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RESERVE CHAMPION DUROC — Audrey Walker, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Walker of Robert Lee, is shown with the reserve champion Duroc of the San Angelo Fat Stock Show. The Coke County 4-Her's entry was a heavyweight Duroc bred by the Walker sisters, Sharon, Rebecca and Audrey. Sterling Lindsey, Coke County agent, is sponsor of the 4-H Club. (Standard-Times Photos)

Tickets Complete For 3 Elections

Slates of candidates for the three elections which will be held Saturday, April 5, were completed last Wednesday after last week's Observer was printed, and all vacancies have at least one candidate seeking positions. Candidates to be voted on include city aldermen, school trustees and directors for West Coke Hospital District.

James Hood Top Livestock Judge

James Hood was high individual in the livestock judging contest held last week in connection with the San Angelo Fat Stock Show. The Robert Lee FFA member was awarded a gold watch for his achievement. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hood.

Other members of the team, coached by Lee Roy McDaniel, were Jay Lynn Service and John Service.

McDaniel will take a team to Angelo State College Saturday when they will enter the Concho Valley District livestock judging contest. The vocational agriculture teacher said Tuesday he had not definitely decided which four of his boys will make up the team.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

- March 13: WTU open house, homemaking class attend.
- March 14: Pancake supper.
- March 15: Junior high track meet at Coahoma.
- March 17: TSSA meeting at Bronte.
- March 20: Band tour
- March 21: Golf tour and high school football clinic at ASC.
- March 22: Girls track meet at El Comado.
- March 27: One act play practice.
- March 28: District 6-A track meet at Cooper High and one act play contest.

The only change in the listing given in last week's Observer is two additional candidates for city alderman.

JUDGE SAYS PRECINCT LINES MUST BE CHANGED

County Judge W. W. Thetford told this newspaper this week that the commissioners court is still aware that the county's precinct lines are going to have to be changed to give each precinct equal representation in the court. The change is planned in accordance with a Supreme Court ruling which held that precincts of a county must be divided so they all have approximately the same population.

Thetford said he expects the court to act on the matter late in the summer after it has adjusted voting precinct lines to coincide with the new commissioner precinct lines. "We can't have residents in one voting box voting for offices in more than one commissioner precinct," he said, "and the statutory time for adjusting the lines of voting precincts is July and August," he said.

New Equipment In Phone Building

Installation of the new dial telephone equipment for Robert Lee in the new telephone building pictured below was begun March 10, according to Jack Goss, Division Manager of General Telephone Company of the Southwest. Goss said that this equipment, the latest in design, will provide greatly improved telephone service to the approximately 500 customers in the Robert Lee area. This new equipment, Goss stated, is of the type that will allow party line customers to move without having his telephone number changed, as is now the case.

This new central office equipment is now scheduled to be placed in service on July 16, 1969.

Trustee Contest

The only election in which there will be a contest is for school trustee. There are two vacancies with four candidates listed on the ticket. Earl H. Ivey and D. J. Walker Jr. are running for re-election and are opposed by Paul Burns and John D. Mumford. Holdover trustees who have either one or two more years to serve include Douglas Gartman, Truman Hines, Billy J. Blair, Lewis Heuvel and J. W. Service Jr.

The only candidate announced last week at press time and the only incumbent running for city alderman was M. L. (Pete) Smith. Later in the day, however, Robert Large and Dale Wojtek filed. Other council members presently serving and going off next month are O. H. Campbell and Gene Hinnard. Members of the city council who have another year to serve are Mayor Wilson Bryan and Aldermen Will Percifull and Jack Denman.

Curtis Wilker and Victor Wojtek are on the ticket for hospital district directors. Walker is serving on the board now and Wojtek is a candidate for the place now held by W. E. Jacoby. Holdover hospital directors are Fred McCabe Sr., J. E. Quisenberry and James Herford.

Absentee voting will start Monday in all three elections.

Kathy Denman on District Team; 3 More on 2nd Team

Kathy Denman of Robert Lee was selected a member of the 6-A all-district basketball team by coaches of the district. Three more members of the girls high school team were selected for the second team.

Miss Denman was named a guard on the first team, while Judy Gartman and Jackie Conley were named forwards and Sherry Pitcock was named a guard on the second team.

Selections were made at a meeting Feb. 26 in Roscoe, but were not announced until Wylie was eliminated from higher competition in the race for the state pennant.

Bob Jameson, recently resigned, and Clifford Wilson coached the girls team.

A complete list of the all-district teams was released as follows:

First Team

Forwards: Cowan and Raughton of Wylie, and Hayes of Aspermont; guards: Moore of Aspermont, Denman of Robert Lee, Rakow of Wylie.

Second Team

Forwards: Gartman and Conley of Robert Lee, and Kincaid of Rotan; guards: Alsop of Aspermont, Dodson of Wylie, and Pitcock of Robert Lee.

