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HOWARD COLLEGE~BIG SPRING FFA LEADERSHIP CONTEST AREA II 1982

Farm Radio Team

Howard College Hosts Area II FFA Leadership Contest Nov. 20

The Robert Lee Chapter of Future Farmers of America placed third in the Farm Radio Contest at the Area Leadership Contest hosted by Howard College in Big Spring, November 20. Over 300 vocational agriculture students for 40 West Texas High Schools participated in the FFA Leadership Contest. Each of the entries had previously qualified through District eliminations.

Team members include Cathy

Lewis, Kirby Rasco and Michael Wilson.

Mr. Carl Igo, student teacher and Mr. Sid Long, advisor, accompanied the team to the meet.

The purpose of the Farm Radio Contest is to encourage public relations activities, promote better agricultural practices, provide student training and to provide programs which could be utilized by radio stations without the benefit of a farm director.

Flower Sak To Have Christmas Open House

The Flower Sak will host an Open House on Sunday, Dec. 5, from one o'clock until 5 p.m., to promote the Christmas spirit on downtown Robert Lee.

Ara and Joan Burns invite everyone to visit with them this week at their shop and register for the door prizes to be given away on Sunday. There will be a drawing for a live 5 foot Norfolk pine tree and a custom-made Christmas wreath.

The store, which opened last fall, is located on Austin at 9th Street. Its owners specialize in Country-look arrangements, decorations, and handmade items. They now have on hand a collection of unique baskets, brass and crystal gift items, and exquisite porcelain sculptures from Italy made famous by G. Armani.

Beautiful Christmas plants are arriving daily, including the traditional poinsettias. The shop also features fresh and silk flowers and they will custom make arrangements to your order.

The Flower Sak also stocks lovely gingham fabric dolls, made in a Corsicana, Texas factory by the older ladies of the community.

They are members of FTD and AFS and will wire flowers anywhere for their customers.

Ara and Joan invite you to share their Christmas spirit, attend the Open House, and sample the goodies and punch they will be serving.

Stan Ray, a member of the Robert Lee Chapter of Future Farmers of America placed fourth in the FFA Extemporaneous Speaking Contest at the Area Leadership Contest hosted by Howard College in Big Spring, November 20. Over 300 vocational agriculture students from 40 West Texas High Schools participated in the FFA Leadership Contest. Each of the entries had previously qualified through District eliminations.

Stan is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Phil Ray of Robert Lee. Vocational Agriculture teacher at Robert Lee High School is Sid Long.

The purpose of the extemporaneous speaking contest is to develop the ability of FFA members to express themselves on a given subject without having to prepare or rehearse its content in advance. Each contestant is given 30 minutes to prepare their speech on an assigned agricultural topic.

Nursing Staff Receive Awards

Certificates were awarded to the entire nursing staff of the West Coke County Nursing Home in recognition of superior nursing service at a reception held Tuesday afternoon. Words of appreciation and encouragement were spoken by Golda Brown, director of nursing, Jay Leath, administrator, and Barbara Chesney, board member. Following the presentations, refreshments were served.

Buy and Sell with Want Ads

Steer Basketball Teams Off To Good Beginning

The girls basketball team from RLHS traveled to Eden Tuesday night, Nov. 23, to give the lady Bulldogs a lesson in how to play basketball. A lopsided score of 67 to 22 in the Coke County girls favor made the Thanksgiving holidays that much happier. Leading the varsity team in making points was Leigh Ann Runnion with 22; Sara DeLa Pena, 12; Martha Bickley, 12; Debbie Cummins, 10; Carol Longoria, 6; Jana Gartman, 3, and Amy Percifull, 2.

The JVs had it nearly as good when they downed the Eden girls 58 to 31. Tracie Fulkerson had high points for the night with 23; Jana Gartman, 12; Carol Longoria, 8; Tancie Bell, 6; Tracy Pearson, 3; Patty Bloodworth and Elizabeth Rodriguez, 2 each.

Tuesday night, Nov. 30, on a trip to Eula the RLHS girls lost to their host in a close 55-58 game. Runnion was hitting hot to make 31 points; Bickley had 11; DeLa Pena, 5; Percifull, 4; Cummins and Gartman, had 2 each.

BOYS GAMES

The RLHS Steers varsity basketball players took on Ira at Ira Tuesday night, Nov. 23 and easily won the game 64-40. Quint Anthony took scoring honors with 19 points followed by Lupe Torres

with 14; Bobby Boone dropped in 8; Jimmy Skinner and Kirby Rasco, each tipped in 7; Scott Stephens, Darryl Mulkey and Kyle Gibbs had three each.

The Steers Varsity came out on top 60 to 56 over the Eula boys Tuesday, Nov. 30. Boone and Skinner tied for high point maker with each having 14; Rasco was close with 12; Stephens, Torres and Gibbs each hit for 5; Anthony, 3; and Eddie Hood, 2.

