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## RL Band Wins Sweepstakes

### Homecoming Set By Sanco Citizens

Plans were made last Thursday night for the annual Sanco reunion. A joint meeting of the Sanco Cemetery, Community and Tabernacle Associations was held and plans were made to have the reunion on the first Saturday night and Sunday in June, which will be June 5 and 6.

A committee to work up the Sunday program was appointed and consists of Harvey L. Reid, Mrs. Nolan Pentecost and Mrs. Eddie Derrick. Roy Martin of Sterling City was again chosen to barbecue meat furnished by the

### Volleyball Teams Win Tournament

Men's and women's volleyball teams came home with winning honors this week. They played in tournaments at Eden and Tuscola.

The women played Tuesday and Thursday nights at Eden, but failed to place in the finals. The men played Tuesday and Friday nights and came home with the second place trophy.

Both teams entered the Tuscola tournament, with both teams playing Friday and Saturday nights. The exciting championship games gave first place trophies to the Robert Lee teams.

The women's team consists of Mrs. Dale Wojtek, Mrs. Ronnie Baker, Mrs. Bobby Roberts, Mrs. Sherman Williams, Mrs. Roy

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### 4-H Members Selling Candy For State Center

Coke County 4-H members will be calling on local citizens to purchase the "World's Finest Chocolate Bars" May 7-21 as part of a statewide effort to raise funds for a Texas 4-H educational center.

A state 4-H center is badly needed, said local County Extension Agents, since the Texas 4-H program does not own any type of training or camping facility. The proposed center is being developed by the Texas 4-H Foundation and will cost approximately one million dollars. It will accommodate about 175 persons. The center will be a focal point for camping type programs, 4-H leader training, citizenship seminars, leadership training labs, international 4-H activities, project training and other Extension Service activities. When not in use by 4-H, the center will be available to other groups with educational programs.

While the 4-H'ers themselves make their contribution, a statewide development council composed of business leaders will help raise the balance of the funds.

Local leaders believe the 4-H Center could make a substantial contribution to the 4-H program in this area.

"We hope Coke County will be able to meet its quota and contribute its pro-rata share in the drive," said Sterling Lindsey, County Agricultural Agent, and Mrs. Fay C. Roe, County Home Demonstration Agent. "Your cooperation is needed to make this program a success," they added.

Community Association. Nolan Pentecost was named to be in charge of purchasing the meat; Eddie Derrick, to make arrangements for iced tea; and Henry Carwile, to make other necessary arrangements.

Special recognition will be given to the fourth generation, their interests and activities, along with the usual recognition of old timers.

In other business last Thursday night, the names of Nolan C. Pentecost, Harvey L. Reid and Bryan D. Gartman were entered upon the minutes as trustees of tabernacle, cemetery, and community grounds and building, formerly school property. This action was taken to re-establish records lost in the Reid fire recently.

Officers were elected for the three associations and included Ulmer Bird, president; Mrs. Nolan Pentecost, secretary of the Tabernacle Association; and Mrs. Ulmer Bird, secretary of the Community and Cemetery Associations.

Weekend guest of Mrs. Lois Mae Smith were her mother, Mrs. J. R. Johnson, and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Mitchell, all of Melvin; Mrs. Nola Sue Geice of San Angelo; and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Wayne Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Smith and family and Lynn Beal, all of Robert Lee.

Robert Lee Band won the Sweepstakes Award in the University Interscholastic League Band and Orchestra Contest held last Wednesday in Abilene. Division I (superior) ratings in the concert and sight reading contests, plus a Division I rating, which the band received last fall in marching, gave them the coveted award.

Robert Lee was the only Class A school in Region I to receive Division I ratings in all three contests and receive the Sweepstakes Award.

Chairman of the contest was Charles Taylor, Director of Bands

### DWI Cases Heard In County Court

A pre-trial session was held in Coke County Court Monday and five persons charged with DWI waived jury trial and another charge was dismissed on motion of the state's attorney. A jury has been called for duty next Tuesday, May 11.