Coach Wilson said he was well pleased with the honors received by the Robert Lee girls and felt they had a good season.

Pancake Supper Set Friday Night

A large number of members of Robert Lee-Silver Lions Club and parents of Coke County 4-H members will pool their efforts Friday night to have the annual Lions-4-H pancake supper. The supper will be held in Robert

Lee School cafeteria, with serving beginning at 5 p.m.

In addition to getting a complete meal of hot buttered pancakes with syrup and bacon, those attending will be treated to a talent show beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

Admission price for the supper and the show is \$1.00.

Proceeds from the supper will be used for various community projects sponsored by the Lions and 4-H Clubs.

Musicians on the entertainment roster include the Robert Lee Stage Band, several rock and roll bands, a Western Band and numerous singers. Entertainers planning to appear are from Silver, Robert Lee, Stephenville, Brownwood, San Angelo, Dallas, Bronte and other area towns.

Tracksters Are 6th At Sonora Meet

The Robert Lee Steer track team accumulated 38½ points Saturday at the Sonora Relays to win sixth place. Powerful Ozona took first place honors with 127 points.

Highest places taken by the Steers were third places. Larry Sockwell took third place honors in the 100 yard dash in 10.7 seconds, and Luther Large was third place winner in the mile run.

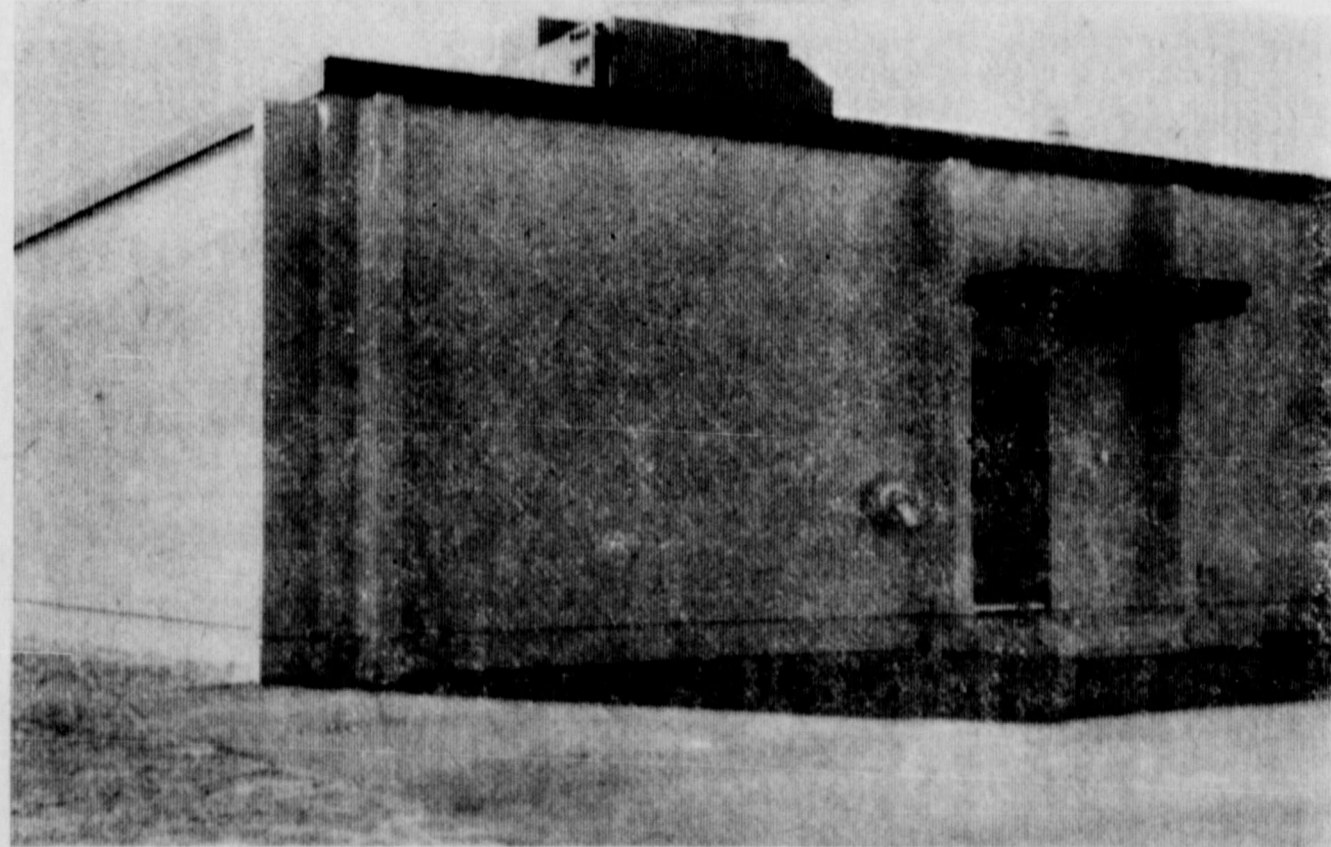
Fourth place was taken by the 440 relay team with a 46.6. Members are Sockwell, Quinn Conley, Roy Blair and Mike Bagwell. Layne Beaty took fourth in the 330 yard hurdles with a 44.9. Blair was fourth in the 100 yard dash, and Sockwell took fourth in the 220 yard dash with a 23.9.