The boys JVs, also, brought home a win in a 46-39 game. Greg Grim hit for 13; David Rodriguez, 7; Larry Palmer, 7; John Hinnard, 6; Caesar DeLa Pena, 5; Mike Sanchez, 4; Garry Palmer, 2; and Kevin Johnson, 2.

The Robert Lee lady basketball players will play in the Bronte Tournament which got underway Thursday (yesterday) Dec. 2. The

RLHS defending champs challenge Highland in the opening game at 1:00 p.m. Thursday.

The Steers take on Baptist Temple at 2:30 p.m. Play continues on Friday and Saturday with the finals at 7 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Saturday.

Miles will come to town Tuesday, Dec. 7, to take on the Steer teams starting at 4 p.m.

The Steer teams are entered in the Catclaw Invitational Tournament at Abilene Wylie, Dec. 9, 10, 11.

Furniture Store Getting Ready For Christmas

Thrif-Tee Furniture and Gift Shop in downtown Robert Lee is gearing up for Christmas time.

Shirley and G.W. Anderson opened their store about four months ago in the former Lions Club building which they purchased. They have gathered a large variety of gift items and a nice selection of good quality furniture at reasonable prices. The couple can offer their bargains by buying many of their items direct from the factory.

The store has lots of living room and bedroom furniture in stock as well as specialty items such as lamps, lighted bookshelves, grandfather clocks and occasional tables and chairs.

They also have brass gift items, baby gifts, and glassware.

The Andersons' will be giving away an 8 float lighted, talking Christmas stocking filled with toys for some lucky youngster. Come by and register for this unusual gift to be given away in a drawing on Dec. 24.

The store has many items for Christmas gifting or for furniture for family giving.



Debra J. Stelter

Debra Stelter New County Economist

Debra Stelter has assumed the position of Coke County Home Economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, effective December 1, 1982, according to Coke County Judge D.W. Sims and Ken Cook, District 7 Extension Director.

Stelter will be headquartered in the Extension offices located in the courthouse at Robert Lee.

Stelter will be responsible for all home economics endeavors, including 4-H youth work in the county.

The new agent has an extensive and varied background in the home economics field, having garnered a Bachelors Degree in Home Economics Education from Florida State University followed by a Masters Degree in Family Relationships, also, from Florida State.

While at Florida State, she served as state president of the Student Organization for the Florida Home Economics Association and was named in Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities in 1979.

"We feel very fortunate in having obtained a person of Debra's caliber and background for this position," said Cook. "Coke County has always been a strong supporter of home economics and we feel the new home economist will be a great asset to the community."

Stelter comes to Coke County from Columbus, Georgia, where she worked with the Georgia Extension Service for more than a year.

Open House At Western Auto

Western Auto Store, located on Hiway 158 in Robert Lee, owned by Bob and Phelan Wrinkle, will have open house Friday, Dec. 3 and Saturday, Dec. 4. There will be many items to choose from. They feature the Tappan microwaves, Magnavox televisions, stereo systems, all types of tools, bikes, and Christmas toys. There will be a 10% discount throughout the store both days. Selected items may be discounted more than 10%. Come in and shop early among the wide selection, E.T. dolls included. Register for Free Gifts. Refreshments will be served. Free gift wrapping. Store will be open 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Friday and 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

Pre-Trial Hearings To Be Held In 51st District Court Dec. 10

Royal Hart, 51st district judge, will hold pre-trial hearings December 10 at the Coke County courthouse in Robert Lee. Luther Lara Jr., who is presently being held in the Tom Green County Jail in San Angelo, is to appear before Judge Hart at 10:00 a.m. Charges of murder and attempted murder were filed against Lara Jr. after an investigation into the shooting death of Victoria DeLa Cruz Ortiz and the wounding of Game Warden Sparks Burdett last September.

Judge Hart will, also, preside over the pre-trial hearing concerning the closing of Friendship Road near Lake Spence on Fri-

day, Dec. 10.

Four subjects from San Angelo were apprehended Thursday night, Nov. 25, at the Precinct 3 county yard as they were taking gasoline. Class A charges were filed on the theft of approximately 30 gallons of gas.

Sheriff Marshall Millican, also, reported the recovery of a stolen handgun this week. The handgun has been returned to the rightful owner with no charges filed at this time.

Sheriff Millican said investigation continues on the recent burglaries of Ross Conoco Station and The Cracker Barrel convenience store.

Senior Citizens Christmas Party December 10th

Robert Lee Senior Citizens will meet on Friday night, Dec. 10, at 6:30 o'clock at the New Rec Hall for their annual Christmas party.

Those wishing to exchange gifts will bring a gift not to exceed \$3.00 plus tax. Men will bring a gift for a man and ladies a gift for a lady.

