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## 4-H Awards Program Held Last Monday Night

Coke County 4-H members and leaders were honored at the Annual 4-H Awards Program Monday night.

Following a covered dish supper, the program was presented by 4-H members. Douglas Roberts served as Master of Ceremonies. Others participating in the program were: Robert Runnion, Randy Gartman, Michael Cervenka, Doug Tounget, DeAnn Parker, Craig Grant, Lin Long, Pammy Millican, Debbie Flowers, Rick Drennan, and Nikki Epperson.

Mr. Richard Johnson presented awards to deserving 4-H'ers. Mary Anne Jones and Sterling Lindsey presented leader awards to Bobby Blaylock, Richard Johnson, Jereta Taylor and Donna Scott for one year of leadership. Mr. Jim Hereford was honored for three years leadership and fourth year awards were given to Pam Parker and Jeffie Roberts. Margaret Epperson received a

fifth year award, Louise Johnson received a ninth year award, and Gina Grant was recognized for ten years of leadership.

Special Leader of the Year awards were made to Richard Johnson and Linda Epperson.

County awards were presented to the following 4-H'ers: **Achievement** - Pammy Millican, John Cervenka, Debbie Flowers, Jennifer Robinson; **Agriculture** - Jason Herring, Stephen Lee, Bruce James, Melinda Gentry; **Citizenship** - Jann Tounget, Patty Bloodworth, Douglas Roberts, Rick Drennan, Michael Cervenka; **Clothing** - Michele Parker, Melanie Epperson, Kim Hood, Robyn Lee; **Conservation Of Natural Resources** - Todd Brooks, Ronnie Carlton, Randy Gartman; **Consumer Education** - Dorinda Scott, Erica Clendennen, Jill Strickland, Lisa Sanchez; **Food-Nutrition** - Stephanie Rogers, Kelly Webb, Tracy Hubbard, Cara McCaleb, Donya Cooper; **Horse** - Misti Taylor; **Leadership** - Robert Runnion, Waylan Ensor, Craig Grant; **Veterinary Science** - Doug Tounget, DeAnn Parker, Melissa Arrott, Melanie Cooper; **Fashion Revue** - Nikki Epperson; **Beef** - Rachel Metcalf, Carrath Metcalf, Bud Johnson, Donnie Grant; **Bread** - Tiffany Jameson, Janet Pentecost, Johanna Service, Brenda Ellis; **Sheep** - Frankie Walker; **Shooting Sports** - Tina Hines, James Paul Skipworth, Kerri Bilbrey, Claudette Walker; **Teen Leader** - Frankie Walker, Nikki Epperson, Melanie Epperson, and Douglas Roberts.

4-H members presented Mrs. Mary Anne Jones with an engraved silver serving tray as a token of appreciation for the work Mrs. Jones has done for them in her capacity as County Extension Agent and 4-H Chairperson of Coke County in the last year and one-half.

## Steers Host Greenwood In District 7-A Encounter

The Robert Lee Steers will be trying to get back on the winning track tonight when they take on the winless Greenwood Rangers in a district 7-A south zone game. The contest will be played on the Steers home field with the kickoff set for 7:30 p.m.

The Steers season record fell to 1-2-1 last week when they travel-

ed to Garden City and dropped a 14-7 conference opener to the Bearcats. The local youngsters cannot afford another district loss if they hope to stay in the chase for the conference championship and plan to make Greenwood their first victim.

The Rangers, a relatively new school located near Midland, were one of the preseason choices to take the loop title. A tough non-district schedule left them at 0-3 and a 14-0 loss to Sterling City in their district opener dropped their record to 0-4. Despite their record the Rangers are expected to give the Steers all they can handle.

The Eden Bulldogs continue to be the top team in 7-A as well as one of the top ranked in the state with a 3-0-1 season record and 1-0 in district. Sterling City also

appears to be one of the better 7-A clubs.

Fans are urged to get out tonight and back the Steers.

### Last Week's Results

Eden 32, Water Valley 7; Sterling City 14, Greenwood 0; Garden City 14, Robert Lee 7; Bronte 8, Irion County 0.

### This Week's Schedule

Sterling City at Bronte; Eden of Irion County; Garden City at Water Valley; Greenwood at Robert Lee.

## Homecoming Activities Are Being Planned

Plans are now being made by various committees for a 1982 School Homecoming for Friday, October 22. Activities will revolve around the school including an afternoon reception, homecoming parade, pep rally, barbecue supper, football game, with a get-together afterward, and a Homecoming dance.

First in importance with the plans are in connection with the barbecue evening meal on that Friday. It will be held in the school cafeteria from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Tickets are being sold in advance to give planners an opportunity to arrange for food amounts and will sell for \$4.00 for adults, \$2.00 for children under 10 years old. Ticket orders may be sent to Mrs. Jeffie Roberts, San Angelo Rt. Robert Lee, Tx. 76945. Please include with meal prices, a self-addressed, stamped envelope if tickets are to be mailed to you.

All you Exes -- make your plans now to be in town and take part in any or all of these upcoming activities. Watch next week's Observer for complete details of events.

## Band Selling Calendars

The Robert Lee School bands have been busy selling the Band Boosters Community Calendars. The contest has ended and the winners are: first place - Curt Gardner, second place - Tiffany Jameson, third place - Danny Mulkey.

If you were not contacted by one of the band members and wish to purchase a calendar and list your birthday, anniversary, etc. on the community calendar, please, contact Jeffie Roberts at 453-2957 or Mary Herring 453-2690.

The Band Boosters appreciate each of you supporting the bands by your buying a calendar.

Calendars \$1.25 each, 25c per listing.

## 50 Years Ago

Mrs. C.Y. Roberts, 77, who was making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Powell Roberts at Wildcat, was called to rest at 7 a.m. Thursday. Funeral services were conducted at the Valley View school house and the body was laid to rest in the Valley View Cemetery.

Frank Vancourt, sheriff elect of Tom Green County, lifetime friend and business partner of H.C. Allen's, has appointed Mr. Allen chief deputy when he takes office in January. Mr. Vancourt must plan to clean up the county, he could not have looked Texas over and found a better peace officer. Hawley Allen served 12 years as Tom Green County Sheriff and four years for Coke County till he just quit running for office. Knows no defeat and always gets his man. You crooks better sque-thou over there.