The five cases heard Monday were: Frank Abalos was found guilty of DWI and assessed a \$50 fine plus costs and given credit for three days spent earlier in jail; Jesus Campus Sanchez of Bronte was found guilty of DWI, \$50 fine plus costs and credit for three days spent in jail and six months probation; Willie Zuniga of Midland, found guilty of DWI, \$50 fine plus costs and three days in jail; Willie B. Gaza of Winters, found guilty of DWI, \$50 fine, plus costs, three days in jail, six months probation; Bryan Lee Reese of Baird, found guilty of DWI, \$50 fine, plus costs, three day in jail and six months probation.

Charges against Raymond Coner Chancellor were dismissed.

at Abilene Christian College.

Concert judges were Dr. Everett Maxwell of Lubbock, Bill Carrice of Pecos and Stanley Radcliff of Lawton, Okla. Sight reading judges included Gale Campbell and Bob Pyle of Lawton and Leon Brown of Denton.

Director of the Robert Lee Band is Kenneth Mitchell.

This is the second time a Robert Lee band has received the Sweepstakes Award. The first time was in 1957 when Keith Farris was band director.

### Trip to Corpus

The band left the band hall at 4:30 a.m. Friday on a trip to Corpus Christi. Their first stop was at the Wonderland shopping center in San Antonio, where they stayed an hour or so. Then they went on to the Tally-Ho Motor Hotel in Portland where they spent the night.

The band entered a contest Saturday morning at Del-Mar College. The group received a II rating against seven other Class A bands. The contest was held in connection with the annual Buccaneer Days celebration in Corpus Christi.

After the contest the students spent the afternoon relaxing and having fun on the beach.

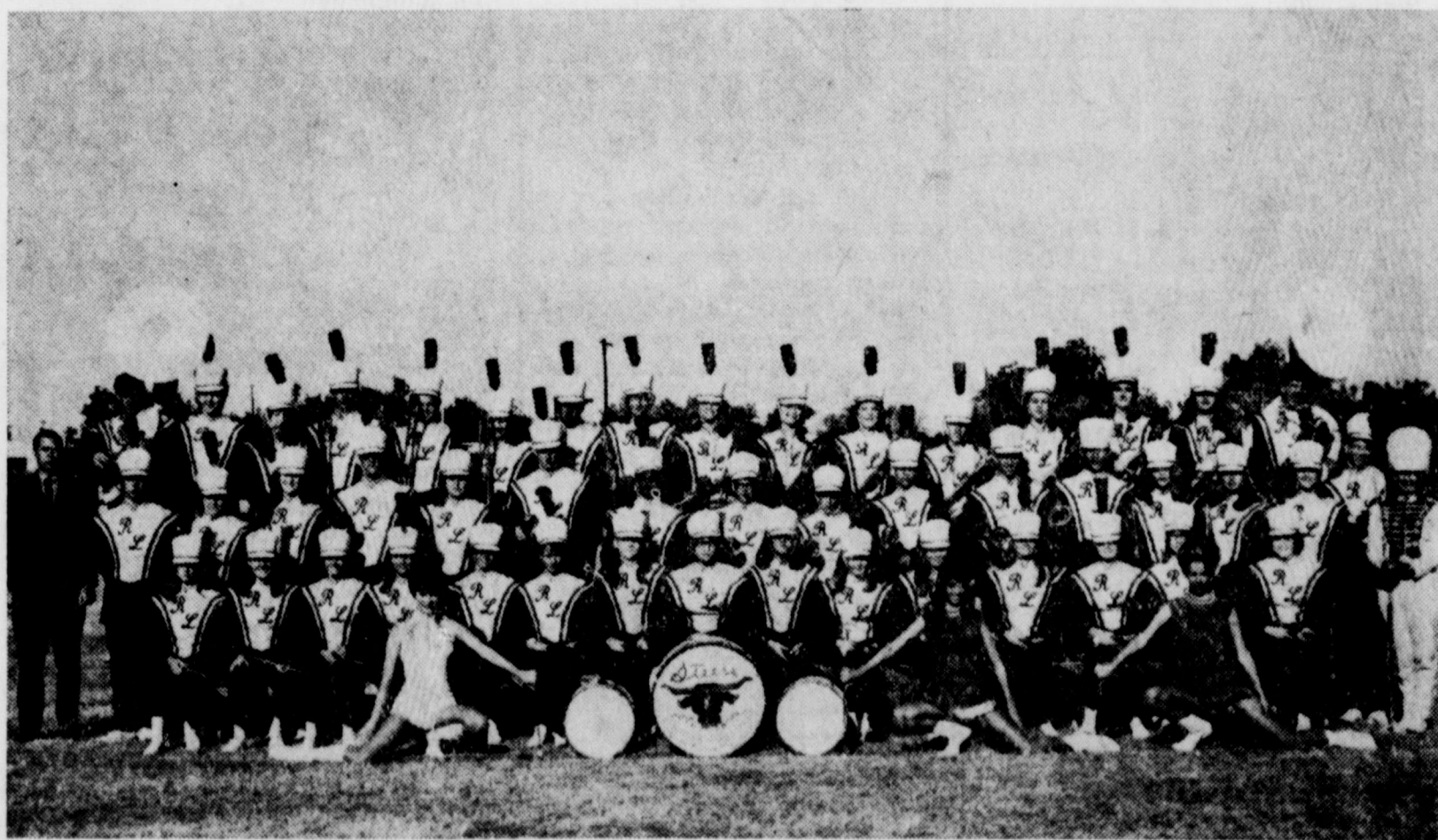
They left at 9 a.m. Sunday to return home, arriving in Robert Lee about 7 p.m.