Pot luck party foods brought by each family will be served. Coffee and punch will be furnished.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to join in the festivities and games with our senior citizens.



KRISTANA HALL, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gayland Hall, is mailing her letter to Santa Claus in the special "Santa" box at the post office.

Special Program At RL Baptist Church Dec. 12

The Childrens Choir and the Real People, Inc. puppet team of Robert Baptist Church will present the musical entitled "A Certain Small Shepherd" on Sunday night, December 12. The community is invited to attend this service which will begin at 7:00 p.m. The choir, directed by Mrs. Margaret Epperson and Mrs. Lisa Pearson, will present the music which is the story of Christmas in song. The puppet team, directed by Mr. and Mrs. Dale Burnett, will present the Christmas narration of the cantata. The choir and the puppeteers have been working hard and long and hope their friends will come to their program.

RL Cub Pack 2nd In Region

Cub Scout Pack 461, chartered by the Robert Lee Lions Club placed second in the 1982 Cub Scout Physical Fitness Contest for the South Central Region. The South Central Region, Boy Scouts of America, covers five states including New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana.

The top point winners in Pack 461 for each age group were: Blake Pitcock, 8 years old, 403 points; Brent McPeak, 9 years old, 507 points and Jon Rogers, 10 years old, 477 points, for a total of 1,387.

The three Cubs were presented gold medals by the Concho Valley Council, BSA, for winning first place in the council contest. Their entry was then sent to the Region where they placed second.

First place winners in the South Central Region was Pack 370 of the Longhorn Council, Fort Worth, with a total of 1,418.5 points.

Each Cub competes in five events. They are: standing long jump, softball throw, push-ups, sit-ups and the 50-yard dash. The event is held annually in August and September as a way of enriching the Cub Scout program by emphasizing the importance of being physically fit.

Cubmaster of Pack 461 is Johnny (Mike) Fluhmann of Robert Lee.

Sell What You Don't Need With a Want Ad

Area Children Invited To Mail Letters to Santa

Postmistress Coe Lewis and the other Robert Lee postal employees invite all area children to come by the local post office and mail their letters to Santa Claus. He has placed a decorated mailbox for his mail in the office so that his letters don't have to be sent to the North Pole. A special step is provided for his small letter writers to stand on to express their Christmas wishes.

VAUGHANS HAVE LARGE GROUP FOR THANKSGIVING

Guests sharing Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vaughan were all their children and grandchildren with the exception of Lisa Bessent of Santa Barbara, Calif.

Those attending were Eileen and Norman Watson, their children, Katherine and Mick McCollum, and Michael Watson of Arlington, and Keith Watson of Sonora.

Mary and Ben Bessent of Robert Lee and son, Craig of Coahoma. Randy, Cindy, Cody Bill and B.J. Bessent of Robert Lee could not attend due to Cody Bill's having to be in isolation for a few days, but did enjoy the food prepared and taken to them.

Paula Vaughan of San Angelo. Vernay and Bob Lomas and children, Jennifer, Marcus and Linsey, of Levelland visited with both the Vaughan and George Lomas families.

Other out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Henson, Larry and Lee Ann Hinson, of Houston. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Watson and son, Steven, of Andrews and Bob O'Dwyer of Arlington.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ross of Marshall, Okla. spent Thanksgiving week with Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Watson. The ladies are sisters.

Angie and Trampas Cox spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their father, Richie Cox of Giddings. They traveled to Austin by bus and returned by bus to San Angelo, picked up there on Sunday night by Mr. and Mrs. Mike Davis.

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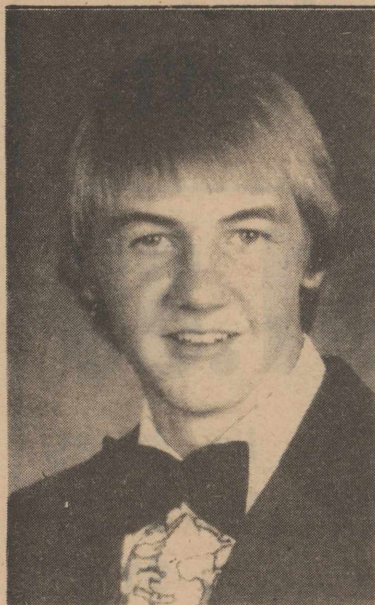
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Stan Ray

Stan Ray Gets FB Honor

Stan Ray, 18 year old son of Dr. and Mrs. Phillip C. Ray of Robert Lee, gained yet another honor over the weekend, as he was named one of the top four finalists during Texas Farm Bureau's free enterprise speech contest in Dallas. Stan competed with 24 other young people in the semi-finals held at the Dallas Hilton on Nov. 28, sponsored by the organization's 49th annual meeting. Competition for the finals moved to the Dallas Convention Center where elimination heats were held.

