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**UNVEILING MARKER**—Descendants of Cary Allen Gates, Confederate veteran who died in 1927, unveil a marker at his grave in Robert Lee Cemetery. The ceremony was held last Wednesday in connection with

the Pioneer Day Observance. From left are Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Roane, O. B. Jacobs (only top of head showing), Mrs. O. B. Jacobs and Myna Kay Roane.



**THE BEST PART**—Some of the persons attending the Pioneer Day celebration in Robert Lee last Wednesday are shown going through the

"chow line" at the covered luncheon held at noon. Following the meal there was a short program and lots of visiting.

## 50 Attend Pioneer Day Observance

By Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough

The fifth annual Pioneer Day sponsored by the Coke County Historical Survey committee was celebrated with a covered dish luncheon at the Recreation Center in the Coke County Park in Robert Lee, Wednesday, April 23, which was the 80th anniversary of the organization of Coke County, which took place on April 23, 1889.

Persons attending the affair came from every community in Coke County—Robert Lee, Bronte, Sanco, Silver, Hayrick, Edith, Tennyson and Divide.

Out-of-county towns represented included Abilene, El Paso, Happy, Houston, Lubbock, Roscoe and San Angelo.

J. W. Byrd came from Happy. He is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Byrd and the grandson of the late James Franklin Byrd, a Confederate veteran who settled at the Pecan Mott west of Hayrick in 1879.

Coming from Abilene was Mrs. Loujena Sheppard King, whose father, the late M. B. Sheppard, came to what later became known as Edith, in 1883, while the area was still a part of Tom Green County.

From San Angelo were Bill and Miss Laura Martin, Mrs. Leola Cummings, L. B. Menielle, the Rev. William Gaston, and Arnold Garcia, Jr., a reporter for the

Standard-Times.

Others returning from a distance included Mr. and Mrs. R. B. King, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ross, Lubbock; Mrs. Evelyn McKinley, Abilene; Joe Long, Snead, Roscoe; Mrs. H. H. King, Abilene.

A special guest of Mrs. Faye Roe, member of the Survey Committee, was Mrs. Jane Berry of Houston.

Honoring the memory of their

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## 1969 Honor Graduates Announced By School

Kathy Denman was named valedictorian of the 1969 Senior Class of Robert Lee High School this week when Prin. Garland Davis announced honor students for the class. Miss Denman had a four year average of 95.45 and a

two year average of 95.05. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Denman.

Named salutatorian of the class was Elaine Fikes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Fikes, who has a four year average of 93.24. Miss Fikes' average the last two years was 94.84.

High boy and third ranking member in the class is Quinn Conley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Conley. He has a four year average of 91.31, but his two year average is 92.31.

Two other seniors named honor graduates are Judy Gartman, whose four year average is 92.14 and her average the last two years is 92.26; and Vickie Rowoldt, who has a four year aver-

age of 90.93 and an average the past two years of 92.09. Miss Gartman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gartman and Miss Rowoldt is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rowoldt.

### Elementary School

Steve Meadows, son of Mr. and Mrs. Forest K. Meadows, is the top student in this year's eighth grade graduating class. Steve's grade average is 93.80.

Rosanna Boykin is the second ranking member of the eighth grade class with a 93.75 average. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boykin.

Other honor students in the class are Mandy Harmon, 93.50, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harmon; Rebecca Large, 92.00, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Large; and Harvey Wink, 91.88, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wink.

## Awards Presented To Top Bandsmen At Spring Concert

An award and recognition program for outstanding members of the Robert Lee Steer Band was held last Thursday night along with the annual concert of the four school bands.

Peggy Green was the recipient of the Band Sweetheart Award. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green. Band Beau Award went to John Carver, president of the band and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carver.

Bandsmen of the Year Awards went to Carver and Vickie Rowoldt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rowoldt. Band Director L. W. Parker said the Bandsman of the Year Awards are based on the students' loyalty, attention to duty, dependability, ability and helpfulness to the band director. He added that the choices were hard to make.

Awards jackets were also presented to Mary Donley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mert Donley; Donna Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wallace Jr.; Marilyn McBroom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell McBroom; Martha Kinsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kinsey; and Linda Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Parker.

Parker said this week that the band will lose five senior members at the end of this year; Carver; Quinn Conley, Miss Rowoldt, Miss Kinsey and Larry Sockwell.

The concert was attended by a large crowd. The program consisted of four parts, starting with the 16-member beginners band, and followed by the intermediate band with 27 members, the stage band with 31 members and the high school band with 66 members.

Director Parker said he was well pleased with the performances of his charges.

## 4-H Girls Tops In District Contest

Coke County's two entries in the District VII 4-H foods contest won first place in their divisions when competition was held Saturday in San Angelo.

Deone Derrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Derrick, took first place honors with her recipe for Calabacita in the fruit and vegetable group.

Sheri Pitcock was also a blue ribbon winner in the bread and cereal group with her recipe for whole wheat rolls. Sheri is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pitcock.

By virtue of their first place wins at the district level, both girls will be eligible to compete in the state contest which will be held June 2-4 in College Station.

### Entertainers Win

Jayne Kiker and Donna Sewell of Bronte won second place in the share-the-fun contest and will also participate in the state contests. The girls did a skit set to music.

Other Coke County girls taking part in the district contests were Cheri Baker and Kathy Deen, who entered the junior division of the food show.

Mrs. Jess Craddock of Colorado City visited Monday in the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. M. Wylie.

## Livestock Team In State Contest

The four-member team of the Robert Lee High School vocational agriculture judging team will leave here Friday for College Station where they will participate Saturday in the state livestock judging contests.

The team, composed of James Hood, James Wright, Neal Caulder and Waldon Millican, won a spot in the state contest when they placed in the top 10 per cent of the teams at an area contest last Saturday at Texas Tech in Lubbock. The four will be accompanied to Texas A&M University by their coach and teacher, LeRoy McDaniel.

The local judges placed seventh among the 140 teams at Lubbock.

Eldorado won first place in the area contest, and is one of the teams in the Concho District. Four of the eight teams in this district qualified to compete in the state contest, and include Eldorado, Bronte, Robert Lee and Sterling City.