Miss Eva Mae Adkins is getting along fine, but won't get to go to school for a year.

Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Hayley of Norton visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strom and family Sunday.

Mr. Hugh Smith and daughter Alleen, and Mr. V.G. Ditmore transacted business in San Angelo Monday.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will have a good will banquet in their basement Wednesday night. They will served turkey and all the trimmings for 10c and 25c.

Somebody borrowed my crank to my car for a day or 2 about amonth ago. I've forgot who it was. Wish you'd bring it back, whoever you are, I need it.

Lloyd Johnson, who is staying at Wildcat with his sister, Mrs. Alfred Lofton, is home this week.

Elmo Bell of Bronte and Miss Bernice Davis of Robert Lee were united in matrimony Sunday morning in San Angelo.

Dewey Meek of Moriarty, New Mexico is here with a truck load of home grown pinto beans.

The new bridge on Paint Creek at Delmir Sheppard's that washed out is now complete. W.H. Newton built it.

We have tried to hand out our November 1932 Telephone Directories. Please call the office if you did not get yours.

W.A. Clark, Local Mgr.

## Voters Urged to Register For Nov. 2 Election

A final reminder to all voters that today (Friday) is the last day to register in order to be able to vote in the Nov. 2 general election.

The importance of voting cannot be overstated. This is the way you have a voice in who leads our nation.

It doesn't take long to register, and it doesn't take long to vote. It doesn't cost money and it doesn't hurt physically.

You have so much to lose if you don't vote, but so very much to gain if you do vote.

Remember you can have the right to brag or complain only if you register and vote!!

## LIVES IN COMPLEX HIT BY PLANE

Micky Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Baker, was a tenant in the Warwick Apartments in Midland which were recently damaged by fire.

The apartment complex was struck about 2 p.m. last Friday by a private twin engine plane which engulfed one wing of apartments in flames. Twenty-four units were damaged and six were total losses.

Baker, recently employed by Greenwood School system as a coach, arrived home late in the afternoon to find the area off limits to everyone and did not know if his possessions were intact. He later found that although his belongings were not burned, many items, especially his clothing, had been smoke damaged.

## HOME AFTER SURGERY

Mrs. Mildred Reese is recuperating at home after her surgery last week in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. She is making a rapid recovery and hopes to return to her work soon in the clerk's office in the county courthouse.

## STEERS FALL TO GARDEN CITY TO OPEN DISTRICT 7-A PLAY, 14-7

by Ronnie Baker

Complaining and excuses are part of the losing side of anything, but this was terrible. Officiating is a difficult thing to do anyway, but when you let things get out of hand and you start looking the other way, you lose the aspect of the game. It can cause quite a difference in the outcome of any contest and cause feelings and composure to go below the level of sportsmanship. You had to see it to understand the situations I am talking about. The point is, the Steers had a lot of help in losing this contest. Period!

### 1st QUARTER

The Steers received the opening kickoff at their 13 and Skinner returned it to the 31. The Steers put on a very good drive consuming time and making 4 1st downs in the process. But at the Garden City 21, it sputtered out and the Steers were held on downs. Then after an exchange of the football on downs the first quarter ended with Garden City in possession at the Steer 9 yard line.

### 2nd QUARTER

Garden City then scored from the 6 and after kicking the extra point they led 7 to 0.

The Steers took the kickoff and returned it to the 39. Quickly they fumbled and Garden City recovered at the Steer 36. They then made a big 1st down at the Steer 8, where they scored. They kicked the extra point and led 14 to 0. Then the rest of the quarter was back and forth with the Steers running out the clock at the Garden City 23 yard line.

### 3rd QUARTER

The Steers received the 2nd half kickoff with Garden City taking the wind with the ball being returned to the Steer 45. The Steers got a 1st down to the Garden City 40 and at the 34. Greg Grim got a block and after breaking a couple of tackles ran in for a Steer score. Kyle Gibbs kicked the extra point and it was now 14 to 7. Garden City got the ball and drove to the Steer 10 where the Steers held with Garden City trying an unsuccessful field goal. The Steers couldn't

move, so they punted to the Steer 48.

Millican then intercepted a pass and returned it to the Garden City 24, but they were held on downs and Garden City took over. The Steers got it back on an interception by Anthony who returned to the Garden City 26 as the 3rd quarter ends.

### 4th QUARTER

The last quarter wasn't much fun as the turmoil started with lots of mistakes by the two teams and the officials. It's bad to say, but they goofed a bunch. Rasco intercepted his 2nd pass of the game in the end zone to stop another Garden City drive and that about did it for both sides as the game ended soon after.

### STATS

| Robert Lee                          | Garden City |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| 11 First Downs                      | 15          |
| 116 Rushing                         | 153         |
| 35 Passing                          | 43          |
| 4 of 13 Attempts                    | 4 for 19    |
| 4 Interceptions By                  | 1           |
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| 4 for 51 Penalties                  | 9 for 65    |
| 1 Fumbles Lost                      | 0           |

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**Mt. Creek Golf Club News**

The weekly Club Tournament was cancelled last week, but play will resume Thursday, Sept. 30, at 5:30 p.m. for club members only.

A Mixed Couple's Tournament will be sponsored by the local club on Sunday, Oct. 3, at 1:00 p.m. Entry fees for the alternate shot tourney will be \$15.00 per team.

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**Services Held Sept. 23 For Mrs. Clawson**

Mrs. Odessie Lurette Clawson, 81, passed away Tuesday, September 21, 1982 at 1:40 p.m. at West Coke County Hospital in Robert Lee.

Services were held Thursday, September 23, 1982 at 2:30 p.m. at Southside Church of Christ with Bro. Jamie Paden officiating, assisted by Bro. William A. Brown. She was laid to rest in Robert Lee Cemetery under the direction of Shaffer Funeral Home.

Mrs. Clawson was born April 25, 1901 in Wildcat Community in Coke County, the daughter of Willis Larkin McCraw and Ell T. Hux McCraw. She attended the Wildcat Community School. On July 10, 1923 she married Wilson Frank Clawson and as a bride moved to the farm three miles northwest of Robert Lee where she made her home the rest of her life. Mr. Clawson preceded her in death November 3, 1953.