The top winner there received a \$2000.00 scholarship while the other three finalists, of which Stan was one, received a \$1500 scholarship to any accredited college of their choice. All four youths were also awarded a trip to Washington, D.C. and Williamsburg, Virginia, to take place April 18-22, 1982.

Stan first learned of the Texas Farm Bureau speech contest during a youth seminar last summer. Speeches were to be 4-6 minutes in length with no regulation as to giving the same one at

each contest. He entered the competition and began to give his speech "Free Enterprise-- The Strength of America" before local organizations including the Lions Club and the '64 Study Club. His speech remained basically the same, with some minor changes.

Representing the Coke-Sterling Farm Bureau, Stan was one of 71 contestants from around the state. He won the district competition recently held in Big Spring, thereby qualifying for the state meet.

His parents and brother, Scott, attended the contest in Dallas last weekend to lend moral support.

Stan is a particularly poised and articulate young man, and is active in school organizations and the First United Methodist Church. A senior at Robert Lee High School, he holds several offices including the presidency of the Senior Class, Student Council, Band, Robert Lee FFA Chapter, and FFA Area II.

Our nation has reached a point in history when ecumenical and government heads are concerned about future leadership. Perhaps there is hope for us all as the Stan Rays and organizations such as the Farm Bureau symbolize democracy and Americanism on which this country was founded. Robert Lee is justly proud of Stan.

Rifle Club News

Nine shooters were at the rifle range Sunday, Nov. 28.

Some good shooting was scored by: Becky Padgett, 79; Kerri Bilbrey, 74; Jennifer Robinson, 71; Claudette Walker, 65; Adam Minjarez, 60; Brett McPeck, 52; Jeff Cole, 48; Luke Robbins, 31; Angela Reyes, 27.

Thanks to Lynn Gulley, Doug McPeck, and John Walker for assistance with the shooters.

Kerri Bilbrey earned the first bar with a score of 30 on each target.

Services Held Nov. 29 For Mrs. Hickman

Mrs. Ed (Melindy) Hickman died at 9 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 27, in the West Coke County Nursing Home.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hickman were held Monday, Nov. 29, at 10:30 a.m. in the Central Baptist Church in Bronte followed by burial in Fairview Cemetery directed by Shaffer Funeral Home. The Rev. Jimmy Rogers was the officiant.

Mrs. Hickman, 93, was born in Erath County on Aug. 9, 1989. She moved to Coke County at an early age and was married to Ed Hickman Nov. 26, 1905 in Bronte. Mr. Hickman preceded her in death June 15, 1963.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Austin (Ruth) Sandusky of Bronte, Mrs. O.W. (Georgie Lou) Higginbotham, Mrs. Hadley (Lee) Richards, both of Robert Lee, and Mrs. Robert (Willie) Forman, Bronte; three sons, Ed F. Hickman of Killeen, Johnny M. Hickman of Big Lake, and Fred W. (Pete) Hickman, of Ft. Stockton; 15 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; 20 great-great-grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Nora Modgling of San Angelo; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Grandsons served as pallbearers at the services.

West Coke Hospital News

The following admissions and dismissals have been reported by the West Coke County Hospital District:

Nov. 16: James Watson and Vic Collect admitted. No dismissals.

Nov. 17: No admissions or dismissals.

Nov. 18: No admissions and Doris Payne dismissed.

Nov. 19: Myrtle Johnson and Donnell Davidson admitted. Nestoria Longoria and T.R. Harmon dismissed.

Nov. 20: Calla Mae Cargile admitted and no dismissals.

Nov. 21: Alice Ross admitted and no dismissals.

Nov. 22: Harley Moore and Julian Herndon admitted. Harley Moore and Myrtle Johnson dismissed.

Nov. 23: No admissions. Calla Mae Cargile, Vic Collect and Julian Valenzuela dismissed.

Nov. 24: No admissions. James Watson, Alice Ross and Julian Herndon.

Nov. 25: No admissions or dismissals.

Nov. 26: Julian Valenzuela admitted and no dismissals.

Nov. 27: Melvin Lasswell ad-

mitted and no dismissals.
Nov. 28: No admissions or dismissals.
Nov. 29: Alley J. Bilbo admitted and no dismissals.

Bill Sims To Be In Robert Lee

State Senator elect, Bill Sims, of San Angelo, will be in Robert Lee Tuesday night, December 7, to speak to the Coke County Extension program building committee.

The county program building committee members, their spouses and guests, will gather at the show and Recreation Center in Robert Lee at 6:30 p.m. for their annual meeting. Mr. Sims, who is also executive secretary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, will address the group on current topics of interest to the area.

Persons desiring to hear Mr. Sims are welcomed to attend the meeting.