Joe David Key was fifth place winner in the broad jump event, and Conley took fifth in high jump with a 5'8".

The mile relay team, composed of Kenneth Prine, Key, Randy Smith and Marshall Millican, took sixth place in the mile relay with a 3:51. Also taking sixth place was Darrell Pitcock in the pole vault.

The track team will go to Brownwood Saturday when members will compete in a meet at Early High School. Events will start at 1 p.m., with the second session beginning at 7 p.m.

The district track meet will be held March 28 at Cooper High School in Abilene.



General Telephone's New Building in Robert Lee

Future Homemakers of America Observing Special Week, March 23-29

"Focus on positive Action" is the theme of National Future Homemakers of America Week, March 23-29, 1969.

During the week more than 600,000 members in 12,000 FHA Chapters throughout the U.S. and Puerto Rico will complete projects to give exposure to what youth is doing to promote the principles of good citizenship.

National President, Estelle Hunter, a high school senior at Sunbury, Ohio, had this to say about National FHA Week: "The overall objective of Future Homemakers of America is to help individuals improve personal, family and community living. With this objective in mind we have chosen "Focus on Positive Action" as the theme for our National FHA Week. During this week FHA members across the

country will stress constructive activities which show that we are dedicated to improving life in America as we move toward new horizons in the future."

The young adults, members of the Future Homemakers of America, believe that the homes of the future are in the hands of youth. The members contribute to the community by working as volunteers with such groups as Head Start, the mentally retarded and handicapped, March of Dimes and UNICEF.

Since the Future Homemakers of America was founded in 1945, 12 million high school students have benefitted from the total program of development for the future.

The annual state meeting of Future Homemakers of America, an organization of high school

homemaking students, will be held in Memorial Auditorium, Dallas, Texas, May 2-3, 1969.

More than 5000 members and advisors representing 75,000 members in 1550 chapters throughout the state will attend.

The theme of the meeting is "FHA: Gateway to Dreams." Keynote speaker will be Miss Marilyn Van Derbur, former Miss America, who has chosen "Goals and Dreams" as the topic of her talk.

Mrs. Cecil Smith and boys of Odessa were overnight guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith Friday. Other visitors in the Smith home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Dean Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Smith, all of San Angelo. Cecil Smith of Odessa and Wayne Smith of Fort Worth visited their parents Tuesday.

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S. Dakota Rites For C. Clawson

Charles Clawson, former resident of Robert Lee, died Feb. 25. At the time of his death he had a ranch at Mud Butte, S. D.

Funeral services were held in Sturgis, S. D., and military rites were conducted by World War I veterans at the Black Hills National Cemetery.

He was born March 20, 1897, at Robert Lee and was the son of Wilson Lee and Tennessee Clawson, pioneer residents of Coke County.

Mr. and Mrs. Jett Hood were guests Sunday in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hood, in San Angelo.

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SOCIAL SECURITY PROGRAMS MARCH 18

The Coke County Program Building Committee is sponsoring two public meetings on social security retirement and Medicare benefits on Tuesday, March 18. The first will be at 2 p.m. in the Robert Lee High School Auditorium, and the second will be at 7 p.m. in Room 10 at the Bronte School.

Speaker will be Jules Gipson, field representative from the San Angelo Social Security office. In addition to a discussion on retirement and Medicare benefits, a 15 minute film on these subjects will be shown.

The general public is invited, and anyone wishing advance information may contact Fay Roe, home demonstration agent, or Sterling Lindsey, county agent, at their offices in the Coke County courthouse.

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Notes From The Oil Field

A wildcat was scheduled last Wednesday in Coke County. Pearson-Sibert Oil Co. of Texas, Midland, will drill a 7,000-foot Ellenburger wildcat in west Coke County, 12 miles northwest of Robert Lee, one mile north of the Millican (Strawn) field and 2 1/2 miles east of the one-well FP (Pennsylvanian) field. It is the No. 1 Camp.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

On February 10 I arrived in Robert Lee not knowing a soul and I must admit, a little scared.

Right from the start my fear disappeared. The citizens of Robert Lee simply took me in and treated me as if they had known me for years. Each person that I met made me feel welcome and made me feel like a part of the community. What really made me feel good was the fact that they really meant it. Not a single one seemed to be "just being nice."