She was a life long member of the Church of Christ and was always active in church work. Her hobbies were quilting and making rag and ceramic dolls. At the time of her death she had a quilt and several dolls entered in the Arts & Crafts division of the West Texas Fair recently held in Abilene, Texas. Many of her dolls had been mailed to little girls all over the United States.

Mrs. Clawson possessed great personal courage and refused to be daunted by her many physical afflictions. She remained active right up to the very moment she was stricken.

Survivors include three sons, Wilson Frank Clawson Jr., of Oklahoma City, Okla., Johnny Q. Clawson of Baytown, Tx., Roy Clawson of Midland, Tx.; three daughters, Odessie Christine (Clawson) Stewart of Tribby, Okla., Betty Clawson of Robert Lee, Tx., and Mary Jo (Clawson) Storie of Midwest City, Okla.; one brother, Fred McCraw of Newalla, Okla.; one sister, Nora Mae (McCraw) Pruett of Squaw Valley, Calif.; 15 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren; and a host of relatives and friends.

Pallbearers were Foy Askins, Bill Green, Noel Gregston, Earl Lindsey, Frank Percifull and Willis Wayne Smith.

**Sparks Services Held in S-City**

E.C. (Jake) Sparks, 71, of Sterling City, died at 2 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 23, at his residence. Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at the First Baptist Church in Sterling City. Burial was in Montvale Cemetery under direction of Ross Funeral Home.

Sparks was born Apr. 9, 1911 in Robert Lee, and married Vivian Wood on Apr. 7, 1930 in Ballinger. He was a WW II veteran, a 32 year resident of Sterling City and was a member of the Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Glenda Fletcher of San Angelo; two sons, Craig Sparks of Garden City, and Royce Sparks of Sterling City; three granddaughters, Nadine and Lynn Sparks of Garden City, and Stacy Sparks of Sterling City; one grandson, Keith Fletcher of San Angelo; five sisters, Annie Lee Stewart of Canyon City, Colo.; Mable Swanson of Stephenville, Ruth Blair of Phoenix, Ariz., Deannie Horner of Waco, and Ruby Jo Hulse of Bandera; three brothers, Bill Sparks of Roswell, N.M., Calvin Sparks of Robert Lee, and Sam Sparks of Salt Flat, Tx.

**LUNCHROOM MENUS**

Monday, Oct. 4: Fish krispies with tartar sauce, carrots, English peas, hot rolls-butter, milk and applesauce cake.

Tuesday, Oct. 5: Beef tacos with cheese, chopped onion, lettuce, tomato salad, corn, milk and canned fruit.

Wednesday, Oct. 6: Chili mac, Ranch Style Beans, pickled beets, cornbread-butter, milk and fruit cobbler.

Thursday, Oct. 7: Sloppy Joes, corn, lettuce wedge, pickles, milk and cookies.


Friday, Oct. 8: Steak fingers with cream gravy, cream potatoes, green beans, hot rolls-butter, milk and peach half.

**SHEILA HAMMERTON VISITS**

Sheila Hammerton is visiting her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Roberts and Douglas, this week. Her husband, Bob, was here for the weekend visiting her parents in San Angelo and the Roberts. He had to return to his job. He is the line-production and assistant manager of the Levi-Strauss Plant in Hobbs, N.M.

**CORRECTION**

A story last week in the Observer announced a \$750.00 donation to the Robert Lee Volunteer Fire Department by Union Texas Petroleum. It contained the statement that Winton Milliff was the plant manager at the Silver plant, when in fact Chester Wilson of Bronte is the plant manager while Mr. Milliff serves as assistant plant manager.



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**Strake Talk**  
FROM YOUR NEXT LT. GOVERNOR

This may be my last column in this series. We began this column ten weeks ago, hoping it would be a success. And judging from the response of the readers, I would call it an unqualified success. The mail has been very favorable. The columns that drew the most response were those dealing with education of our children, the property tax issue, and the issue of Mr. Hobby raising funds for the ACLU to use in that organization's crusade against prayer in schools and in defense of pornographers. I have made a point in these columns that Texans need a Lt. Governor who is in touch with the people he is supposed to serve. Mr. Hobby is clearly out of touch with the thinking of Texans, and, in my opinion ought to be retired. Mr. Hobby's lack of understanding can be illustrated: Texans are overwhelmingly in favor of President Reagan's efforts to transfer power and responsibility back to the states. I agree that Texans can do a better job for Texas than Washington can. Mr. Hobby disagrees. The vast majority of Texans do not believe they ought to be forced to pay for the education of the children of illegal aliens. I have compassion for these children—but I must confess that I care

more for Texans who are faced with the burden of supporting their own children in hard economic times. Mr. Hobby disagrees. Most Texans think our Right to Work law should be incorporated in the Texas constitution. I agree here, too. But Mr. Hobby disagrees and has fought the effort. The list goes on and on. The problem with continuing my column is a simple one—money. We originally budgeted for ten columns, and we have now reached that point in our budget. If we are successful in raising more campaign funds, you are likely to see more columns. I hope so, for this seems to be a good way to get the issues to the people. These columns are needed. Without them Mr. Hobby will clearly avoid the issues and seek to confuse us with 30-second TV commercials created by his image builders. If you would like to see these columns continue and would like to help in that regard, please send your contribution. If you can't make a contribution, I assure you that your opinion will be equally important. Please write to me at Texans for Strake, 1213 W. 34th, Austin 78705. Let's keep in touch.

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### Jonni Hughes, Mr. Elam Repeat Vows In Ira Baptist Church

Jonni Maxine Hughes of Cuthbert and Jimmy Alton Elam of Ira exchanged wedding vows at 4:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 3, at the Ira First Baptist Church. Mike Holmes, Ira girls' coach officiated.

Parents of the couple are J.C. and Beryl Hughes of Cuthbert and Butch and Dorma Elam of Ira. The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Jesse (Susan Young) Crone of Lufkin and Rogers and the late Grove Young. The late Mr. and Mrs. M.N. McKinney, former Coke County residents, were the bride's great-grandparents.

James Hughes of Snyder, brother of the bride, gave her away. She wore the wedding gown of ivory satin and lace belonging to her sister, Christi Woellert of Snyder. Her veil of chantilly lace trimmed with blue ribbon was gathered to a band of blue silk flowers.

The bride's bouquet was blue carnations surrounding a red rose.