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Rites Nov. 27 For Mr. Snead

Joe Long Snead, 80, of Roscoe, former owner of Maloney Drug Store there, died at 4:40 p.m. Thursday at Roscoe Nursing Home.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 27, in the First Methodist Church, with burial in the Roscoe Cemetery, under the direction of McCoy Funeral Home.

Born Sept. 19, 1902, in Hico, he married Johnnye Lee Adams Aug. 30, 1925, in Sweetwater. A Roscoe resident since 1951, he was a retired rancher and pharmacist. He was a member of the Roscoe Lions Club and member of Roscoe United Methodist Church. He was a member of the Nolan County Sheriff's Posse.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Jerrie Davis of Houston; a son, Joe L. Jr. of Fort Worth; two brothers, J.C. Snead of Robert Lee and Douglas Snead of Bronte; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

PERSONALS

Among Thanksgiving guests with Jewell and J.C. Wallace was their small granddaughter, Jessica and her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Jackie Smith, of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Schooley spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Jackie Scott, in Seminole.

Visiting over Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Zola Hatley was her son, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hatley and son, Billy, of Goltrie Okla. and her grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hatley, Tamar and Tanya of Conroe, Texas.

Sue Lindsey of Galveston and Edwin Lindsey of Amarillo were holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Lindsey. Sue, a registered nurse at Galveston's John Sealey Hospital, will remain in Robert Lee until December 9.



LOOK WHO'S NEW

Tiffany Anne is the new daughter of Myna Kay and Daryl Copeland. She weighed 5 lb., 8 oz. and was 18½ inches long on her arrival at Angelo Community Hospital in San Angelo on Nov. 20 at 10:36 a.m. She joins a brother, Jerrod, 3 years old, and a sister, Holly, 20 months, at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Roane and Mr. and Mrs. Les Copeland, all of Robert Lee, are her grandparents.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Childress of Robert Lee. Mrs. Pearl Childress of Robert Lee is Tiffany's great-grandmother.

Casey Family Has Fish Fry

Family members gathered for a fish fry in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Turney Casey Sunday at noon.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G.L. Coulter and Layne, Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Heffernan, Pat and Stacey, Darrell Jackson, all of Bronte; Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Coulter, Summer and McKenzie, Rankin; Mr. and Mrs. Turney Mike Coulter, Laticia, Micheal and Penni, Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Casey, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Thomas, Jessica; and Vonie Taylor and Randy Davis, all of Springtown.

Mrs. Tommy Jackson and Casey, Cleburne; all from Robert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Casey, Mr. and Mrs. H.C. Schooley, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Chesney, Rhea Taylor, Tray Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Ross, Mrs. Dona Bryan, Mrs. Pearl Ditmore and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hinton.

Boys Ranch Is Increasing Herd

Boys Ranch, home for 72 disadvantaged boys, near San Angelo is building up quite a herd of Beefmaster cattle, thanks to an ever-widening group of interested patrons. Beefmaster Breeders Universal members recently traveled to Florida to pick up donated cattle for the Ranch. The trips were financed in part by local donations, including Patti and Cumbie Ivey Jr. of Ivey Motor Company, City Savings of San Angelo, by S.E. Adams, chairman of the board along with directors, Marvin Simpson, and Mrs. Elsie Adams, and Central National Bank of San Angelo, by Glenn Kerby, president.

Horace Scott of Robert Lee has recently been named Wagon Boss for Coke County.

Mrs. Ione Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. David Estep, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pierce, and Mitch Raymond, all of Houston, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Javan Vosburg and other relatives, including Mr. and Mrs. Buster Pierce.

J.E. Watson was released from West Coke County Hospital in time to spend Thanksgiving at home, he is improving nicely and enjoying the sunshine.

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Edna Havins had her daughters, Linda Havins of Denton and Jan Havins of Abilene, for the four day holiday last week.

Lake Spence & Friendship Road

I would like to explain the importance of this road, and why we have been so persistent in trying to prevent its closing.

When Robert Lee Dam was dedicated, I am told that Mr. Ivey of C.R.M.W.D. made the dedication speech, and he stated that Lake Spence would have a shoreline of 135 miles and no roads would be closed, unless another road was built to take its place.

The closing of "Friendship Road" in two places will cut the available shore line for camping and recreation on the northwest side of the lake, which is about one-half of that 135 miles, to 2 or 3 miles.

The closing of this road in two places is the same as closing two complete roads. The road closed by Mr. Douglas Robertson enters the lake property from highway 158 near Robert Lee, and gives access to the southeast side of Yellow Wolf Creek and a part of Lake Spence southeast of Yellow Wolf Creek.

The road closed by Mr. Paul Burns enters the lake property

from Humble crossing road and gives access to the northwest side of Yellow Wolf Creek and part of Lake Spence northwest.