If the people of every community, town and city would pattern themselves after the people of Robert Lee then the world would be a better place in which to live.

Your town's warm friendliness will always have a special place in my heart. I leave knowing that I have made many friends but most of all knowing a whole community that practices "True friendliness."

Thanks again for taking me in.

Sincerely,
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Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

PUBLIC NOTICE OF THE REQUIREMENT FOR RECORDATION AND LIMITATION OF CERTAIN CLAIMS OF WATER RIGHTS.

Notice is here given as required by Section 4 of the Water Rights Adjudication Act of 1967 (Article 7542a, Vernon's Civil Statutes) that all claims of riparian water rights, all claims under Article 7500a, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, to impound, divert or use public waters for other than domestic and livestock purposes for which no permit has been issued, all claims of water rights under the Irrigation Acts of 1889 and 1895 which were not filed with the State Board of Water Engineers in accordance with the Irrigation Act of 1913, as amended, and all other claims of water rights other than claims under permits and certified filings, must be recorded with the Texas Water Rights Commission. Section 4 does not apply to use of water for domestic and livestock purposes as the same is defined by Commission Rules.

On or before September 1, 1969, every person claiming any water right to which Section 4 applies shall file with the Commission a sworn statement setting forth the nature of the claim of water right. Claims to which the Section applies shall be recognized only if valid under existing law and only to the extent of actual application of water to beneficial use without waste during any calendar year from 1963 to 1967, inclusive. However, in any case where any claimant of a riparian right has prior to August 28, 1967, commenced or completed the construction of works designed to apply a greater quantity of water to beneficial use, such right shall be recognized to the extent of the maximum amount of water actually applied to beneficial use without waste during any calendar year from 1963 to 1970, inclusive; providing an additional sworn statement is filed on or before July 1, 1971. Failure to file the sworn statement or statements in substantial compliance with Section 4 shall extinguish and bar any claim of water right to which the Section applies.

Instructions and forms for recording claims may be obtained without cost from the Texas Water Rights Commission, P. O. Box 12396, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711.

Joe D. Carter, Chairman
TEXAS WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION.
(Publish March 6 & 13)

Mrs. A. J. Bilbo returned home last week from Abilene where she had been visiting in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gilmore, and helping to care for her new granddaughter, Rebecca Bell.

HAVE NEW DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gilmore of Abilene are parents of a new daughter, Rebecca Bell, born Feb. 21, in Hendricks Memorial Hospital. She weighed five pounds and eleven ounces. She has an older brother, Billy, who is 12 years old.

Mrs. Gilmore is the former Peggy Bilbo. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bilbo of Robert Lee.

PARENTS OF SON

Jeffrey Carlton is the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Meyers of Mineral Wells. He was born March 6 and weighed 7 pounds and 12 ounces.

Mrs. Meyers is the former Jamie Fields.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyers Sr. of Mineral Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Fields of Robert Lee. Mrs. Willie Yarbrough of Robert Lee is a great grandmother.

PERSONALS

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Key were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Shelbourne and sons, Gene Paul, Curtis and Jimmy of Amarillo. Other visitors in the Key home Sunday for a family reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Danny and Freddie, Mr. and Mrs. David Key, Joe David and DeAnna, all of Robert Lee.

Mrs. Bonieta Robertson was a guest in the home of her daughter, Elaine Robertson at Odessa over the weekend.

He is survived by his wife, the former Madona Sparks; a daughter, Mrs. Charline Castore; a brother, David Clawson of Lamesa; four sisters, Mrs. George Hester of San Angelo, Mrs. Will Payne of Robert Lee, Mrs. George Payne of Slaton and Mrs. Carlos Robb of Roswell, N. M., and one grandson.

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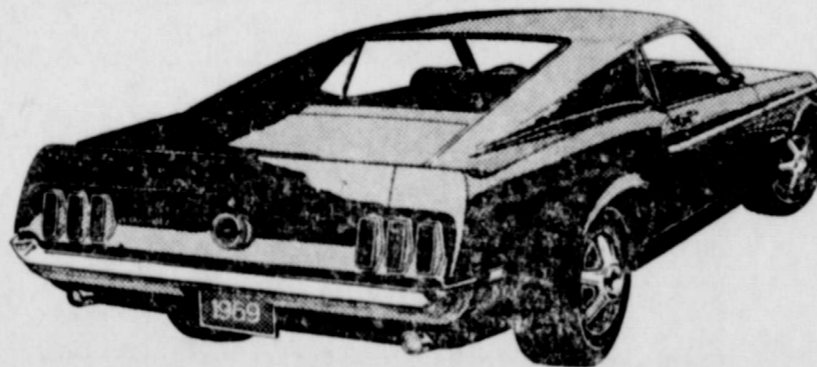
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TWO ROBERT LEE STUDENTS ON DEAN'S LIST AT ASC

Two Robert Lee students qualified for the Dean's 3.0 Honor Roll at Angelo State College during the fall semester, Dr. Hugh E. Meredith, ASC academic dean, has announced.

