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Voters to Decide Beer Issue



Excellent Grass Stand on T. K. Whiteside Ranch DEFERRED GRAZING PROGRAM CAN HELP PASTURE IN 3 MONTHS

found by practicing a system of gency use. deferment, they can improve their rangeland. Defenment will promote plant reproduction, establishment of new plants, and provide a feed reserve for fall

> From The Oil Field

Survey.

of 182 barrels of 43.8 gravity oil. ing. Flow was through a 16-64 inch One of the primary things to new furniture for the office will Czechslovakia, in 1957. He rechoke with 950 pounds casing and consider when planning defer- be here soon. McAdams report- ceived a diploma as a specialist 300 pounds tubing pressures.

tions at 6,636 to 6,800 feet, fractions one pasture will not be to the WTU power plant there. tured with 1,500 gaffons of fluid gained if the other pastures are and 18,000 pounds of sand.

6,900 feet, plugged back to 6,845 work out a grazing system that feet.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,400-1.

Mann Rankin & Compana Petroleum Co. of Midland will drill a 6,500 foot wildcat eight miles south of Silver, It has been designated as the No. 1 Harris Estate-Sadie.

100 feet from the north and 467 ther, W. B. Douglas. feet from the west line of Section 479, Block 1A, H&TC Survey. daughter, Mrs. Wanda Caulder

was the depleted Lygay, East weekend. (Strawn lime) field, % mile to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vaughan the northwest. The opener was are spending two weeks at Wa-Monsanto Chemical Co. No. 1 Sa- hawi, Hawaii, visiting their daudie, finaled June 1, 1958, for 91 .- ghter and son-in-law, Mr. and 584 barrels of 41.8 gravity oil, It Mrs. R. A. Lomas. They were to became depleted Nov. 17, 1958. return home Aug. 1.

Coke County ranchers have and winter grazing and emergen-

Livestock should be kept out of the pasture being rested for at least a three month period between April 1 and Nov. 1. A minimum deferment of three or four months will allow the grass plants to take good growth and seed production. Longer deferments Items of Interest may be needed on pastures that are in poor condition.

This year we received above average winter moisture but received average spring moisture. The Jameson (Strawn) Field grass production has not been as rived in Robert Lee and was reanear Silver has gained a new great as normal. With the rain dy to begin his practice Wednes- of the West Coke County Nurst tors from Goodfellow Air Force The well is Olympic Petroleum more moisture this fall, grass ed that Mrs. Mary Streng has Corp. of Dallas No. 2 Coke-L. E. production should improve. Now agreed to cook for the weekly Czechslovakia, having been born Johnston Estate. It is located 3,- would be a good time for fall 300 feet from the south and east defenments of native grass pas-1 lines of Section 3, Block 2, H&TC tures. Deferments for August un the remodeling job on the West til the first part of November Texas Utilities office has been The well had a daily potential should provide good winter graz- completed and they have moved

overgrazed. By bing flexible and Operator set 41/2 inch casing keeping livestock in balance with revenue sharing money next week will allow deferments of his rangeland each year.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Runnion and children have returned from Pittsburg where they attended The site has been located 2.- funeral services for her grandfa-

Mrs. Curtis Walker and her Ground elevation is 1,929.5 feet. and children toured Carlsbad Ca-Closest production to the test vern in New Mexico the past

RAINS TOTAL **UP TO 2 INCHES**

area during the past week. The ty. rain started falling last Thursday and several showers have dumped as much as 2 inches in some

The Observer has several reports giving the rainfall for the week and for the past month. The first figure is for the past week and the second for July: Bryan Gartman .9 and 2.7; Sanco 1.3 and 2.7; Robert Lee 1.51 and 2.67; Silver 1.8 and 2.4; Ben Boykin 1.9 and 3.3; T. M. Wylie 1 and 1.4; J. W. Service 2 and 3.5.

Floyd Harmon reported 1.6 inches at his place in the Edith community during the past week. M. A. Cox received 2 inches for a July total and Ben Boykin had 2.5 inches for the month at his Graham Valley Ranch.

Temperatures have been considerably cooler since the rains started falling and Coke County residents are looking forward to cool August nights.

