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### Rabbits To Play Oilers at Forsan

Robert Lee journeys to Forsan next Sanday where they engage Lefty Shelton's Oilers, one of the top outfits in the Concho Basin league. The Rabbit Twisters defeated Forsan twice this year, an exhibition tilt and a 1-0 league encounter.

Since that time Shelton has been getting back his old pitching form and two weeks ago hurled a nohitter against one of the loop teams. The contest at Forsan will be one of the toughest of the sea-

Forsan nosed out Sonora last week 6 to 5 and Miles racked up an 11.6 win over the Cumbie team in San Angelo.

Other games next Sunday will see Sonora in Miles and Cumbie going against Big Lake in Texon.

Robert Lee and Miles remain tied for first place in the league, with Forsan only one notch behind.

Concho League standing: Robert Lee\_\_\_\_5 Forsan \_\_\_\_\_4 Big Lake \_\_\_\_ 3 4 Cumbie \_\_\_\_\_2 .333 Sonora \_\_\_\_\_ 1 5

Indications are that Frank Tincup will be playing his last game for Robert at Forsan and he will present. likely start on the mound. He has been employed by J. F. Pritchard French organdy with white ac-Co. as a heavy equipment operator cessories. The bridesmaid wore 3,878 feet and was washing over. on the Sun gas plant addition at yellow taffeta. Silver.

The job is about finished and the crew is expecting to move next week to Cushing, Okla.

Tincup is a native Oklahoman and grew up in the Tulsa locality. He has played a lot of professional and organized base ball and at present is the property of the Brooklyn Dodgers He is a nephew of Ben Tincup, former league player and now a scout for Philadelphia.

#### **Store Improvements**

An improvement program was started this week at Farris City drug store. Rooms in the rear formerly used as a doctor's office will be moved back, making much needed display space for merchandise. The store interior will also be redecorated.

#### From Robert Lee

Coke county will be represented at the A & M Round-Up by Vern- Co. and will begin work Monday moved from Maryneal. agent, Gladys Waldrop, adult lead- Homer is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Percifull, Bryan Yarbrough and setup. Twelve counties in the San er, Melba Rives and Zona Mae Buck Ivey.

Land Owned by 1815. Plank Setup. Twelve counties in the San Par Havins corner near the Deep- Angelo are included in the original King, 4 H delegates, and Esther Allen, who will enter the state dress revue. Also County Agent Travis Hicks, Allen Sparks and For Robert Lee Church Milburn Wink, 4-H boy delegates, and a boys adult leader. Milburn revue Tuesday night.

Visitors in the H.L. Bloodworth home at Silver the first of the week con erence in San Antonio. were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Price and children and Mr. and Mrs. Pass last year and are glad to get Charles Lancaster and daughter back into northwest Texas. of Crane; also Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wallace, Jr. and Marilyn, Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Robertson of Ro- He studied for the ministry at bert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth and children of ber of the Northwest Texas con-Silver. Eddie Ray Price, 9 years ference for 25 years. In 1929 he old, remained for a summer visit held a pastorate at Blackwell. with his grandparents.

and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Roberts ger of a Western Union office in motored to Carter, Okla, for a San Fernando, Calif. The daughter, day from a trip to Dallas where he weekend visit with the J. C. Jack- Mrs. J. E. Garrett, resides at Vega sought the advice of medical specsons. Mr. Jackson was a former where her husband is a high school lialists. He was encouraged by driller here for Baker & Taylor.



BRIDE

Mrs. Kenneth Goode

#### Ruth Ann Taylor Weds Kenneth Goode of Weimar

The marriage of Miss Ruth Ann Pct. day, June 6, at 9 a. m. in the home treated with 2,000 and then 4,000 o'clock Tuesday night.

714 of the bride's parents, Mr. and gallons, operators will re-acidize Although past 80 years. .714 Mrs. Roy Taylor, in Robert Lee. with 8,000 gallons today.

