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SECOND OF A SERIES

Science Laboratory Is Needed To Meet Accreditation Standard

"One of the vital changes to built, only a science lecture room be made in the Robert Lee with one laboratory demonstra- McMurry College at Abilene, was Schools by next year to meet ac- tion desk was built. A minimum one among three students who recreditation standards of the Tex- of one laboratory desk for each ceived a \$50.00 cash scholarship Education Agency involves two students will be necessary to award from the Abilene City Fedas science program," School meet the new standards. This inthe Superintendent Latham said this cludes the new course in Physical ly. week.

When the new school plant was Physics.

a second glance

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By JOHN H. KING II

Every year at this time citizens of school districts are asked to seriously consider the possibility of being available to serve on the School Board of Trustees.

but it does pay a lot in satisfaction. If you want the two trustees whose terms expire this year to serve another term, be sure to ask them to serve again by signing a petition and filing it with the county judge's office. If you want someone else to serve, why don't you ask them? At any rate whoever serves on our School office with a minimum of five sig-Board of Trustees have a lot of responsibility and they desperately need the support of all of us.

Speaking of duty. . .we will have an important city election that will elect a mayor and two city commissioners. Now is the time to let prospective candidates know that you want them to serve you in this official capacity.

Science, Biology, Chemistry, and

Local school officials plan to remodel the present school study hall-library room and install a modern science laboratory. The library-study hall will be moved to what is now the audio-visual aids room.

General Science will be offered to terminal students, those who do not plan further study in col-The graduation requirelege. ment for science will be altered for students entering the freshman class after this school year.

This job doesn't pay a salary, School Trustee **Election to Be Held**

Deadline for filing for trustee for the local school district will be Thursday, March 8. For a destroyed their home. candidate's name to be placed on the ballot, a petition must be Mrs. Raymond McCutchen \$5.00 presented to the county judge's natures of qualified voters within the school district.

The election will be held in the Mrs. Nolan Pentecost school tax office on Saturday, April 7, 1962.

Trustees whose terms expire this year are Raymond McCutchen and Teddy Pitcock. Hold over trustees are Glenn Waldrop, T. M. Wylie Jr., Bert Blaylock, J. Q Counts, and Royce Smith.

Jerry Dean Receives Music Scholarship

Jerry Dean, a music major at eration of Women's Clubs recent-

Other students who won the scholarship awards were Carolyn Hale for speech, and Pamela Beazly of Abilene for art. Dean is the son of Mrs. Lucille Dean of Robert Lee.

Miss Hale, whose home is Portsmough, Ohio, is a student of Abilene Christian College, and Miss Beazley is a student at Hardin-Simmons University,

Each Abilene college and university nominates a candidate for this annual scholarship award.

CONTRIBUTIONS CONTINUE FOR FIRE VICTIMS

Several persons have continued rado Garza families who lost fires. The Garzas also lost a young daughter in the blaze that

LINDSEY CONTRIBUTORS Mrs. Nolan C. Pentecost Previously acknowledged Total

GARZA CONTRIBUTORS Rev. Dempsey Salter *Marvin Simpson

Brother Quellass Juan Galvan

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mathers Ellis Eubanks

Ciclea Mandedes Mrs. Alfonso Bolderes

School Administrators Contracts Extended

At a regular meeting of the the school term in 1964. Turner of the school.

Latham has been superintendent elementary school principal. the past two years.

The two principals, Dan Turner the school tax office on Saturdays in the high school, and Douglas except during January, the heavi-Dean in the elementary school, est tax paying month. Because were also given extensions on of the extra work which will be their contracts which will now ex- involved in the tax re-evaluation pire two weeks after the close of

Dr. John McDaniel Heart Chairman

For the fourth consecutive year to bring or send contributions Dr. John D. McDaniel has been for the Ed G. Lindsey and Con- appointed by Dr. John L. Read, president of the San Angelo Distheir homes in recent separate trict Heart Association, as chairman of the Heart Fund in Rob-

> In accepting the position as chairman, Dr. McDaniel said,

"Although the heart diseases are still the nation's Number One health enemy, many research leaders believe we are on the verge of significant break throughs which will ultimately \$5.00 lead to the control of the heart

"The residents of Robert Lee \$10.00 can help to speed the day of victory over diseases. Their Heart \$5.00 Fund dollars will make it possi-\$2.00 ble to expand the research need- Grant-in-Aid at a tea in Massie \$1.00 ed to save thousands of lives. The \$1.00 Heart Fund is a great crusade in day afternoon. Other members

Robert Lee School Board last and Dean are both hired on 16 Thursday night, trustees extend month contracts which means ed the terms of the administrators they are on duty two weeks before and two weeks after the Hervey Latham, superintendent school term begins and ends. Mr. of the school, was given an addi- Turner is completing his second tional year on his contract, to year in his position and Mr. Dean make it extend to June 30, 1964. is completing his third year as

> The board also agreed to close study, Mrs. Juanita Trimble, tax assassor-collector for the school district, was given a \$50 a month raise. This will make her salary \$250 a month. She was employed in September after the resignation of Mrs. Betty Ferrell In other action, the boand agreed to advertise for bids on the teacherage at the Green Mountain School. The teacherage is to be moved or dismantled and the acreage cleared. Notice of the sale appears elsewhere in the Observer.