Approximately 375 boys will enter the competition at College Station, and judging will cover two classes of cattle, two of sheep and three of hogs. In addition to judging these seven classes, the boys will have to grade two classes of feeder and one class of slaughter cattle.

"Qualifying to go to the state contest is an honor for our boys and our school," McDaniel said this week.

## Two Accidents Occur In Town

Two automobile accidents occurred in Robert Lee during the past few days.

The first happened at 8:15 p.m. Sunday when automobiles driven by Willie I. Tubb of San Angelo and Mrs. Daisy Black collided on Highway 158 approximately 175 feet south of Fifth Street. Both vehicles were heavily damaged and Tubb was hospitalized in West Coke County Hospital. Bob Brown, highway patrolman of Sterling City, who investigated the accident estimated damage to Mrs. Black's 1966 Chevrolet at \$2,000 and to Tubb's 1964 Cadillac at \$1,000.

Brown issued a traffic ticket to Mrs. Black for failure to yield right of way when coming out of a private drive.

The second accident occurred Monday night when a 1966 Chevrolet driven by Mike Denman, 18, of Robert Lee was in collision

with an International truck driven by Buck Gummings of Winters. The accident occurred at the intersection of Highway 208 and Austin Street. Both vehicles were traveling east when they collided. Patrolman Robert Sanders of Bronte investigated the accident and issued a ticket to Denman for failure to pass safely on the right side. Sanders estimated damage to Denman's vehicle at \$500.

No injuries were reported.

### Three Truck Accident

A three-truck accident occurred about 10:45 a.m. Monday on

Highway 277 northeast of Bronte. Damage to the vehicles was estimated at \$37,500, but no injuries were reported.

The accident occurred when a 1968 International truck and semi-trailer driven by Alton Crowley of Winters and a 1964 Chevrolet truck and trailer driven by Bobby Harris, also of Winters, parked alongside the highway. A Dr. Pepper truck, a 1968 GMC, driven by C. E. Steward of Abilene, collided with the two parked vehicles, scattering soft drink bottles over a 150 foot area.

Sanders also investigated this accident and issued a traffic violation ticket to Harris, charging him with parking on a roadway.

## Coke Heart Unit To Be Discussed

A meeting has been called for 3 p.m. today (Thursday) to discuss the prospects for organizing a Coke County unit of the Heart Association. The meeting will be held in the dining room at West Coke County Hospital.

Earl R. Palmer of San Angelo, regional director of the Heart Association, will be present to discuss the proposed unit.

Mrs. Kenneth Lackey, who served as chairman for the Coke County heart fund drive this year, said everyone who is interested in the work of the Heart Association is invited to attend the meeting.



### Robert Lee Population Estimated 1400; Resolution Going to Highway Officials

Robert Lee's population is now approximately 1,400, according to the best calculations which can be made from the number of electric meters in the city. W. D. McAdams reported at Tuesday's BCD meeting the West Texas Utilities Co. has 616 meters in the city. Mayor Wilson Bryan said the city has 490 water meters in operation.

G. C. Allen announced a meeting to discuss the new proposed interstate highway will be held in Snyder Friday and the matter will be heard at a meeting of the Texas Highway Commission May 5 in Austin.

BCD President Garland Davis read a resolution he had prepared and addressed to the commission. The resolution stated that the BCD "enthusiastically supports" the proposal that the new highway pass through or near Robert Lee. A vote of those present showed that the resolution carried. It reads as follows:

TO: The Honorable Dewitt C. Greer, Chairman, and Texas Highway Commission Members

WHEREAS, the Board of Com-

munity Development, City of Robert Lee, Texas, is vitally interested in a proposal to designate an Interstate Highway along or near the present route of U. S. Highway 84 from Lubbock, Texas to Snyder, Texas; then, along or near Texas State Highway 208 from Snyder, Texas, to San Angelo, Texas, and recognizing the route to be the most direct means of highway travel from Lubbock to San Angelo; and,

WHEREAS, the Board also recognizes a need for better highway facilities to service the tourist and recreational facilities being developed at Robert Lee with the completion of the Robert Lee Dam do hereby and enthusiastically support the following RESOLUTION:

#### RESOLUTION

Be it, hereby, RESOLVED that: the Robert Lee "BCD" encourage and persuade the Texas Highway Commission to accept and endorse a proposal that Interstate Highway 27 be routed from Lubbock, Texas, to San Angelo, Texas, along or near U.S. Highway 84 and Texas State Highway 208, to pass through or near Robert Lee, Texas.

Respectfully Submitted:  
Board of Community Development

Robert Lee, Texas  
Garland Davis, President

Allen told the BCD that as many persons as possible should attend the May 5 hearing in Austin. He said the number of Robert Lee supporters for the proposal could have a determining effect on the decision of commission members.

President Davis announced that a film, "Within Our Grasp," will be shown at the May 13 BCD meeting. The program concerns teachers and education and problems involved in the teaching profession.

Mayor Bryan reported that some work is being done this week at the new city park, and added that the reservoir above Robert Lee Dam is catching water from last week's rains.

Hugh Lewis, chairman of a committee to prepare a new brochure to advertise the city and area, said he has received a number of sample brochures and the study of what to include is being continued.

McAdams said that more highway markers are needed to direct travelers through the city on the new Sterling City highway. He said street lighting on the new highway will be done in the next two weeks and should be of help to night travelers.

Twelve members were present and Mrs. George Palmos of Hearn was a guest of her son, Bobby Palmos.

### Services Held for Jerry Earl Reed, 19

Graveside services were conducted Tuesday afternoon in Robert Lee Cemetery for Jerry Earl Reed, 19, of Rankin. Funeral rites were held earlier at First Baptist Church in Rankin. Both services were conducted by the Rev. J. D. Elkins, Rankin pastor.

Reed was killed in a one-car turnover about 5 a.m. Sunday 11 miles west of Crane.

A student in Rankin High School the youth was born Oct. 24, 1949, in Big Lake.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl J. Reed of Rankin; two sisters, Mrs. Roy Bazar of Robert Lee and Miss Mary Reed of Rankin; three brothers, Roy Lee Reed of Odessa and Jackie Reed and Joe Reed, both of Rankin.