.571 The Rev. Ross Welch officiated Paul F, Rutledge Dril .429 with the double ring ceremony.

bride's younger sister, Patricia, and Thursday at 1.808 feet. No. 6 is Bill Herron of Bronte. Only mem- 1,320 feet north of Davidson 3, bers of the immediate family were a producer.

Mrs. Goo e is a graduate of Ro- tract. bert Lee high school and the Un iversity of Texas, where she majored in physical education. For the past two years she has taught in the Weimar public schools.

Mr. Goode is a graduate of Weimar high school and A & I college at Kingsville. He served in the air corps during the war. He holds a position as rural mail farming. The couple will residefive drilling ahead Thursday morning miles from Weimar where they are at 4 478 feet in shale. Formation constructing a new home.

Mrs. Good left on a wedding trip through Colorado and New Mex-

graduated from Texas A & M Lem Cowley, wildcat five miles College June 2, receiving a bache-southeast of Robert Lee. Harris lor of science degree in electrical Drilling Co. of Wichita Falls has position with the Gun Perforating charge as pusher. The rig was emma Barron, home demonstration at their headquarters in Houston.

## **New Methodist Pastor**

will escort Miss Allen at the dress arrived in Robert Lee last Thurs. Gauge was through quarter inch day, the former having been as choke. assigned pastor of the Methodist church at the Southwest Texas

They were stationed at Eagle Ash.

Both the Rev. Lee and his wife are natives of Freestone county. McMurry college and was a mem-

The Lees have a son and daugh-Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Hanna ter. Their son, R. P. Lee, is manafootball coach.

### Sun's Tubb No. 6 Flows 153 Barrels

Sun Willie I. Tubb No. 6 west of Silver was finaled this week with day, June 18. The newspaper has barrels. Gauge was through quarter pictures to be used next week. inch choke. Gas-oil ratio 1,985-1. It topped the reef at 6,174 feet and was bottomed at 6,489.

Ray-Harris Drilling Co. had the contract and moved one location west to Tubb B-1. Casing was were to be drilled out Thursday evening.

Sun Central Bank Unit, southwest of Silver, pumped 6 barrels of oil during 16 hours Wednesday. South of the river at Silver Sun No. 8 J. B. Walker was drilling at

4,450 feet in shale. Edith Sun No. 8 Annie L. Cummings topped the lime reef at 5,824 feet and was cementing casing at 5,887.

Sun No. 5 G W. Davidson flowed Taylor of this city and Mr. Kenneth 33 barrels of oil and no water thru Lizzie" Davis, died of a heart Goode of Weimar took place Tues- 9-64ths inch choke. Previously attack at her home here at 10 adore. Manager C. S. Haselden

moved its rotary rig to Sun David- day Tuesday. Her passing was They were attended by the son No. 6 and was drilling in shale sudden and occurred soon after she

In Nolan county north of Sanco The bride's dress was of white Sun No. 1 Price Middox had drill Parker Drilling Co. has the con-



Notes From The Oil Field

Union No. 1 Daisy McCutchen, five miles east of Robert Lee, was is reported running higher than Following the ceremony Mr and the Jim McCutchen test which Union drilled in 1948, one mile to the west.

Standard rotary equipment was moved in this we k and is now Homer F. Ivey of Robert Lee rigging up on Deeproc 's No. 1

> Land owned by Mrs. Frank rock test.

Humble No. 6 R. E. Hickman on the south side of the Bronte field flowed 181 barrels of oil in 24 The Rev. Ray Lee and his wife hours for completion at 4,364 feet.

> McQueen & Clevenger rotary No. 6 Ash, a west offset to No. 5

Southern Minerals and Seaboard have staked a wildcat in Coke Tennyson. No. 1 R. H. Herring will be 660 feet from the north and west lines of S. Local chairman were solution. Govern- Houston for a visit in the home of her uncle Walker Bernard and west lines of Section 121 Washington County Railway Survey. It will be a half mile west of the Coke county line and a mile north of the Tom Green county

Judge Jeff Dean returned Tuestheir findings.