Local Students Guests at **Tea in Angelo**

Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough was one of the hostesses when Alpha Beta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma honored members of FTA, SNEA, and recipient of the Verna Box Clubhouse in San Angelo, Saturing the

ert Lee. \$2.00 \$261.00 \$268.00 \$2.00

\$20.00 diseases. \$8.00

Congratulationsmembers of	Q4	J. D. Harmon 5.00	which we all can participate	day alternoon. Other members
Congratulationsmembers of El Valle Garden Club! If you'll	Street Markers		through giving and serving as	from Robert Lee attending the
permit me, I'll thank you for ob-	T 4 11 1 W/ 1		volunteers. I am happy and proud	tea were Mrs. Frank Coalson and
taining the much needed street	Installed Wed.		to serve as chairman of this 1962	Mrs. Sam Powell.
markers for our town in behalf of			drive."	members of the nobert like
the B. C. D. and many, many ot-	Street markers that were pur-	*Marvin Simpson aso gave the		High School F.T.A. Chapter who
her citizens of our city.	chased by El Valle Garden Club	Garza famiy a 3-room house.	will be accepted all during Feb-	attended as guests of Delta Kap-
The task the members of El	were installed by City of Robert	Guiza runny a 5400m nouse.	ruary, which is designated as	pa Gamma were Leta Robertson,
Valle have undertaken is a major	Lee personnel here Wednesday.	D 11 /1	"Heart Month."	Linda Heuvel, Betty Hughes, Shei-
	The 4-way street markers are	Resident's	Heart Month.	la Roe, and Edith McGinley.
one, but they have proved again	mounted on 2 inch pipe along 10th		LEAVE FOR CALLEORNIA	Mrs. Coalson, F.T.A. Sponsor at
that they are capable of not only	Street (Highway 208) for seven	RUINAR	LEAVE FOR CALIFORNIA	RLHS, was assisted by Mrs. J. B.
undertaking major projects; they	streets.		Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Capps and	Robertson in furnishing transpor-
also have the foresight and deter-	Streets that bear markers are	Dies	Jack Capps left Wednesday for	tation for the Robert Lee F.T.A.
mination that makes the differ-			Dexter, California where they will	group.
ence between success and failure.	Austin, Chadbourne, Euel, Wash-		visit with Mrs. Maggie Pearson,	Program subject was "Campaign,
The street markers will serve a	ington, Hamilton, Bishop and		mother of the Capps brothers	Against Illiteracy-a Demonstra-
twofold purposebeauty and in-	Childress.		and Mrs. Gertrude Capps, a sis-	tion." Featured speaker was
formation.	The markers are on the north-			Mrs. Phil Dixon, Chairman of the
Again, thank you ladies.	east corner of 10th Street.	bourne, Australia, sometime Sat-		Adult Education Division of San
I also want to thank the city	Property owners that are in-			Angelo's Family Counseling Ser-
officials for installing the mark-	terested in obtaining street mark-		W. J. Capp's sister, Mrs. W. M.	vice.
ers with city personnel. The city	ers on street corners in the vicin-			Decorations featured the Valen-
also furnished the pipe to mount	ity of their property are asked to	two occasions; once in 1953, and	They plan to return to their	tine motif, the serving table being
the markers.	call Mrs. Gerald Allen or other	again in 1959. During his visits	home in Robert Lee in about 10	centered with a large bouquet of
	members of El Valle Garden	here, Mr. Lucas had made many	days.	red and white carnations with
City Floation	Club.	friends.		red hearts and red satin ribbon.
City Election	Cost of the type of markers in-		Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Clark	
To Be Held	stalled on 10th Street are \$5.95	turn to her home for the funeral		School Abaamaa
то ре пеш	each.	services.	week with their son-in-law and	School Absence
Amil 9			daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crad-	Heavy Due
April 3	Mr. Everitt Lomax of the Lo-	Miss Prescilla Wylie visited	dock, and children on their ranch	
Qualified voters of Robert Lee	max Community west of Big	Sunday in Colorado City with her	near Medina. The Clarks spent	To Illness
	Spring was in Robert Lee Monday	brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and	one day in San Antonio where	10 1111(55
will elect a Mayor and two city commissioners in a city election	on business.	Mrs. Mike Lomas and Lisa Lyn.	they made a tour of the Alamo.	Robert Lee School Superinten-
				dent Hervey Latham stated this
that will be held at the City Hall	D	AINFALL REPOR	T	week that more students were ab-
Building on Tuesday, April 3.	ĸ	AINFALL REPOR		sent from school this week due to
W. D. McAdams is currently		and something has the second second		illness than at any other time
serving his second consecutive	The following rainfall report w	vas compiled by the U. S. Soil C	onservation Service at the Coke	that at any other time

Waymond Robertson are c ing their third term as cit missioners.