The bride's only attendant, Sherri Slaughter of Ira, wore a gown of light pink, rosebud print with lace and ribbon trim. She carried a long stemmed red rose.

Shane Smith of Ira served the groom as best man. Both the groom and best man wore light blue suits.

Mrs. Vicki Hughes of Snyder, sister-in-law of the bride, played the wedding music and accompanied herself at the piano as she sang "I'll Have to Say I Love You In A Song." Before the couple took their vows, they stood facing each other as a tape of Ronnie Millsap's "The Long Way Around The World" was played.

The reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. The bride's three-tiered, heart shaped, white cake trimmed in blue was made by the bride's cousin, Mrs. Danny Seaton of Snyder. Linda Walker of Ira made the groom's cake. Vicki Hughes and Linda Walker served cake and punch.

After a short wedding trip the couple will reside in Ira where the bride is a senior in Ira High

School. The groom is a 1982 Ira High School graduate and is employed in Ira. He will attend Western Texas College in Snyder.

### Tony Dean Receives Honor

The board of advisors for the Outstanding Young Men of America Awards Program announced the 1982 edition of Outstanding Young Men Of America.

Tony Ed Dean of Jacksboro, son of Mrs. Lucile Bryan of Robert Lee, was listed in the new edition. Dean was reared and attended schools in Robert Lee. His father, the late Jeff Dean, served Coke County as Judge for a number of years.

These men were selected from nominations received from senators, congressmen, governors, mayors, state legislators, university and college presidents and deans as well as various civic groups, including the United States Jaycees which also endorses the Outstanding Young Men of America program.

In every community there are young men working diligently to make their cities, as well as their country, better places in which to live. These men, having distinguished themselves in one or more fields of endeavor, are outstanding and deserve to be recognized for their achievements. The criteria for selection include a man's voluntary service to community, professional leadership, academic achievement, business advancement, cultural accomplishments and civic and political participation.

Mrs. Willard Reese has returned home after a seven day stay in a Lubbock hospital. Doctors there performed surgery on her hand and arm to replace five joints which had deteriorated. She will return to Lubbock next week and her plaster cast will be replaced by one of lighter material.

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## Social Security News Items

Social Security numbers for work purposes can only be issued to U.S. citizens, permanent resident immigrants, and temporary aliens who have been granted permission to work by the immigration and naturalization service, Frank Upp, Social Security district manager in San Angelo, said recently. Even so, Upp said, legal aliens who do not have permission to work may need a Social Security number for purposes other than work, such as banking, school, or driver's license.

In such cases, a Social Security number will be issued, but the card will be marked to show that it is not valid for employment. A prospective employer would know at once that the holder of such a card is not legally permitted to work.

Social Security numbers cannot be issued to illegal aliens for any purpose. A person applying for a Social Security number must present evidence of age, identity, citizenship or alien status. In addition, a person 18 or older must apply in person.

An applicant for a social security number who provides false documents or false information of age, identity, citizenship or alien status may be subject to a fine of \$5,000 or 5 years in jail or both.

More information about Social Security numbers can be obtained at the San Angelo Social Security Office, located at 2214 Sherwood Way. The telephone number is 949-4608.

### SAN ANGELO HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO MEET

The San Angelo Genealogical and Historical Society will meet Tuesday, October 5, 1982 at 7:30 p.m. in the Massey Club House 815 S. Abe (Bryant Blvd.). Mrs. Fran Lomas, a past president of the club, will speak on "Creative Imagination in Genealogy". The club meets the first Tuesday of each month, September through May. The public is invited.

## Poehls, Burton Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ray Poehls of Robert Lee have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lana Kaye, to William Floyd Burton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Burton of Abilene.

The couple will be married in the First Baptist Church of Wilmeth on October 23.

Miss Poehls is a 1979 graduate of Blackwell High School and is employed by Ivey Motor Company.

Mr. Burton attended Winters High School and is employed by Gallaway Construction Company.

## West Coke Hospital News

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

Sept. 21: No admissions. Ann Martin and Odessa Clawson dismissed.

Sept. 22: John Thomas and Clyde Richards admitted. No dismissals.

Sept. 23: Macie Wrinkle admitted and no dismissals.

Sept. 24: Mike Davis admitted and John Thomas dismissed.

Sept. 25: Myrtle Johnson admitted and no dismissals.

Sept. 26: Ann Martin admitted and no dismissals.

Sept. 27: Cecil Mayfield, Theodosia Snead admitted and no dismissals.



Texas Department of Public Safety

## EXTENSION EXTRAS

by Mary Anne Lackey

Americans will suffer through an estimated 70 million colds this year.

This means that we'll be missing work, falling behind in school and -- worst of all -- spending a lot of time feeling just plain "miserable."

Contrary to popular belief, colds are caused by viruses -- not by exposure to rain, cold or drafts -- although these lower our resistance and make us more susceptible to viruses. By nature, viruses are highly contagious, and they're spread more rapidly in the fall and winter when people are in closer contact and spend more time indoors.

Here are some ideas to help you survive the cold season:

1. Stay away from cold sufferers and from surfaces they've touched. If a member of your family is sick, let him or her use disposable plates and utensils to prevent the spread of the infection.

2. Don't allow the air in your home to become excessively dry. A humidity level of 35 to 40 percent will keep the mucus membranes of the nose and throat moist and thus serve more effectively in trapping germs before they can infect the body.

3. If you do come down with a cold, follow the time-honored guidelines of staying in bed, drinking plenty of liquids, and taking medication to bring down your temperature. This will probably be more effective than any cold remedy you can buy. A study by the Food and Drug Administration reports that cold medicines may temporarily relieve the symptoms of a cold, but none can cure it or alter its course. Even Vitamin C has yet to be proved effective in preventing or curing colds.

4. Be patient. A cold needs to run its 7-10 day course, and if you attempt to carry on with business as usual you will probably wear down your strength and prolong the infection. Be good to yourself and remain in bed for at least a day, covering with a warm blanket. By resting and relaxing, your body will have a chance to fight the cold without everyday stress.

## 4-H Rifle Club News

The Coke County 4-H Rifle Club met at the range on Sept. 26 with a record 17 persons attending. Instructors Jim Herford and Richard Johnson were aided by volunteers Gene Baker and Doug McPeck.

Good improvement was noted since the last meeting.

