The Silver School is announcing their Public School Week to be held from Monday, March 2nd thru Friday, March 6th. Mr. Guy Wheeler says they do not have a special program planned, they just want to invite the parents and all who are interested in our public schools to come and visit the classrooms anytime.

It has been a slam-bang season, hard fought all the way. The final district decision came in playing off a tie with Forsan Friday night of last week, at Coahoma, with goals ringing up on both sides to the high figure of 63-52.

The Steers won their first game with Forsan here earlier in the season by a 2-point margin, lost the next at Forsan last week by a 4-point edge, and came back for an 11-point clincher Friday.

Dennis Gartman and Terry Thetford sacked the ball for 17 points each to lead the Steer scoring, while Donnie Gooch led Forsan with 15, Bonnie Siles next with 13. On the regular 83-B schedule, the two teams had tied up with 9 wins, 1 loss each, until Friday's victory put them into bi-District against Wall, a farming community southeast of San Angelo.

The Robert Lee girls came out third, with Forsan and Garden City tied for second, both boys and girls Forsan teams having to play off ties for top spot.

State Architect Meets Here With Hospital Board

W. M. Collier, architect for the Planning Commission of the State Board of Health, Austin, and the two architects employed by the West Coke County Hospital Board of Directors met with the Board here Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock to go over the proposed plans for enlargement and renovation of the hospital here.

Some suggestions for minor changes were made by Mr. Collier and accepted by the Board. Alex Chackos and Bob Zentner of San Angelo, architects employed, were present for this meeting.

Also a new survey of the bed facilities for approximately six or seven counties is to be made in the month of March. This survey was called by the Federal government in connection with the administration of Hill-Burton hospital aid funds.

Federal inspection of the hospital is expected some time next month.

The Hospital Board is to hold its next meeting on March 5. The West Coke County School of Vocational Nursing, with six students selected by the State Board of Vocational Nursing after holding examinations here, will start March 2.

WANT TO KNOW WHERE YOU LIVE? IT'S NO PROBLEM NOW IN ROBERT LEE

For the first time ever, Robert Lee residents may be found by street and number.

Instead of directing the inquirer five blocks south, west, north, or east from the court house, past the third clump of mesquites, or on the other side of the house with the big tree in the yard, you can soon direct him to 1234 West Seventh, like they do in the big town.

And everybody can know where he lives, himself.

All you have to do now is to read the house number on your water billing card, the next one out. That's where you live.

The city is keeping a list, so that if you lose your card and forget your number, you can go over to the City Hall and they will show you how to find your house — that

is to say, they'll give you your street and number.

Mayor Robert Vaughan said the General Telephone Company has indicated they would list house numbers in the new directories which will be out the coming summer.

The numbering project was by courtesy of Lone Star Gas, in mapping the town for their own refer-

ence, the company volunteered to assign numbers to each lot in town, and the city agreed.

The numbering begins at the extreme south edge of town and proceeds northward. Austin Avenue (the main street is the dividing line between east and west numbering. There is no dividing line between North and South.

West of Austin, you live on West Seventh. East of Austin on Seventh, you would live on East Seventh.

But there is no north and south on Austin or parallel streets.

For example a number on Austin would just be 1234 Austin Ave — not South Austin or North Austin.



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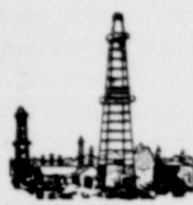
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Notes From The Oil Field

Written for Last Week

Apparently striking a good pay at about the level the sand around Sanco known as the Meneille Pennsylvania is usually found, Tucker No. 1 State lease was drilling ahead past 5,200 feet.

First thought to be an Ellenburger test, but later reportedly revised for 6,500 feet, just below the Grey sand, this well, if it produces extend the field one location north in what apparently is a narrow neck of production.

The Lura Reid well, one location southeast, did not find this sand, according to report at the time but is producing in the Ellenburger, — the first well in that field to produce from that level. The Grey sand was also reported lacking in the Reid well, or unproductive.

The Grey sand turned into water in the northernmost Boswell well, and produced in the north-eastern Boswell.

At the last of last week, Mid-West of Abilene was moving in on a new Standard location at the southern tip of the Northeast IAB Field, under contract to drill for Standard Oil Company of Texas as a try for an extender offsetting Sun's most recent well on Meneille.

Three other locations, one of them on Bible land have been made, contingent upon success in the Russell well.

Pipe line was being put down last week to carry oil from the Lura Reid well to Standard's tank battery at Sanco.

Mrs. Bill Beaty Hostess to El Valle Garden Club

Mrs. R. B. Vandiver was welcomed as a new member when El Valle Garden Club met Wednesday, Feb. 19, in the home of Mrs. Bill Beaty.

Program Chairman, Mrs. Willis Wayne Smith, presented a study on day lilies, El Valle Cub fower.