### Compete at Ballinger

The band competed in the Second Annual Stage Band Festival Tuesday in Ballinger. Thirteen bands were in the festival including Class B Santa Anna, Jim Ned and Grand Falls; Class A Knox City, Cross Plains, Robert Lee, Goldthwaite, Eldorado and Mason; Class AA Hamilton, Clyde, Coleman, Haskell and Ballinger.

Winners were Grand Falls, Class B; Mason, Class A; and Ballinger, Class AA.

## Robert Lee Steer Band



## Sweepstakes Winner



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Austin — Tax bill action switched back to the House this week after Senate passage of a \$662.3 million revenue measure.

Senate passed its version of the tax bill 22-9 after rejecting six separate attempts to insert a corporation profits levy by narrow (usually 16-15) margins and six other amendments. Only

amendment of substance attached in floor debate was a half cent a gallon increase in diesel fuel levy to make it the same as the gasoline tax.

Here is what the bill (HB 730) now calls for and its estimated biennial yield:

\* Increase sales tax rate from 3.25 to four per cent, \$288.5 mil-

lion.  
 \* Increase motor vehicle sales tax to four per cent and bring auto rentals under levy, \$79.4 million.

\* Raise corporation franchise tax from \$3.25 per \$1,000 to \$4.50, \$102.6 million over three year period.

\* Increase cigarette tax three cents a pack to 18.5 cents, highest figure in the nation, with one cent dedicated to park development, \$46.7 million.

\* Raise the gasoline tax from five to seven cents a gallon, \$102.1 million.

\* Increase beer tax from \$4.30 to \$6 a barrel, \$28.8 million.

\* Increase diesel fuel tax one-half cent, to seven cents a gallon, \$4 million.

House Speaker Gus Mutscher took an early dim view of the gasoline tax in particular, and a conference committee was expected to adjust differences.

Stripped from the House bill were taxes on hotel rooms, stock transactions, jet fuel, admissions and entertainment and sand, gravel and shell. Senate also more than doubled House version of the franchise tax.

**COURTS SPEAK** — State Supreme Court agreed to set a hearing on the issue of whether district attorneys can file a barrage of suits to prevent stores from using various devices to get around Texas' Sunday closing laws.

A Houston clinic can be sued along with a doctor-partner in it for alienation of affections, Supreme Court held in a split decision.

High Court, reversing an intermediate court, held that the Austin suburb of West Lake Hills is a legally incorporated city, but its attempted annexation of territory to the north of its original boundaries is invalid.

Third Court of Civil Appeals held that six Texas A&M University employees cannot draw state salaries and serve on the College Station City Council at the same time.

Same Court reversed the state savings and loan commissioner's finding that a charter should be granted to a savings and loan concern in Pasadena.

A new trial of the disputed sale contract involving a Killeen radio station was ordered by the Third Court.

**APPOINTMENTS** — Governor Smith appointed Royce Lee of Bronte to board of directors of Upper Colorado River Authority and reappointed Everett J. Grindstaff of Ballinger, Cumbie Ivey of Robert Lee and John R. Salmen of San Angelo.

**LIVESTOCK EXPORT RECORDS SET** — Agriculture Commissioner John C. White pointed to a dramatic increase in breeding swine and beef cattle exported from Texas during the first quarter of 1971.