A semester grade average of "B" or better was necessary for listing on the honor roll, Dr. Meredith said.

The Robert Lee students earning the honor were:

Della Dean, daughter of Mrs. Wilson Bryan. She is majoring in music.

Thomas McBroom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell T. McBroom. He is a physics major at ASC.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Fields were weekend guests in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Meyers at Mineral Wells where they made the acquaintance of their new grandson. Mrs. Meyers and baby returned with her parents for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Fields spent the weekend at Fort Worth visiting in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Connie Brown.

INCOME TAX SERVICE

Beginning Monday, Jan. 6th, I will be in my office in Robert Lee on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and at Bronte Friday and Saturday, to assist you with your Income Tax Returns. Over 20 years experience all types tax accounting.

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Ph. 282-2291 Blackwell, Tex.

HEARD AT SANCO

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Gartman visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Winkler and family in Abilene last week. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gartman also visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Gartman, in Abilene.

Gaylon Pitcock was home from Texas Tech in Lubbock over the weekend and attended the Fat Stock Show and Rodeo in San Angelo.

Mrs. W. F. Scarborough and Mrs. G. H. Denman visited a son and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Scarborough in California recently.

Mrs. Green Preslar is in a Santa Anna hospital undergoing tests and treatment.

Hospital News

Wednesday, March 5 — Mrs. Gilbert Martinez admitted. H. L. Thompson, Mrs. Dwain Walker dismissed.

Thursday, March 6 — Mrs. Guy Denman, C. A. Farris, Richard Reyes, Mrs. Monico Flores admitted. Richard Reyes, Mrs. Gilbert Martinez and baby dismissed.

Friday, March 7 — Mrs. Ouida Scott admitted. Fagan Parker, Mrs. Joyce Simmons, Cumbie Ivey Jr., dismissed.

Saturday, March 8 — Jack Walker admitted.

Sunday, March 9 — Elsie Latham, Frank Allen, Lavina Yarbrough admitted. Mrs. Ouida Scott dismissed.

Monday, March 10 — Mrs. Guy Denman dismissed.

Fourteen patients remained in the Hospital and eight were in the Nursing Home Tuesday.

NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
CITY OF ROBERT LEE

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF ROBERT LEE, TEXAS:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 5th day of April, 1969 in the City of Robert Lee, Texas, at the place, in the manner, and for the officials set forth in the attached copy of an order for City Officers' Election, duly adopted by the Mayor of said City on the 4th day of February, 1969. Said attached order for City Officers' Election being made a part of this notice for all intents and purposes.

Edna Havins
City Secretary

ORDER FOR CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
CITY OF ROBERT LEE

I, Wilson Bryan, in my capacity as Mayor of the City of Robert Lee, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held in said City on the 5th day of April, 1969, for the purpose of electing 3 Aldermen.

That in accordance with an order adopted by the City Council

of said City, said election shall be held at the following place in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election.

In Election Precinct No. 1, at City Hall Building, in said City, with Mrs. W. E. Jacoby as Presiding Judge, and Willie Clark as Alternate Presiding Judge, and said Presiding Judge shall appoint the necessary clerks to assist him which shall not exceed two clerks.

Edna Havins is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting, and Jeffie Roberts is hereby appointed Deputy Clerk for absentee voting. The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at City Hall within said City and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least eight hours on each day for absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8 A.M. and 5 P. M. on each day of said absentee voting. The above described place for absentee voting is also the absentee clerk's mailing address to which

ballot applications and ballots voted by mail may be sent.

That said election shall be held in accordance with the Election Code of this State and only resident qualified voters of said city shall be eligible to vote at said election.

That the City Secretary shall give notice of said election by posting a copy of this order in each of the election precincts of said city, which posting shall be done not less than 30 days prior to date fixed for said election.

The City Secretary shall also cause a notice of publication of this election to be published one time in a newspaper of general circulation in this city, which publication shall be not more than 30 days nor less than 10 days before said election.

That immediately after said election is held, the officers holding the same shall make returns of the result thereof to the Mayor of this city as required by the Election Code of this State.

A copy of this order shall also serve as a writ of election which shall be delivered to the above appointed Presiding Judge, for said election.

Wilson Bryan,
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- All entries become the property of CITY SEWING MACHINE CO., Marysville, Kansas.
- Entries must be postmarked no later than 8 days from the receipt of this entry. So hurry, mail today! Winners of the Sewing Machine, Adjustable Dress Forms, Transistor Radios and Pinking Shears will be selected by drawing from among all correct entries. Other entries will receive a \$140.00 Discount Certificate. All prize winners will be notified by mail.
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Girl Scout Week Being Observed

Girl Scout Week, March 8-15, traditionally begins with Girl Scout Sunday, a day set aside for Girl Scouts to reaffirm their promise "to do my duty to God and my country."