Cloudy skies prevailed Wednesday most of the day but the sun was shining brightly just before

From R-Lee BUL

President Roy Ford announced This is one of the reasons that that Dr. Andrew Peter has arwe have received now and with day morning. Ford also announcluncheon meetings of the BCD.

W. D. McAdams reported that ments is to have the ranch prop- ed that the Monday storm in San in internal medicine in 1966. Production is from perfora- erly stocked. The benefit in de- Angelo did about \$100,000 damage

> ed he would have a report on gy. Continued on Page 5

of beer in Justice Precinct 1 of issue of the Observer by the pro-Good rains have fallen in this for off-premises consumption on interested persons and groups.

Arguments for and against the

JACKY PRESLAR RANKS AS DISTINGUISHED STUDENT

Jacky Preslar of Robert Lee versity, announced Registrar Robert A. Lacey.

The undergraduate honor is awarded students who have exitusual. Justice Precinct 1 includes celled academically. Recipients all of Commissioner Precinct 1 must earn at least a 3.25 grade plus the part of Commissioner point ratio (out of a possible 4.0) during the previous semester.

"Distinguished Student" rank-

Preslar, a sophomore engineer- the balloting be conducted. ing technology major, is the son of Mrs. Joan Burns of Edith Rt. was defeated, 334-251.

An election to legalize the sale legalization are set forth in this Coke County will be held Sat- ponents and opponents of the isurday. The balloting will decide sue. A number of paid adverif beer can be sold in the area tisements are being published by

Two voting places will be set up Saturday and voting will begin at 8 a.m. and continue until 7 p.m. Persons who live in Election Precinct 1 will vote at the school. Elections in this precinct has earned "Distinguished Stu- usually vote at the Recreation dent" ranking at Texas A&M Uni- Hall but it has been reserved for

> Voters of Election Precinct 3 will vote at the courthouse as Precinct 3 which was formerly included in Precinct 1.

Commissioners called the elecing is limited to 10 per cent of tion after they were presented TAMU's undergraduate enroll- with petitions signed by 160 qualified voters, requesting that

A similar election June 6, 1972,

Doctor Peter Starts Practice

and began the practice of mediat Tuesday's meeting of the BCD cine here Wednesday morning. In addition to his regular prac-

tice he will look after residents ing Home.

The new doctor is a native of there July 14, 1929. He arrived in the United States Dec. 3, 1968. He graduated from high school in Hungary and received his Doctor of Medicine Degree from Kointo the new quarters. He said mensky University at Bratislavia,

Since arriving in the U.S., he has completed six months resi-Judge W. W. Thetford announc- dency in obstetrics and gynocolo-

Citizens of the community were at 6,889 feet. Total depth was forage produced a rancher can following the Monday meeting of glad to see the new doctor, since the community has been without

Dr. Andrew Peter arrived in a doctor since the death of Dr Robert Lee the first of the week J. D. McDaniel several months ego. Parttime work has been done here by Dr. W. J. Swann of Sterling City and a team of doc-Base in San Angelo.

Rites Held Here For Paul Tinkler

Paul Lancaster Tinkler, 32, of San Leandro, Calif., died there at 5:15 p.m. Thursday of last week of injuries sustained in a car-motorcycle collision near San

Graveside services were held at 5 p.m. Monday at Robert Lee Cemetery under direction of Newby Funeral Home.

He was born Feb. 16, 1942, in San Angelo and grew up in Robert Lee. He was a graduate of Robert Lee High School.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mary Lou Tinkler; two sons, David Tinkler and Jim Tinkler, both of the home; a daughter, Diane Tinkler of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. (Chilly) Tinkler of Robert Lee; his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Young of Brady; his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Tinkler of Robert Lee; a brother, Jerry Tinkler; and a sister, Mrs. Betty Fulkerson.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shandley were their children and their flamilies, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Shandley and children of Davis, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Ashton of Odessa.

Citizens of Tomorrow



Thomas Lane Baker was three months old when this picture was made. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy G. Baker.



John R. Lehr is the 1 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lehr of Robert Lee.