White said Texas producers are continuing to set the pace for the nation in swine exports to foreign countries.

Swine exports jumped 240 per cent over the previous year during the first quarter, and beef cattle 140 per cent.

Mexico continues to be the best market for export sales, although shipments are made to 20 countries, White said.

**HAIL CURB STUDIES** — A California firm, Atmospheric Inc., received a permit from the Texas Water Development Board to conduct hail suppression operations in the Plainview area from May through October.

Supporters hope to reduce crop damaging hail by aerial seeding of selected clouds with silver iodide. About 550 backers contributed \$128,600 to finance the cloud seeding. No evidence was found that last year's program caused a rainfall reduction, as

opponents claimed.

**WELFARE ECONOMIES URGED** — Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes followed through on his warning that Medicaid welfare spending may 'bankrupt' the state with proposals for trimming the bill an estimated 25-30 per cent for 1972-73.

Barnes suggested these steps:

\* A limit on the time welfare patients can stay in the hospital.

\* A limit on the cost of hospital rooms.

\* A fixed fee schedule for doctors on welfare cases.

\* A surgical benefit schedule as in private health insurance plans.

**SMITH REQUESTS PARK FUNDS** — Governor has urged federal authorities release more than \$3.2 million in Bureau of Outdoor Recreation funds for 20 state and 34 local park-rec projects.

He accused the Republican ad-

ministration of delaying funds "for partisan political reasons." Smith said the BOR is awaiting advise of federal solicitor and U. S. District Attorney Segal Wheatley of San Antonio before approving projects signed by Pearce Johnson, Parks and Wildlife Commission chairman and state liaison officer in parks matters.

**Short Snorts**

Governor Smith signed into law the new "rules of road" legislation to bring Texas highway laws into conformity with other states.

Also signed by the Governor was a bill to provide a special pool for insurance coverage in areas subject to hurricane and tornado disaster.

Bill providing for 10-2 jury verdicts and comparative negligence doctrine in some civil damage cases was passed and sent to the governor who is weighing advice to veto it.

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**ASSETS**

Cash and due from banks (including \$ None unposted debits)	\$ 731,345.61
U. S. Treasury securities	358,375.00
Securities of other U. S. Government agencies and corporations	730,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	267,135.41
Other Securities (including \$None corporate stocks)	200,000.00
Other loans	1,483,896.57
Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	40,551.53
Other assets	4,292.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$3,815,596.61</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,332,219.32
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,470,756.31
Deposits of United States Government	17,828.43
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	651,256.50
Certified and officers' checks, etc.	11,448.50
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$3,483,509.41</b>
Total demand deposits	\$1,558,065.25
Total time and savings deposits	\$1,925,444.16
Other liabilities	5,000.00
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$3,488,509.41</b>

**RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES**

Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)	\$ 21,244.10
<b>TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES</b>	<b>\$ 21,244.10</b>

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

Common stock—total par value (No. shares authorized 1000) (No. shares outstanding 1000)	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	150,000.00
Undivided profits	55,843.10
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$ 305,843.10</b>

**TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS** ..... \$3,815,596.61

**MEMORANDA**

Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	\$3,504,309.53
Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	1,478,725.59
Unearned discount on instalment loans included in total capital accounts	21,881.00