#### **Hospital Edition**

The Observer's issue next week will devote considerable emphasis to the new Coke County Hospital and advertising the Formal Opening and Visitors Day set for Sun-24-hour natural flow of 153 secured some excellent hospital

#### Court Opens Monday

The June term of district court cepting patients. for Coke county opens next Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bennett and three children of Ravia, Okla, arrived Tuesday for a visit with their grandfather, J. S. Ross, and the Roy Ross and Elmer Cole families.

## In the Millican field west of Pioneer Woman

Mrs. V. L. Gilbert, better known to Coke county folks as "Aunt

she had been in apparent good Daniel has his office in the hospital. Paul F. Rutledge Drilling Co. health and was active during the told her husband she seemed to be getting an attack of ind gestion.

Funeral rites were held at 3 p.m. Thursday from the Methodist church in charge of the pastor, the pipe stuck in shale and lime at Rev. Ray Lee. Burial was in the tion of Clift Funeral Home.

Bethemia Elizabeth Martin was born at LaGrange, Texas, Sept. 9, 1869. Her family moved to Indian admitted; 8-pound son born at Davis June 23, 1887, and they at Silver. in Robert Lee.

She married L. V. (Pete) Gilbert Copple. last September and their brief journey together proved very hap- mitted as a medical patient. py to both. She also is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Lou Boyd and Mrs. Jennie Murry, of Brownwood.

## Launch Drive For Telephone Co-op

Co. along the lines of the REA at a girls camp. Pat Havins corner near the Deep- Angelo are included in the original

In charge of the meeting was county Agent Hicks and Harry Weaver. Other speakers included man of Sonora.

R. B. Allen was selected as coun- Mrs. J. E. Green, all of Borger. equipment was moved to Humble ty chairman to head a drive to the present owner, and a co-op improved.

as follows:

Friendship, Carroll Russell Green Mt., Joe Garvin Sanco, Ira Bird Divide, J. B. Leddy Paint Creek, Delmir Sheppard Valley View, Lem Cowley Graham Valley, L. E. Wink Tennyson, J. P. Arrott Ft.Chadbourne, Pete McDonald Olga, Chas. Copeland

### Hospital Now In **Full Operation**

Formal Opening of the new Coke County Hospital has been set for Sunday, June 18. However, the institution officially opened June 1 and is now fully staffed and ac-

No program of speaking is planday, June 12. Grand jurors will ned for the 18th, but an invitation report at 10 a. m. Monday, while will be extended for the public west to Tubb B-1. Casing was a panel of 48 petit jurymen has to visit the hospital during the cemented at 552 feet and plugs been called for Tuesday. through various departments.

Mrs. Melrose Murtishaw, head nurse, is on duty during the day with Mrs. Mayme Smith and Mrs. Josie Lindley as nurses aids. Mrs. Hoglund and Mrs. Jack Duncan go on duty in the early afternoon and are relieved at 11 p. m. by Mrs. Harry Schilling, registered nurse, and Ethel Green, nursing

Mrs. Otis Rabb is on duty as housekeeper and the kitchen and dining room are now open under the direction of Mrs. Ernest Varnand Mrs. J. C. Strickland, receptionist and bookkeeper, complete Although past 80 years of age, the present staff. Dr. John D. Mc-

Patients cared for during the past week:

June 2-Mrs. R. M. Watkins of Robert Lee admitted; dismissed June 6.

June 3-H. L. Scott admitted; dismissed June 7.

June 4-Linda Porter admitted Robert Lee cemetery under direc- as a medical patient. She is the 7 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porter of Robert Lee. June 6-Mrs. Donald Tomlinson

Creek, in Brown county, in 1875 1:15 a. m. June 7. The father is She married the late Jefferson employed by J. F. Pritchard Co.

moved to Coke county in June, Gwendolyn Copple admitted 1890. For more than 50 years they and transferred later to Shannon operated a hotel and rooming house hospital. She is the 10 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. L.