### Bangs Rites Held For Mrs. Hawkins

Mrs. Roy (Villa) Hawkins, 73, of Bangs died at 6 p.m. Friday in a San Antonio hospital after a long illness.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Monday, April 21, at the Bangs Baptist Church, the Rev. J. B. Chick officiated. Burial was in the Bangs Cemetery under direction of Davis Morris Funeral Home.

Villa Cox was born Oct. 10, 1895 in Hamilton County. She was a member of the Baptist Church. She was a member of the Baptist Church. She married Roy Hawkins at Brownwood Nov. 10, 1945.

Survivors include her husband, a son, Rex Fritts of San Antonio; a step-son, Roy Hawkins Jr. of Brownwood; three daughters, Mrs. Betty Omstead of Big Spring, Mrs. B. L. Hamlett of Brownwood and Mrs. Yevon Barbee of Bangs; four brothers, Floyd Cox of Big Spring, Herman Cox of Comanche, Virgle and Noble Cox, both of Bangs; two sisters, Mrs. Patsy Phillips of Brownwood and Mrs. Violet Kirkpatrick of Robert Lee.

Friends and relatives attending the funeral from Robert Lee were Mmes. Kirkpatrick, A. D. Fields, Bill Trimble, Lois Mae Smith, Opal Baker and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Service Jr. and children.

Jim Robertson was released from West Coke Hospital last Thursday following a two weeks stay. He reports he is feeling much better.

#### Alamo Theatre

Fri. - Sat., May 2 - 3  
"Shattered Room"  
Sun. - Mon., May 4 - 5  
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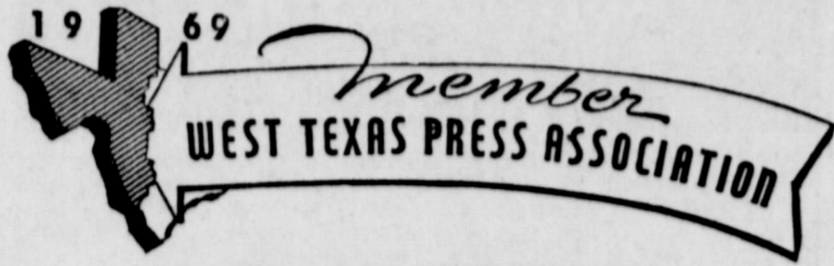
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**GRANDCHILDREN INJURED**

A two car accident Sunday at the intersection of Cleo and Paint Rock Road in San Angelo caused six persons to be taken to Shannon Hospital for treatment of injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Harvey Caves and two children, David, 4, and Sherry, 7, Leonard Drew Kevil, Rt. 1, San Angelo and Mrs. Hollie Kevil were admitted to the hospital.

The Caves children were treated for cuts and bruises and released to their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roe of Robert Lee. Conditions of the other persons involved were undetermined on Tuesday.

**Robt. Lee School Honor Roll Given**

Honor roll for the fifth sixs week period in Robert Lee school was released this week by school officials. It is as follows:

- Seventh grade — Phyllis Wojtek.
- Eighth grade — Rosanna Boykin, Rebecca Large, Jerry Wojtek.
- Ninth grade — Mary Donley, Patti Ivey, Linda Parker.
- Tenth grade — Beverly Shandley.
- Eleventh grade — Clifford Burch, John Counts.
- Twelfth grade — Quinn Conley, Kathy Denman, Elaine Fikes, Judy Gartman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Elliott spent the weekend at their farm at Katempcy. Visitors in their home were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Delmo Elliott and family of Katempcy, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Goff and children of Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Russell of Austin and Holley Clevenger of Voca.

**WELCOME**

**Robert Lee Baptist Church**  
West 11th and Chadbourne  
Bill Beaty, Pastor

Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union ..... 6:00 p.m.  
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By MRS. FAY C. ROE

**Phonies on the Phone**

Crooked sales pitches via the telephone are on the rise. They trap people into buying things they don't need or into seeing salesmen they don't want to see. Tricks include free gifts, phoney surveys and how to get-rich-quick schemes.

Here are tips which may warn you of phonies.

\*The caller gives no identification.

\*He says he is making a survey and requests a personal interview.

\*He assures you he is not selling anything — just wants to interview you as part of an advertising campaign.

\*He describes a "special offer" that your common sense tells you is too good to be true.

\*He reels off prices, costs, offers and questions so fast that you cannot follow what he is telling you.

What should you do? The Better Business Bureau suggests replying: "Please send me a letter about the matter. I'll consider your offer after I've had a chance to investigate. Thank you for calling. Good-bye."

This way you discourage a gyp artist while not cutting yourself off from someone whose business is perfectly legitimate.

Legitimate callers also can be a nuisance, if they call at an inconvenient time or they refuse to take no for an answer. If you aren't interested — just say good-bye and hang up.

**Food For Thought**

At least two cups of milk a day is recommended for all adults who need the calcium in milk for strong bones and teeth. "Eaten" milk counts toward this requirement and a good share of the day's milk can appear in soups, cereals, sauces, casseroles and dessert.

Evaporated milk is ideal "eating" milk as it contains twice the nutrients of whole milk. It blends easily with other ingredients and adds extra richness and creaminess to sauces and soups. Use it in soup stocks and with canned soups in place of water. Mash potatoes with evaporated milk for smooth and fine flavored potatoes. When scrambling eggs, add 1/2 cup evaporated milk for every 4 eggs.

The food dollar isn't what it seems. Today we actually spend less, percentage-wise, of our income on food than ever before. Percentage of income spent by average Americans for food declined from 20.7 percent in 1957 to 17.4 percent in 1967, down 17.2 percent in 1968, according to U. S. Department of Agriculture statistics. Food costs definitely have not increased as fast as the wages of food buyers. Farmers received 39 cents out of the dollar spent for a market basket of U. S. farm foods in 1968, an increase of one cent over 1967. The remaining 61 cents of the food dollar went to processors, packagers, transporters, and all other persons involved in bringing goods from farm to the retail check-out counter.

