

# Robert Lee Observer

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## Friday at Wall

# Steers Open 1971 Season

## Robert Lee Man Killed In Saturday Accident

Lewis Gerald Kellogg, 55, was killed Saturday night about 10:30 p.m. on Texas Highway 208 about 10 miles north of San Angelo. Patrolmen investigating the accident said a tire blew out, with the car leaving the road, going through a fence, hitting a tree and turning over. Mr. Kellogg suffered a broken neck and was killed instantly.

He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. R. M. Lykins of Robert Lee. He and his wife, a sister to Mrs. Lykins, had moved here

### V. V. WOJTEK SR. HONOREE AT BIRTHDAY DINNER

V. V. Wojtek Sr. was honored with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Montgomery.

Helping him enjoy barbecue with all the trimmings, and a huge birthday cake were the following friends and relatives:

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wojtek, Vicky, Tex and Mike, Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Williams and Shelley, Mr. and Mrs. David Burk, Shannon and Brant, Lubbock; Don Poe, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Wojtek, Denise, Shannon and GayLynn, Midland; Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Wojtek Jr., Kathy, Junette and Gary, Eden; Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Wojtek, Donna, and Deanna, Marrero, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Dennie M. Edwards, Dennie Jr. and Melissa, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. Wojtek, Kevin and John, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Marlow Dees, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Wojtek and Joan, Mr. and Mrs. Marlow Wojtek and Stacy, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Williams, Kenneth and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. James Bryson and Wendy, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Johnston and Debra, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Cobb and Joyce, all of San Angelo.

Attending from Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Wojtek Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wojtek, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wojtek, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Winton, Eugene Montgomery, Phyllis Wojtek, Roy Ivey, and Mr. and Mrs. Otho Long, Coy, Kyle and Ricky.

about three weeks ago from Travers City, Mich. He was employed at a service station in San Angelo, and was returning to Robert Lee from work when the accident occurred. Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg were temporarily living in the Lykins home.

Mr. Kellogg was born May 1, 1916, in Travers City, and the funeral services were held there.

Survivors include his wife, Virginia Kellogg; two sons, Lewis Kellogg Jr. of Marshfield, Mass., and Michael Kellogg of Tucson, Ariz.; a daughter, Linda Lee Kellogg of Williamsburg, Mich., and two grandchildren.

## Hospital News

Aug. 31: Buford Elkins admitted. Mrs. Cecil Mayfield dismissed.

Sept. 1: Emil Chacon admitted. Mrs. Sam McGallion dismissed.

Sept. 2: Mrs. Calvin Wallace admitted.

Sept. 3: Mrs. Joe Lara and baby boy, Mrs. Martha Turner, R. L. Page, Perry Mullis, Clarence Mitchell admitted. Mrs. Nettie Essary, Mrs. Royce Wallace, Linda McDaniel, Emil Chacon, Mrs. Elmo Bell, Buford Elkins dismissed.

Sept. 5: Mrs. Sherman Anderson, Gregory Walker, Richard Guerrant admitted. Mrs. Lettie McDonald, Mrs. Joe Lara and baby boy, George McCaleb dismissed.

Sept. 6: Mrs. Mac Adkins, Mrs. C. J. Brooks, Mrs. V. M. Box admitted. Allie Childress dismissed.

As of Tuesday morning there were 15 patients in the hospital and 29 in the nursing home.

Jimmy Mullis of Goldsmith visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Mullis, and other relatives last Tuesday.

Season opener for the Robert Lee Steers will be at Wall Friday night with kickoff slated at 8 p.m. New head coach Larry Hudson has been working with the squad the past few weeks in preparation for the opening game.

## Highway Work Okayed for Coke

The State Highway Commission has approved the expenditure of \$53,200 for State Highway improvement work in Coke County during 1972.

District Engineer J. A. Snell of San Angelo said that widening and resurfacing of State Highway 70 from the Nolan County line south a distance of 1.9 miles has been authorized under this program. Work will be under supervision of James R. Evans, maintenance engineer, and is part of the Highway Commission's State Safety and Betterment Program for 1972.