June 7-Mrs. Lowell Roane ad-

#### Personals

Miss Tommie Joy Denman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Denman of Texas City, visited here over the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. W. H. Bell, and other relatives. Tommie Joy com-Steps were taken at a meeting pleted her sophomore year at the engineering. He has accepted a the contract and L. S. Brown is in here Wednesday night for Coke University of Texas and was encounty to join in the movement to route to Granbury, where she will organize a Cooperative Telephone serve her second year as counselor

> Mrs. Coke Austin left Wednesday on a trip to Chicago, Ill., where she will visit her son, Coke, Jr. and his wife.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll Land, head of the Concho Peays the past week are their son, REA, and Chester Kenley, ranch- G. B. Peays and wife, and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and

Mrs. J. C. Slaughter spent some secure members. The fee is only time in Bronte last week with her \$5. Indications are that rural lines daughter, Mrs. R. T. Caperton, are not going to be improved by who was ill. The patient is much

Eckert Tinkler has gone to Pecos where he has accepted a position in the office of City Secretary Bob L. Davis.

Jun per, Donald Huffaker Hayrick, J. W. Labenske Union, Aubrey Denman Bronte, D. K. Glenn Walnut, Elton Mims Wildcat, Tom Schooler Silver, R. B. Allen

#### Soil Conservation District News

#### **Observe Cover Crops Growing Near Bronte**

Thirty-five land owners and observe the growing of cover crops in the vicinity of Bronte Tuesday afternoon, May 30, 1950, C. N. Webb, chairman of the Board of Supervisors, has announced. The group observed alfalfa growing on sprinkler type irrigation system.

The group observed rye and vetch growing on D. K. Glenn's farm located two miles south of Bronte. Glenn explained, "I seeded this would control wind erosion. This rye and vetch has controlled wind erosion, and I got a lot of good late winter and early spring grazing.

The group observed second year's growth of Madrid sweet clover on Mrs. C. H. Wilkins farm just south of Bronte. She explained, "I harvested about one and one-half tons of hay per acre last year and grazed lambs in the tall. I am

planning to harvest the seed this summer and to seed more land this fall to Madrid sweet clover."

Just north of Bronte on James ter peas, rye and vetch. Allen explained, "I grazed about 75 head of ewes and two milch cows for six weeks on this 22 acre field. I a number of years in the office, businessmen attended a tour to plan to seed a large acreage of being defeated in 1948 by J. W. these crops next year."

"After observing what we have for re-election. seen this afternoon and realizing No further announcements for what adverse weather conditions county office are being talked at these crops were grown under, the this time, but candidates have L. A Bridges's ranch five miles Board of Supervisors believe that until June 17 to file with the counsoutheast of Bronte. Webb said cover crops definitely have a place ty chairman. As matters stand that Bridges also demonstrated in our conservation farming and now all county offices are being and explained the operation of the ranching," Webb explained. "We contested except treasurer. No are going to make mistakes and opposition is in sight for comlearn more about raising these missioners in Precincst 2, 3 and 4. crops as we grow larger acreages."

explain the importance of vegeta- district attorney are unopposed. tive cover in conservation ranching, Mr. Webb has announced.

### County Ag Agents **News Column**

TRAVIS HICKS, Co. Agent

#### Rabies Vaccination

nation program was very fine. Two Mr. Petross is high school princi hundred ten dogs were treated pal here. against rabies. We want to express our appreciation to the local newspapers, the theaters and the civic organizations for the support and publicity given in this important movement.

Dr. Koberg said that the pro ject was the best response and smoothest in operation of any such campaign he had ever attend-

Now, let's not stop with the job partially done. There are many dogs that do not belong to anyone. These dogs present a real hazard for they roam about. The people of the various communities and towns can should ask that these unclaimed dogs be humanely destroyed.

Attending the 4-H Encampment at Buchanan Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week were: Gerald Clint Harmon, William Joe Harmon, Jerry Floyd Harmon, Robert Lewis Jay, Doyle Calder and Gail Lammers. The adult leader for the gronps was Crowley Harmon. Six boys were the Coke Meets second Tuesday county quota to the district encampment A county-wide encampment is planned all 4-H boys later this summer.