**FRIENDSHIP WHD CLUB TO GIVE TREE TO PARK**

Members of the Friendship WHD Club decided to give money to buy a tree for the new city park when they met April 22 in the home of Mrs. Gene Baker. All the trees for the new park have been donated by interested persons and business firms.

Mrs. Curtis Walker and Mrs. Lowell Roane gave the program at the club meeting on Citizenship. Ten members and one child were present.

**MOTHER'S DAY**

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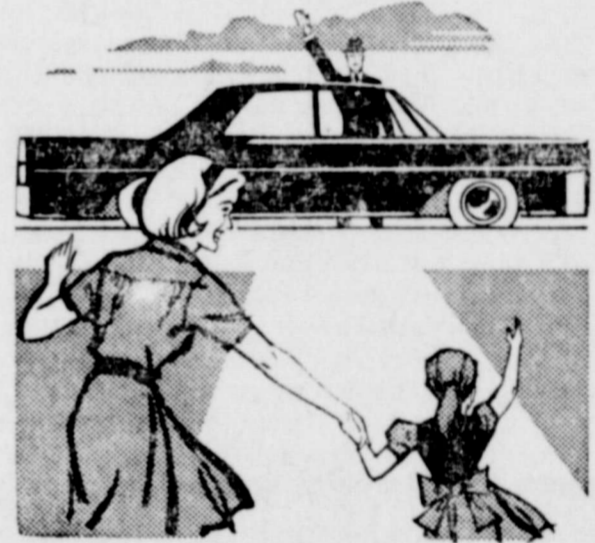
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## Striped Bass Added to Fish Inventory

Texas added 500,000 striped bass fish to its fish inventory last week.

The tiny fish were flown from the South Carolina Wildlife Reservoir Department's fish hatchery at Moncks Corner to the Parks and Wildlife Department's San Angelo fish hatchery, the Tyler Fish Hatchery and Navarro Mills Reservoir in Navarro County.

### BROCK IN AIR FORCE

Larry Brock, son of Mrs. Carl Brock, left Monday for Lackland Air Force Base in San Antonio. He recently enlisted in the Air Force and will take his basic training there.

Brock graduated from Robert Lee High School in May, 1967 and has attended Angelo State College for two years. He will go into medical training when his basic course is finished.

### HARMONY HD CLUB

The Harmony H. D. Club met April 23 in the home of Mrs. James Deen. The lesson was on "Making Purses."

Members present were Mmes. Sarge Martin, Clayton Bloodworth and Patty, Mrs. Bob Gulley, Mrs. James Deen, Mrs. C. N. Webb and Shane, Mrs. Rex Brand and Guy.

The next meeting will be May 14 at the City Park.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Killam and children of Oklahoma City were overnight guests Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Killam. Other guests in the Killam home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Junior Bean and family of San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Sullivan of Seminole were weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Elsie Latham. Mrs. Ollie Stepp of Ringling, Okla., is spending the week here in the Latham home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vaughan were weekend guests in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lomas, in Odessa.

Mrs. Finis Harmon left last Monday for Irving to spend some time in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Joe Harmon, and to help care for her new grandchild.

Some 200,000 of the fry are slated for the San Angelo hatchery and will be raised to fingerling size and placed in Robert Lee Reservoir.

Striped bass stocking is still in its experimental stages in Texas. Since the three-year program began in 1967, striped bass have been stocked in Navarro Mills Reservoir and Lake Bardwell.

These lakes were chosen because they had no population of white or yellow bass which belong to the same family as striped bass, and there could, therefore, be no mistaking one fish for another when one was caught.

This is important to biologists who want to check angler success and growth rate of the fish.

The rising waters of the newly-created Robert Lee Reservoir have a sparse fish population, and biologists want to see if better striper survival could be obtained by stocking under these conditions.

Stripers, a saltwater species, will be a supplemental boon to the angler's reel. An extremely predacious species which reach a weight of 20 pounds, striped bass should help keep down excessive populations of undesirable fish; and at the same time, provide an excellent sport and food fish.

Robert Lee Reservoir will get them after they reach about two inches in length.

## Lunchroom Menus

### Monday, May 5

Barbecue weiners, creamed potatoes, peach half with cottage cheese on lettuce, hot rolls, butter, milk, raisin and oatmeal cookies.

### Tuesday, May 6

Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, buttered corn, milk, chocolate pudding.

### Wednesday, May 7

Corn dogs, lima beans, fruit jello on lettuce, corn bread, butter, milk, apple cobbler.

### Thursday, May 8

Beef stew with potatoes and onions, English peas, cole slaw, hot rolls, butter, milk, apple cobbler.

### Friday, May 9

Baked ham, buttered potatoes, green beans celery sticks, hot rolls, butter, milk, prunes.

## HEARD AT SANCO

Mrs. Palmer Leeper recently returned from a sightseeing tour in Old Mexico.

Mrs. Bryan Gartman has returned home from the hospital.

Gaylon Pitcock was home from Texas Tech in Lubbock last weekend.

Carolynn Prine was home last Saturday from Abilene.

Mrs. J. L. Carwile, Effie and Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Reid, James, Lvon and Mrs. Lura Reid attended the singing in Robert Lee last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulmer Bird visited friends in Colorado City recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell and children of Winters visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGallan last Sunday.

### TRANSFERRED TO CALIF.

Sgt. and Mrs. Otis Carroll Robertson and family left the early part of April for Fairfield Air Force Base, Calif., where they will be stationed until June 15. The family then will be transferred to Oklahoma where Sergeant Robertson will be assigned to a school for special training. The sergeant recently completed three months of special schooling at Shepard AFB at Wichita Falls. Mrs. Robertson and their two sons have lived here with his father, Jim L. Robertson, while he was in the Wichita Falls school.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Askins and Chuck of Lubbock were visitors in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Askins and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth at Silver over the weekend.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (HJR4)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51-d, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 51-d. The Legislature shall have the power, by general law, to provide for the payment of assistance by the State of Texas to the surviving spouse and minor children of officers, employees, and agents, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and members of organized police reserve or auxiliary units with authority to make an arrest, of the state or of any city, county, district, or other political subdivision who, because of the hazardous nature of their duties, suffer death in the course of the performance of those official duties. Should the Legislature

enact any enabling laws in anticipation of this amendment, no such law shall be void by reason of its anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for payment of assistance to surviving spouses and minor children of governmental officers, employees, and agents, including members of organized volunteer fire departments and certain organized police reserve units, who have hazardous duties and are killed in the performance of those duties."