Deadline for filing for the portant city positions is Ma The new city commission

take office at the first meeting of the fiscal year begins on April 3, 1962.

serving his second consecutive The following rainfall report was compiled by the U. S. Soil Conservation Service at the Coke term as mayor, Curtis Walker and County Courthouse in Robert Lee for the past 8 years.

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nese im-	1956	 .70	.20	.00	2.30	.70	.20	.80	.30	.40	4.90	.30	1.30	1
arch 3.	1957	 .66	1.38	.38	2.40	5.11	3.43	1.52	.00	1.64	9.65	2.02	.53	2
ion will	1958	 1.79	2.81	1.90	2.63	3.26	.32	.00	2.36	3.77	2.09	.78	.00	2
	1959	 .00	.15	.41	.77	3.74	4.20	2.55	.67	1.03	4.61	.00	2.35	2
regular	1960	 1.97	.55	.16	2.11	2.01	1.04	2.86	.22	1.23	4.89	.00	2.38	1
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12	1962	 Т	.00											

erintened this ere abdue to time during this school year.

He said that 43 students were Total absent from the class rooms Tues-14.30 day including 4 who were sent 12.50 home in the early hours of the 12.30 28.72 school day.

Most students were complain-21.71 20.48 ing of nausea; however, a few 19.42 cases of measles and chicken pox 30.86 have been reported.

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OPPORTUNITY

Cosmetics available to capable energetic woman. Write Box 1629, San Angelo.

FOR SALE BY OWNER, City dimits of Bronte. Must sell due to ill health a 5 room house with bath, screened front porch, separate garage, underground cistern, concrete cellar, 15 fruit trees, garden space. Near school and churches. Price \$2,495.00. If interested write S. D. Hoots, Rt. 1, Box 185, Desoto, Texas, or call AXtel 8-2415, Albert Bragg's residence. 4tc 71-37

FOR RENT - Three bedroom house. Close to school. Call 453-3231. tf

FOR SALE-Cedar Posts and staves, any size, length or any amount. See or call Gid Ainsworth, Box 205, Phone 19, Water Valley, Texas. 2tp

tle land. Red River parish, 10 mi. No. of Coushatta, La. Part of the factorily from recent surgery. 3B Ranch. 150 A. alfalfa hay, balance pasture land. Will sell with cattle and hay or separately; 5 producing wells. Contact B. B. Box, Sr., Coushatta, La. WE 2-4346. 7 p.m.

GOOD NEWS

We are now giving Frontier ces and has two brothers. Fred vernment that will faithfully serve Savings Stamps. McDorman Sin- 7, and Marvin 5. clair Service Station. 2tp

PINK AND BLUE TEA

A Pink and Blue Tea was given in honor of Mrs. Hervey Latham recently at the Recreation Hall.

HUSBAND OF FORMER RESIDENT DIES

E. Coppin, 41, died January at his home in Roswell, New Jexico after a long illness. He was married to the former

Gertrude Davis of Robert Lee November 3, 1946. Other survivors include 3 sons,

Bruce, Chris and Eric, all of Roswell, New Mexico. Mr. Coppin, a U. S. Postal em-

ployee, was born January 14, 19-21 in Coleman. He was a member of the Trinity

Methodist Church, Tumble Weed Club, Roswell Gun Club, Y. M. C. A., Elks Club and State Wild Exclusive Sales Rights for Avon Life and Game Association.

Funeral services were held January 31 at the Trinity Methodist Church in Roswell.

SHORT SNORTS

Governor Daniel has received total of \$187,071 from the people of West Berlin for the relief of Hurrican Carla victims. Dr. Joseph Trosper, chairman of the insurance department at Southern Methodist University, was sworn in as a new member of the State Board of Insurance. The Rev. Clinton Kersey, former representative and House Chaplain for two sessions, was appointed director of parole su-

pervision by Dr. James A. Turman, director of the Texas Youth Council.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wylie, Jr. spent Sunday in Lubbock where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. FOR SALE-640 A. Farm & cat- McNeil Wylie. Mr. McNeil Wylie is reported to be recovering satis-



Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Waldrop

Mr. Waldrop is an employee of Probst Roofing Company in San Angelo.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Barton Waldrop of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Probst of San Angelo.

lems without raising taxes. ernor is most important to the future of Texans. It affects the prosperity of all our families, all kinds of organizations, every business and the office has a tremendous influence on the economic development of Texas.

SENATOR PRESTON SMITH Senator Smith Is **Guest in Home Of Bob Vaughans**

State Senator Preston Smith visited in the home of former classmates at Texas Tech College in Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vaughan of Robert Lee, Monday night.

selling itself as a good location Senator Smith was enroute to with a good future for new indus-Waco to meet with friends and try, new people and new organisupporters in his campaign for zations that will provide new pay-Lieutenant Governor. rolls and better jobs for thous-

He has served six years in the Senate, representing the 11-county 28th Senatorial District. He served as President Pro-Tem of the Senate during the First Special Session of the 57th Legislature and was "Governor for a Day" on Aug. 4, 1961.