#### **Distribute Sears Gilts**

Coke county boys who received gilts from the Sears Foundation Saturday were Martin Lee of Bronte, Jerry Wilkes of Silver, Lloyd Sparks of Edith, J. W. Caudle of Bronte, and Dale Massey, Norman Roberts and Gerald C. Harmon of Robert Lee. Terry Frank Bryan of Robert Lee received a boar.

Thirty-four gilts and 5 boar pigs were distributed to 4-H club boys from five counties. They will feed out the gilts and raise a litter from them. Each boy will give back a gilt from his first litter to go to another boy next year and insure the program's continuation.

### Robert Lee Observer

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#### June 17 Deadline To File For County Office

Allen's farm, the group observed More interest was injected into the growing of Dixie Wonder win local politics this week when Henry More interest was injected into Service. The latter is a candidate

Election of district and legisla-Plans were developed to conduct tive officials will be a tame affair a range tour at a later date. The for Coke county voters, since tour will be conducted to study candidates for congressman, state rye and vetch as an experiment the important range vegetation and senator, state representative and

> Dick Kannady has resigned as custodian of the Robert Lee school buildings and has accepted a position with the water department in San Angelo.

M. E. Petross and family are spending the summer in Ft. Worth where the former is taking summer The response to the dog vacci- work at Texas Christian University.

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## To the Voters of Coke County:

The 51st Legislature, Regular Session, 1949, passed S. B. No. 287 which was approved and became effective on March 24, 1949, I quote in part:

"There is hereby appropriated, allocated, transferred, and credited to a fund to be known as the Farm-to-Market Road Fund of the State Highway Department, - - - the sum of \$1,250,000.00 per month. The State Highway Department shall use the funds herein made available for the construction of Farm-to-Market Roads - - - meaning roads in rural areas - - - school bus routes, rural mail routes - - - and not a part of the designated State Highway system. - - - the roads shall preferable serve as public school bus routes or rural tree delivery postal routes or both - - - the roads shall be capable of early intergration with the previously improved Texas Road system and at least one end should connect with a road already or soon to be improved on the State System of Roads. - - - The funds shall be expended on a system of roads selected by the State Highway Department after consultation with the Commissioners Courts. - - . The selection shall be made in a manner to insure equitable and judicious distribution of the funds and work among the several counties of the State."

You will please note that there is not one provision in S B. No. 287 that pertains to the building of State Highways, on the contrary this law specifically states that no funds authorized by this law may be used on a State Highway.

Therefore the construction and completion of State Highway No. 158 from Robert Lee to Edith should not have interfered with the Farm-to-Market Road Program for Coke County.

I have made inquiry through the County Judge's Office of Coke County, the State Highway Department and from members of delegations that have attended hearings before the State Highway Commission, as to the status of the Farm-to-Market Road Program for Coke County.

I find that the present County Judge of Coke County entered into an agreement with the S'ate Highway Commission, that if the State Highway Commission would allocate funds for the completion of State Highway No. 158 from Robert Lee to Edith, then Coke County would give up it's State Farm-to-Market Road Program for a number of years.

I maintain that the road from Robert Lee to Edith has long been recognized as a designated State Highway and that it would have been completed without the forfeiture of the rights of Coke County to participate in this much needed State Farm-to-Market Road Fund. The County Judge of Coke County could have and should have secured this last section of State Highway No 158 on it's own merits as a State Highway.

For each and every year that this agreement, as made by the present County Judge, remains in force, the school bus routes and rural roads of Coke County will and are being penalized \$65,000 00 in State Funds through the forfeiture of this Farm-to-Market Road Program. The Road & Bridge Funds of Coke County are being run deeper and deeper into debt in a vain and an unwise attempt to overcome the loss of this Farm-to-Market Road Program

When a County Judge commits his county to a specific State Highway Program before the State Highway Commission, it is next to the impossible to overcome or change that commitment. The present County Judge of Coke County has made a commitment before the Srate Highway Commiss on, forgetting the rights of Coke County to participate in the State Farmto-Market Road Program.