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off under its present type of gov- the Highway Department, Educaernment than the so-called cabinet tion. Department of Corrections form being advanced in prepara- and Department of Public Safetion for constitutional revision, ac- ty rate high nationally. The cording to Texas Research League found few agencies in oth-

League staff members in a new report to the Constitutional Revision Commission point to advantages of the present system and holding the governor accountable offer these key obervations:

provement, Texas government is dictate that he can be held acnot the "administrative jungle" portrayed by critics. There are or twice. Further, it is difficult 174 legal entities which might for voters to assess thousands of qualify as state agencies, but few- acts by the chief executive durer than 30 of them control 99 per ing any four years. cent of money and personnel in

of education and welfare financ- beyond the governor's control. ing. Overhead administration and national average is 2.6 per cent. participation in government by

Austin - Texas may be better | * Major Texas agencies such as er states "clearly superior" Texas counterparts.

* While advocates of the cabinet theory claim it provides for for all aspects of government ad-* While there is room for im- ministration, political realities countable at the polls only once

* Whether authority to appoint 20 cabinet officials but no sub-* Texas still has one of the most cabinet-level personnel would economical big state governments strengthen the governor in poliin the nation. Ohio and Missouri cy making is debatable. Merit rate slightly lower, but Texas system employment to insulate spends more in support of its state employees from the spoils schools than those two states. Ma- system is considered part of the jor suggestions by the League for cabinet theory. This means echeeconomies have been in the areas lons below the cabinet level are

The present pattern of part control functions cost 1.9 per cent time boards, according to the of Texas' total budget, while the League, provides opportunity for

tive veto.

TOP 100 PRESCIPTIONS STU- rating law takes effect. DIED - Computors are being used by the Texas Pharmacy islature this year, however, may Board to determine the top 100 cancel out the savings for some prescription drugs being sold in and actually bring a slight inthis state.

druggists must post the prices for medical expenses and lost of the 100 most prescribed drugs at their counter this fall.

The new law will also prohibit advertising about "wholesale." 'cut rate' prices, and limit drug ing. stores to advertising about services, keeping "family records" and dangers of mixing certain types of drugs.

the prices of the top 100 most cal coverage which already costs common drugs at each prescrip- \$15 to \$22 a year. tion counter, states Joe Arnette, Texas Pharmacy Board, who is make the state wide survey.

its promise, the State Board of ket news analysts reported. premiums, estimating 90 per cent ment's projections. of motorists will save at least! tive Aug. 27.

provide a powerful reservoir of Chairman Joe Christie, the com- news chief. Walton said a return support for a governor's policies. petitive rating law Sept. 1 will to normal buying habits will help The League suggests more fiscal mean further savings for many, return prices to more normal lepower for the governor and au- Christie said. One company has vels. thority to order governmental re- indicated it will ask authority to organization subject to degisla- cut its rates 15 per cent across the board when the competitive

Another law passed by the legcrease. The personal injury pro-Under new state law, H. B. 750, tection coverage of at least \$2,500 earnings or services due to accicient, regardless of who was at fault, will be added to all policies unless motorists reject it in writ-

Christie said even rejections written on "brown paper sacks" will be considered valid. P. I. P. coverage costs \$22 to \$44, but Consumers will be able to check many will substitute it for medi-

PRICES SOARING - Disruption of normal buying habits is using the computer method to pushing poultry prices up to the level of some cuts of beef, Texas AUTO RATES CUT - True to Department of Agriculture's mar-

Insurance ordered an average Broiler prices are expected to statewide reduction of 4.3 per reach the 80 cent bracket this cent in private auto coverage week, according to the depart-

"Hoarding" and "panic buy-\$25 million. New rates are effecting" are contributing to run away prices, commented Mike Walton,

Aug. 2, 1973 many key citizens, who, in turn, | Further, according to Board Agriculture Department market

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For the legal sale of beer for off-premises consumption only in Justice Precinct 1, Coke County, Texas.

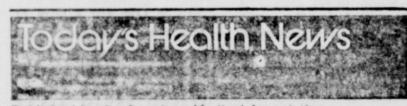
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AUGUST 4th

We urge each and every citizen to get out and vote, regardless of the way he casts his vote.