I, Willis W. Smith, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

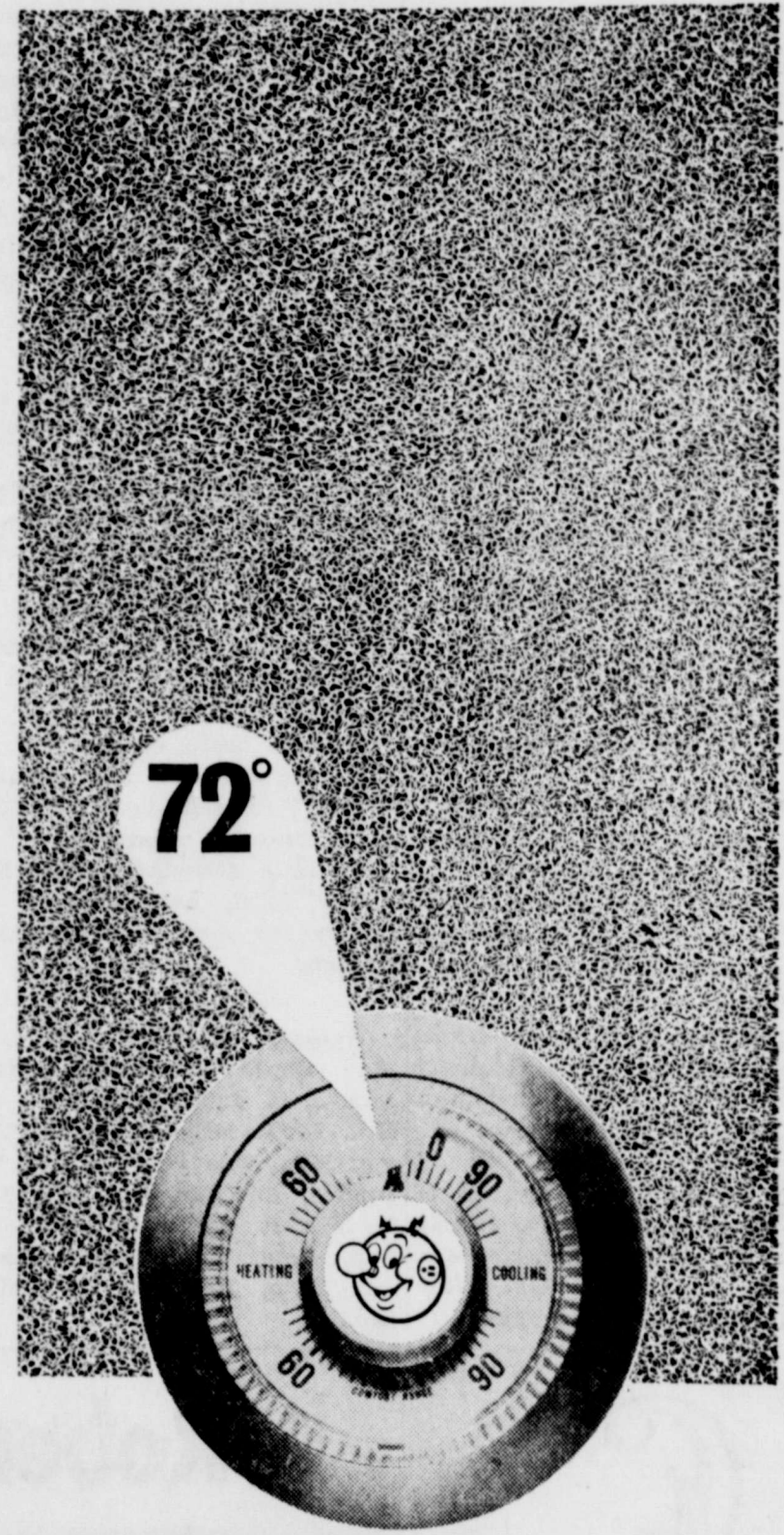
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Correct—Attest:  
 G. C. Allen  
 Wm. H. Allen  
 Vaughan S. Davis } Directors.

State of Texas, County of Coke, ss:  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26th day of April, 1971, and I hereby declare that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

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Let me challenge you to

THINK. Think who has made the statement and then "think" what does the Bible say. You see, the Bible is the Christian's "rule book." I don't mean to say that the Bible simply has rules and nothing else. This is not true. But, in anything there are certain laws or rules we must follow.

For instance, when you start to school each year the teacher says, "here are certain things you can do, and here is a list of the things you can't" What if you told your teacher it didn't really matter just as long as you had the proper feeling in your heart? What would your teacher do? Also, in our sports we have certain "rules" that govern the game. In Baseball three strikes means you are OUT. Could you argue with the umpire that "your coach" believed in four strikes being the "way out"?

Isn't it strange that in sports, education, money and all the im-

portant affairs of life we have certain common values and "rules." But, in religion we have no such controls, some say.

The great apostle of the Lord Jesus said, "An athlete is not crowned unless he competes according to the rules." Judge for yourself, who is right, Paul or the "world."\*

Only a few short years ago people left from various parts of the country—going west, to seek fortune and fame. They all started in the same direction but some didn't make it. Today some say we are all going the same way (that is to heaven) but this does not mean that all will make it. Many have already turned at the wrong cross-road of life. Instead of following the road marked "God's Word," they have turned aside to the pathway of "what I believe" or "what I think."