## REALLY, THAT FISH STORY LAST WEEK WAS WRONG

A short item in last week's Observer concerning the fish catch of County Attorney Roy Ford was even too much for a seasoned fisherman to claim as the truth.

The county attorney said that he caught eight fish weighing a total of 43 pounds instead of five at that weight.

We're sorry about that, Mr. Ford, for we realize how hard it is for a fisherman to maintain any semblance of truth, even when correct information is published. But when the information is stretched as much as we did this, it's an impossibility.

## NO DEPUTY APPOINTED

No one has been named to fill the job of deputy sheriff which was vacated Sept. 1 by Grady Lewis Coulter of Bronte. Coulter resigned to take a position at the Goodyear testing track between Bronte and San Angelo.

A statement from the office of Sheriff Melvin Childress said that officials are trying to employ an officer who has already been certified.

preparation for the opening game.

About 35 boys have participated in the pre-season workouts and scrimmages.

On the squad are: Mike Conley, Donny Mauldin, Danny Perciful, Richard Guerrant, Frank Box, Jay Service, Burl Davis, Bobby Mumford, Bubba Duncan, Harvey Wink, Alex Costilla, Randy Flanagan, Sid Burns, Walter Tinkler, Rudy Abalos.

Also Wibby Millican, Bill Rowoldt, Johnny Wolfe, Daryl Copeland, Jeff Eubanks, Cliff Cole, David Beaty, Jesse Costilla, Mitt Rogers, Jon Bill Brock, Jerry Shook, Lyn Sockwell, Mike Davis, Ricky Mashburn, Craig Bessent, Don Sparks, Manuel Abalos, Doug Herford, Tim Boykin, Bobby Large and Joe Costilla.

Assisting Hudson with the coaching duties are Kenneth Rasco, Larry Blair and Sam Bean.

On Sept. 17, the Steers will meet the Bronte Longhorns at Bronte for their annual battle.

## Items of Interest From R-Lee BCD

Hugh Lewis Jr. presided for the Tuesday BCD luncheon which was attended by 12 members and one guest, Richard Dodson.

Supt. Jim Bickley announced the football game with Wall which will be played there Friday night, starting at 8 p.m.

Mayor Wilson Bryan said that mowing, shredding and the general clean up were continuing as time permits, and that since the weeds and brush were growing slower, the city now has hopes of catching up.

Bryan also said that the city had written to the Air Tour committee for information concerning the 45 minute stop over here on Oct. 3, but that no reply had yet been received. Melvin Childress and Roy Ford said they felt cars should be available for some short tours of the dam and lake area and of the town, including the school and golf course. They also said that a new wind sock had been ordered for the air strip and that it should be installed before Oct. 3.

Bryan reminded members of the coming city election Oct. 19 and said that Wednesday was the last day to file. He said in the event there are no candidates paying the \$10 filing fee, the election will be held as scheduled with candidates being written in.

## BAND BOOSTERS PLAN MEETING TONIGHT

Band Booster Club has called the first meeting of the year for tonight (Thursday) at 7 p.m. in the band hall. All Steer Band fans are urged to attend.

Frank Craddock of Laramie, Wyo., is spending several days here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Clark.

## Funeral Held Here For Mrs. Millican

Funeral services for Mrs. Lilly May Millican, 90, were held at 3 p.m. last Friday in the Robert Lee Baptist Church. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery at Bronte under direction of Newby Funeral Home. Her grandsons were pallbearers.

Mrs. Millican died about 11 a.m. Sept. 1 in West Coke County Hospital.

She was born May 6, 1881, in Wise County. She was married to Andrew Nail in 1901 in San Angelo. He died in 1955. She was married to Dave Millican Sept. 10, 1961, at Sterling City. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband; four daughters, Mrs. A. A. McDole of Alvarado, Mrs. Oscar Kresta and Mrs. U. L. Ballard of Santa Anna and Mrs. Mary Foreman of Abilene; four stepsons, S. C. Millican and Bunyon Millican of Silver, Dalton Millican of Midland and Gerald Millican of Hobbs, N. M.; a sister, Mrs. Annie Alexander of Ballinger; three brothers, George Gann of Sanderson, Fred Gann of Ballinger and Arthur Gann of Wichita Falls; 43 grandchildren, 71 great grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

## THREE FROM ROBERT LEE RECEIVE DEGREES AT TECH

Texas Tech University President Grover E. Murray awarded approximately 1,050 degrees in 1971 commencement exercises in August at Lubbock. It was a record number for summer graduation ceremonies.