BUT REMEMBER: A Vote FOR Is a Vote for PROGRESS!!

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Health hazards of pets . . . All rabies as often as required by pets can get sick, but sometimes | state law. Hazards to humans inthey can pass their problems on clude rabies, intestinal parasites, to humans. Ringworms, intesti- ringworm, and ticks. nal parasites, and ticks are only a few of the hidden dangers to lies: parakeets may live 10 years, man. To find out more about while parrots have lived beyond the health needs and hazards of 100. The two potential problems common family pets, Today's of birds are feather mites and Health consulted with Pat Brad- intestinal parasites. Special hazley, D.V.M., at the University of ards include psittacosis, an infec-Pennsylvania Veterinary Hospital. | tious disease marked by diarrhea Here's what your favorite Felix and wasting (although the bird looks like, when seen through may not show any symptoms at the doctor's eyes.

to 15 years. Cats should be given fever, and bronchial pneumonia. feline distemper vaccinations at 8, 12, and 16 weeks and boosters | 10 years, Rabbits can be bothered every year, as well as rabies vac- by both worms and ear mites.

Potential human problems inlude ringworm and intestinal inn the cat's feces and can cause tularemia, an infectious disease congenital disease, including of rodents, man, and some domesrain lesion, in infants. To protect against this possible hazard, toxic symptoms, such as fever. pregnant women should have someone else clean the litter box every day until they have given

birth, Dr. Bradley cautions. *Dogs - life expectancy from 10 to 15 years, depending on breed. Pups should have their first innoculation against distemper, leptospirosis, and hepatitis at 5, 8, and 12 weeks. Grown dogs need the same shots yearly. They

should also be innoculated against

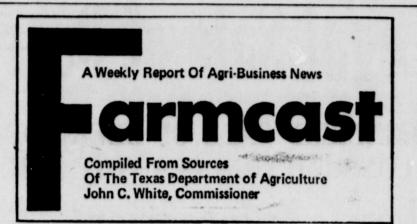
*Birds - life expectancy var-

all). If transferred to humans, *Cats - life expectancy of up the disease can cause nausea, *Rabbits - generally live 5 to They also can carry fur mites, which can be irritating to human skin. Wild rabbits brought home

> tic animals. In man, it produces But animal lovers needn't be too disconcerted. Millions have owned pets and never had any problems. If you keep your pet healthy and are aware of its needs, says Dr. Bradley, you'll

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help protect your health, too.



Milk Production Declines As Predicted . . . Broilers, Eggs Also chicks in Texas is up 34 per cent Show Declines . . . Cattle Feeding from a month ago and 3 per cent Increases.

Milk production in Texas as well as the nation is following a year long pattern of declines. which has been predicted by dairy group spokesmen. Texas milk production for June is 5 per cent below the previous month's production, althought it is slightly above June of a year ago.

Nationwide, milk producing is 2.5 per cent less than a year earlier. Production during the first half of this year is running 2 per cent under 1972. The number of Texas feedlots from April 1 to milk cows, nationwide, also has July 1 were down 11 per cent declined 2 per cent.

The cost price squeeze in the ratio is down 27 per cent from a a year ago. June ratio since 1955.

last month. Nationwide, a de- year. crease of 5 per cent is noted from the same month a year age.

Broiler chick hatch in Texas under the preceding month.

The turkey poult hatch for Texas during June is up 19 per cent from a year ago, but is 9 per cent under a month ago.

The June hatch of egg type above a month earlier.

CATTLE on feed in Texas and the nation continue to increase. As of July 1, a total of 2,335,000 head of cattle and calves were on feed in Texas. This is 10 per cent above a year ago, 4 per cent above June 1, and 3 per cent above April 1.

Large feedlots-those with 1,000 plus capacity - numbered 234. Steers accounted for 1,513,000 head of the cattle on feed.