Colored slides of day lilies were shown by Mrs. Cumbie Ivey, Jr. at the projector with Mrs. Smith as commentator.

Mrs. Beaty and the co-hostess, Mrs. C. J. Brooks served cherry pie and coffee to twelve members.

Commendation For Arthur Sitas In Work for Veterans

Following is from a letter that was received by Mr. Arthur Sitas, Veterans County Service Officer of thanks and appreciation, from the Veterans Affairs Commission, for his success in rendering an outstanding service to our veterans and their dependents of Coke and Tom Green Counties.

Dear Mr. Sitas:

Our official State records show that during the past year more than \$89,658.00 was paid to the veterans and their families of Coke County. Tom Green County received \$1,080,406.00. This amount represents only the cases that were handled through the Veterans Affairs Commission and the organizations with which we are accredited.

None of the benefits paid by the Federal government to veterans, their dependents and survivors are automatic. Each eligible person must make formal application for any benefits to which he or she may be entitled. The amount of Federal benefits brought into your county last year clearly indicates that you are rendering an outstanding service to the veterans of your county.

Sincerely yours,
 Charles L. Morris
 Executive Director
 Veterans Affairs Commission
 Austin, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilford (Loretta) Lord write from Laguna Park, Clifton, Texas, that Mrs. Emma McGallian, who has been spending the winter with them, celebrated her 86th birthday in January.

Mr. McGallian and her husband, the late F. M. McGallian, came to Coke County in 1919. They lived on the Ledbetter place, which has been called the Mary Slaughter place, now south of Robert Lee, for the first few years.

Then they moved to the Graham Valley Community, where she is still living with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGallian. She returned there last week from Clifton.

Another son, Floyd, lives in San Angelo, and another sister, Mrs. J. D. (Mildred) Jones lives in Oklahoma.

An estimated 40,000 people per year try to walk through glass doors.

RECITAL IS SUNDAY P.M.

Mrs. E. R. Kreyer will present her voice and piano students in a recital Sunday afternoon beginning at 2:30 p.m. in the Bronte school auditorium. The public is invited to attend. Robert Lee students of Mrs. Kreyer will also participate.

The program will be divided into two parts with junior students performing first. The senior program will follow.

Bronte students who will perform include Vicki Shurley, Jonathan and Tipton Masterson, Michelle and Jake Golson, Susan and Linda Cumbie, Randy and Deanna Barbee, Kathy Lawson, Norma Lynn Pruitt, Bennie Carol and Margie Oglesby, Ida Lee Parker, Tem Barrett and Lynda Taylor.

Robert Lee students are: Elaine Dean, Sterling Allen, Gaye Dean, Jamie Craig, Patti Lynn Ivey, Donna Jo and Nona Jean Ramsey, Mary Wojtek, Della Katherine Dean, Debbie Hines, and Dale Thomason.

GREEN MOUNTAIN H.D. CLUB

The Green Mountain Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Sam Duncan Tuesday, Feb. 18th. Eight members were present. After the business meeting, refreshments of cake and coffee were served.

Social hour followed. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Roller Page.

Want Ads

Classified Advertising Rates: Minimum charge 75c per insertion. First insertion 5c per word; subsequent insertions (with no changes in copy) 3c per word. Initials, abbreviations and figures (except telephone numbers, house numbers and post office box numbers) count as one word. All classified advertising is payable upon publication.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to use this means to thank each of the friends for their many expressions of sympathy during our bereavement. It was so sweet and thoughtful of you to remember us.
 C. G. Walker family.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Noel Adams wishes to acknowledge and express their deepest appreciation for the messages and condolence and many acts of kindness and thoughtfulness shown them.

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Different Methods Getting Results In Winter Range Feeding — Third Article Reviewing Local Ideas

For one who has never been satisfied with his own results in this, the writer has been discussing with every ranchman in sight how he has been getting along at the job.

Several methods seem to be followed successfully, all of them centering on getting enough feed there when they need it with a minimum disturbance among the ewes and lambs.

Mrs. M. A. Runyon is having real good luck just feeding range

cubes, a special formula her son, Arthur, who is interested with her, developed himself. They just go out there and scatter the grain cubes and get away as quickly as possible, leaving the ewes to tend to their own business where lambing and nourishing the lambs is concerned.

Dave Key and Ben A. Boykin have both reported good results from protein supplement blocks. Dave has fed some hay along from time to time. But, particularly in bad weather, he keeps out about one block for each two dozen head of sheep.

With these blocks already out in the pasture, he doesn't go out there to feed, but leaves it with them. A couple of weeks ago we gave Ben's formula for mix, but found later that for lambing time now, he, too, likes the protein blocks mighty well.