Thus, the local Brownie and Junior troops attended services together last Sunday at the Methodist Church, accompanied by their leaders, Mrs. B. R. Duncan and Mrs. James Deen.

Girl Scouting is a program designed to help girls grow up with a code of friendship, loyalty, service and honor, to be better citizens, mother, homemakers, or career women.

In an article in the March issue of the "Girl Scout Leader", President Richard Nixon wrote "There has never been a greater need for a youth organization that encourages good citizenship and responsible personal conduct, international friendship and service to others. Mrs. Nixon joins me in congratulating you on 57 years of achievement and in extending good wishes to your three and three quarter million members for continued success and growth in your vital program for youth."

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Wilson and two sons of Winters were weekend guests in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson at Silver.

Jack Walker was admitted to West Coke Hospital Saturday.

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SINGING GROUP ORGANIZED

A singing group for Coke County was organized last month when a singing was held at the Methodist Church in Bronte.

John Clark of Tennyson was elected president; Harold Moon of Bronte is vice-president; and Mrs. R. C. (Mary) Patterson of Robert Lee is secretary.

The group will meet the fourth Sunday of each month with the next meeting on Sunday, March 23, at Tennyson Baptist Church.

Everyone who likes to sing or hear good gospel singing is invited, Clark said.

Land Bank Meet Held at Houston

J. H. Johnston of San Angelo has returned from Houston where he attended the annual Stockholders' Meeting of the Federal Land Bank. The meeting was attended by representatives from 73 Federal Land Bank Associations located throughout Texas. About 450 persons attended.

Delegates, alternates and guests heard President Herbert H. Decker give the annual report and addresses by W. R. Poage, Representative from the 11th Congressional District of Texas and Arthur A. Smith, senior vice-president and economist with the First National Bank in Dallas.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston makes long-term loans on farm and ranch property at the lowest interest cost consistent with sound business practices. Five times in the 52-year history of the System the billed interest rate on loans outstanding has been voluntarily reduced.

The Federal Land Bank Association of San Angelo makes and services loans in Coke, Irion, Reagan, Sterling and Tom Green Counties. Members of the board of directors are Johnston, president; C. E. Arrott of Bronte, vice president; A. J. Sefcik, Wm. C. Pfluger and David Glass. R. H. Emery is manager.

JAMES CALDER WINS TOP PRIZE AT SNAKE ROUNDUP

James Calder of Robert Lee won first prize at Coleman County's Rattlesnake Hunt last weekend. His catch of 198 pounds was tops among all the hunters who participated and he was awarded a trophy and \$50 prize.

Calder's brother, Ronnie, won the prize for the smallest snake and was awarded a trophy and \$10 prize.

Mrs. Juanita Trimble spent the weekend at Odessa visiting in the home of her son, James Coleman, and family.

Legal Notice

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF COKE

On this the 6th day of February, 1969, the Board of Trustees of Robert Lee Independent School District convened in regular session, open to the public, with the following members present, to-wit:

Douglas Gartman, President
Truman Hines
D. J. Walker, Jr.
Lewis Heuvel
J. W. Service, Jr.
Earl H. Ivey
Billy J. Blair

constituting a quorum, and among other proceedings had by said Board of Trustees was the following:

WHEREAS this school district has fewer than 500 scholastics and is subject to the terms and provisions of Article 2746a; and

WHEREAS on the first Saturday in April, 1969, being April 5th, 1969, a trustee election will be held in said School District for the purpose of electing 2 members to the Board of Trustees of said School District,

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF ROBERT LEE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

That an election be held in said School District on April 5th, 1969, for the purpose of electing 2 members to the Board of Trustees of said District.

That all requests by candidates to have their names placed upon the ballot for the above mentioned election shall be in writing and filed with the County Judge of the county in which this district is located not later than 30 days prior to date of said election.

That said election shall be held at the following place and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election.

At Robert Lee School Building, in Robert Lee, Texas, in said School District with Horace Bloodworth as Presiding Judge and Mrs. Bobby Roberts, Mrs. R. C. Patterson and Mrs. Gertrude Bloodworth, Clerks.

Miss Mildred Wallace is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting. The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at the Office of the County Clerk within the boundaries of the above named District and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least eight hours on each day for absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing

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through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8 A.M. and 5 P.M. on each day for said absentee voting. The above described place for absentee voting is also the absentee clerk's mailing address to which ballot applications and ballots voted by mail may be sent.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed as near as may be by the Election Code of this state, and the County Judge shall furnish, at the expense of this School District, all necessary ballots and other election supplies requisite to said election.