The land covered by Lake Spence when full, more than 14,000 acres, was removed from Coke County tax rolls.

We taxpayers must make up the loss of these taxes, while C.R.M.W.D. leases this tax free land to ranchers in competition with other land owners.

I am told that the commissioners were assured that the county would receive more benefit from the lake than the tax loss from this land. The only benefit from this lake is recreation and business from people who come here to enjoy the lake and who move here because of the lake. No water can be used by the towns or people around the lake unless they pay for every gallon. The closing of roads and cutting down on camping area will hurt the economy of Coke County. We hope we can stop this practice.

Lake Improvement Committee by E.C. Bennett

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This rule is wrong for the following reasons:

- 1) Withholding will cut the amount of cash you have available during the year from your interest income.
- 2) The amount withheld may not be correct for your tax bracket. If overwithholding occurs, you will have to file for a tax refund to get back your own money.
- 3) Your total interest earnings will be reduced because of less income from reinvestment and compounding.
- 4) Elderly persons and low income individuals (including children) will have to file an exemption certificate for each and every account they have in order to avoid withholding. If the exemption is not filed in time, a tax return must be filed the next year — or the withheld money will be forfeited to the government.

Unless Congress acts to stop the withholding rule, it will go into effect on July 1, 1983. This bank is working to do away with the rule, but we need your help. IT'S YOUR MONEY.

Please detach the message that follows, and mail it to your Congressman. Send a copy to your U.S. Senators. Give us a call if you have any questions or need information. Let's put a stop to withholding before it begins.

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Robert Lee, Texas
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TO: Congressman
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Please support legislation to repeal withholding on interest and dividends! It's harmful because it takes away from the income that I count on during the year; it's unfair to those of us who have always paid our share of taxes on interest; and, it's a burden to the elderly and low income persons, including children. It will discourage savings in this country, and that's bad news for the economy.

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We buy green and dry furs of all kinds. Case skin all furs (like opossum), NOT open up middle. We also buy deer hides and rattlesnake skins. Well handled furs bring TOP PRICES!!

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FOR SALE - Magnavox Odyssey 2 Video game, with 12 game cartridges, (including Pac Man). \$325.00 Larry Anderson, 453-2343. BP22-1tc

BALLINGER COMMUNITY Choir Annual Christmas Concert. First Baptist Church, Ballinger; Dec. 14, 8:00 p.m. Free BP22-2tc

GARAGE SALE- Inside Mobil Home, 9 o'clock Friday and Saturday. 1 o'clock Sunday. 1010 Austin. Evelyn Pannell Hughes 22-1tp

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"An Old Fashioned Christmas," a musical production, will be presented Sunday night, Dec. 5, at 7 o'clock by the choirs of the First Baptist Church in Robert Lee. The public is invited to attend. 22-1tc

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IN APPRECIATION

Our thanks to each one of the many friends whose loving expressions of sympathy helped us so much during the recent loss of our loved one. We are especially grateful for the food prepared, the flowers, visits, and cards. May God bless each of you.

The Family of Frank Abalos 22-1tc

IN APPRECIATION

With grateful hearts, we wish to thank all those who did so much for us in our time of grief. A special thanks for Dr. Zeon, the nurses who cared for our mother and the staff of West Coke County Hospital. For the bountiful dinner served the family at the Rec Hall and the food brought to our homes. The memorials, flowers, cards and calls meant so much to all of us.

The Family of Mrs. Ed Hickman 1tcBP

Valenzuela Services Held

Julian Valenzuela, 86, died at 4:45 p.m., on Monday, Nov. 29, in West Coke County Hospital following a long illness.

Rosary was said on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Shaffer Funeral Home Chapel by Father Pat Flood of San Angelo.

Funeral services were held in Our Lady of Guadalupe Mission on Wednesday, December 1, at 2 p.m. with burial in the Robert Lee Cemetery directed by Shaffer Funeral Home. The Rev. Mark Woodruff of San Angelo was the officiant.

Mr. Valenzuela was born in Mexico on Jan. 20, 1896. He grew up in Alpine, Texas, and was married to Luisa Flores in 1927 at Veribest. He had been employed by the Schneeman Ranch about 50 years.

Survivors include his wife, Luisa; two sons, Jesse Valenzuela of Robert Lee and Ismael Valenzuela of San Angelo; four daughters, Julia Amaya, San Angelo, Helen Tijerina, Frances Molinar, and Concepcion Valenzuela, all of Robert Lee; one brother, Candido Velanzuela of Odessa; 15 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by three sons.

Grandsons served as pallbearers for the services.

In Appreciation

Words cannot express our appreciation for the many acts of love you have shown us during Douglas' illness.

Thanks to our friends, relatives and all the people in Coke County for the prayers, cards, gifts, flowers, visits and food.

May your lives be enriched by God's love.