Scores included Claudette Walker and Tina Hines, 61, Jennifer Robinson, 41, Shannon Skipworth, 39, Vicki Ellis, 35 and Beckey Padgett, 29.

Next scheduled meeting will be on Sunday, Oct. 3.

The Club has plenty of \$1.00 tickets left on the .243 rifle to be given away during halftime at the Bronte-Robert Lee football game on Oct. 29 in Bronte. Chances are available from any 4-H Rifle Club member, Herford, Johnson, or J&B Lumber Company.



A quarter has 119 grooves on its circumference.

## Pageant Assn. Holds Meeting

The Coke County Pageant Association, Inc. met September 21 in the hospitality room of the Robert Lee City Hall with Wilson Bryan, outgoing president of the association conducting the business meeting.

After reports were given, the nominating committee presented the following names to serve as pageant association officers:

President, Pauline Vaughan; first vice president (finance chairman), Alice Beaty; second vice president (membership chairman) Gaye Williams; secretary, Dee McClesky; treasurer, Edna Havins; construction and property superintendent, Leslie Copeland; pageant director, Lucile Bryan and publicity chairman, Reba Tabor. The slate of officers were elected to serve one year.

Mr. Bryan turned the meeting over to the incoming President Mrs. Vaughan who appointed Alice Beaty and Lucile Bryan to study the by-laws for some possible changes. She, also, appointed Wilson Bryan, Robert Vaughan and Alvin Lara to serve with Leslie Copeland on the construction and maintenance committee.

The president asked for suggestions from each one present regarding needs for improving the pageant and the amphitheater, and a discussion followed the several priorities given. The members of the association agree that in the four years since the amphitheater and pageant were started they both have come a long way, but still there is a need for long range planning on both the facilities and the production.

Again the association, thanks each person who helped make the past season a success.

## PUBLIC NOTICE

In compliance with Sec. 43(a) of Art. 1446c, V.A.C.S., West Texas Utilities Company hereby publishes NOTICE that it has filed, on September 13, 1982, its Statement of Intent to make changes in its retail rates charged for electricity and services sold and rendered inside and outside municipal jurisdictions, such proposed changes to be effective October 19, 1982. Such Statement of Intent includes the proposed revisions of tariffs and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change, the effect the proposed change is expected to have on the revenues of the Company and the classes and numbers of utility customers affected. Systemwide retail adjusted annual revenues are expected to be increased 9.4 per cent by the new rates. Statements of Intent were filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas and with the following municipalities:

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| Ballinger    | Jayton     | San Angelo    |
| Balmorhea    | Junction   | Santa Anna    |
| Benjamin     | Knox City  | Shamrock      |
| Big Lake     | Lawn       | Sonora        |
| Blackwell    | Lueders    | Spur          |
| Bronte       | Marfa      | Stamford      |
| Buffalo Gap  | McCauley   | Sterling City |
| Childress    | Melvin     | Throckmorton  |
| Cisco        | Memphis    | Trent         |
| Clarendon    | Menard     | Turkey        |
| Clyde        | Merkel     | Tuscola       |
| Cross Plains | Miles      | Tye           |
| Crowell      | Munday     | Valentine     |
| Dodson       | O'Brien    | Weinert       |
| Eden         | Paducah    | Wellington    |
| Estelline    | Paint Rock | Winters       |
| Goree        | Presidio   | Woodson       |
| Hamlin       | Putnam     |               |

Areas affected by the filing with the Public Utility Commission of Texas are in the following:

### Municipalities

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| Dickens     | Mertzson        | Rotan      |
| Eldorado    | Moran           | Rule       |
|             | Roaring Springs |            |

### Counties

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| Baylor        | Fisher     | Pecos        |
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| Briscoe       | Gillespie  | Reagan       |
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| Callahan      | Hardeman   | Runnels      |
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| Crane         | King       | Taylor       |
| Crockett      | Knox       | Throckmorton |
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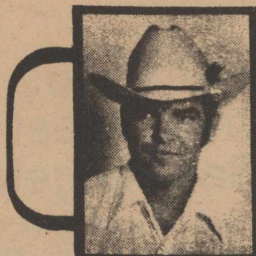
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### Jerry Lackey's Country Folk

According to the latest figures, it appears that this year will be the smallest crop of upland cotton produced in Texas since 1946.

The severe storms during June destroyed several cotton stands through the state. This, combined with the continued dry summer weather, has resulted in a 58 percent drop in cotton production and a 58 percent drop in acreage for harvest from 1981.

Cotton growers throughout the

state produced an estimated 2.35 million bales with harvesting completed from the Coastal Bend to the Lower Valley regions, according to reports from the Texas Department of Agriculture. Dry weather in scattered parts of the state has prevented stalk plow-up.

In the Southern Plains area of Texas, major cotton producing region, total production is estimated at 820,000 bales, down 70

percent from a year ago. Farmers in this area have been battling large insect populations.

The state's sorghum production is expected to reach 160.2 million cwt., a substantial increase from last year. While the projected yield is down 392 pounds from 1981, harvested acreage is expected to increase 18 percent. Harvesting of the state's sorghum is making good progress across the state. In the High Plains region many hailed-out cotton fields were replanted with sorghum which increased expected production for the area 30 percent.

Looking briefly at other crops... the Texas corn crop, expected to reach 155 million bushels, is down 10 percent from 1981 but has increased 5 percent from a month ago. The crop has been maturing rapidly under the hot dry weather conditions and harvest is well underway in the Panhandle. The estimated yield for this year's corn crop, 100 bushels per acre, is off 17 percent from last year.

A record soybean crop is expected this year with a projected yield of 27.5 million bushels. This is 4 percent above August predictions and nearly double 1981 soybean production. The continued dry weather throughout much of the state has affected yields in some areas, but irrigated fields are making good progress.

The rice production for this year is forecasted at 21.5 million cwt., off 21 percent from 1981, while the state's peanut production of 341 million pounds is down 13 percent from last year.

### Rodeo Assn. To Have Banquet

The Coke County Rodeo Association will hold a year-end awards banquet Saturday, Oct. 2, at 7 p.m. in the Bronte Community Center.

All members are reminded of this affair and urged to bring a covered dish and join in the fellowship. The new slate of association officers for next year will be introduced along with presentation of this year's awards won during Play Day competition.