Dave puts out molasses blocks occasionally as a protection against pregnancy disease, also keeps out a mineral block, too. Last year, lambing in January, he sold his lambs in May, weighing 75 pounds. This year he has been lambing in February.

The advantage they see in the blocks is that the sheep doesn't eat too much at a time and doesn't seem to get too much salt in the process.

Weekend Specials

Specials for Thurs., Fri. and Sat.

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POTATOES - 10 Lb. Bag 39c

LETTUCE, Fresh, Crisp - Lb. 19c

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By Fay C. Roe
Home Demonstration Agent

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Some of you gardeners may want to try this with your gladioli when spring arrives.

4-H Club girls are getting ready for the Coke County Favorite Food Show that will be held on March 21. The show will be in the Recreation Building in Robert Lee.

More than 30 girls enrolled in Food Unit Groups are eligible to participate in the show.

Meetings are being held in Bronte on Wednesday afternoon and in Robert Lee on Friday afternoon to discuss plans and rules with mothers and leaders.

The Unit 3 group of Robert Lee 4-Hers met Monday in the home of Mrs. J. O. Rudd to prepare and study foreign foods and table settings. Mrs. J. W. Service Jr. and

Mrs. Rudd are the adult leaders of the group.

Plans are underway for a Career Day for Coke County High School students on April 20. The program will be held in the Bronte School.

Meeting with Mr. Lindsey and me to plan the event were C. B. Barbee, superintendent of Bronte School, Dorman Thomas, superintendent of Robert Lee School, and Douglas Dean, Robert Lee High School principal.

Schedule

Thursday, Feb. 27: Office
Friday, Feb. 28: Office
Monday, March 2: Office
Tuesday, March 3: Office
Wednesday, March 4: Bandera, Dist. 7 THDA Planning Meeting

The Aunt Jemima Pancake Supper held Friday night in the Robert Lee lunchroom was attended by approximately 300 persons.

The supper was sponsored by the Coke County Boys and Girls 4-H Clubs as their money making activity for the year.

Tickets were sold by the 4-H members and members of the Sil-

ver Lions Club.

The County 4-H Council members appreciate the efforts and contributions by individuals who helped to make the supper a success.

The "KP" list included Hale Kincaid, Ernest Clendennon, O. B. Jacobs, Teddy Pitcock, Nolan Pentecost, Howard Varnadore, LeDrew Arrott, J. W. Service Jr., A. J. Roe Jr., and Jay Evans.

Others assisting were Mrs. Jay Evans, Miss Gladys Waldrop, Mrs. A. J. Roe Jr., and Sterling Lindsey.

4-H Club members helped by serving coffee and milk, and cleaning tables.

Firms and individuals who contributed to the supper were: Butane Sales and Service, Foremost Dairy—David Cox, Gandy Dairy—Add Davis, Sun Grocery, Wallace Grocery, West Texas Utilities, Pace Packing Company, Ridley Packing Company, "M" System Food Store, Safeway Grocery Store, Nuway Food Market, Harry's Food Store, Silver Lions Club, Colorado City Kiwanis Club, Quaker Oats Company, Teddy Pitcock, Dankworth Packing Company, Sims Food Store, Joyces Food Market, Robert Lee School, Bronte School, Silver School.

Heard At Sanco

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Agnes Prine recently were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Prine and Doug of Fontana, Calif., Mrs. E. M. Hirt and Robert and Mrs. Leo Prine of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pitcock, Darrell and Sheri, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Evans, Jo Alice and Maxy attended the Fat Stock Show in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulmer Bird attended the wedding of Mrs. Bird's niece, Anita Holt, at Spearman on Saturday of last week.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Urden Arbuckle on Sunday were Mrs. Fannie Carwile, Sanco and Miss Lvon and Marilyn Reid of San Angelo.

Mrs. Lura Reid is at home and wishes to express her appreciation for all the nice cards and flowers she received during her stay in the hospital.

We hear that the state well on the Fred Campbell estate will possibly be a dual well with pay in the Menielle sand and Gray sand.

Political Announcements

For Sheriff, Coke County
MELVIN CHILDRESS
Re-election

For Tax Assessor-Collector
O. B. JACOBS
Re-election

For Commissioner, Precinct 1
FERN HAVINS
Re-election

For Commissioner, Precinct 3
FLOYD HARMON
Re-election

For Constable, Precinct 1
OLLIE ROE
Re-election

For State Representative,
78th District
ED J. CARPENTER
Re-election

For District Attorney,
51st District
FRANK C. DICKEY JR.

For County Attorney:
FRANK C. DICKEY, SR.
Re-election

For State Senator, 25th District
DORSEY B. HARDEMAN
Re-election

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, MAY 2

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Diane Samuelson Is Honored By A DAR Citizen Tea

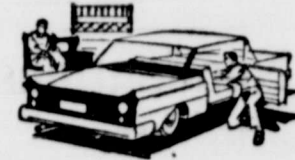
Diane Samuelson, her mother Mrs. Arnold Samuelson, and sponsor, Mrs. Frank Coalson, attended a tea given by the Daughters of the American Revolution in San Angelo. It was held in the ballroom of the Cactus Hotel Tuesday afternoon to honor the 14 "Good Citizen" recipients in the area.