God help us to follow the Bible instead of man.

\* II Tim. 2:5.

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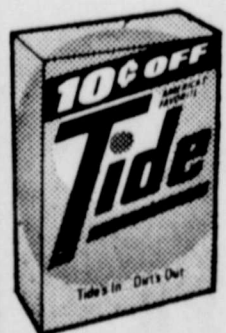
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## Robert Lee BCD Items of Interest

Three guests were present for the Tuesday meeting of the BCD. Richard Dodson and Highway Patrolman Bobby Hart were guests of George Newby, and Jerry Bristol, vocational guidance counselor for the San Angelo School District, was a guest of Jim Bickley.

### LITTLE LEAGUE SCHEDULE CHANGE

There has been a change in the Little League schedule which was published last week. It concerns the first game. The game will be played at Bronte Monday, May 10, at 7:30 p.m. between the Bronte Yankees and the Robert Lee Indians.

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W. D. McAdams, president, presided for the meeting.

Garland Davis gave a report on the band trip to Corpus Christi. He said the students had a great time and won a II rating in the concert contest held in conjunction with the annual Buccaneer Days Festival at Del Mar College. There were 11 schools in the contest and only one band received a I rating. Two bus loads of 49 band students and sponsors left at 4:30 a.m. Friday and returned home Sunday. Sponsors were Band Director and Mrs. Kenneth Mitchell, Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Blair and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schroeder.

Davis also gave a brief run-down on the girls track team, who have made some outstanding records this year and will be well represented at the State Meet to be held in Abilene May 14 and 15.

Hart spoke to the group on the work of the Highway Patrol in this area and their efforts to make the community a better and safer place to live. He asked the cooperation of adults in the community in helping with law enforcement, emphasizing that it is everyone's obligation to society.

### LOCAL GIRL MEMBER OF PHI THETA KAPPA

South Plains College at Levelland has 27 graduates who are members of Phi Theta Kappa. Among them is Sharell Ann Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene R. Baker of Robert Lee and a May graduate of SPC.

Phi Theta Kappa is a national honorary fraternity for junior colleges. In order to be eligible for membership, students must have a 3.5 grade average and be in the upper ten per cent of the college's enrollment, scholastically.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roane of Maryneal were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Roane. John Jacobs is a guest of the Roanes this week while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jacobs, are attending the annual State Tax Assessor Convention in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Jim Blair, Mrs. Lena Russell and Mrs. Bruce Clift were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Davis of Ballinger.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses were issued during April by County Clerk Mrs. Winnie Waldrop to the following persons:

Michael Glenn Williams and Irene Sina Lendelof.  
 Billy Deak Snead and Rebekah Lynn Gray.  
 James Willard Cole and Pamela Annette Mays.  
 Stanley Allen Post and Claudia Ann McGinley.

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Palmer spent the weekend at Brownwood visiting with friends.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Gartman were two of their children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wayne Walker and children of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Winkler and children of Abilene.

Mrs. Curtis Walker returned home last weekend from Odessa where she had spent two weeks in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Walker and children. She cared for her grandchildren while their mother was recuperating from major surgery.

Luther Pierce of Oklahoma City visited over the weekend in the homes of his uncle and aunt, Oda Benton and Mrs. Jim McCutchen, and Mrs. T. B. Childress. Pete Benton of Midland also came Friday for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gray of San Angelo visited Sunday afternoon in the home of her sister, Mrs. Ethel Green, and a brother, Roy Canner, who is in Robert Lee Nursing Home.

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Washington — Washington in April is a beautiful sight. It is a good time for tourists to be here to see the budding tulips at their height, blooming bushes and trees of all hues and colors. The pink and white dogwoods are flourishing.

It should be good if this was all to be said about happenings over the past 10 days. Instead, among the blooming trees and shrubbery and through the tulip beds walk thousands of unwashed, long haired characters, out to interfere with the enjoyment of tourists and stop the wheels of government.

The first group of demonstrators claimed to be 1,200 Vietnam

veterans with a lot of hangers-on. Some of them, of course, were genuine but admittedly a great number were draft dodgers, those released from military services with less than honorable discharges and many others including girl camp followers.