Bobby, Jeffie and Douglas Roberts

Baptist Choirs To Give Special Program Dec. 5

The Robert Lee First Baptist Church's choir will present the musical, "An Old Fashioned Christmas", Sunday night, December 5, at seven o'clock.

The musical production is inspirational, exciting, and entertaining. It involves the children, youths, and adults of the church.

Everyone in the community is invited. A spokesman of the church said you don't want to miss this opportunity to hear the Christmas story told in a simple and old fashioned matter.

Mr. Williams Services Held

Aubrey Dean Williams, 64, of San Angelo, died at 8 a.m. Sunday, November 28, 1982 at his residence.

Services were at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Johnson's Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Gene Smith of College Hills Baptist Church officiating. Burial was in Robert Lee Cemetery, Robert Lee, under the direction of Johnson's Funeral Home.

Williams was born Dec. 28, 1917 in Eldorado. He was a resident of San Angelo since 1964. He married Allene Smith of Robert Lee in San Angelo, and was a member of College Hills Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Dean Williams of San Angelo; Ronnie and wife, Jan Williams of Alpine; two grandsons, Shannon and Shane Williams, both of Alpine; one granddaughter, Dena Sue Williams of San Angelo; three sisters, Mrs. Loma Feist of Albuquerque, N.M., Mrs. Johnnie Ivans of San Antonio, Mrs. Aubrey (Molette) Duncan of Elsa, Tx.; two brothers, T.J. Williams of Houston, and Tony Rounault of Houston.

Pallbearers were Roy Fuller, Dr. James Yost, Raymond Taylor, George Roberts, D. Eschberger, Frank Miller, Glen Hale, William Jarrett. Honorary pallbearers will be James Davis, Mike Ferguson, Earl Thomas, John Richardson, Bob Gilliam and Clay Wiley.

Mr. Williams was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Homer Carwile and Mrs. Lowell Roane, both of Robert Lee.

BALLINGER CHOIR TO PRESENT CONCERT

Ballinger Community Choir, under direction of Gloriana Tadlock, with Joanne Cheshier accompanying, will present its annual Christmas Concert on Tuesday, Dec. 14, in First Baptist Church in Ballinger, at 8:00 p.m. This year's title is JOYFUL, JOYFUL TIDINGS.

No charge is being made for the program. It will be the organization's generous Christmas gift to Ballinger and surrounding communities.

Mrs. Tadlock explains that both secular and sacred music has been chosen which has appeal for people of all ages. Calendars should be marked for this spectacular event.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF COKE

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IN THE NAME AND BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO:

Susie N. Adkins, et vir., David Adkins, McNeil Wylie, Margaret Caton, Mary J. Votaw, Balente Galindo, Joe Dodson, Kate Dodson, W. C. Merchant, Mrs. J. B. Duncan, W. T. Smith, Jr., Fannie Landers, J. D. Elkins, B. F. Elkins, H. C. Fancher, Ralph Hughey, Genanula Onean, M. D. Kennemer, Polena Lara, Carrie Rabb, Albino M. Lara, et ux., Alice B. Lara, Rosa Manning, B. R. Franklin, Billy Carnes, et ux., Virginia Carnes, Jose Monjaras, et ux., Eulalia Monjaras, Blain Ott, Mrs. M. A. Smith, W. C. McDonald, Coke County Fat Stock Show, Jesus Veltran, George Williamson, C. C. Merchant, Rosa Ybarra, and Edward Ybarra;

and the following persons who have been personally served in this tax suit, but are named in this citation by publication because they are defendants in this suit and the law requires that all defendants be named in the citation by publication whether they have been personally served or not;

Mrs. John F. Rives, Mrs. Lou Ella Bessent, Robert Caton, Yvonne Conner, Willie J. Capps, Mission Ice and Fuel Company, Alvin Lara, Sara Y. Lara, W. G. Maxwell, et ux., Lois G. Maxwell, Robert Lee State Bank, C. B. Ott, et ux., Nina Ott, Golda Smith, David W. Tyler, Estiolia Valdez a/k/a Estobia Valdez, West Coke County Hospital District, V. M. Box, Jimmy Ybarra, et ux., Felica Ybarra;

all of the stockholders, all of whom are unknown to Plaintiff and his attorney, of each and all of the corporate defendants enumerated above; all partners, all of whom are unknown to Plaintiff and to his attorney, of each and all of the defendants enumerated above, which are or were partnerships; all members, beneficiaries, and interest holders, all of whom are unknown to Plaintiff and to his attorney, of each and all of the defendants enumerated which are or were trusts, joint stock companies, or other unincorporated associations; all of such persons and their legal status, viz., whether incorporated or unincorporated, and if incorporated, whether in good standing or defunct, being unknown to Plaintiff and his attorney; if living, and if any or all of the above named defendants be dead, the unknown heirs of each or all of the said above named persons who may be dead, and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said above named persons; and the unknown owner or owners of the hereinafter described land; and the executors, administrators, guardians, legal representatives, legatees, devisees, husbands, and wives of the above named persons, and any and all other persons including adverse claimants, owning or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property delinquent to Plaintiff herein, for taxes, all of said property being located in said County and State, to-wit:

Lots 4 and 12, Block 43, Lots 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, Block 63, LESS & EXCEPT that portion conveyed in a right-of-way deed of Record in Volume 59, pages 122, 169, 173, 217, and 239, Deed Records of Coke County, Texas; Lots 1 and 11, Block 64; Lots 8, 10, 12, Block 67; Lots 4, 6, 8, Block 89; Lot 9, Block 44, Lots 11 and 12, Block 20; Lots 6 and 8, Block 85; Lot 6, Block 70; Lots 1, 2, 3, 7, 10, 12, Block 37; West 10' of Lot 8, all of Lot 9, East 25' of Lot 10, Block 33; Lot 9, Block 22; Lots 5, 10, 12, Block 83; Lot 3, Block 84; Lot 3, Block 86; Lot 8, Block 82; Lots 10, 11, 12, Block 55; Lot 5, Block 6; Lots 2 and 6, Block 84; Lots 6, 10, 11, Block 87; 75'X75' Tract, being the South 1/2 of the North 1/2 of Block G and Lot 1, Block 26, Austin Northern Land and Cattle Company Addition; all of the foregoing property being located in the Original Town of Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiff for taxes in the following amount \$ 5,744.55, exclusive of interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes all said interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs thereon, allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein. You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the Robert Lee Independent School District, City of Robert Lee, and the State of Texas, for itself and Coke County, Plaintiff, against the above named persons, as Defendants, by petition filed on the 14th day of June, 1982, in a certain suit styled Robert Lee Independent School District vs. Susie N. Adkins, et vir., et al.,

for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Coke County, Texas 51st Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is 2906, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit are: None.

Plaintiff and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, and in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiff, Defendants, and Intervenor, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed, but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties, attorney fees and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which may hereafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance hereof, the same being the 3rd day of January, A.D., 1982, (which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Coke County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse thereof, then and there to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, interests, penalties, attorney fees and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiff and the taxing units parties hereto and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties and attorney fees allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas, this the 19 day of December, 1982.

Ethie Hubbard
Clerk of the District Court
Coke County, Texas
51st Judicial District

By Mildred A. Reese
Deputy



Mr. and Mrs. Roy Braswell

Mr. And Mrs. Roy Braswell Celebrate Sixtieth Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Braswell were honored on their 60th wedding anniversary with a family covered dish dinner on November 21, 1982.

The couple was married on

November 22, 1922 in Collin County.

The celebration was hosted by their two daughters, Mrs. Irven (Retta) Escue of San Angelo, and Mrs. J.W. (Melba) Denman of Stanton, and their husbands.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. George Braswell, Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Braswell, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Mitchell, all of Bronte.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Escue and Jessica, Mr. and Mrs. John Escue and Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Escue, Matt and Josh, all of San Angelo.

Also, Irene Edwards, Garland; Dee, Earlyne and David Smith, Water Valley; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Suggs and Darrell, Mrs. Pearl Bradshaw, Dublin; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Atchison, Stanton; Mr. Cecil Edwards, Princiton; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thomason, Stacy and Jill, Clyde; Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Turner, Clovis.

Attending from Robert Lee were: Mrs. Marjorie Harwell, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Pierce, Mrs. Trudy Farris, Mr. and Mrs. James McClure and Mrs. Jerry Thomason.

Eppersons Have Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Epperson along with his sister, brothers and their spouses, were the host for a celebration of his parents' fiftieth wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Epperson were married on November 19, 1932, and their children honored them on Friday, November 26, 1982, in Loraine where they live. Counting parents, children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren; the immediate family totals 67. A grand total of 65 of these were present for the anniversary.

'64 Study Club Has Meeting

The '64 Study Club met Nov. 23 at the Coke County Nursing Home to celebrate the birthdays for the month of November. Three people had birthdays in November. Ice cream, cake and punch were served to approximately 34 people in the home and club members: Grace Ditmore, Lucile Bryan, Thelma Jo Hinard, Mary Ivey, Opal Jacoby, Ruby Jones, Virginia Milliff, Irene Newell, Fay Roe, Olene Sims, Maybelle Stewart, Reba Tabor, Pauline Vaughan and Lois Dunklin.

RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL.

Douglas Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Roberts, was released from St. John's Hospital last week and able to spend Thanksgiving at home with his family.

Douglas, a student at RLHS, has been hospitalized since Oct. 23 with complications resulting from a ruptured appendix. He is reported to be improving steadily and happy to be home.

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