The polling place is the heart of our democracy. Here, with a ballot, the people of Texas select the leaders of their government. As voters, they have the right to choose the men and women who make and enforce the laws of the State, levy the taxes, and decide how those taxes should be spent.

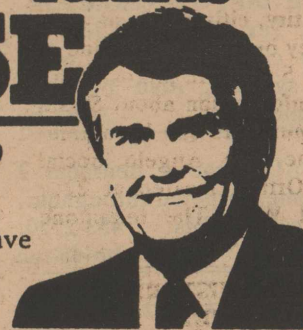
The voices, opinions, and influence of the voters of Texas are all recorded at the polls — with their vote.

But their vote can be stolen, as surely as a thief can steal their property, through an act of criminal vote fraud or coercion. If our elections can be corrupted through fraud or coercion, the valuable freedom of choice we have will be lost.

For the month of October, 1982, the Texas Crime Stoppers Advisory Council is focusing its statewide "Crime of the Month" on vote fraud and coercion. If you have information on this criminal activity, please call the anti-crime hotline at 1-800-252-TIPS (8477). Cash rewards are available for information leading to arrest and felony indictment of those who would, through fraud or coercion, attempt to set aside the voting process. Citizens do not have to reveal their name, just give their information, and they will be given a unique code number for identification purposes.

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## SIMS talks SENSE "Crime"



In recent years we have watched Texas grow and grow as the word has spread about our healthy economic climate and our weather. Much of that growth has been good for our state and for this district.

But there are clouds on the horizon. Our healthy economy not only attracts the law abiding, but it is also a bright beacon for the lawless.

By and large, our criminal system works well. Texas is blessed with fine law enforcement agencies and officers. We must make sure that they continue to have the money and manpower to carry on their work.

We must also provide the incentives to speed up the court system and end the legal foot-dragging so that the criminal will know he faces swift and certain justice...

We must also make sure that we have the prison facilities to handle the rising criminal element, once the judicial system has had a chance to work.

But there is a more important element that we do not address here in Texas:

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Statistics show that most adults sentenced to prison have had more than one brush with our laws as a juvenile...I want the state to make more of an investment in our juvenile system to keep today's kids from becoming tomorrow's cons.

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We can get tough about enforcing our school truancy laws so that parents fully understand they will be held responsible...This approach means that the parents become involved with truant children early. We can provide money for counseling both parents and child in cases of repeated truancy or juvenile crime.

There are no easy answers to the crime problem. I would be the last to tell you there are.

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**Don Dorsey** • born in Big Spring, Texas • 40 years old • BA Texas A & M University, 1964 • JD University of Texas School of Law, 1967, • businessman and practicing attorney in San Angelo, Texas.

### The Issue:

Should the voters be allowed to propose and approve laws to limit the amount of money the legislature can spend as well as reduce or limit the rate of existing taxes (Initiative and Referendum)?

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### Dorsey's Stand

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## '64 Study Club Has First Meet Of New Year

Mrs. Pauline Barron, Mrs. Zera Fields and Mrs. Lois McCleskey served as co-hostesses recently for the '64 Study Club's first meeting of the new year. Held at the Coke County Recreation Hall, fifteen members were present at the gathering and three visitors who provided the program.

Beth Prather presented her book review "Your Erroneous Zones" for the group.

Stan Ray, accompanied by Art Runnion to the meeting, spoke to the club on free enterprise. He is being sponsored by the Farm Bureau in state and national speaking contests.

Club yearbooks were presented to members, which featured a hand-painted cover in acrylics by Grace Ditmore. The cover symbolized the Club's bluebonnet planting project. Seeds were distributed to members for local planting.

Various fund raisers were discussed before Nancy Allen, finance chairman, and reports were ordered for a later date.

The next scheduled meeting of the '64 Study Club will be Oct. 29 when the members will attend the San Angelo Civic Theater's production of "South Pacific" and dine at Gideon's Restaurant.

The vast Pacific Ocean washes the shores of five continents - North and South America, Asia, Australia and Antarctica.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our gratitude and thanks to those sending food and flowers at the death of our loved one. Words cannot adequately express our deep appreciation for the many kind and sympathetic acts that came to us at this sad time. Also we are deeply grateful to Dr. Zeon and the nursing staff at West Coke County Hospital for their excellent and loving care.

The Family of Odessie McCraw Clawson

13-1tc

## Wallace Family Meets Here For Reunion

Descendants of Harve and Millie Wallace gathered for a reunion in the Coke County Recreation Hall, September 25 and 26. The four surviving children attending were Calvin Wallace and Gilbert Wallace of Robert Lee, Henrietta Payne, Clovis, New Mexico, and Willie (Bill) Wallace of Amarillo, Texas. The fifth child, Helen Lowrance died in 1963.

Attending from Robert Lee were Calvin and Mildred Wallace, Gilbert and Odessa Wallace, J.C. Jr. and Jewell Wallace, Robert and Mildred Reese, Edna Havins, Royce, Alice, and Wade Wallace.

From out of town were Mrs. Henrietta (Mattie) Payne, Faye and Leslie Barton, Lena Mae Bridges, Clovis, N.M.; Lloyd and Dean Barton, Henry and Helen Barton, Roswell, N.M.; Bill and Fannie Wallace, Thomas, Sidney, Sean, and April Myers, Amarillo; Travis and Marie Allen, Englewood, Colo.; Bob and Lura Harris, Kenneth and Freeda Pickett, Ken and Gayla Schroeder, Burkburnett; Donny, Gayla, Melissa and Justin Bradford, Morris Wallace, Art and Donna Martin, San Angelo; Jackie, Marilyn and Jessica Smith, Stephenville; Jacky Wallace, Jan Havins, Abilene; Troy and Susan Millican, Sterling City; Linda Havins, Denton; Ernest and Sally Lowrance, Cisco.

Visitors were O.W. (Jake) Davis, Vaughan Davis, Sam and Ruth Williams, Francis and Addie Jeffries, Fred and Vernie Smith, Robert Lee; Tom, Teri, Jennifer, Heather, and Lucas White, and Jana Jeffries, San Angelo; Ernest Herford, Longview; Felix and Arlue Puett, Brownwood; and Kip Prather, Lubbock.

Special guests were Johnny and Mary Hinton, and Pearl Ditmore, from the West Texas Coke County Nursing Home, Robert Lee.