Students from Robert Lee who received bachelor's degrees were:

Susan Newell Mouser, daughter of Mrs. Irene Newell, with a major in clothing and textiles; Debra Sue Hines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hines, with a major in elementary education; and Rhea Jean McCutchen Irish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCutchen, with a major in secondary education.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McElvany of Dallas visited over Labor Day weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Adams.

# Texas Hunting Prospects Not Bright This Year

Topsy-turvy weather conditions have thrown a curve at the Texas hunter this year.

Texas Park and Wildlife Department officials say overall hunting prospects this fall appear only "fair" for the major game species—deer, turkey, quail and squirrel.

And early reports from the field indicate the North Zone mourning dove season which opened this week also has been

less than spectacular.

The weather, which always is a key factor in wildlife production, played some nasty tricks in 1971. A bone dry winter and early spring was followed by rains and even flooding in many areas by mid-summer.

This pattern of extremes had mixed effect on wildlife, department officials pointed out. Reproduction of both furred and fea-

thered game was down in virtually the entire state, with turkeys and quail suffering the heaviest losses from the weather.

Texas is expected to remain the nation's number one deer state, with a continuing herd of 3,000,000 animals. But hunters will see fewer young deer in most areas this year and a shortage of heavily antlered bucks is expected because of poor forage conditions in the spring.

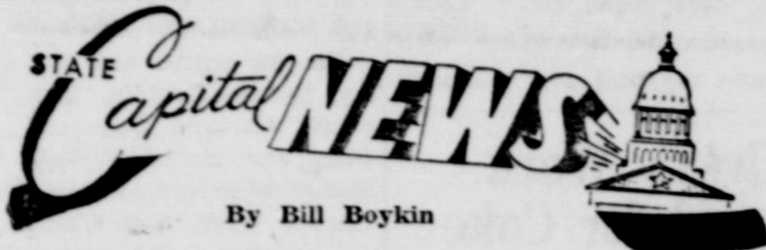


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Austin — Gov. Preston Smith sprang one surprise after another in announcing appointments to key state positions.

One of the biggest was selection of his longtime legal aide and top political campaign worker, Robert D. (Bob) Bullock, formerly of Hillsboro, as Secretary of State, succeeding Martin Dies Jr.

A few days earlier, he selected another staff assistant, V. Larry Teaver of Lubbock, to the State Board of Insurance. Surprise here was that Teaver did not replace Durwood Manford, veteran member of the board.

Manford got a new six year term and Charles D. Mathews, a Dallas trucking executive and attorney until two years ago, was moved from the board to an

Austin district judgeship. Teaver replaces Mathews when the freshman board member became judge of the new 200th Travis County district court.

Smith stirred some controversy by naming a successor to Brig. Gen. James M. Rose as assistant general of Texas for air. On recommendation of Maj. Gen. Ross Ayers, state adjutant general, he picked Lt. Col. Belisario D. J. Flores of San Antonio for the Air National Guard command.

**REDISTRICTING MOVES ON** — A two way legislative redistricting fight moved toward a Supreme Court decision last week.

Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin filed briefs in appeal from the Aug. 2 district court ruling that the House of Representatives reapportionment this year is unconstitutional because it improperly violates county lines. Martin said the one-man-one-vote rule of federal courts eliminates state constitutional provision safeguarding county lines.

At the same time, 53rd District Judge Herman Jones refused to prevent the Texas Legislative Redistricting Board from reapportioning the State Senate and said the Board may also do preliminary House realignment. Time for attack on board's work, concluded Jones, is when it finishes.

Rep. Fred Head of Henderson brought suit in Jones' court to prevent the Board from redistricting House and Senate. He contended new census data is not complete and that reapportionment should be left until 1973. Head indicated efforts will be

made to get his suit before the Supreme Court at the same time as the attack on House reapportionment of the regular session.