The girls were given a pin and a Certificate of Award to signify their achievement. Refreshments

of coffee and jello cupcakes with whipped cream were served to the members and their guests.

In order to become a member of the DAR, one must trace his ancestry back to a grandfather or great-grandfather who fought in one of the revolutionary wars. The club's purpose is to encourage patriotism and good citizens. They work on projects to educate the immigrants, American Indians and other worthy individuals.

The President of the Pocahontas Chapter in San Angelo is a cousin of Mrs. Lamont Scott of Robert Lee.



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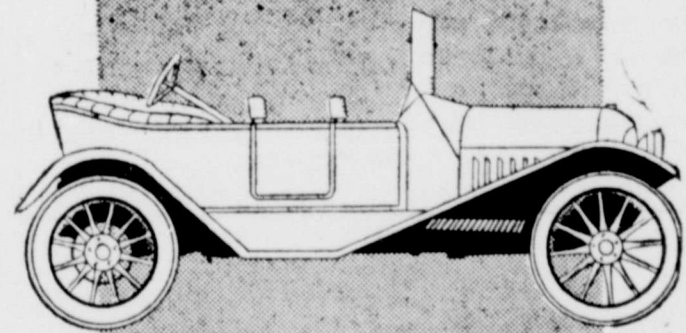
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UN-BARBERSHOP QUARTET LEAVES LASTING IMPRESSION

Robert Lee was invaded by the Beatles through the mass media of television and although they are now back home in Liverpool, England, the impact remains. The singing mopheads created quite a stir at Robert Lee High School. The final evaluation of their talent, or lack of it, won't be reached for a couple of months yet, but many people already have definite opinions about them.

This question was put to several students and teachers: "What do YOU think of the Beatles?" The general consensus follows:

Mrs. Dempsey Salter: "I try not to!"

Mrs. Jeff Dean: "Repulsive. Just repulsive."

Sharon Faught: "I dig that crazy hair-do!"

Mr. Douglas Dean: "Beyond the bounds of reasoning!"

Elwanda Sparks: "I love 'em. They're the most to say the least."

Coach John Malone: "Step on them. I step on all the beetles I see."

Derwood Coalson: "I like them. They're all right."

Mary Beth Walker: "I think they're (sigh) wonderful. I've got their album."

Bill Roach: "Put it like this. The Roaches are against the Beatles."

Kay Havins: "I like their hair, clothes, personality, and, oh yes their singing, too. Anybody who doesn't like them is crazy!"

Robert Holland: "Agh!"

Sheila Roe, who was born in England, had this to say: "George is wonderful. They have individuality."

Whatever else might be said about them, they are not an overnight sensation like so many of America's "flash-in-the-pan" recording artists. Since 1955, John Lennon, George Harrison and Paul McCartney, who went to high school together, have played one-nighters in every night club and converted wine cellar in England just to get their face before the public.

In 1962, after 14 operations for a stomach ailment and a siege of pleurisy, Ringo Starr joined the Moondogs, later changed to the Beatles which is a pun on "beat." It is believed that Ringo's "little-boy-lost" look makes him the big favorite. At any rate, he is the most controversial. Nicknamed Ringo, he was asked why he wore as many as 6 rings on his hand and he replied, "They won't all fit through my nose." Perhaps Ringo also explained the "Beatlemania" when he said, "We're kidding ourselves and everyone else. The only thing we take seriously is money!" Which is for sure. They grossed 15 million clams during their brief American visit.

FHA Nominations For Candidates Is Revealed Now

The Robert Lee Future Homemakers of America Nominating Committee, under the supervision of Parliamentarian Dawn Boykin have drawn up the ballot for next years slate of FHA Officers. The following girls have been nominated as Officer Candidates:

President: Mary Wojtek and Linda Heuvel.

1st Vice President: Linda Jacoby and Kay Havins.

2nd Vice President: Linda Heuvel and Betty Hughes.

3rd Vice President: Rhea Jean McCutchen and Nancy Jacoby.

4th Vice President: Kay Havins and Rhinda Beth Wojtek.

5th Vice President: Kitten Dean.

Recording Secretary: Dawn Boykin and Edith McGinley.

Corresponding Secretary: Sharon Faught and Jo Alice Evans.

Treasurer: Farrel Fikes and Carolyn Prine.

Reporter: Marsha Dodson and Kathi Preslar.

Parliamentarian: Barbara Blaylock and Melinda Percifull.

Historian: Betty Hughes and Johnnie McDonald.