Beginning in 1944, Smith served six years in the House of Representatives.

A businessman for more than 25 of San Angelo are parents of a years, Smith's expressed purpose 71-36-37 son, Jeffery Lynn, born February in public office is "to work as 12 in a San Angelo hospital. The hard as I can to help provide baby weighed 7 pounds, 141/2 oun- sound, practical, business-like go-

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

"I believe the office of Lt. Gov-

"Our declining tourist business

is not the only serious threat to

Texas economy. Texans must face

the facts in other areas of busi-

ness. It must take action if it is

to continue to grow and prosper.

grabbing off new industry and

new business that mean losses to

Texas. Our State, with all its nat-

ural resources, should attract ma-

ny new industries that would pro-

vide us with more income, which

in turn provides more money for

State Government, without rais-

"Texas must adopt a policy of

ing taxes.

ands of Texans.

P. O. Box 655

"Other states are consistently

all the people of Texas, without will gain new tax revenue, from

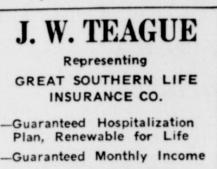
waste, corruption or duplication. new sources of income, without "There's more than one way to increasing the present tax load put a business in the black, and on Texas families. This kind of there's more than one way Texas program is a positive step toward growth in an orderly and busican overcome its financial prob-

ness-like manner.

"Texas cannot outlaw all its taxes nad continue to provide Texans with good highways, good hospitals, colleges, schools and responsible low enforcement. Nobody can expect something from government without paying for it.

"But Texas can keep its taxes down by eliminating waste in government and by pursuing a serious program of growth and progress that will bring our state new business activity, new jobs, and new hope for all Texans."

Senator Smith and his wife, Ima, have two children, Mickey 21 and Jan 16.



Call Collect 653-6161

San Angelo, Texas

"In this kind of a program well

Ballinger Memorial Company SOUTH BALLINGER

Ballinger, Texas

Phone 2-4782

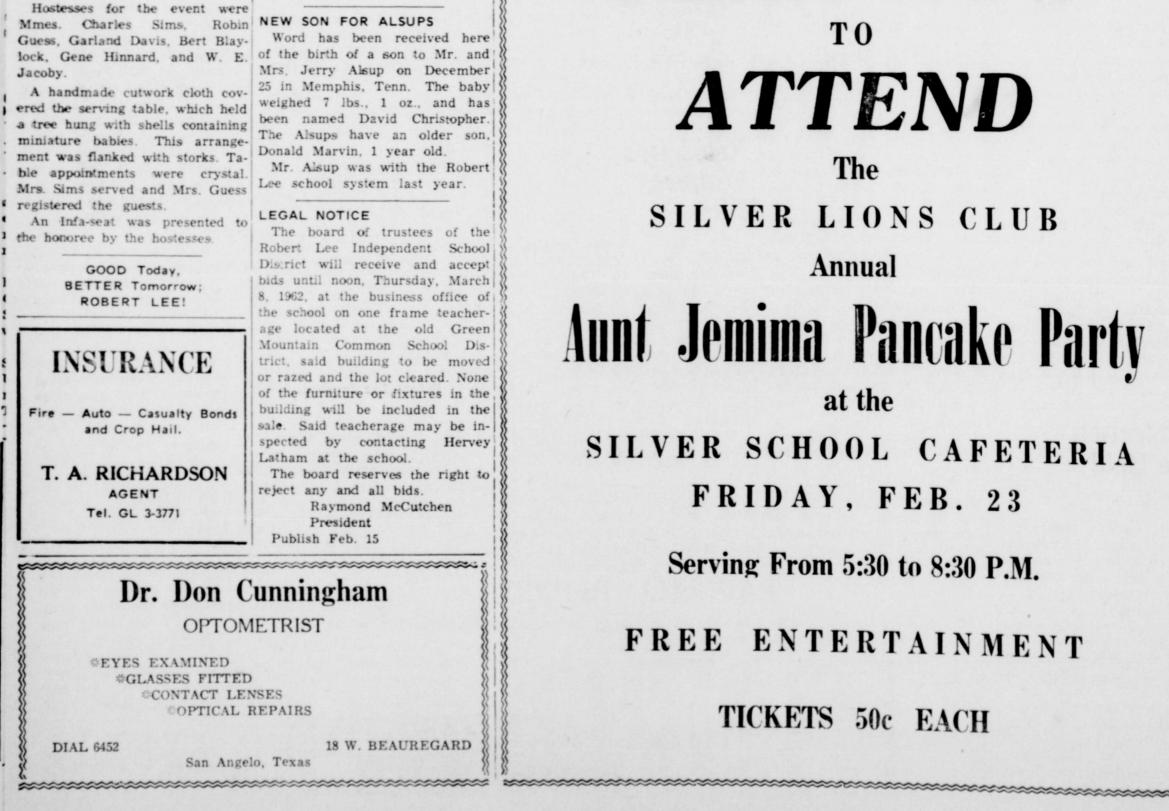
Do you need a monument or marker? Terms will be arranged without a service charge. Stone and work guaranteed.