**TAX STUDY LAUNCHED** — New Legislative Property Tax Committee began a four year study of how property taxation can be made "fair, viable and efficient."

Sen. Jim Bates of Edinburg was named chairman of the group and Jack Hart of Midland, staff director.

Hart noted a recent decision of the California Supreme Court may make the Texas committees' job more difficult. California court held reliance on property taxes alone to finance public schools is unconstitutional.

Committee's work is being financed by a charge of \$1 per delinquent tax receipt authorized by the Legislature this year. Among goals is computerization of ad valorem tax records on a statewide basis.

**AG OPINIONS** — A justice of the peace who is not an attorney must have served a minimum of two terms of four years each to be exempt from attending a 40 hour course of instruction for non-lawyers.

Martin said governor's veto of funds for payment of court costs will handicap his office in prosecution and defense of state cases.

**WATER PLAN ALIVE** — Master \$10 billion water plan to move surplus Mississippi River water to Texas Plains farms is still alive, according to Harry Burleigh, executive director of the Texas Water Development Board.

Burleigh urged campaign to win congressional support of plan in 1973, when federal agency water conservation report is due.

Although Texans rejected \$3.5 billion bond issue to finance the state's share of giant project, it is believed much of the money can now be obtained from the federal government, Burleigh indicated. Two groups, West Texas Chamber of Commerce and Water, Inc., are spearheading the new drive for financing.

**WELFARE CUT DELAYED** — Start of new fiscal year Sept. 1 did not bring reduced aid to fatherless welfare families, even though Texans refused to raise \$80 million a year categorical benefit ceiling last spring.

Cuts are expected in a few months, however, State Welfare Department reports. Average of \$118.53 per month assistance for families with dependent children is expected to remain through January.

New program for paying medicine bills of welfare recipients through separate program helped postpone reduction, Welfare Department said.

**Short Snorts**  
 Texas motor vehicle registrations topped 7.5 million mark for first time during registration year which ended March 31. Figure was 7,515,053, plus 120,295 exempt registrations.

New Texas Film Commission launched last week to get more movie production companies to work in state.

Top government and business leaders will brief Texas industrialists on economic and manufacturing developments at governor's conference here Oct. 13-14.

Texans spent \$283 million on new autos from 1,700 franchised dealers last year. All new car dealers after Dec. 1 must have special license from new Texas Motor Vehicle Commission.

Leaving keys in a car is a misdemeanor under new state law. Overcrowding a car is also prohibited, as is failure to set brakes.

U. S. Attorney General intends to hold busing to "absolute minimum" in school integration, a state Republican official reported.

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Washington — Members of the Congress returning to Washington this week after an August recess, bring a common comment. People back home are disturbed about a great many things — inflation, schools, crime and drugs, the war — to mention a few.

Justified or not, it seems we are mired in an age of disbelief which is eroding our will as a nation and as individuals, not only to succeed but to survive.

Sons do not believe fathers, blacks do not believe whites and vice versa. Stockholders do not believe corporate executives, and citizens have grave doubts about their government at all levels. Even clergymen are doubted because of the militant acts of a few.

Does this sense of despair and skepticism really matter? It certainly does if we believe that this country was built on self-confidence, a pride in its past and a faith in the future. A great nation without self-confidence is as unlikely to continue its greatness as a businessman who is without determination.

It has been said in this space before, likely government has promised too much to too many. When these expectations failed to materialize in a short time, many people seem to lack the maturity to deal with adversity.

Black leaders castigate the

whole system of government as racist because inequalities and prejudices persist. The fact that comparative gains have been made is overlooked.

Civil libertarians characterize our government as "repressive." They ignore all evidence that never in history has there been a freer age than this.

Many of the young disparage society as "unresponsive." The fact is, never has a society been more oriented towards child welfare and the young than today.

In short, there seems to be missing in our society that sense of proportion upon which all good and healthy conditions depend.

Our rivals on the world scene — the Russians and Red Chinese — are able, determined, thrusting, and are evidently endowed with a strong sense of purpose, of destiny, and, yes, patriotism. They have their problems, no doubt about that, but their national and international goals and ambitions appear to be intact, uncut by the cancer of disbelief.