If elected, regardless of the commitment or agreement that the present County Judge of Coke County may have made, I will immediately place before the State Highway Commission a Farm-to Market Road Program for Coke County. I will continuously and unceasingly work to regain the rights of Coke County to participate in this State Farm-to-Market Road Pro-

I will sincerely appreciate your careful consideration of my candidacy and your vote. Respectfully,

## McNEIL WYLIE

Candidate for County Judge and Ex-Officio County School Supt.

### 4-H Club Round-Up At A & M Next Week

COLLEGE STATION, June 8 -The campus of Texas A & M College will be a bee-hive of activity next week. 4-H club members from every section of the state will move in Sunday afternoon the lith to be on hand for the 4-H of the week with Robert Lee annual judging and team demon- relatives and friends. stration contests on Monday. The 4-H Round-Up will be held June 13-14 and it will be followed by came from McCamey Tuesday, the the annual conference, on June former having been invited to

derway Monday night with a get at McCamey where Rev. Welch acquainted program—a jean and was transferred last week by the calico round-up. For the second Methodist conference. year, Billy Triggs, minister of music
First Methodist Church, Wichita

In renewing her subscription,
Mrs. Holly Hale writes from Bell-Falls, will direct the group sing- flower, Calif., as follows: "We do ing-always a favorite part of the enjoy reading the home town paprogram for the 4-H delegates.

Director G. C. Gibson, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, will welcome the 4-H boys and girls to Texas A & M and in rapidfire order will come the introduction of the officials of the College and the A & M System. During the afternoon, visits will be made to different departments of the College for special shows. The evening program will be highlighted by the annual 4 H leaders banquet children, Frankie and Brenda, and the State 4-H Dress Revue.

Dallas county; Beverly Runnels, recent illness. Brazoria county; Harry Lee Schneider, Guada upe county and Carter Gene White, Garza county will report on National 4-H Club Camp. Fred L. Sutton, Menard county, will report on the American Youth Foundation Camp, Danforth Award. Betty Bernsen, Plenty Harper Mebane cotton Nueces county and Alton Nelsen, seed at Key Feed Store Wharton county, the 1949 International Farm Youth Exchange delegates from Texas, will report on their trips to Sweden and Den- time keeping instruments, but I mark. Barbara Dean, Johnson do it right and use nothing but county, will describe the activities of the 1949 National 4-H Club Congress.

new and genuine parts. Leave work at Bilbo Drug Store in Robert Lee. H. L. Manley, Bronte.

This section of the program will President M. T. Harrington, Texas TOR Windmills and Steel Towers A & M College. The afternoon will \_\_Remember, Double Gears.Leepbe devoted to the special depart- er Supply Co. mental shows on the campus.

The final night programon Wednesday will feature 4-H talent and the presentation of the awards to the winners in the various contests. The talent show will be in the form of a pageant and will be at Kyle Field.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Young andson, Randy, arrived last week by auto from New York City for a two weeks visit with his parents, the S. R. Youngs, and his sister, Mrs. Victor Wojtek, and family. They came via Pittsburg, St.Louis and Ft. Worth, making the trip of nearly 2,000 miles in three days.

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Mrs Lillian Turney and Mrs.

15-16, for all agricultural extension personnel.

The 4-H Round-Up will get unpleased with their new assignment at McCampus where Personnel.

per, and want it continued."

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams and daughter, Nann, came from Valentine for a weekend visit with his mother, Mrs. Mabel Williams, and other relatives. Mr. Williams is a brakeman for the T & P railroad.

Mr and Mrs. Martin Casey and motored to Stafford, Okla., last Featured on the Wednesday week for a few days visit with the morning program will be reports former's sister, Mrs. J. H. Vowell, from the 1949 out-of-state 4-H and husband. They report Mrs trip winners. Lue Ruth Stevens, Vowell is much improved from a

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### Tincup Stars In **Big Lake Defeat**

With superb pitching by Frank Tincup and sharp fielding throughout the game, Robert Lee defeated Big Lake 8 to 0 here last Sunday.