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 24, Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 24. The Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall each receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary in an amount to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed one-half the annual salary of the Governor. Each other member of the Legislature shall receive from the Public Treasury an annual salary to be fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed the annual salary paid to a district judge from state funds. Members of the Legislature shall also receive a per diem of not exceeding Twelve Dollars (\$12) per day during each Regular and Special Session of the Legis-

lature. No Regular Session shall be of longer duration than one hundred and forty (140) days.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on August 5, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment providing that the Lieutenant Governor and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall receive a salary fixed by the Legislature, not to exceed one-half the salary of the Governor; providing that the Legislature shall fix the salary of the other members, not to exceed that received by a district judge from state funds; and removing the 120-day limitation on per diem for regular sessions."

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (SJR8)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 51-a of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended, and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Section 51-a. The Legislature shall have the power, by General Laws, to provide, subject to limitations herein contained, and such other limitations, restrictions and regulations as may be by the Legislature be deemed expedient, for assistance grants to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and any other services included in the federal laws as they now read or as they may hereafter be amended, providing matching funds to help such families and individuals attain or retain capability for independence or self-care, and for the payment of assistance grants to and/or medical care for, and for rehabilitation and other services to or on behalf of:

- (1) Needy aged persons who are citizens of the United States or non-citizens who shall have resided within the boundaries of the United States for at least twenty-five (25) years;
- (2) Needy individuals who are totally and permanently disabled by reason of a mental or physical handicap or a combination of physical and mental handicaps;
- (3) Needy blind persons;
- (4) Needy dependent children and the caretakers of such children.

"The Legislature may prescribe such other eligibility requirements for participation in these programs as it deems appropriate.

"The Legislature shall have authority to enact appropriate legislation which will enable the State of Texas to cooperate with the Government of the United States in providing assistance to and/or medical care on behalf of needy persons, in providing rehabilitation and any other services included in the federal laws

making matching funds available to help such families and individuals attain or retain capability for independence or self-care, to accept and expend funds from the Government of the United States for such purposes in accordance with the laws of the United States as they now are or as they may hereafter be amended, and to make appropriations out of state funds for such purposes; provided that the maximum amount paid out of state funds to or on behalf of any needy person shall not exceed the amount that is matchable out of federal funds; provided that the total amount of such assistance payments only out of state funds on behalf of such individuals shall not exceed the amount of Eighty Million Dollars (\$80,000,000) during any fiscal year.

"Supplementing legislative appropriations for assistance payments authorized by this Section, the following sums are allocated out of the Omnibus Tax Clearance Fund and are appropriated to the State Department of Public Welfare for the period beginning September 1, 1969 and ending August 31, 1971: Three Million, Six Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$3,600,000) for Old Age Assistance, Two Million, Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,500,000) for Aid to the Permanently and Totally Disabled, and Twenty-Three Million, Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$23,900,000) for Aid to Families with Dependent Children. Such allocations and appropriations shall be made available on the basis of equal monthly installments and otherwise shall be subject to the provisions of currently existing laws making allocations and appropriations for these purposes.

"Provided further, that if the limitations and restrictions herein contained are found to be in conflict with the provisions of appropriate federal statutes, as they now are or as they may be amended to the extent that federal matching money is not available to

the state for these purposes, then and in that event the Legislature is specifically authorized and empowered to prescribe such limitations and restrictions and enacts such laws as may be necessary in order that such federal matching money will be available for assistance and/or medical care for or on behalf of needy persons.

"Nothing in this Section shall be construed to amend, modify or repeal Section 31 of Article XVI of this Constitution; provided further, however, that such medical care, services or assistance shall also include the employment of objective or subjective means, without the use of drugs, for the purpose of ascertaining and measuring the powers of vision of the human eye, and fitting lenses or prisms to correct or remedy any defect or abnormal condition of vision. Nothing herein shall be construed to permit optometrists to treat the eyes for any defect whatsoever in any manner nor to administer nor to prescribe any drug or physical treatment whatsoever, unless such optometrist is a regularly licensed physician or surgeon under the laws of this state."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday in August, 1969. At the election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting "FOR" or "AGAINST" the proposition: "The Constitutional Amendment providing for assistance to and/or medical care on behalf of the needy aged, the needy blind, the needy dependent children and their caretakers; establishing Eighty Million Dollars (\$80,000,000) as the maximum amount that may be paid per year from state funds for assistance only; allocating and appropriating additional sums supplementing current legislative appropriations for assistance grants; and authorizing the Legislature to enact such laws as may be necessary in order that federal matching money will be available for assistance and/or medical care."

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (HJR50)

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a new Section 50b-1 to read as follows:

"Section 50b-1. (a) The Legislature may provide that the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, or its successor or successors, shall have authority to provide for, issue and sell general obligation bonds of the State of Texas in an amount not to exceed Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000) in addition to those heretofore authorized to be issued pursuant to Section 50b of the Constitution. The bonds authorized herein shall be executed in such form, upon such terms and be in such denomination as may be prescribed by law and shall bear interest, and be issued in such installments as shall be prescribed by the Board provided that the maximum net effective interest rate to be borne by such bonds may be fixed by law.

(b) The moneys received from the sale of such bonds shall be deposited to the credit of the Texas Opportunity Plan Fund created by Section 50b of the Constitution and shall otherwise be handled as provided in Section 50b of the

Constitution and the laws enacted pursuant thereto.

"(c) The said bonds shall be general obligations of the state and shall be payable in the same manner and from the same sources as bonds heretofore authorized pursuant to Section 50b.

"(d) All bonds issued hereunder shall, after approval by the Attorney General, registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under this Constitution.