GIRLS SWITCH SPORTS

The high school girls P. E. class has switched from basketball to volleyball and tennis.

Mrs. Fred Cooke will sponsor volleyball. Forsan is the site for the District 83-B playoff and James Blake will be Director of the event.

The tennis champions will be determined at Central High School in San Angelo on April 3. Coach John Malone is sponsoring the tennis players.

FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS IN ONE-ACT PLAY CONTEST

Interscholastic League One-Act plays will be held in the Robert Lee auditorium April 2 on a Thursday night.

There will be only one judge, Dr. Rex Kyker, who is a speech professor at Abilene Christian College in Abilene.

Director Garland Davis and his cast members of "A Sunny Morning" are already on a practice schedule. Linda Jacoby, one of the leading characters, has just recuperated from an extended illness and returned to school after a stay in the hospital.

P.T.A. was postponed last week and will be held Tuesday, March 4, at 7:30. Everyone is urged to attend.

Mrs. J. O. McGinley has heard from her brother, Jerry Blair, and says that he is stationed in Ft. Polk, Louisiana to take his basic training. He was inducted into the services in early January.

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NOTICE TAXPAYERS

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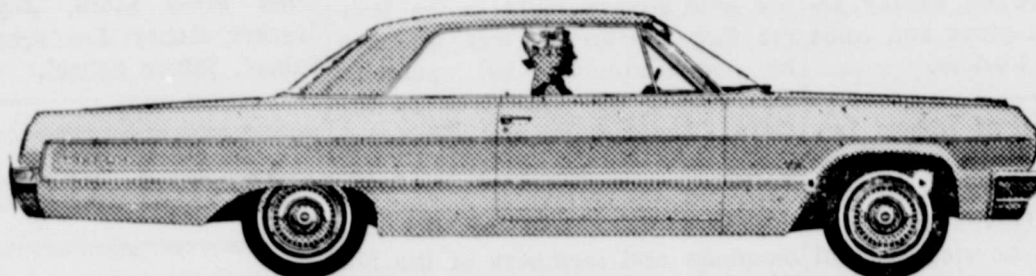


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State Launching Campaign Against Rabies, Lists Cases By Counties

The State department of health is launching an intensive campaign in South Texas to control rabies, after examining 4,837 animal heads from all over the state for the disease in 1963. Of this total, Health Department laboratory tests confirmed that 526 animals were infected with rabies and 4,311 were not infected. Dogs and cats accounted for 134 cases, livestock 50, and wild life species 342.

Animal rabies cases confirmed "Positives" by laboratory tests of the health department in 1963 included the following counties in West Texas. Tom Green 23, Taylor 6, Brown 1, Callahan 1, Coke 1, Concho 1, Crane 2, Crockett 5, Eastland 1, Gillespie 2, Glascock 1, Haskell 1, Howard 1, Irion 3,

Kendall 3, Llano 1, McCulloch 6, Mason 4, Menard 2, Midland 13, Mitchell 2, Nolan 12, Presidio 1, Runnels 2, San Saba 4, Schleicher 1, Scurry 3, Shackelford 1, Stephens 1, Sterling 2, Sutton 5, Upton 2, Uvalde 21, Val Verde 2.

It is reported that there was not a single death from rabies in humans during 1963 in Texas. Since the start of 1957, only two of the 26 human rabies deaths reported for the entire United States have been in Texas. During 1954-56 inclusive, 11 Texans died from rabies, just under half the National total of 23 human deaths from the disease. State health officials feel that the rabies control law passed by the Legislature in 1955 along with increased vigilance of

health authorities and the general public, have helped to hold the disease in check.

Lunchroom Menus

Monday, March 2

Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, buttered corn, potato chips, milk, chocolate and vanilla pudding.

Tuesday, March 3

Italian spaghetti with cheese, cole slaw, English peas, hot rolls and butter, milk, chocolate oatmeal bars.

Wednesday, March 4

Beans, potato salad, spinach, corn bread and butter, milk, peach cobbler.

Thursday, March 5

Pork chops and gravy, creamed potatoes, carrot and cocoanut salad, hot rolls and butter, milk, raspberry jelly.

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Feb. 27, 1964

Methodist Women Vote to Serve Lawmen's Lunch

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met at 9:30, Tuesday, February 18, in the home of Mrs. Marvin Simpson for a three-part program titled "You Are Christ's Call."

Mrs. Hubert Peyton, program leader, gave the call to worship, using the 1st Psalm, and read the Meditation for each part of the program. Each meditation was followed by scriptures read by various members and a song by the entire group.

Part One: "Call to Accept and Follow Christ." Scriptures by Mrs. Marvin Simpson and Mrs. Delbert Shoemaker. Song, "I

Heard the Voice of Jesus Say."