The next wave comes with all the appearance of revolutionaries. Their demands range from ending the Vietnam war immediately to free abortions, clean water, gay liberation, union lettuce and the Government's scalp. They demand — demand — demand — even free drugs!

Incidentally, the heavy use of drugs by so many reduced their daytime ranks considerably. Hundreds had to be given medical attention.

If the term "revolutionary" appears to strong in describing these motley people, the hundreds of North Vietnam and Viet Cong flags, the placards of Mao Tse-Tung and Leon Trotsky and the chanting of obscenities furnish pretty strong proof. Their principal leader is Rennie Davis, one of the so-called "Chicago 7."

Granting that there are basic rights to dissent and to peacefully assemble in demonstration, there is no right to interfere with the lawful activities of other citizens and to stop the functioning of government. There is no right to plot the overthrow of government. The place for them is jail.

The cup, of course, will pass. Rennie Davis and the revolutionary mob are not going to become the government of this country. Unfortunately, however, there are members of Congress who have lent encouragement and at least passive support to this outrageous demonstration. These are the ones who cry out for peace at any price.

There may be significance to a recent Gallup poll finding that 16 million Americans would pack up and leave this country if they had the opportunity. This figure represents 12 per cent of our adult population. Most of them would prefer Australia. The survey showed 3 in 10 young adults between the ages of 18 and 29, with college training, expressed

a desire to leave. They are not all made up of draft dodgers, shiftless and irresponsible people. The draft dodgers and others like them prefer Canada or Sweden, not Australia.

Many of these people are expressing a desire to be free from many frustrations and register disgust at this scene represented by the crew here in Washington. It is assumed that these people hold to the values and traditions of our nation but are disillusioned as to what has happened in our country since 1960. They likely feel they cannot live happily in an atmosphere of confusion and uncertainty and want to look for anchors of security. They feel that the accepted truths of our institutions are not nailed down so as to be unremovable. They most want to be able to see through the forest of question marks and see daylight of confidence in front of them.

Obviously, the demonstrating revolutionaries have no such desire to leave but stay to disrupt and attempt to convert our Nation to anarchy.

Meanwhile, a few home truths should not go unobserved. While 1,200 veterans make demands, including the ending of the war, over two million are not demanding peace at any price. While about 10 senators and 29 members of the House of Representatives give passive support to some of these things, 90 senators

and 406 representatives do not. While 200,000 rabble rousers choose to take their politics to the gutters, 200,000,000 other Americans do not.

This is not to say that this great majority of our citizens do not want us out of Vietnam. It does not mean that the Vietnam veterans who did not come to Washington, members of Congress who did not endorse the demonstrations, Americans who did not choose to listen to the rabble rousers or to Peter, Paul and Mary, want the war to continue. Rather one would think that they want the war ended without a scuttle, that they prefer ballots to ballyhoo and finally that they prefer democracy to mobocracy.

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By MRS. FAY C. ROE

For men and boys, 1971 will be "the year of the suit," which will be available in a wider array of highly individual styles, fabrics and colors than every before.

The terminology is as intriguing as the styles. The range is from easy suits — a traditional look but with newer, easier construction, to free suits — unconventional tops and bottoms with a put together appearance, and includes one piece jumpsuits, sleeveless vest or tunic suits, belted safari suits and shirt suits — shirt and slacks are in the same fabric.

Jackets are single or double breasted; belted, half belted or buckled. The length is longer and the lapels wider than last year's styles.

Trousers and slacks are plain or pleated, with wider waist-

bands, legs and cuffs. For casual wear, plus-four knickers, knee length Gauchos and Oxford bags will be seen. All will be available in jumbo stripes, solid geometrics and overstated plaids.

Colors range from blacks to pales; fabrics from corduroys to double knits (especially in polyester,) including jacquards, silky tweeds and velours, to chambray, duck and canvas cloth. Textures include slubs, loose weaves and linen looks.

Shirts are much to the forefront, with less difference between dress and sport styles. Prints will be large, with masculine versions of florals and patchwork patterns as well as stylized poster designs. Knits, wovens, voiles, crepes and even sheers, such as satin organza and see through lace, will all be used.

A variety of accessories, such as shoulder bags, belts, gloves, scarves, hats and jewelry, complete the "total" look.