"(e) Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment such acts shall not be void because of their anticipatory nature."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August, 1969, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for additional loans to students at institutions of higher education under the Texas Opportunity Plan."



## Little League Play Set May 6-June 24

Official schedule for the Colorado River Little League for 1969 was released this week.

Officers of the organization are William T. Roach, president; Durwood Mumford, vice-president; and Mrs. Winnie Waldrop,

## Prize Winning 4-H Recipes

Sheri Pitcock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pitcock of Sando, was a blue ribbon winner in the recent 4-H Foods Show. Here is her prize-winning recipe:

### WHOLE WHEAT ROLLS

½ cup lukewarm water  
1 package yeast  
1½ cups lukewarm buttermilk  
¼ cup sugar  
½ cup melted shortening  
2 cups whole wheat flour  
3 cups white flour  
½ teaspoon soda  
1 teaspoon salt

Sprinkle the yeast into the luke warm water. Dissolve and add to the lukewarm milk. Let stand 10 minutes. Add the sugar to the melted fat and mix with the liquid ingredients. When stiff enough to knead, place on floured board or pastry cloth and knead until smooth and elastic. Place in a greased bowl and let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down, and shape into rolls. Let rise until almost doubled in size.

Bake at 425° F. 15 to 20 minutes.

Deone Derrick's recipe for her blue ribbon winner in the senior division, fruit and vegetable group, is as follows:

### Calabacita

1 lb. squash  
1 small eggplant  
1 3 oz. package cream cheese  
1 tablespoon grated onion  
1 egg, beaten  
1½ teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon Accent  
1 4 oz. can green chilis, drained and chopped  
1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce

Crushed corn chips  
Chop squash and eggplant into 4-quart pan. Stew until tender (approximately 25 minutes). Drain well; mash with other ingredients (except corn chips) until fairly smooth. Place in a greased 1½-quart baking dish. Top with crushed corn chips. Bake at 375 degrees F. for 30 minutes or until inserted knife comes out clean. Serves 8-10.

Bread crumbs may be substituted for corn chips.

secretary. All are from Robert Lee.

Five teams will participate in the league this year — two from Robert Lee, two from Sterling City, and one from Bronte.

Teams and their managers are: Cardinals, Robert Lee, Dale Wojtek; Indians, Robert Lee, Allan Rowoldt; Yankees, Bronte, Eddie Alexander; Giants, Sterling City, J. K. Martin; Astros, Sterling City, Kenneth Peel.

### The Schedule

Team listed first is the home team:

May 6: Giants—Cardinals; Indians — Astros; Dodgers — Yankees.

May 9: Indians — Giants; Dodgers — Cardinals Astros — Yankees.

May 13: Giants — Dodgers; Yankees — Indians; Cardinals — Astros.

May 16: Yankees — Giants; Astros — Dodgers; Indians — Cardinals.

May 20: Giants — Astros; Cardinals — Yankees; Dodgers — Indians.

May 23: Cardinals — Giants; Astros — Indians; Yankees — Dodgers.

May 27: Giants — Indians; Cardinals — Dodgers; Yankees — Astros.

May 30: Dodgers — Giants; Indians — Yankees; Astros — Cardinals.

June 3: Giants — Yankees; Dodgers — Astros; Cardinals — Indians.

June 6: Astros — Giants; Yankees — Cardinals; Indians — Dodgers.

June 10: Giants — Cardinals; Indians — Astros; Dodgers — Yankees.

June 13: Indians — Giants; Dodgers — Cardinals; Astros — Yankees.

June 17: Giants — Dodgers; Yankees — Indians; Cardinals — Astros.

June 20: Yankees — Giants; Astros — Dodgers; Indians — Cardinals.

June 24: Giants — Astros; Cardinals — Yankees; Dodgers — Indians.

Norton will not field a team this year, there fore there will be an odd team, and there will be a five team schedule.

Mrs. Juanita Trimble and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Coleman, spent the weekend at Lake Brownwood.

Mrs. George Palmos of Hearn is spending this week in the home of her son, the Rev. Bobby Palmos, and family.

## WANT ADS

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

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Registered yearling quarter mare. Bob Gulley, 453-3923.

LOST — Black and tan Dachshund dog. Name is Clyde. Collar, with Raymond Hartley, owner on tag. \$10.00 reward. Phone 4532651. Will pick up. 2tp

HAVE-A-HEART Kennels, dog and cat boarding, left 3½ miles on Farm Road 2105 at 1st blinker lite when entering San Angelo. 653-1625. 8tc

WANT TO BUY — Rotary Tiller. Call 453-3501.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Robert Lee will take bids for a light industrial tractor

SPECIFICATIONS:  
Not less than 39.1 P.T.O.  
Horsepower

Namual Reversing Transmission

Transmission Power Takeoff  
Live Hydraulic System  
Power Steering

Foot Accelerator  
Swinging Drawbar  
Industrial type seat

2 Headlights, tail light  
7.50 x 16, 6 ply tires... Front  
14.9 x 24, 6 ply tires... Rear

Bids will be opened May 8, at 4 p.m. in City Hall

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids.  
Run April 24, May 1

FOR SALE: 24 weeks old pullets, laying. \$1.70 each. Call M. A. Cox, 453-4513

WANTED—Lawns to mow. Call Steve Meadows, 453-5781.

Monuments  
Grave Markers  
Lettering

Representing Birk Monument Mfg. Co.  
Sam L. Williams, Phone 453-3601

FOR SALE — 1961 Ford Ranch Wagon, with air. See W. D. McAdams at WTU Co. office, Robert Lee. Phone 453-2151. tn

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

WANTED: Lawns to mow. Call David Beaty at 453-3901. 3tp

FOR SALE — Ten year old gelding. Good roping horse, gentle. Call 453-4411. tn

ARTIC CIRCLE or Del Norte Air Conditioners, any type or size. Free estimate for new central or window installation. Have trade-ins. Also almost new CB radio rig for sale. Hambright Plumbing 453-3441. 1013 W. 11th. tn

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

Mrs. Elbert Utzman and the Wesley Smith family, all of San Angelo, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Smith.