No suggestion or even inference is being made that we should blindly trust all the clichés and slogans which constantly bombard us — it is our inherent right, duty and responsibility to seek truth on which to base our trust. In fact, the acceptance of "everyone knows" such and such may be contributing to our disturbance. A recent development may be a good example. Since Rachel Carson's book, "Silent Spring," "everyone has known" that DDT is an awful thing. Now Dr. Phillip Handler, president of the prestigious National Academy of Sciences, says that no harm to humans has been proved and "the tales of damage to fish and wildlife appear to have been woefully exaggerated." A dozen or so top ranking scientists support this opinion. In this instance "what everyone knows" is wrong. The application can doubtless be made in many other correct situations.

Ben Jonson once observed that "next to truth, a confirmed error does well."

Back to our doubts, fears and distrust, just maybe we need to recapture what seems to be our last innocence. Putting it another way, maybe our sophistication has run away with us.

Referring to us as a nation, Emerson said, "We should have reached a maturity to prove that we are capable of listening, not only to what the hours tell us, but what centuries whisper."

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Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hurley were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hamilton and daughter, Mrs. Marilyn Hargrove, of Santa Fe, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hamilton and children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hamilton and family and Mrs. Eddie Shaw and daughter, all of Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Alan Hamilton of Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. James Rymer and children of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Don Hamilton and family of Midland; Mrs. Opal Clark and Mr. and Mrs. John Hurley, all of San Angelo.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fern Havins were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Jones of San Antonio, and their son, Tommy, who is a student at Texas Tech, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Havins of Pleasanton.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Gartman Monday were Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wrinkle and children of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wayne Walker and family of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gartman and family and Mrs. Teddy Pitcock and Sheri of Sanco.

### LIVESTOCK PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION TO MEET

New officers will be elected when the Coke County Livestock Protective Association meets next Monday night, Sept. 13. The meeting will be held in the recreation hall at 8:30 p.m.

Refreshments will be served after the business meeting. Everyone interested is invited to attend.

### JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Rudy Gloria was elected president of the Junior Class at a meeting held last Thursday. Other new officers are: Steve Meadows, vice president; Rosanna Boykin, secretary-treasurer; Kathi Prince, reporter. Mrs. Winnie McPeck is class sponsor.

### FINISHES BASIC TRAINING

Dennis Gartman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gartman, recently completed basic Army training at Fort Polk, La. He has been transferred to Boston, Mass.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Box were Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Kattnar of Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. David Kattnar of Houston.

Mrs. Leslie Lofton and daughter, Dawn, of Midland spent the weekend here visiting in the home of Mrs. A. L. Lofton.



Mrs. R. Mac Adkins

### Angela Reed, Mac Adkins Exchange Wedding Vows In Friday Church Rites

Miss Angela Gay Reed became the bride of R. Mac Adkins during a double ring ceremony read last Friday, Sept. 3, at 8 p.m. in the Robert Lee Baptist Church. The Rev. Bill Beaty, pastor, officiated.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Reed Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Adkins, all of Robert Lee.

Wedding music was presented by Miss Jo Adkins, sister of the bridegroom, at the piano.

Miss Marsha Brown was maid of honor and Andy Cole served as best man.

The bride wore a street length dress of white crepe with pastel blue and gold trim.

A reception followed the ceremony in the fellowship hall of the church. In the houseparty were Misses Kay McGinley, Donna Wallace and Kay Chastain and Meses. George Lomas, E. A. Lanier and Lendy Devoll.

The bride is a senior student in Robert Lee High School where she has served on the annual staff and been a member of FHA, FTA and the basketball team.

The bridegroom is a 1969 graduate of Robert Lee High School, where he served on the Student Council and was a member of FFA. He is now a junior student at Angelo State University.

Grandparents of the couple include Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Adkins and Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Ross, all of Robert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wollet, Healdton, Okla., and Mrs. Winnie Reed of Nicoma.

### ALLEN FAMILY GATHERS AT SILVER HOME PLACE

Annual family reunion of the R. B. Allen family was held over the Labor Day weekend at the Allen home place at Silver.