Cattle placements on feed in compared to a year ago. Cattle marketed out of Texas feedlots dairy industry is also dramatized is 4 per cent above marketings in the milk-feed price ratio. That compared to the same period of

year ago. It is also the lowest Feedlot operators intend to market 1,238,000 cattle between EGG production in Texas dur- now and Sept. 30. This would be ing June is down 4 per cent from 6 per cent more than marketed a year ago and 5 per cent under during the same quarter last

Nationwide, cattle and calves on feed is up 2 per cent from a year ago. Cattle feeders plan to during June is down 7 per cent market about 1 per cent more from a year ago and 10 per cent than those actually sold during the July to September period of a year ago.

> Observer want ads are very effective and cost very little.

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the Legal Beer

*—B E E R — A Six Billion Dollar Impact on the Economy

- -Brewers use \$285 million of agricultural products yearly.
- -Brewers paid almost \$1 billion in federal excise taxes and over \$400 million in state taxes in
- -Since Repeal, brewers have paid \$21.4 billion in excise taxes to the Federal Government and over \$7.2 billion to the states.
- The industry provides income for over 1 million persons (suppliers and distributors) in excess of \$2.6 billion.
- -Wages and salaries amount to approximately \$550,000,000 to 60,000 persons.
- -Capital expenditures: \$130 million.
- -Fuel, power and water: \$23.5 million.
- —Transportation: \$222 million.
- —Advertising and promotion: \$275 million.
- -Annual packaging bill is close to \$725 million.* *Statistical Highlights, United States Brewers Assn., Inc.

Again, we all benefit directly or indirecty from these monies. Vote FOR the Sale of Beer for Off-Premises Consumption.

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FISHING REPORT from Lake Spence



About 500 fishermen braved at 1 lb. and 8 white bass up the summer heat to drop their 2 lbs. Jimmy Kevin Counts, Wahooks in Lake Spence last week- ter Valley, 4 white bass up to

Counts Bait & Grocery

L. E. and Nina Evans, Odessa, 1 black bass at 6 lbs. and 12 winte bass up to 2 lbs. Jimmy Lockhart and Ben Friebele, Big Spring, 2 black up to 41/2 lbs and 48 channel cat up to 51/2 lbs. Jim Rose, San Angelo, 1 black at 31/2 lbs. and 1 channel cat at 1 lb.

Art Blassengame and Bill Emerson, Big Spring, 2 stripers at 31/2 and 31/4 lbs. Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Martin, Hobbs, N. M., 5 channel cat up to 4 lbs., 1 black at 2 lbs. and 1 crapple at 1 lb. Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Burrow, Midland, 7 blacks up to 11/2 lbs., 1 channel cat at 21/4 lbs., 2 stripers up to 21/2 Tos. and 6 white bass up to 11/2 lbs.

E. L. and Noreen Ball, Snyder, 30 blacks up to 2% lbs., 1 striper

end. The following catches were 11/2 lbs., 1 black at 1 lb. and channel cat at 1 lb.

Y. J.'s Marina

Herman Massion and party, Midland, 12 black bass up to 334 lbs. Donny Rhoades, Odessa, 1 striper at 7 lbs. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brewer, Robert Lee stripers up to 31/2 13s. Jim and Jody Truelock, Odessa, 11 channel cat up to 3 lbs. Sherman Williams, Robert Lee, 1 striper at 31/2 lbs. and 20 channel cat up

Edith Store

James Autten and Grover Smith, Odessa, 2 blacks up to 21/2 lbs. and 2 channel cat up to 2 lbs. O. H. Gibbs, Hobbs, N. M., 5 channel cat up to 21/2 lbs. H. N. Lane, Edith, 11 channel cat up to 4 lbs.

Hillside Grocery

Mike Bryan and party, Levelland, 15 channel cat up to 3 lbs. Johnny Houser Jr., Odessa, 14 channel cat up to 7 lbs. C. G. Walker, Robert Lee, 6 channel cat up to 3 lbs. and 1 yellow cat at 5 lbs.