H. D. HARWELL NETTIE G. LUSK Sales Manager

SAM WILLIAMS Office Manager Local Representative



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Silver News

By Mrs. George Fugate

Mrs. Bobby Northcut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCabe, was a patient last week in Root textbook was entitled "Studies in Memorial Hospital in Colorado Jeremiah." City.

Mrs. Evelyn Caldwell went to Brownwood February 3 to care

odist Church. Those participat-INSURANCE ing in the service were Pat Wilkes, Keith Jones, Gene Kincaid, Larry Paul, Charles Kenne-Life, Health and Accident, Polio, Travel. dy and Don Higginbotham. Cub Scout Den 1, Den 2, and Also Automobile, City and their den mothers, Mrs. Eunice Farm Property, Fire and Mumford and Mrs. Ruby Jones, Casualty. were special guests at the Methodist church along with the other GERALD C. ALLEN scouts. WILLIAM H. ALLEN Silver School honored the Junior High football boys and pep squad girls Saturday evening with dinner at a cafeteria in San Angelo. Following dinner, all at-For Rent: Houses, 2 & tended a movie. Mr. Guy Wheeler, Silver school 3 bedroom homes. Fursuperintendent, reported that an nished or Unfurnished. average of twelve students per

Homes for Sale Like RENT.

Frank Dickey

Robert Lee Church of Christ SUNDAY SERVICES Bible Study, all ages, 10:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m. Worship 7:00 p.m. Monday, Ladies Bible Class 9:00 a.m. Wednesday, Midweek Bible Study 7:30 p.m. FOY L. MOORE, Minister Bronte Phone 473-4421

for her daughter, Mary Ann, who ell, Asst. Cubmaster; Hale Kin- The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas has been ill. Mary Ann is a sen- caid, Webelos Leader; Eunice ior at Howard Payne College. Mumford, Den Mother; Billy Paul, The Silver Baptist Church con- Den Chief; Robert Jameson, Den ducted a Bible study last week Chief. Special guest was Mr. for every age group in the church. Milton Wyatt, professional scoutworker. The Adults' and Young People's

day have been absent from school,

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Burney and

son, Jay, recently visited in the

home of Mrs. Burney's sister

Mrs. J. E. Middleton in Austin.

CUB SCOUT BANQUET

Gold Banquet was held Friday

evening in the school cafeteria

The theme of the banquet was

banks, Guy Wheeler, Zeddie Beal,

George Fugate, and Maurice Dun-

"Knights of Yore."

can, all commissioners.

our Future

The annual Cub Scout Blue and

due to illness this past week.

Scout Keith Jones introduced

the play, "Sons of the Round Ta-Feb. 11 was "Boy Scout Sunble." The cub scouts were dressday." Scouts, working on their ed in knights' costumes that por-God and country award, conducttrayed the authentic King Ared the services at the Silver Meththur's Roundtable. These costumes were partly made by the cub scouts under the direction of Mrs. Mumford, Mrs. Howell, and Mrs. Jones.



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following cub scouts with arrow points: Steven Greene, Scott Jones, Rusty Jameson, Jimmy Weatherbee, and Donald Herring.

The leaders of these troops pay special tribute to Mrs. Jerry Eubanks and all the mothers who prepared the food and helped make this banquet possible.

The rehearsal dinner for Miss Sue Parker and Mr. James Eat-

on was held Tuesday evening in the Methodist Fellowship Hall. Hostesses for the occasion was Mrs. Elizabeth Eaton, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Louisiana were guests in the home er, Mr. R. C. Coffman of Chester. of the J. A. Weatherbee family Mr. Coffman, 76, died February recently.

Cubmaster Mumford, portray- to Dallas to visit Miss Deanna ing King Arthur, presented the Gilmore, a student at S. M. U., this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Cox have moved to San Angelo. They will make their home at 216 E. 12th St. Mrs. Cox will be working in the San Angelo Clinic-Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel McDonald left Monday morning for Beaumont, Tex., to attend the funeral of Mrs. McDonald's brcther-in-law, Mr. H. A. Williams.

ATTEND RITES

Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Bob) Coffman have returned from Baytown where they attended funeral Mr. and Mrs. Griff Powell of services for Mr. Coffman's fath-6 and was buried in Baytown on

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Theis went Feb. 7.





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and is one of the main reasons for saving, commented one of our customers With a good reserve in the bank, he finds that it increases his self confidence, to say nothing of his "credit standing". Whatever your reason for saving, we invite your account.



Robert Lee **State Bank**

We at West Texas Utilities pledge all our facilities and personnel to the continued betterment of all our customers.