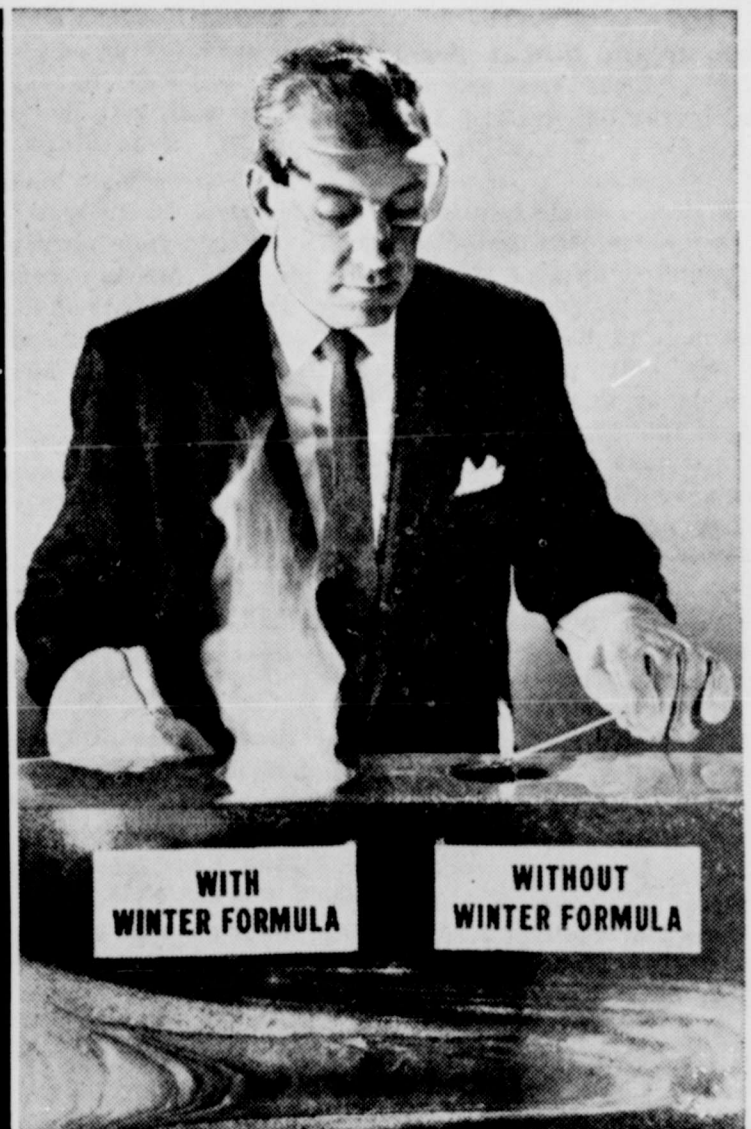
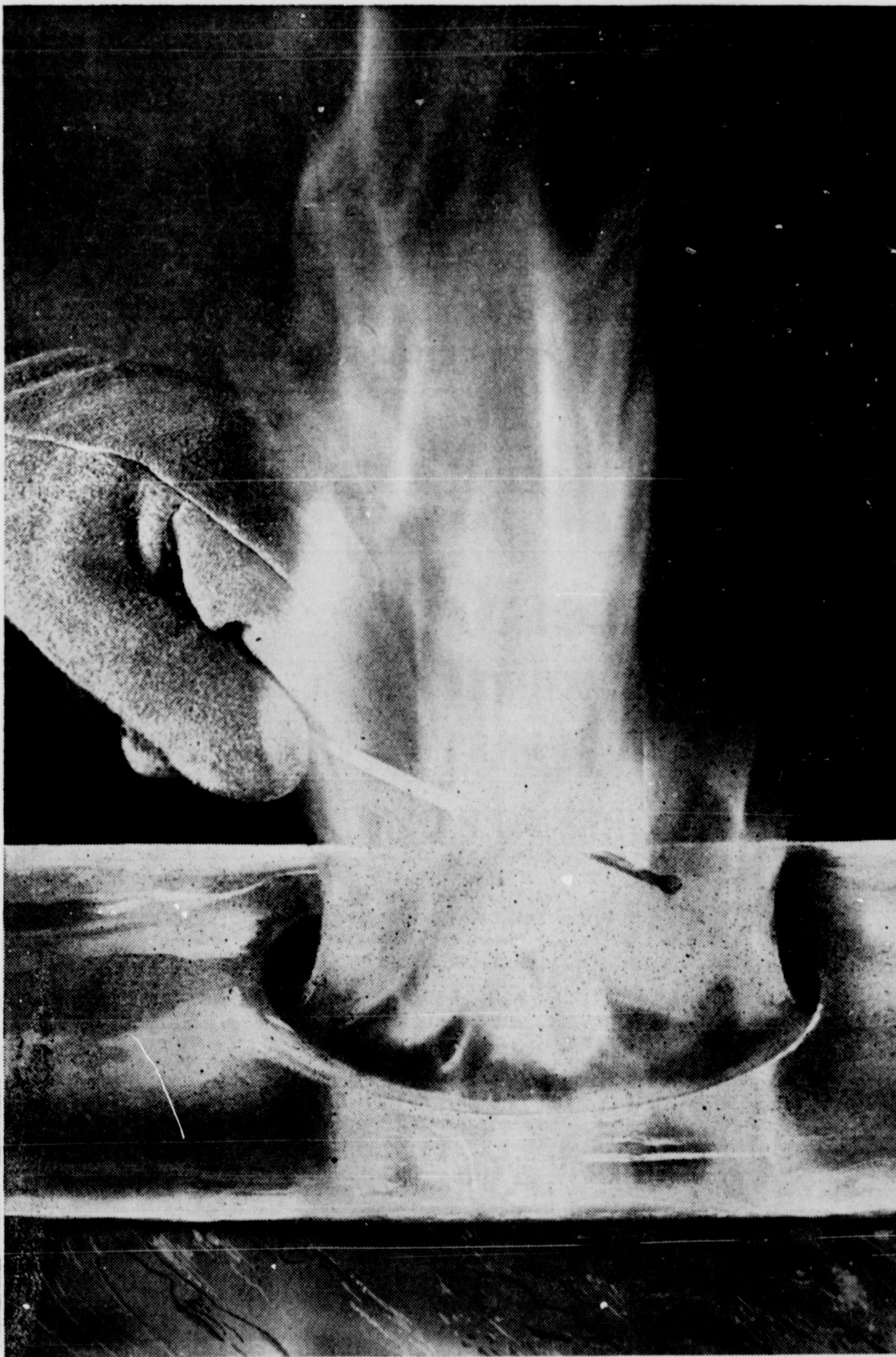
Part Two: "Call to Service in Personal Relations." Scriptures by Mrs. F. C. Clark and Mrs. W. B. Gardner. Song, "Jesus Calls Us."