### Did You Know?

CAMEO, a shell or precious stone with a design carved in relief, the design being chiseled

from the light vein, the dark serving as background. Originated in China 300 B. C. as decorations on warriors' shields; introduced into Rome and Greece, where art was perfected. The cameo is the reverse of the "intaglio," where the design is sunk instead of raised.

INTAGLIO, either the method of engraving a gem with a concave design so that an impression made upon a soft substance such as wax produces in relief the effect of a cameo, or the gem itself so carved. An important development of the method is used in intaglio printing to produce rotogravure pictures.

EGGS have a natural protective coating or "bloom" which helps keep air and foreign odors from entering the shell. Washing removes the bloom; therefore, eggs should never be washed before storing. They may be wiped with a damp cloth.

WHEN BUYING FRESH STRAWBERRIES, buy berries of medium to small size, which have better eating quality than large ones. Avoid berries with large uncolored areas or large seedy areas which indicate they may be poor in flavor.

DID YOU KNOW THAT OLIVES ARE A FRUIT? They were the earliest fruit mentioned in history and have been used for perfumes, soap, canning, machine oil and medicines, as well as eating. Buy and keep canned ripe olives on hand, for they are still one of the most versatile items you can keep in your pantry.

CANNED RIPE OLIVES are green olives that have turned black through special processing. They are prepared from partially mature olives that have been specifically treated to remove the bitterness and cured in a salt brine solution. They are oxidized to produce a uniform black color and packed in sealed containers.

THE USE OF MAY PLENTIFUL FOODS will help reduce money spent for family food — try it! The list includes eggs, turkeys, canned cling peaches, potatoes and potato products, milk and dairy products and canned ripe olives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Brasher of Lyford visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Service Jr. and family, and with other relatives over the weekend.

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Flora-Dora .....	2.00	Oven .....	1.75
Whisk .....	85c	MOPS	
Toy .....	1.00	Toy .....	55c
House .....	1.90	House .....	1.00
Warehouse .....	2.30	Warehouse .....	1.50
BRUSHES		Head, 24 oz. cotton .....	1.50
Gong .....	1.00	Rust, House .....	2.50
Bowl .....	1.90	Dust, Commercial	
Lint .....	1.15	18" \$5.10, 24" 6.50, 36" 9.00	
Floor .....	18" \$4.75 24" 6.25	Commercial Heads	
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14" \$4.00, 18" \$5.00, 24" 6.25		Poly-Sweep .....	1.50
Sturdy Scrub Brush .....	55c	Pot Holders .....	25c
CLOTHS		Rake, Lawn .....	2.25
Dust .....	25c	REFILLS	
Dish (4 to pkg.) .....	1.00	House Dust Mop .....	1.75
COVERS		Wax Applicator .....	50c
Ironing Board .....	1.60	Poly-Sweep .....	1.00
Ironing Board Cover & Pad Set .....	2.25	Scrubeez 2/Pkg. ....	1.00
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**VOLLEYBALL TEAMS —**  
Continued from Page 1

Tinkler and Mrs. C. N. Webb Jr. On the men's team are Add Davis, Dale Wojtek, Roy Tinkler, Gary Williams, Jim Skinner, Tom Luttrell, Jim Morrow, Bill Thomas, James Tidwell and Roy Blair.

Four regular members of the teams were not able to play this week because of illness, injury and Little League practice. They were Mrs. Add Davis, Bobby Roberts, Sherman Williams and Ronnie Baker.

Add Davis Grocery is sponsor of both teams and trophies may be seen at the store.

**Lunchroom Menu**

**Monday, May 10**  
Pork patties and gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls and butter, milk, prunes.

**Tuesday, May 11**  
Italian spaghetti and cheese, buttered corn, carrot and coconut salad, hot rolls and butter, milk, chocolate chip cookies.

**Wednesday, May 12**  
Pinto beans with salt pork, spinach, buttered potatoes, corn bread and butter, milk, peach cobbler.

**Thursday, May 13**  
Hot dogs with chili, buttered hominy, cole slaw, potato chips, milk, apple sauce cake.

**Friday, May 14**  
Turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, English peas, combination salad, hot rolls and butter, milk, mandarin orange salad.

Mrs. Jim McCutchen and Mrs. T. B. Childress spent Sunday visiting in Sweetwater in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Blair.

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The Family of  
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