Grandchildren unable to attend were Billy King Wallace, Nacogdoches and Aline (Payne) Miner, Amarillo.

Harve and Millie Wallace were married in Robert Lee in 1896. They lived on various farms and ranches in Coke County, where all their children were born. Mrs. Wallace died in 1934 and Mr. Wallace in 1959.

"Ridicule is the test of truth."  
William Hazlitt

## UMW Holds Annual Meet In San Angelo

"To The Least Of These" was the theme for the Ninth Annual Meeting of the San Angelo District United Methodist Women. The meeting was held September 26 at the Sterling City United Methodist Church. Mrs. Peggy Delz, president, presided.

Mrs. Natalie Barber of Fort Davis was the guest speaker. She is one of the few people who has served in both World and National Division projects. She was in Chile and Bolivia for over 15 years in educational, evangelistic and medical work. Mrs. Barber has written for many mission periodicals and is the author of a book published by Friendship Press - "Dr. and Mrs. Fix It". At present, she is doing free lance writing.

Mrs. Barber showed slides of her work in Chile and Bolivia and spoke on areas of world hunger, women in mission, and the health and welfare ministries.

Three Robert Lee women received recognition during the business session. Mrs. Marvin B. Simpson was presented with a Special Mission Recognition gift by the Robert Lee United Methodist Women. "Tillie" as she is affectionately called, was honored for her many years of service to her local UMW unit and the Robert Lee United Methodist Church. Mrs. Simpson joined the Methodist Missionary Society as a bride in 1934 and has been a active member since that time.

She has held all offices in her local unit as well as serving as a District officer. She has served as a Church School teacher for over 45 years. Tillie has served her church in a number of church offices; at present she is serving as Chairperson for the Pastor-Parish Relations Committee.

Mrs. Laura Herford and Mrs. Alice Beaty were awarded certificates for completing Plan I of the UMW Reading Program.

Mrs. Laura Herford local UMW president, led the Dedication Service for the 1983 San Angelo District United Methodist Women Officers. Mrs. Alice Beaty serves as vice president for the District Mission Team, and Mrs. Diane Luckett of Bronte is secretary.

Attending from the Robert Lee United Methodist Church were Mrs. Marie Ferguson, Mrs. Jim Dunklin, Mrs. Frances Cox, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Herford, Mrs. Beaty and Mr. Fred Beaty.

The United Methodist Women of the Southwest Texas Conference of the United Methodist Church will hold their annual meeting October 1-2. The meeting will be held in San Marcos. Laura Herford and Alice Beaty plan to attend.



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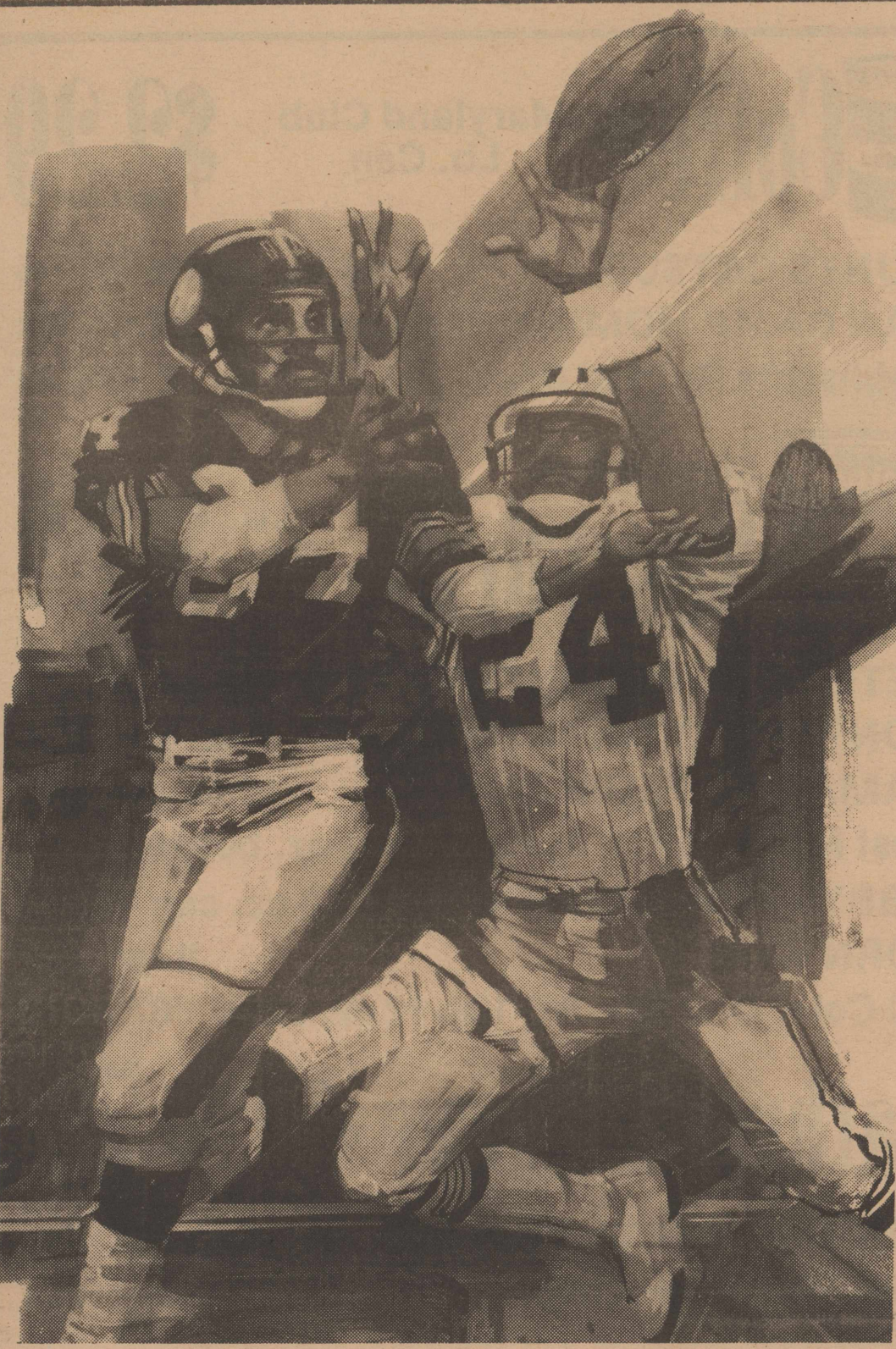
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| R-Lee 7, Forsan 7       |       |
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| Oct. 1 Greenwood*       | Here  |
| Oct. 8 Sterling City*   | There |
| Oct. 15 Water Valley*   | There |
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### Local People Tour New Mex.