Part Three: "A Call to Wider Service." Scriptures by Mrs. Shoemaker and Mrs. Marvin A. Simpson. Song, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee."

The hostess served coffee and doughnuts to nine members.

During the business session the W.S.C.S. voted to accept the invitation to serve lunch to the meeting of law enforcement officers to be held here Thursday, February 27, as a fund raising project.

The lunch will be served in the Recreation building at the City park.



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Silver All Around The Peak

By MRS. GEORGE FUGATE

Methodists Hold Study

The Silver Methodist Church is having a mission study, sponsored by the Commission on Missions, each Sunday evening at 6 p.m. Rev. Howard Johnson is conducting the study from the book, "Our Mission Today" by Tracey K. Jones, Jr. Mr. Johnson is also using audio-visual aids for the study. Contents of the study book include: The Beginning of a New Age; The New Age of Missions; Missionary Movement so Under Attack; To Whom Shall We Turn?; God — He Is a Missionary God; The Task of Every Christian; and What We Can and Must Do.

PTA Member On District Board

Mrs. Billy Jones was recently appointed by the 16th District Executive Board of Texas Parent-Teacher Association to serve as District Chairman of the Life Membership Committee. Mrs. Jones will fill the unexpired term of Mrs. E. L. Fannin, who resigned. As chairman of this committee, Mrs. Jones will promote Life Memberships in this District and will present Life Membership Certificates and pins at the District Conference, which will be held in Sweetwater, April 24.

Mrs. Jones is a member of the Silver P-TA, has held the offices of secretary and program chairman, and has been a delegate to State Convention twice.

Births: Mr. and Mrs. Sid Burney of San Angelo, former Silver residents, are parents of a son, Richard Dean, born in St. John's Hospital, San Angelo.

The Burneys have one other son, Jay Sid. The new addition arrived Feb. 18 at 11:45 p.m. and weighed 7 lbs. 5 oz.

Kevin Roe Feted With Party

Kevin Wayne Roe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Roe, was honored on his 3rd birthday with a party, Feb. 19, at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. A. J. Jones.

Refreshments were served to the guest of honor, Ernest and Doug Herford, Pam Parish, Jenny Mullins, Vickie Stewart and Steve and Stephany Matheny.

DEATHS: Mrs. H. G. Herford, 71, of Port Neches, mother of James Herford of Silver, died Feb. 20 at the Beaumont Hospital following a brief illness.

Survivors include her husband, nine sons, four daughters, twenty-five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Baptist Church in Batson, Texas. Burial was in Batson cemetery directed by Carol-Wallace Funeral Home in Beaumont.

Valentine Queen

Miss Lea Bassham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Bassham, was recently crowned Valentine Queen of Colorado City Junior High School in the school auditorium.