And may every week be electrical week!



Your County Agents Report

Home Demonstration

By FAY C. ROE

I have received a fashion forecast in which I think you will be interested.

The spring forecast for women's mals sold at auction seemed awfashions calls for prices to advance slightly.

Some economists are predicting a general clothing price increase of about 2.5 per cent from 1961 levels.

Imported goods are expected to continue to be used in quantity.

Discount houses and low markup stores have sprung up in many localities. As a result, many established retailers are moving toward self-service or fewer services in an effort to meet the changing competition.

The fashion look for dresses this season will feature femininity

Look for sleeves, normal waistlines, waist-length jackets, ruffles, bias cuts and soft skirts.

Many different shapes will be in vogue. These will include the princess style, flared skirts, raised waistlines, over-blouses and popular jacket dress.

Three-piece costumes also will be featured, with open cut-away jackets made with narrow revers. Tunics, overblouses or tuck-in blouses will be worn under coats and jackets of varying length. Stoles will be used for daytime as well as evening.

Also popular this season will be lightweight fabrics such as chiffons, organzas and crepes. Textured silks, silk-cotton and allcotton tweeds, and smooth silk and worsted blends will be used in quantity.

Picturesque colors will be popular, along with brown as a neutral, black and white, and yellowgreens and blues. Perhaps you would like to take some time to browse around and see some of the new fabrics and fashions Most all the department stores have received a nice group of fabrics and ready-to-wear for spring and are receiving more each week. I am sure they would welcome you.

Mrs. J. W. Service Jr. will start work in a few days with some Robert Lee 4-H girls. She will assist the girls in Foods work. The work at hand is Food demonstrations for County Contests. Mrs. J. C. Wallace Jr. will assist Mrs. Service. The girls and their mothers will meet with the 4-Hers to make all plans for the group.

By STERLING LINDSEY The El Paso Fat Stock Show was a good one as usual. The competition was keen in all classes. The limited number of ani-

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fully small in such fierce competition. James Bird Pentecost's two hereford steers both placed ninth

class. When the list of buyers at the concerns. In addition to the firms Company of Robert Lee; Power Dankworth's Packing Company of grams we will discuss them. Ballinger made purchases in the county show auction sale.

The soil moisture situation is the courthouse, on Tuesday, Feb-

future. However, if moisture building in Bronte. All farm or should come before it is too late ranch operators are invited

to make the small grains respond the addition of nitrogen fertilizer is worth consideration.

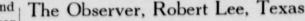
If your crop has been grazed and/or is on sandy soil the benefits will be noticeable. Nitrogen added if the moisture is available would boost both grazing and grain yields. Many fields in the county would be benefited by the addition of nitrogen if we receive the moisture to produce added grazing or grain.

Two general discussion meetin classes of 28 steers. One was ings have been scheduled for next shown in the heavy weight class week that I would like to mention. and one in the middle weight J. E. Quisenberry, County ASCS

office manager, the County ASCS Committee members, Tom Wigcounty show was published, we into, C. E. Arrott and Fred Mcunknowingly left off four business Cabe; W. E. Jacoby, SCS Work Unit Conservationist, and I will mentioned earlier, Ivey Motor conduct meetings in Robert Lee and Bronte to explain the 1962 Feed Mill and Plains Machinery Feed Grain program. Also, if Company, both of Abilene; and there are questions on other pro-

> The meeting in Robert Lee will be held in the conference room in

not what we had hoped it would ruary 20, at 7:30 p.m. The Bronte be at this time of year and the meeting will be at the same hour forecasters are not painting a on Thursday night, February 23, rosy picture for the immediate in the vocational agriculture



FRIENDSHIP W. H. D.

The Friendship Home Demonstration Club met at the recreation hall February 8, at 2 p.m. with Mesdames Bobby and Gene Baker as co-hostesses. Mrs. Lynn May gave the program on

ing

Frank and Wilson Bryan as cohostesses at the home of Mrs. Frank Bryan, will be on February 22, at 2 p.m.

The next meeting with Mmes.

Dr. R. Gage Lloyd, pastor of tor on Friday.

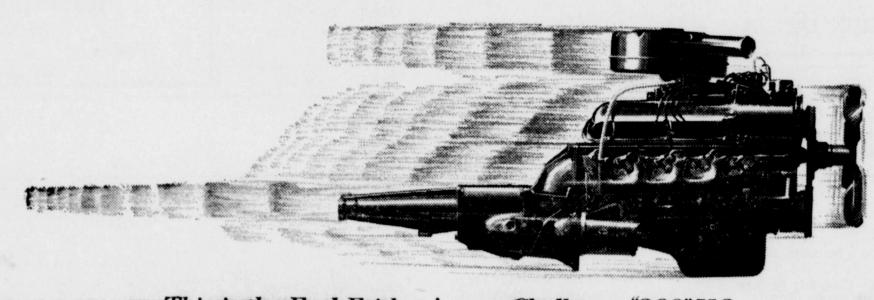


Starting Jan. 8, I will be in my office in Robert Lee on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday, and in Bronte on Friday and Saturday, to assist you with your 1961 Income Tax Returns. Over fifteen years experience with all types of Income Tax accounting. REASONABLE FEES CHARGED.