PERSONALS

Visitors last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wright were her twin sister and her family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jarnagan, Steve, Dondi and Susan of Fayetteville, Ark. Other guests over the weekend were Mrs. Pat McCutchen, Melodi, Jim, Mike, Patti and Sherri of Coahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Patterson, Lee and Raymond and Charles Wright, Eva and Lori, all of San Angelo; and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wright and Carolyn of Killeen.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dave King last week and during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hall an girls of Columbus, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson and family, Jerry Anderson and Mrs. Tommy Anderson and Fadra, all of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Walker, Rex and Dave of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. King, Mrs. Mac Vickers and Mrs. Lester King and Mike, all of El Paso, and Mr. and Mrs. Slim Brooks of Peralta, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craddock of Medina and Mrs. Ann Wells and Timmy of Houston were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Clark, and other relatives.



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> > **Arthur Kendall** Minister

FOR the Legal Sale of Beer

A VOTE FOR LEGALIZED SALE OF BEER FOR OFF-PREMISE CONSUMPTION IS A VOTE FOR:

Better Law Enforcement

- -A retailer cannot sell to minors. (Your boot-legger entices minors)
- -A retailer cannot sell to a person who is obviously intoxicated. (This reduces the incidence of drunken driving.)
- -Beer can only be sold during the hours specified by law.
- -Beer can only be sold at the business location of the retailer.
- -A retailer can sell beer at competitive prices and must pay all taxes due.
- -No beer can be consumed on the premises where it is sold.
- -The legalized sale of beer helps deter the illegal sale of beer by reducing the market.
- -The legalized sale of beer means more officers to enforce the law.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Flanegan and Renea, Tammy and Ruth Calder have returned from a 10 day vacation trip to Juarez, Mexico and the mountains of New Mexico and Colorado.

Visiting here for several days in the Carl Hurley home are their son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hurley and family of Washington, D. C. Other visitors over and family of Robert Lee.

An Observer want ad will do it. Robert Lee.

McAdams Family Reunion Held

The McAdams family met last weekend at San Angelo for a reunion. The five brothers and four sisters had not all met together in 26 years.

Attending were C. T. McAdams of Odessa, the father of the group and the children and their the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. families, including Mrs. James Melvin Hamilton and family of Graves of Mountain Pass, Calif., Santa Fe, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Grunn of Donald Hamilton and children of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Midland, Mr. and Mrs. James Combes of Big Spring, Mr. and Rymer of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Donald McAdams of Iraan, John Hurley and family and Mrs. Polk H. McAdams of Little Rock, Opal Clark, all of San Angelo, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mardis and Mr. and Mrs. Earl McCoy of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. McAdams of Cross Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McAams of

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the commissioners court.

Supt. Jimmy Bickley said the teachers of Robert Lee Schools will start inservice training Aug. 13, registration will be Aug. 16 and 17 and classes will begin Aug. 20. All five teacher vacancies have been filled, but the school will have one less teacher than last year.

Mayor S. E. Adams said everything in connection with the city government was pretty quiet with only some complaints about stray dogs. The mayor said more people are moving here and buying property for summer vacations. Also a few retired persons are coming in.

Take a Look at the Ads.

A little time spent in reading them is time well spent.

FOR the Legal Sale of Beer

Plain Talk About Legalizing the Sale of Beer for Off-Premises Consumption ...

There is a great deal to be said for and against legalizing the sale of beer for off-premise consumption. One can argue this and point out that.

No one can deny that there are people who should not drink alcohol of any kind because they are afflicted with alcoholism. There are those who believe that alcohol is the cause of this affliction. Maybe it is, maybe it isn't Maybe it's a person's mental attitude, maybe it's his body chemistry. But not everyone is susceptible.

There are people who do not have the taste for beer and there are those whose religious beliefs are against the consumption of any form of alcoholic beverage. This is their right and privilege. The proposal to legalize the sale of beer in Justice Precinct I is not designed to change their tastes nor challenge their beliefs. It is not designed to entice non-drinkers to drink.

It has been said that it would not profit Robert Lee and Coke County to legalize the sale of beer. It has been said that it would increase litter and the incidence of drunken driving and accidents. It has been said that legalizing the sale of beer would entice minors and expose them to drunken behavior.

The legalization of the sale of beer for offpremise consumption is proposed as a free enterprise to earn capital. This is an undeniable fact. But from the revenue earned from the sale of beer and the tax revenue returned, all of Robert Lee and Coke County and Lake Spence can profit.