Present were Mrs. R. B. Allen; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Archer, Timmy and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Allen, Butch and Robin, all of San Angelo; Mrs. Jerry Sanders and Lyn, Eldorado; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allcorn and Alison, Blackwell; Mr. and Mrs. Ricky White and Kari, Coleman; Bill Allen, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones, Debbie and Kathy, Abilene; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Odom, Silver.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Marriage licenses last month by the office of County Clerk Mrs. Winnie Waldrop include:

Robert Eugene Bolding and Ester Gayle Conley; Philip Keith McCutchen and Vicky Gwenn Deans; A. J. Roe III and Deane Marie Derrick; Terrell Lane Hines and Norma Gayle Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Delk of Houston were Labor Day weekend guests in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Tenley.

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By MRS. FAY C. ROE

### 1971 SEWING AND CLOTHING FACTS

#### Toward Perfect Teamwork

Among the greatest pleasures of sewing is the opportunity to choose for yourself the combination of color, texture, and silhouette to flatter and express you and to blend in a practical working team. Here's your chance to use fashion sense.

Here, also, is the step where you assemble the materials and tools that will be the real medium for your sewing endeavors. This combination of theoretical and practical knowledge will pave your way toward rave reviews in

both artistry and the craftsmanship of fur sewing.

#### The Long and Short of Fur

From your experience with clingy crepes and chunky tweeds, you probably already realize how important it is to understand the interplay between fabric and figure. A smashing fur garment uses the same principles — only more so!

First, know your own physical pros and cons. Then learn what combination of style and fur will play up the assets and minimize the defects. To choose a great pattern and the perfect fur, you'll need some facts — both aesthetic and technical.

The key to designing in fur is this: make sure the weight of the fur and the lines of the pattern complement the shape of you. Different hints apply according to whether the hair is long or short, regardless of whether it's real or fake.

#### Long Fur Pointers

For the furs with hair longer than 1/4 inch, you'll need to use your keen eye for proportion. If an entire garment of long, shaggy fur would overwhelm you, but you love the look of it, start thinking like a designer.

**BALANCE** the proportion. In a skirt, a long haired fur can make heavy hips and legs look huge, but in a vest it will draw the eye away.

Use **ACCESSORIES!** Thin legs and arms will look much more so in a big, shaggy garment, but boots and gloves can be perfect visual foils.

Try **PARING DOWN** the silhouette by using a leather or a leather look for the bodice and trim, or coordinate a fur jacket with a smooth knit fabric for sleeves and pants.

**CAMOUFLAGE** is a great game to play with long

fur. In a coat with just the right proportions, it may be your best figure flatterer. A voluminous cape gives no impression of fitting—and disguises figure faults for both over and under endowed.

#### Sewing Fashions for Men

New designs with fantastic colors and great fabrics are appearing across the country on almost every man's back.

For several years men's fashions have been undergoing a revolution. No longer do they blend into a crowd with a grey flannel suit, white shirt and black tie.

Men's fall fashions can best be described by one word — casual. The unstructured look, along with hot pants and knickers, are some of the latest items for men as well as women.

And, men's fashions have become an important phase in the home sewing explosion. Men are choosing fabrics and colors for their own unique look while women are making the men in their lives "something special."

Carefree, comfortable knit slacks are one of the more popular sewing items to make for men. Choose a double knit fabric of wool, cotton or polyester from the men's selections now available in piece goods departments and shops.

It's important to choose menswear double knits. They have finer yarns and tighter construction, creating light weight fabrics with a crisp hand.

It is recommended to select pocket and band interlining fabrics compatible with the outer fabric. For instance, a washable interlining should accompany a washable outer fabric such as polyester.

Before construction, preshrink all washable fabrics, including the outer fabric as well as inner fabrics and zipper.

Pattern companies are now including more selections for men. Choose slack patterns according to waist measurement. When using double knit, always select styles designed especially for knits as they have less ease, allowing for stretchable qualities of the fabric.

If not currently sewing for your man, consider the idea and find out what's available. And soon, you may have to make time to sew your own fashions.

S. B. No. 249

#### AN ACT

relating to the recording and re-recording of livestock brands and marks; and declaring an emergency.