Immediately after said election has been held, the officers holding the same shall make returns of the results thereof to the County Judge and return the ballot boxes and other supplies of said election to the County Judge for safekeeping, and the Commissioners' Court shall canvass the returns of said election and notify the candidates and this Board of Trustees of the results thereof.

A copy of this order shall serve as notice of said election, and be posted in three different places in said School District, which posting shall be done not

less than 20 days prior to the date of said election. The Secretary of this Board of Trustees shall also cause a notice by publication of this election to be published one time in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where this school district is located, which publication shall be not more than 30 days nor less than 10 days before said election.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Board voted AYE: ALL, and the following voted NO: NONE.

DOUGLAS GARTMAN
President, Board of Trustees

ATTEST:
TRUMAN HINES
Secretary, Board of Trustees

Mrs. Bobby Mahon and sons, Bill and Roy Paul, of Weimar, and Mrs. Wilbert Genzer of Eagle Lake spent several days here visiting Mrs. P. E. Mahon, Mr. and Mrs. Ivey Eubanks and Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Counts. Roy Paul is on furlough. He recently completed his basic training at El Paso and, following his leave, will be sent to Baltimore, Md., for special training.

Pancake Supper

FRIDAY NIGHT
At SCHOOL CAFETERIA
In Robert Lee

Sponsored By
Robert Lee - Silver Lions Club
And Coke County 4-H Clubs

SERVING STARTS AT 5 P.M.

Admission: \$1.00 Per Person

An Exciting Program of
Entertainment Begins at 6:30 P.M.

OPEN HOUSE

At
HOLLAND'S FINA SERVICE
AND CAMPER SALES

ON NORTH U. S. 277

Saturday, March 15

— FREE —

Coffee and Donuts — Candy for the Kids
Complimentary Kleenex with Each Purchase

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1c Sale
March 13th thru
March 22

Many Other Store Values with This Sale!!

Farris City Drug Store

Services Held for E. J. Thomason, 48

Funeral services for E. J. Thomason, 48, were held at 3 p.m. Sunday in Robert Lee Methodist Church. Burial was in Robert Lee Cemetery directed by Williams Funeral Home.

Thomason died about 3 a.m. Friday in his home in the Sheppard Apartments of an apparent heart attack.

Mr. Thomason was born Jan. 8, 1921 in Valley View. He was a veteran of World War II, having served in Italy and Africa with the Navy. He was a construction worker.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Sally Thomason; a daughter, Miss Mary Beth Thomason of Hillsboro, N. H., and his mother, Mrs. Velma Thomason of Robert Lee.

Pallbearers were Curtiss Yarbrough of Midland, Dale Meixner of Buffalo Gap, Mike Casey, Turney Casey, Maurice Yarbrough and Sherman Williams of Robert Lee.

BCD to Sponsor Robert Lee Scout Troop During 1969

The BCD voted Tuesday to sponsor the Robert Lee Boy Scout Troop in 1969, after hearing a report of activities for the past year by Scoutmaster Gene Hinnard.

Five members of the BCD were appointed to serve as troop committee members during the coming year. They include Jimmy Bickley, chairman, Garland Davis, Jim Barnhill, Bobby Palmos and Hugh Lewis Jr. Davis is also advisor for the local Explorer Post.

Deadline for renewing the troop's charter is March 31.

Scoutmaster Hinnard's report stated that several of his scouts have advanced the past year to Star and Life rank and two members of the local troop have made Eagle. He stated he had 30 boys registered with the troop last year, but due to advancement to the Explorer Post and moving from Robert Lee, the total number expected to be registered for this year will be 23.

The scoutmaster told BCD members he would like for the committee to work toward the formation of a Women's Auxiliary to meet once a month. He said such an organization would enable its members to learn more about scouting, and they, in turn, would be a great benefit to the troop's program in organizing outings, parties, courts of honor etc.

Hinnard announced that Boy Scout dues this year would be increased to 50 cents per month for each member. Previously, each Scout has paid 10 cents for each weekly meeting.

The Robert Lee troop needs one more tent pack, the scoutmaster said. A pack contains four tents which are large enough to sleep two boys. Cost of a tent pack is about \$140, he said. Hinnard said the troop also needs to build a storage room onto the scout hut to house tents, canoes, supplies, etc. It was brought out that there is still some money in the scout fund left over from donations for the hut's new roof.

Gerald Allen reported that the highway hearing set to be held late this month in Austin had been cancelled and a new date will be announced later.

BCD President Garland Davis presided at the meeting and 13 members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill H. Roach Jr. of Dallas are visiting here this week with her mother, Mrs. Bill Trimble.

Lunchroom Menu

Monday, March 17
Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, buttered corn, potato chips, milk, vanilla pudding.

Tuesday, March 18
Tamales and chili, buttered rice, lime jello salad, hot rolls and butter, milk, pineapple upside down cake.