O. T. COLVIN

BLACKWELL

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The Laundering and Household Equipment Workshop I attended in Midland last week was an interesting one and very informative. Do you have a recipe for washing? Well, I do now. I am doing some experimenting with a water conditioner to soften and condition the hard water at my house. I have hopes of having nicer looking and feeling clothes and to save money on laundry detergent bills. You'll be hearing more from me on the laundry problems and household equipment.

I picked up Mrs. Bobby Roberts and Mrs. Joe McCutchen and together we drove out to the Joe Rawlings ranch on Friday of last week. The ladies are 4-H Leaders and have completed work with some girls in Unit I. We planned a Favorite Food Show to be held in Bronte early in March. More information will probably announced next week. Mrs. Bobby Roberts is assisting Mrs. Ralph Walker with the group of girls she has had in her foods unit. Mrs. Walker was unable to attend the meeting. These ladies have done some good work with these girls.

> Good Today Better Tomorrow ROBERT LEE!





MRS. POLLY ROE HOLLAND

Mrs. Holland Is In Clerk's Race

Mrs. Polly Holland makes public announcement this week that she is a candidate for County the national survey was made by and District Clerk.

She is a native of Coke County and a graduate of Robert Lee High School.

Mrs. Holland has been a widow for 14 years has a son who is a sophomore in Robert Lee High showed their kindness and genero-School. She is a member of the Methodist Church.

"I realize this is an important office and I feel that my qualifications warrant your consideration.

"I have had two years of col- children of Midland were weeklege training, have attended a bus- end guests of her parents. Mr. iness college and I have worked and Mrs. W. O. Skipworth.

as a lawyer's secretary for one year.

"I need this office and if I am fortunate to merit your support and gain this position I will work hard to learn every aspect of this office and to dutifully be at my job to serve the people efficientlv.

"I am looking forward to meet ng you and I shall make every effort to contact each of you personally."

Real Estate Transactions **Up Here**

Real estate transactions in Texas edged upwards a modest one per cent toward the end of 1961 as compared with the previous year, matching a similar one per cent increase nationally, it was reported today by Adams Abstract Co.

Based on an analysis of documents recorded in 23 major counties from Florida to California. Stewart Title Guaranty Company of Houston, underwriter for the local firm.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to everyone who sity during our recent sorrow.

Thank you ever so much. Sincerely, Conrado Garza Famiy.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cates and



Political Announcements

This newspaper has been authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices indicated, subject to action of the Democratic Primary, May 5, 1962.

For State Representative: 78th District DAVID READ Of Howard County ED J. CARPENTER of Howard County

For County Judge: W. W. (Bud) THETFORD CHARLIE BOECKING

For County & District Clerk: J. L. (Chilly) TINKLER POLLY ROE HOLLAND

For County Treasurer: MRS. GERTRUDE GRAY INEZ HARMON BURNS

For Justice of the Peace Prec. 1 ROY P. ROSS

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO EXECUTE OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASE

Notice is hereby given that Coke County, Texas, intends to execute an oil, gas and mineral lease upon all the following tracts or strips of land:

(1) All that certain strip of land 100 feet wide covered by the right of way of the Public Road beginning at a point the East side of a 28 acre tract in the West part of the R. McRae Survey No. 1596, at a point in the center of the old road and also in the center Court of Coke County, and such of the new highway 413 feet North and 10 degrees East from the S. E. corner of said 28 acre tract. Thence in a Southeasterly direction to a point even with the in the Courthouse of Coke Coun-Southeast corner of the J. L. Durham Survey, Abstract No. 765, containing approximately 8 acres, to reject any and all bids. more or less.

(2) A strip of land 40 feet in width, beginning at the old Colorado City and Robert Lee High- Publish Feb. 8-15-22.

way, located in the R. McRae Survey No. 1596, Abst. No. 522. and ending at a point even with the North line of the Indianola R. R. Survey No. 3, Abst. No. 466, containing approximately 6 acres, more or less. (Reference being made to deeds dated Jan. 7, 1935 and recorded in Vol. 55, pages 64, 65, 66 & 67, for a more particular description)

All bids for such oil, gas and mineral lease shall be submitted in writing to the Commissioners Commissioners Court will receive and consider all such bids, on March 5, 1962 at 10:00 A.M. in the office of the County Judge, ty, at Robert Lee, Texas.

The County reserves the right

Weldon Fikes **County Auditor** Coke County, Texas



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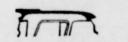
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CHARLIE BOECKING **Charlie Boecking** Is Candidate for

Coke County Judge

Charlie Boecking of Bronte last week announced that he is a candidate for County Judge of Coke County. In making his announcement, Boecking said he plans to make a thorough canvass of the county in order to see every voter possible.