It has been said that there is no need for additional revenue. Yet, one hears complaints that too much money is spent out of the county, more roads need to be paved, better equipment is needed at school, so many people have to leave the county to earn livings and/or supplement their income, not enough housing, not adequate medical care, etc., etc., etc. The need for these funds seems to depend on one's point of view.

Additional tax revenue can aid in obtaining these objectives. It could assist in making the community attractive to industry, thus providing more jobs. Improvements could create an atmosphere whereby more businesses might locate in Robert Lee and Coke County or where people might choose to retire or vacation. The revenue from the sale of beer could provide these additional funds to help resolve the litter problem. These monies would also provide more law enforcement officers and thus better law enforcement. More law enforcement would reduce the incidence of drunken driving and thereby reduce accidents due to drunken driving.

Perhaps beer being sold legally locally is enticing but not to minors. The retailers locally would be better able to screen minors and the law prohibiting sales could be more strictly enforced. As for exposing minors to adult drunken behavior, no beer can be consumed on the premises and no beer can be sold to anyone intoxicated. These are the laws in relation to the sale of beer for off-premise con-

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Thoughts From The Living Bible

So, warmly welcome each other into the church, just as Christ has warmly welcomed you; then God will be glorified. Remember that Jesus Christ came to show that God is true to his promises and to help the Jews. And re-member he came also that the Gentiles might be saved and give glory to God for his mercies to them. That is what the Psalmist meant when he wrote: "I will praise you among the Gentiles, and sing to your name." And in another place, "Be glad, O you Gentiles, along with his people the Jews.' Romans 15:7-10 Religious Heritage of America

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To Citizens of West Coke County

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A number of people in our community are interested in legalizing the sale of beer and have exercised their right to call an election.

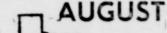
Believing this to be a critical decision for the future of our community, we urge you to weigh the following questions seriously before the election August 4.

- 1. Would the sale of beer really benefit us, as some believe?
- 2. Should we make beer more readily available to those who use it -adults and minors alike?
- 3. De we really need the sale of beer to "bolster the economy" and promote our community?
- 4. Who stands to profit from beer sales other than those who distribute it and retail it?
- 5. Do we need the litter and clutter connected with the use, advertising, and traffic of beer added to our highways, parks and lakes?
- 6. Will legalized beer sales make Robert Lee and West Coke County a more attractive place for visitors and prospective citizens?
- 7. Above all, could it possibly make our community a better place to live and rear children?

This Is an Appeal to Your Good Judgment and We Feel You Will Do Your Part To DEFEAT THIS ISSUE Again!!

Vote August

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PERSONALS

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones were Mrs. Hazel Cook and Joy Hoover of Plainview.

Randy Bessent and his cousin, Keith Watson, of Arlington left Sunday for Philmont Boy Scout Ranch in New Mexico for two weeks of scout training.

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FUNERAL HELD JULY 23 FOR WALTER K. SCUDDAY

Walter Kerney Scudday, 65, died suddenly at his home in Brownfield Sunday. Funeral services were held Monday, July 23, with burial in the Big Spring Memorial Gardens.

Survivors are his wife, Klydie; two daughters, Mrs. Connie Gardner of Lubbook and Mrs. Kerney Sue Merrell of Arlington; and four grandchildren.

Mrs. C. G. Walker Sr. and Mrs. Mildred Smith of Robert Lee at- family spent last week in Dallas tended the funeral services for their brother-in-law.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Millican during the weekend daughter Ruth Gloria. were their daughter, Mrs. Lillian Blair, and Daune of South Lake; Mrs. Bud Harmon, Teresa and Betsy of San Angelo; and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Millican and Troy of Robert Lee. They all went to is spending this week here with Sterling City to attend the wed- her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. ding of Mrs. Blair's daughter, A. J. Bilbo, and attending Bible Becky, to Chris Gartman.