This annual program is sponsored by the P. E. Council. Council president Sharon Harlow crowned the queen and she was presented red roses by Karen Holman, council vice president. The queen's escort was Johnny Lindsey.

Tickets Available for Pancake Supper

Members of the Silver Lions Club are selling tickets to their annual pancake supper, which will be held March 6th in the Silver School Cafeteria.

Mrs. Denman Hosts Church Class Meeting

Mrs. Jack Denman was hostess for the regular monthly social of

the Hope Sunday School Class of Silver Baptist Church recently at her home.

Mrs. Clifford Ramsey presided at the meeting which was opened with a prayer by Mrs. W. R. Whitaker. A devotion on Missions was presented by Mrs. Lawrence Feaster. Mrs. C. F. Patterson gave the benediction.

Silver News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deuman and Kathy visited in Grapeland and Slocum over the weekend. They were guests of Mr. J. H. Denman and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cox.

Mrs. Martin Bowman and daughter, Michelle, returned to their home in Lubbock Sunday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Clifton.

Roy and Sharon Wall, children of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Wall, are in Dallas visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Hazelwood.

Pfc. Tommy Stewart of Ft. Bliss, El Paso, was the weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Stewart.

Miss Aletr's Ackerman, daughter of the Everett Ackermans, was a recent patient in the Coke County Hospital.

SENIOR PLAYS CAST NAMED

The Senior Class of Robert Lee High School is busy preparing for the Senior plays. The class will present two one-act plays, a drama, "Drag Race," and a comedy, "Who's Feudin' Now?"

Members of the cast for the drama are: Ken, Lyn White; Ken's date for the Senior Prom, Ginny, Leta Robertson; Martin, Ken's best friend, Dick Waldrop; Martin's date for the evening, Edna, Elaine Robertson; Ritter, Chief of Police, Bob McBroom; Quimby, Highway Patrolman, Benny Boykin; Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Ken's worried parent, Eddie Parker and Jeanette Higginbotham; and Mrs. Rush, Ginny's mother and President of the PTA, Rosalind Bradham. Tragedy occurs when the four teenagers drag race after the Senior Prom and a visit to a night spot called the "Green Lantern."

In a complete switch of mood, "Who's Feudin' Now?" is a hilarious farce about a long-standing feud between the Capfields and Scroggs. The cast for the comedy consists of: Paw Capfield, Robert Holland; Maw Capfield, Diane Samuelson, whose specialty is sow belly soup; Zeke Capfield, a mechanic interested in anything with moving parts, Bill Roach; Lulu Mae Capfield, who is "getting to marrying age," Mary Beth Walker; Daisy Belle, Jenny Sue, Zeledie Jo, and Abe Capfield, the lively young 'uns, Elwanda Sparks, Sheila Roe, Sandy Thomas, and Bobby Blaylock; Mrs. Renee Gardner, a sophisticated lady interested in tracing her ancestors, Charlotte Smith; Junior Gardner the object of Lulu Mae's affections, John Jacobs, and Dawn Gardner, Marion Fikes.

Mrs. Frank Coalson bravely volunteered to sponsor these plays and direct the students in their roles. Noel Gregston is acting as stage manager.

Mr. Claude Carter joined his family here Tuesday. They were here for Noel Adams' Memorial Service. Mr. Carter left for Harlingen Thursday but Mrs. Carter remained for a few days to visit with her mother in San Angelo.

Mrs. J. N. Adams is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sam Powell, this week.

El Valle Garden Club Entertains at Game Party

Mrs. W. B. Gardner, entertainment chairman, had charge of arrangements when El Valle Garden Club held their annual Game Party in the city park recreation building Saturday evening from 7:30 to 10:30.

Assisting Mrs. Gardner were Mesdames Frank McCabe, Cumbie Ivey, Sr., Marvin Simpson, and Bill Beaty.

The registration table featured a cherry tree, while the serving table was centered with an arrangement of red carnation, hatches et cetera, carrying out the Geo. Washington birthday theme in red, white and blue.

The thirty-eight players included members, their husbands and other invited guests. Games played included Bridge, Eighty-eight, and Forty-two.

Mrs. Sterling Lindsey, flower-show chairman, made announce-

ments concerning the spring flower show to be held in April. Mrs. Lindsey and Mrs. Marvin Simpson passed out the schedules for the show and discussed rules and regulations for the placement show which will be held on Thursday, April 16, in the home of Mrs. Cumbie Ivey Sr. Theme of the show will be "At April's Touch." Refreshments of cookies, coffee and punch were served throughout the evening.

CURTIS EDWARD CAULDER

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Caulder of Midland on February 19, 1964.

The boy's name is Curtis Edward and he weighed 8 pounds, 9½ ounces. The parents have two other children, Debbie, 4, and Buddy, 3 years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Caulder, Bronte, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Walker of Robert Lee.

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