He issued the following statement to the voters of the county:

"After a lot of thinking on this matter. I decided to run for county judge of this county. The encouragement and good wishes of many citizens on both the east side and the west side was an important factor in my decision. I want everyone to know that your encouragement is most appreciated.

"I have been in business in Bronte for the past 14 years, and I believe the experience gained during this time will help qualify me for the office. I am a graduate of Johnson City High School, and grew up there.

"I earnestly solicit your con- THE STATE OF TEXAS sideration when you decide on CITY OF ROBERT LEE your candidate for county judge TO THE RESIDENT QUALInext May. If the voters elect me FIED VOTERS OF THE CITY to this office I will promise you OF ROBERT LEE, TEXAS now that I will do everything in TAKE NOTICE that an election my power to see that Coke Coun- will be held on the 3rd day of ty's business is run efficiently, April, 1962 in the City of Robert

LEGAL NOTICE ORDER FOR CITY OFFICERS ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF COKE I, W. D. McAdams, in my capacity as Mayor of the City of Robert Lee, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held in said City on the 3rd day of April, 1962, for the purpose of electing the following officials for said City:

Mayor 1

Commissioner 2

That in accordance with an order adopted by the City Commission of said City said election shall be held at the following place in said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election: In Election Precinct No. 1, at the City Hall Building in said City, with Mrs. F. C. Clark as Presiding Judge, Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough and Mr. C. S. Brown as Clerks. That said election shall be held

in accordance with the election code of this state and only resident qualified voters of said City shall be eligible to vote at said election.

That the City Secretary shall give notice of said election by posting a copy of this order in each of the election precincts of

said City, which posting shall be done not less than 30 days prior to the date fixed for said election. That immediately after said election is held, the officers holding the same shall make returns of the result thereof to the City Commission of this City as required by the Election Code of this State.

A copy of this order shall also serve as a writ of election which shall be delivered to the above appointed Presiding Judge, for

said election. W. D. McAdams

Mayor

NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS ELECTION

Lee, Texas, at the place, in the

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas **Girl Scout News**

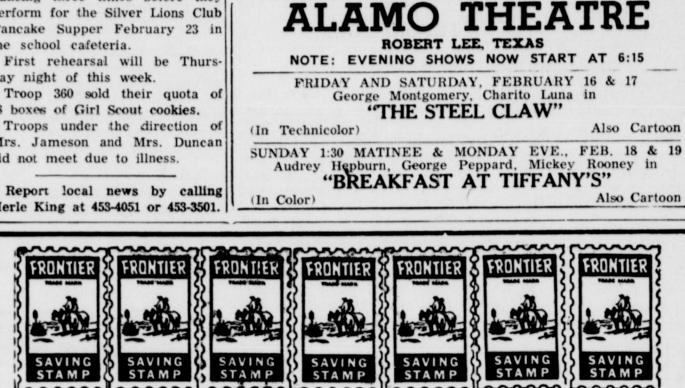
By Judy Kincaid

The Girl Scout cookie sale in Robert Lee was very successful. Troop 262 sold 48 boxes of cookies. They appreciated the help of everyone who bought cookies. Troop 262 met in the Silver school and discussed the Father and Daughter Banquet to be held

Feb. 22 in the school cafeteria. It was decided the scouts would held at 7 p.m. have rehearsal for their square dancing three times before they perform for the Silver Lions Club Pancake Supper February 23 in the school cafeteria.

day night of this week. Troop 360 sold their quota of 48 boxes of Girl Scout cookies. Troops under the direction of Mrs. Jameson and Mrs. Duncan did not meet due to illness.

Report local news by calling Merle King at 453-4051 or 453-3501.



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SNOWDRIFT SHORTEN	ING	-	-	3 Lbs.	69c	
FLOUR, Pillsbury		-	5	Lb. Bag	43c	
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Feb. 15, 1962

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Silver, Texas

floral offerings meant so much

Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Bob)

The Robert Lee P. T. A. will May we take this means of ex-

meet Thursday evening at 7:30 pressing our deepest appreciation

Mrs. Sam Powell will be in to our friends and neighbors in

charge of the Founder's Day Pro- Silver for their kindnesses shown

gram. Music will be provided by us during our recent time of sor-

the band under the direction of row. Your visits, prayers, and

A social hour will follow the and will be remembered.

P. T. A. NOTICE

An executive meeting will be

Mr. Don Rightmire.

program.

fairly and honestly.

"I am running on the Democrat- manner and for the officials set ic ticket for this office, as I am forth in the attached copy of an a Democrat and always have order for City Officers Election, been. I have never voted for any duly adopted by the Mayor of said candidate of any party except the City on the 6th day of February. Democratic Party.

"I will greatly appreciate your for City Officers Election being consideration, support and your made a part of this notice for all vote in the election May 5."

Boecking is a member of the Baptist Church and the Masonic Lodge."

A. D. 1962, said attached order intents and purposes.

Betty Ferrell City Secretary Run Feb. 15, 22

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