PERSONALS

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blair were their daughter, Mrs. Margie Hillhouse of Greenville, Miss., David Beene of Tuplo, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Martin, Billy and Susane, and Mr. and Mrs. William Blair, Dean, Stacy and Steve, all of Odessa.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bessent were Mrs. Donna Hester, Hank, Katrina and Debbie of Levelland, Keith Watson of Arlington and Billy Havins of San Angelo.

Recent admissions to Bronte Hospital included Mrs. Mabel Mundell on Tuesday; Mrs. Claude Ditmore, Monday of last week; Mrs. Marie Hester, last Wednesday; Mrs. Elmo Bell, Monday.

Pam Millican of South Lake is spending a week here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Turney Casey. Mrs. Mona Casey of Abilene was a Sunday guest in their home.

Visitors in the Curtis Walker home last weekend were Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wayne Walker and children of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Walker and family of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Palmer and Johnny of Mansfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Austin of Michigan City, Ind., arrived in Robert Lee July 19 and visited until July 24 with her sisters, Mrs. Opal Baker, Mrs. Joyce Dodson and Mrs. Anna Mae Cox. Also visiting Mrs. Baker Saturday and Sunday were Mrs. Dick Denman and children of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gloria and visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Reyes Olivas; their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gloria; and another

Mrs. Alma Varnadore is spending some time visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mac Mathis at Stanton.

Rebecca Gilmore of San Angelo School.

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of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mauldin the occasion.

ALPHA KAPPA PI HAS FEED for a barbecue supper. Ten mem-Members of Alpha Kappa Pi bers and their husbands and four met Saturday night in the home guest couples were present for

Aug. 2, 1973

Vote NO at Saturday's Election

This Saturday the citizens of Coke County, precinct 3, go to the polls to decide if beer will be sold legally in this community. The decision made by this vote could have a greater impact on this community than we realize.

Those who advocate the legal sale of beer point to the revenue that will be paid by the sale of beer, but fail to point out the increase in taxes that could occur. Already citizens of the United States pay between six and seven billion dollars in taxes because of alcohol. Coke County pays their part of these taxes. Ninety per cent of the litter on our highways is alcohol related and the legal sale of beer in Coke County will bring an increase in this problem also. Any increase in the expense of collecting litter from along our roadways and parks will bring higher taxation to meet the expense. Must the majority pay for picking up the "empties" of a few? Will a tax increase of this nature help this community?

Advocates of the legal sale of beer in Coke County point to the hardship of having to drive thirty miles to obtain beer. Any law that permits a freedom of convenience to a minority and at the same time brings a hardship on the majority is not a good law. Why would this not be a good law? Alcohol in any drinking form is a narcotic. (This fact is supported by the Commission on Alcoholism.) We, the citizens of Coke County, would be legalizing the sale of a narcotic in our community. We would bring the temptation and opportunity to drink alcohol thirty miles closer to our children. What parent would make a law that would endanger the health and welfare of their children? This is what will take place with the legal sale of beer in Coke County. Every child will be thirty miles closer to becoming the victim of a drunken driver. Can those who want the legal sale of beer point to one area where beer is sold that does not produce a drunken driver? Twenty-seven seconds after the first drink is taken, the brain receives the first effect of alcohol. How many would be 30 miles closer to becoming a drinker of alcoholic beverages? 30 miles closer to becoming one of the nation's 9 million alcoholics? What parent or friend could wish this kind of future on another? Must we risk the future of our young people and this community for the sake of the sale of beer? Vote NO at Saturday's election.

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WE BELIEVE

the more alcoholic beverage that is consumed the more traffic accidents we have. (State records show approximately half of the accidents have alcohol as the major cause.)

BELIEVE

that if we "vote in" beer, our law enforcement problems will increase.

BELIEVE

that more tax dollars will be spent on extra law enforcement and related problems than we gain through taxes on beer.

BELIEVE

legalized beer will affect the children and homes of our community.

WE BELIEVE

that Robert Lee and Coke County are getting along well WITHOUT legalized alcoholic beverages.

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Fifteen million dollars of alcoholic beverage sales revenue went into the state's General Revenue Fund. The attorney general's operating fund received \$39,000. Six million dollars of revenue from these sales supplied the entire operating fund for the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission which controls and enforces liquor and beer sales.*

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