## Historical Tour Extends Over 48 Miles

A 48-mile "Scenic and Historical Tour" sponsored by the Runnels and Coke County Historical Survey Committees was held Saturday afternoon, April 26.

A total of 50 persons, mainly adults who are interested in the early history of the two counties but including a few teen-agers who were interested in the soldier-Indian aspect of the tour, took the trip.

Leaving Winters Scout Hut at 1:30 p.m., they visited six sites, which are important landmarks in the history of the two counties, some of which are well-known and at least two of them not so well known.

Three miles northwest of Winters the group saw the lone grave of a Civil War Veteran, I. M. Barton, who was born Nov. 7, 1817 and died May 2, 1892. Mr. Barton built and operated a one-station gin in Winters in 1890. Upon his death, he was buried at his home before there was a cemetery at Winters.

Passing by Pumphrey, a pioneer village, the caravan continued to Wingate cemetery, where Mayor Wade White told the story of the important battle between Rangers and Indians which took place at nearby Valley Creek. It was in that battle that the notorious Kiowa Chief Big Foot was killed.

From Wingate the tour continued via U.S. 277 to Old Fort Chadbourne on the C. H. Wylie Ranch in Coke. After circling the old Parade grounds at the old fort and viewing the ruins, they made a stop in a liveoak grove near the Ft. Chadbourne Cemetery, where Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough related the history of the fort and the nearby cemetery, both of which were established in

1852. She then led the group to an Indian Rock Shelter near the cemetery. Here the group viewed Indian carvings still in tact on the ceiling of the cave-like shelter.

Between the cemetery and the rock shelter, Mrs. Yarbrough pointed out several rock-covered graves outside the fenced cemetery. According to the late C. H. Wylie, there are about 30 such graves scattered over the ranch, all unmarked except one. Its marker bears the name "M. Graham."

Last stop was to read a marker at Poe Corner on the return trip to Winters. The Coke group returned to Bronte as they had seen the Poe marker on their way to Winters.

Rankin Pace of Winters is chairman of the Runnels County Historical Survey Committee. Mrs. Yarbrough is chairman of the Coke County HSC.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Boone visited Saturday at Sweetwater in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Glasgow and children.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. "Doo-Dad" Davis and Mrs. Wesley Kinsey spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting in the home of their brother, Bob L. Davis, and family.

Mrs. Elva Jameson of Colorado City was a visitor here in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mathers, Sunday. She also visited other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Springer and family of San Angelo visited Sunday in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wyatt.

## Paint Creek Cemetery Working

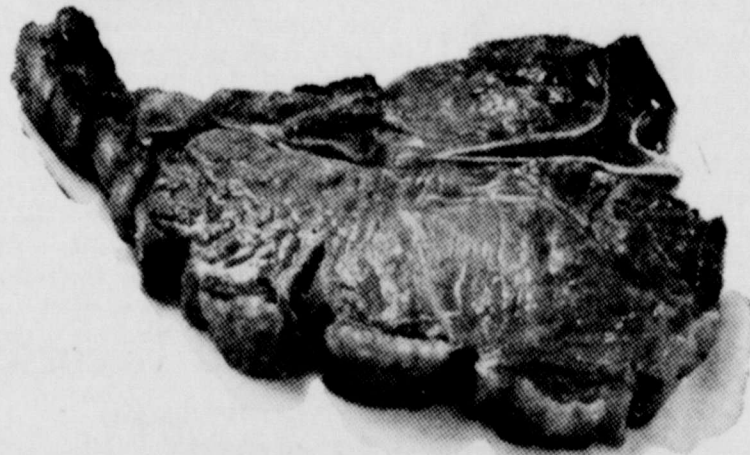
Saturday, May 10, 1969

WITH COVERED DISH LUNCHEON

Business Meeting in Afternoon

The Association Urges Everyone to Attend

## The 30% faster T-bone



## Compliments of gas infra-red broiling.

Gas infra-red concentrates its heat directly onto the meat...searing the outside so all the juices stay inside! You broil up to 30% faster, yet with reduced shrinkage. And the results are tender and delicious! That's the beauty of gas infra-red. Just one more reason why a gas range is made for good cooking...and for folks who love good cooking.

When you think about it, Gas living makes sense!



## HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

What could make Mother happier than a new Catalina appliance, and at such low, low prices?

**Catalina Deluxe Gas Range - \$229**

36" Range—Oven Window and Storage

**Catlina Deluxe Electric Range, \$199**

36" Range—Oven Window and Storage

**Catalina Gas Dryer - - \$139**

Full Capacity

**Catalina Side-by-Side Refrigerator-Freezer - \$399**

Lovely Coppertone, No-Frost, 21.3 Cu. Ft., 312 Lb.

Freezing Capacity

## WHITE AUTO STORE

AUBREY & ZADA DENMAN



**PIONEER DAY —**

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pioneer parents were Mrs. A. B. (Pearl) Sheppard and Mrs. Mark (Sadie) Chumley, daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Q. McCabe. Mr. McCabe came to the area in 1879 and brought Mrs. McCabe as his 18-year-old bride in 1882.

Born in 1877, Will Millican, 92, was the oldest person present. Hawley Allen, who also was born in 1877, was second in age. He said that he will not be 92 until November 29. Although some months younger than Mr. Millican Mr. Allen came to Coke in 1889, a year before Millican's arrival in 1890. Mrs. Hawley Allen, the former Amelia Caraway, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wylie T. Caraway, is a few years younger than either her husband or Mr. Millican, but she came here in 1883, while the area was still a part of Tom Green.

L. A. Bird of Sanco was another who came before Coke County was organized. He recalled that he arrived in 1887 by wagon train with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Miller Bird. He also recalled the story of "The Battle of Dove Creek," which his father had related to him many times.

Bill Martin was the oldest native-born Coke Countian attending, but several other native "Rabbit Twisters" present are not far behind Martin in age. Miss Laura Martin, several years younger than her brother and presently serving with the Coke County Historical Survey Committee was present to help with the festivities.