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

Section 1. (a) This Act shall apply to every county in this State. In all the counties each owner of any livestock mentioned in Chapter 1 of Title 121 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 shall within six months after this Act takes effect have his mark and brand for such stock recorded in the office of the county clerk of the county. These owners shall record the marks and brands whether the brands and marks have been previously recorded or not.

(b) The owner shall have the right to have his mark and brand recorded in his name who according to the present records of the county first recorded the brand and mark in the county, or in event it can not be ascertained from the records who first recorded the brand and mark in the county, then the person who has been using such mark and brand the longest shall have the right to have the brand and mark recorded in his name.

(c) After the expiration of six months from the taking effect of this Act all records of marks and brands now in existence in the county shall no longer have any force or effect and after the expiration of six months only the records made after this Act takes effect shall be examined or considered in recording marks and brands in the county.

(d) Immediately upon the taking effect of this Act the county clerk of the county shall have this Act published in some newspaper of general circulation in the county for a period of thirty days. The publication shall be paid for by the county out of the general county fund.

Sec. 2. All clerks in re-registering brands shall comply with Articles 6890 through 6899, inclusive, of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, and with Section 1, Chapter 273, Acts of the 41st Legislature, 1929, as amended (Article 6899a, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), and shall also be aware of and comply with Articles 1484, 1485, and 1486 of the Penal Code of Texas, 1925.

Sec. 3. All brands and marks registered under the provisions of this Act shall be re-registered every 10 years in the manner prescribed in Section 1 of this Act.

Sec. 4. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both Houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and this Rule is hereby suspended; and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Ben Barnes  
Lieutenant Governor  
Gus Mutscher  
Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S. B. No. 249 passed the Senate on April 15, 1971, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0; May 21, 1971, Senate concurred in House amendment by a viva voce vote.

Charles Schnabel  
Secretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S. B. No. 249 passed the House on May 6, 1971, with amendment, by a non-record vote.

Dorothy Hallman  
Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

May 27, 1971  
Preston Smith  
Governor

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE 4:10 P.M. O'CLOCK MAY 27, 1971.

Martin Dies Jr.  
Secretary of State

### WELCOME

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

Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
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Sept. 10: Wall, there  
 Sept. 17: Bronte, there  
 Sept. 24: Wylie, here  
 Oct. 1: Roscoe, here  
 Oct. 8: Forsan, there  
 \*Oct. 15: Bangs, there  
 \*Oct. 22: Eldorado, here  
 \*Oct. 29: Menard, here  
 \*Nov. 5: Mason, there  
 \*Nov. 12: Sonora, here  
 Games for Sept. 10 through Oct.  
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 through Nov. 12 at 7:30 p.m.  
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Board of Directors  
 West Coke Hospital District  
 Victor Wojtek, President

## Lunchroom Menu

**Monday, Sept. 13**  
 Macaroni and cheese, black-eyed peas with snaps, peaches with cottage cheese on lettuce, biscuits, butter, milk, pineapple upside down cake.

**Tuesday, Sept. 14**  
 Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, buttered corn, potato chips, vanilla pudding.

**Wednesday, Sept. 15**  
 Pinto beans with salt pork, potato salad, spinach, corn bread, butter, milk, cherry cobbler.

**Thursday, Sept. 16**  
 Hamburger patties and gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, butter, milk, prunes.

**Friday, Sept. 17**  
 Fish sticks with tartar sauce, buttered potatoes, combination salad, hot rolls, butter, milk, white cake and icing.

## ATTEND REUNION

Maxie and Toby McClure, Diana and Jimmie, and Travis Kinney were in Sherman last weekend for the 26th annual reunion of the 36th Division Military Police Association. McClure was a member of the unit for four years during World War II, 42 months of which were spent in the South Pacific. The reunion was held Friday through Monday in the Holiday Inn at Sherman, and the local group reported good attendance and a good time.

There were 90 persons attending, including 40 members. The program included a Saturday night dinner dance and a Sunday buffet luncheon. McClure has missed only two of the reunions during the 26 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Heuvel returned home last Thursday from Fremont where they visited several days with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Heuvel, and in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson at Uvalde.

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