Wednesday, March 19
Roast and gravy, roast potatoes, green beans, celery sticks, hot rolls, butter, milk, honey and peanut butter.

Thursday, March 20
Pinto beans with salt pork, buttered potatoes, spinach, corn bread, butter, milk, peach cobbler.

Friday, March 21
Fish sticks with tartar sauce, creamed potatoes, garden salad, hot rolls, butter, milk, oatmeal cookies.

WANT ADS

Classified ads and cards of thanks are payable in advance unless customer carries a regular account. \$1.00 minimum charge if posted in ledger.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES
1st Insertion Per Word 5c
2nd and Subsequent Insertions Per Word 3c
Minimum Charge: 50c
Additional 50c for blind ads.

CARDS OF THANKS
Per word 5c — (Minimum \$1.00)

COPY DEADLINE:
Classified Ads — 4 p.m. Tuesday
Display Ads — 4 p.m. Tuesday

CARD OF THANKS
Our sincerest thanks for the numerous ways our friends helped us during our recent sorrow. The kindness and genuine neighborliness meant so much to us.
The Family of Mrs. Sally Millican.

CARD OF THANKS
We are sincerely grateful to friends and neighbors for their many kind acts of sympathy during our sad bereavement. Our special thanks for the food, flowers, cards and to Dr. McDaniel and the Nurses at the hospital.
Mrs. Velma Thomason and family.

CARD OF THANKS
We want to thank our many friends for the many gifts they gave us.
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Thomason

MUST pick up small piano and Hammond organ by March 25. Will allow responsible party with good credit rating to assume payment on either piano or organ or both. Call or write American Music Co., 209 E. 8th Odessa, phone FE 2-2711.

WILL TAKE ORDERS for special cake baking. Mrs. B. R. Duncan, 1010 W. 11th St., Ph. 453-5061.

FOR SALE — Complete set of bunk or twin beds, all maple, with linens. Ph. 453-5061.

FOR RENT — 2 bedroom furnished house, 12th and Austin. Call 453-2078 after 5 p.m. 4tc

FOR SALE — Upright piano with stool. Call 453-2891 after 5:30 p.m. 1tp

FOR RENT — Small 2 bedroom house. \$40.00 per month. Call 453-2201.

CARDS FOR ALL Occasions. Individual or by the box. Pearl Schooley, 1210 W. 11th, Phone 453-5221. 2tc



Double Stamps Every Wednesday (excluding cigarettes) on \$2.50 or more

GOLD MEDAL

Flour 5 lb. bag 49c

REYNOLDS HEAVY DUTY FOIL - Roll 55c

SWIFT'S VIENNA SAUSAGE - 4 for 89c

KRAFT MIRACLE WHIP SALAD DRESSING - Qt. Jar 59c

Meads Biscuits 3 for 25c

DEL MONTE NEW POTATOES, 303 Size - 2or 29c

STOKELY'S KRAUT, 303 Size - 2 for 39c

HI C ORANGE DRINK, 46 Oz. - 3 for 99c

RC or DIET RITE

COLAS 6 bot. crt. 39c

PREMIUM CRACKERS - 1 Lb. Box 33c

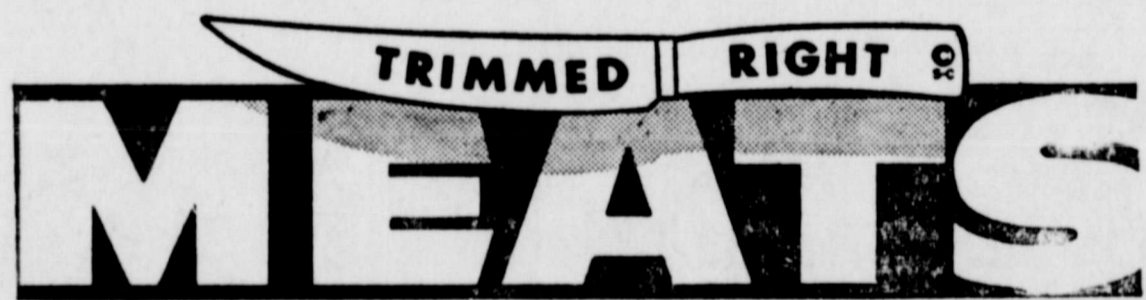


Fresh Corn 2 for 25c

RADISHES, Cello Bag - 2 for 25c

CABBAGE, Green and Firm - Lb. 6c

CUCUMBERS, Fresh - Lb. 23c



Pork Roast lb. 45c

GOOCH'S BEEF STEAK, Frozen - 1 Lb. Pkg. 79c

GOOCH'S FRANKS, All Meat - 12 Oz. Pkg. 43c

HORMEL OLEO, Quarters - 4 Lbs. 69c

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