Mrs. Leola (Reed) Cummings, daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. John Reed, was reared in the Edith community. She is an aunt of Mrs. Frank Coalson, a local teacher who accompanied Mrs. Cummings to the luncheon.

The Rev. William Gaston, son of Mrs. Sam Gaston and the late Mr. Gaston, related fond memories of his early life in the Tennyson and Mule Creek area. Also recalling his early life in Coke County was H. E. Ross, who said he is not ashamed to acknowledge the nickname of "Rabbit Twister." He jokingly declared that he could remember twisting out many a rabbit.

Representing the area of the first county seat, Hayrick, were Mrs. Winnie Waldrop, Miss Gladys Waldrop and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Labenske. Mrs. Labenske is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Will Robbins, who settled at Hayrick in 1882, some five years before Coke Co. was organized.

L. B. Menielle, who is proud of his heritage, is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. Menielle. His father operated the old Snyder gin, which was located on Yellow Wolf Creek. That gin was probably the first gin in the area.

From Tennyson and Bronte were Mrs. James P. Arrott, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams, Mrs. Ray Coalson, Mrs. Charles Ragdale, and Mrs. C. E. Arrott.

Mrs. D. O. King of Edith was accompanied by Mrs. Sloan Boone of Edith Route. Mrs. Vela Plumlee and her brother represented the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sam King of Edith.

Newcomers welcomed at the luncheon were the Rev. and Mrs. Fred Brown of Bronte and the Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Palmoe of Robert Lee.

Entertainment was provided by Mrs. Wilson Bryan's music students from Robert Lee schools. Nineteen boys and girls dressed in red, white and blue vests and bow ties, sang songs from "up with people." Two solos were sung by Harold Carver, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carver of Robert Lee.

Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough, chair-

man of the survey committee, read a House resolution commending the citizens of Coke County and congratulating them on the 80th anniversary of the county's organization. Mrs. Yarbrough read to the group a letter from Mrs. Lula Newton Beeman, recently hospitalized in Sweetwater. "I've always been proud to call myself a Coke County oldtimer," Mrs. Beeman wrote, "I wish I could be with you today and I hope I can be there next year."

Activities of the day were concluded by the dedication of an historical marker at the Robert Lee Cemetery, where the group assembled to pay honor to Confederate soldier, C. A. Gates, buried there. His daughter, the late Mrs. J. E. Roane, shortly before her death, contributed funds to the Coke C.H.S.C. for purchase of the marker. The soldier Cary Allen Gates, came to Coke County in 1906 and spent the remainder of his life here.

Unveiling the marker were Mr. Gates' descendants, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Roane and daughter, Myna Kay.

**Robert Lee Gets 1.5-Inch Rain**

More rain blew into this area Saturday night with the heaviest amount, 1.5 inches, reported in Robert Lee.

Silver had 1 inch; Sanco reported 1.3 inches; 8 inch was reported on the Sloan Boone ranch in the Edith area and by M. A. Cox, east of town; 1.2 inches was reported on the Havins ranch south of Robert Lee.

Farmers and ranchmen report that this spring's season is one of the best they've had in years.

**Coke Students Have Career Day**

Students of Robert Lee and Bronte High Schools gathered in the Bronte School auditorium last Friday to participate in a career day program sponsored by Texas A&M University Extension Service and the two schools.

Purpose of the program was to acquaint students with several career fields which are open to young people starting out in businesses and professions, as well as those who are planning to attend college.

Bronte Supt. C. B. Barbee served as master of ceremonies for the program. The students heard talks by several business and professional leaders and were entertained by Bronte High School students during the morning session.

Following the noon lunch, students divided into small groups to hear consultants in some 14 fields. The schedule allowed each student to select three fields in which he had an interest.

**Official Records**

**JP Records**

Persons fined in the court of Justice of the Peace Roy P. Ross during April included:

Raymond C. Richardson, no address given, was fined \$17.00 for operating a motor vehicle without a license and \$25.00 for being drunk in a public place.

Paula Jean Adams, no address given, was fined \$10.00 for fishing without a license.

**Criminal Docket**

Earlene Gunter, no address given, was charged April 28 with felony worthless checking.

**Marriage Licenses**

Ollie Lee Keesee and Naomi Dell Keesee, both of Bronte.

Leslie Jay Niles and Dorothy Powers Carder, both of San Angelo.

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**EGGS 3 doz for \$1.00**

SCOTT PAPER TOWELS, Big Roll - 3 for \$1.00

BATHROOM TISSUE, Family Scott - 4 roll pk. 35c

CATSUP, Del Monte, 14 Oz. Bot. - 4 for 98c

BAR-B-QUE SAUCE, Kraft - 18 Oz. Bot. 35c

SNOWDRIFT

**Shortening 3 lb. can 69c**

SUNBEAM COOKIES, 39c Pkg. - 3 for \$1.00

FLOUR, Gladiola - - - - 5 Lb. Bag 49c

SWEET PEAS, Trellis, 303 Can - 6 for 79c

CAKE MIXES, Duncan Hines - 2 for 75c

COCA COLA, King Size - - 6 Bot. Crt. 49c

+ Deposit

**FROZEN FOOD Festival**

Frozen Strawberries, 10 Oz Pkg. - - 4 for \$1.00

MINUTE MAID

FROZEN LEMONADE, 12 Oz. Can - 4 for \$1.00

FROZEN FRENCH FRIES - 2 Lb. Bag 29c

GANDY'S PURE ICE CREAM - 1/2 Gal. Crt. 79c

GANDY'S FROZAN - - 1/2 Gal. Crt. 39c

**PICK O' THE CROP PRODUCE**

FRESH GREEN ONIONS - Bunch 10c

RADISHES - - - - Cello Bag 10c

FRESH GREEN CABBAGE - - Lb. 7c

GRAPEFRUIT, Texas Pink - - Lb. 10c

WHITE ONIONS - - - - Lb. 10c

**Pork Chops lb. 63c**

GOOCH'S

THICK SLICED BACON - - 2 Lb. Box \$1.29

GOOCH'S

GERMAN STYLE SAUSAGE - - - Ring 59c

**BAKER'S Groc. & Mkt.**