Bascom and Barbara Chesney accompanied by Turney and Irma Casey recently returned from a 15 day tour of New Mexico. The first week was based at Ruidosa Downs with daily excursions which included a ghost town at White Oaks, Mescalero Apache Indian Reservation, Indian Petroglyphs at Three Rivers, a lava bed at Valley of Fire near Carrizozo, Gran Quivira ruins, White Sands, Cloudcroft, Bonita Lake, a drive to the ski area atop Sierra Blanca, Ft. Stanton, Capitan where Smokey Bear was found orphaned by a forest fire, and Lincoln, location of the Lincoln County War where Bill the Kid gained his fame.

The second week was spent with a day at Old Town, Albuquerque and a drive to the base of Sandia Crest where several people were enjoying a Sunday afternoon of hang gliding, a day at Bernalilla visiting the nearby Kuana ruins, on to Santa Fe with a visit to Wheelwright Museum of American Indian Art and Hyde State Park, a drive to Taos with a visit to the mission built by St. Francis of Assisi in 1181, a side trip to drive across the 650 ft. Rio Grande Gorge, then on to Red River, Eagle Nest, Angel Fire and back through the wilderness to Las Vegas. The grave of Billy the Kid and 2 pals was visited at Fort Sumner where the tombstone of Billy is in iron shackles plus an iron cage over the triple gravesite to keep the stone from being stolen the third time.

Coming home across the plains near Plainview, the acres of sunflowers were impressive as well as corn, cotton, milo, beans, peppers and cabbage.

At Capitan, fellow visitors at the museum were R.B. and Hazel Dooley of San Angelo. Their conversation was praise for Ole Coke County, encouraging its' continuance. Tommy Womack, nephew of Jerry Gibbs, welcomed the opportunity to chat at White Sands Nat'l. Monument. Louise Hatch and Mrs. Fred Roe were given a brief hello at Red River. Truett and Patsy Randolph of San Angelo recognized us as they drove down the street stopped for a visit at the Old Mill in Ruidoso. Mrs. Lewis, of Odessa and Robert Lee, was enjoying fishing at Alto the same day as Turney

and Bascom. Sophia Thompson, former resident of Robert Lee, sends a big hello to all her friends from Las Vegas, New Mexico.

### Lake Spence Fishing News

**WILDCAT FISH-A-RAMA**  
Bill Gable, Odessa, 5 stripers from 5 lb. to 10 lb.

Juan Estrada, Midland, 1 striper, 7 lb.

Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Mashburn, Abilene, 13 stripers up to 13 lb.

Fincannon and family, 15 white bass, 6 catfish, 4 stripers, 4, 6, 11 and 12 lb.

Richard Smith, Midland, 10 black to 4 lb.

**SKINNY'S HILLSIDE**  
Y.J. and Dair Sherrell, Robert Lee, 138 crappie to 1 lb.

Greg Priddy, Odessa, 50 channel cat.

### Alpha Kappa Pi Meets In Home Of Nell Hines

Alpha Kappa Pi, Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, met Sept. 22 in the home of Nell Hines. Seventeen members were present.

Following a salad supper, "The Ritual of Welcome" was given to Diane Spivey. Diane is a new member, transferring from Coleman, Texas.

Phelan Wrinkle announced that preparations are well under way for the garage sale. Several members reported that they had already gathered some choice items for sale. The doors will be open at the "Mini-Western Auto" building at 8:00, Saturday, Oct. 2.

Dorene Mashburn, Coke County chairman for the American Cancer Society, announced that our chapter and the '64 Study Club collected a total of \$1,720. This is less than the previous year.

Plans were made for a couples Halloween Party, Oct. 16 in the home of Wayne and Dorene Mashburn.

Following the meeting the program, "Learning to Learn", was given by Phelan Wrinkle.

The next meeting will be Oct. 13 in the home of Dolores McCabe.

Buy and Sell with Want Ads

The children of  
Mrs. Pearl Schooley Dittmore  
request the honor of your presence  
at a  
Reception  
celebrating their mother's  
Eightieth Birthday  
Saturday, October second  
from two to four o'clock in the afternoon  
at the Old Recreation Center  
in Robert Lee, Texas

Health permitting, she and her children and their families will be there to greet their friends and loved ones who are able to join them on this glad occasion.

Some invitations were mailed to older people and relatives in other cities. We hope that her friends who wish to attend will consider this as a special invitation whether or not they received one by mail.



# Coffee

Maryland Club  
Lb. Can

**\$2.29**

HUNTS CATSUP 24 oz. bottle \$1.05

VAN CAMP HOMINY, 300 Can 2 for 69c

Gebhardts Refried Beans, 15 Oz. Can 2 for 83c



Shortening

# Snowdrift

3 Lb.  
Can

**\$1.89**

PETER PAN PEANUT BUTTER 18 oz. \$1.69

CONTADINO TOMATO SAUCE 8 oz. can 28c

BAMA RED PLUM JAM 16 oz. jar 89c

Best Maid Waffle Syrup 32 oz. bottle \$1.29

LIBBYS PINK SALMON 16 oz. can \$1.79

CORN KITS 2 for 47c

RC Cola, Diet RC, RC 100-12 oz. cans 6/\$1.49

# Bathroom Tissue

Generic  
4 Roll Pkg

**79c**

GENERIC WHITE TOWELS big roll 49c

GENERIC NAPKINS 120 count 57c

# Facial Tissue

Generic  
White  
200 Ct. Box

**57c**

# SOAP

Liquid Dove  
32 Oz. Bot.

**\$1.59**

Scotchgard Carpet Cleaner 18.5 oz. can \$1.79

# Soft Oleo

Meadowlake  
Lb. Tub

**59c**

Jeno Pizza, assorted

each \$1.25



# Round Steak

lb.

**\$2.29**

RUMP ROAST lb. \$1.49

GOOCH GERMAN SAUSAGE ring \$1.49

# Bacon

Sliced  
Slab  
Lb.

**\$1.69**



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