The visitors had bolstered their lineup with several collegians, but their pitching was not good enough to stop the Rabbit Twisters. Jimmy Davenport, Ballinger high school ace, hurled the first five innings when he was relieved by Jack Davis.

Tincup put on a remarkable oneman show. He let the Big Lake sluggers down with three scattered singles, and hit 2 three-baggers and a single to lead the local batting attack. Pete Hickman slammed a home run to score John Conley ahead of him in the seventh.

Tincup said he felt pretty "rough" before the game, as he had lost four teeth in a dentists Big Lake\_\_\_\_000 000 000-0 shop on Saturday. However, Robert Lee\_\_\_\_200 110 22x-8 Clarence Tinkler had a cut finger Summary: Three-base hits, Tin- Charles, and his uncle and aunt, mound.

down first base in good style. He son to Clark. Errors, Clark, Harriwill also be used as a pitcher, since son, Davenport, Bowman, Tincup. Tincup is about to conclude his Umpires, Otis Reed and Jess work at the Silver gas plant and Varnadore. will be transferred to Oklahoma.

The game evened up matters with Big La e, since Robert Lee was nosed out there a few weeks ago 6 to 5. Snipe Conley says he has a hot-shot hurler due to report this week.

#### CARD OF THANKS

all the nice things which have been mother, Mrs. J. C McDonald, 68 done for us during our sickness in years old, also contracted the the hospital and at home.-Mr. disease when she came here from and Mrs. J. L. Carwile, Sr. and Jonesboro for a recent visit.

#### Political Announcements

The Observer is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons, subject to Democratic Primary Election on July 22, 1950:

For State Senator, 25th District: DORSEY B. HARDEMAN For State Representative, 92nd Dist.

W. H. RAMPY For County Judge & School Supt .: JEFF DEAN McNEIL WYLIE

For County Treasurer: MRS. RUBY L. PETTIT For County and District Clerk: WILLIS SMITH

WELDON FIKES For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector PAUL GOOD

JEFF BLAIR For County Commissioner, Precinct 1 J. W. SERVICE HENRY VARNADORE For County Commissioner Precinct 3:

T. R. HARMON For County Attorney FRANK C. DICKEY

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	The Box Score:					
	BIG LAKE	AB	R	ŀ	10	1
	Varnadore, 2b	-4	0	0	0	-
	Cobb, 3b	-4	0	1	0	
	Clark, 1b	3	0	1	15	
	Harrison, cf	3	0	0	2	(
	Gustafson, ss	-4	0	1	1	
į	Shook, rf	_4	0	0	1	(
	Davis, If-p					(
1	Davenport, p	_2	0	0	2	
١	McMillan, If	_1	0	0	0	(
	Buchanan, c	_2	0	0	3	(
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	ROB'T LEE	AB	R	H	0	
	Conley, cf	2	3	0	0	
	Hickman, 3b	4	1	1	1	
	Bowman, ss			1	2	
1	McKinney, 2b	3	1	0	2	
I	McKinney, 2b Tincup, p	-4	1	3	0	
	Spoonts, 1b	_4	1	1	14	
	Phillips, c	-4	0		6	
ı	C. Tinkler, rf	4	0	I	0	
	Higgins, If	4	0	0	2	
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Score by innings:

on his pitching hand and could not cup (2). Home run, Hickman. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McGuire. take his customary position on the Struckout, by Tincup 6; by Davenport 2. Double plays, McKinney Bon Spoonts, making his first to Spoonts, McKinney to Bowman appearence for Robert Lee, held to Spoonts, Varnadore to Gustaf-

#### Personals

(For last week)

Mrs. Mitchell Davis will leave the last of the week for a visit with her brothers in San Antonio and Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Jim Mauldin has been ill We wish to thank each one for the past week with mumps. Her

> In writing to advise a change of address Mrs. Oda Benton of Marysville, Calif., says: "We sure enjoy the home town news."

#### Simpsons Buy More **Angus Breeding Stock**

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Simpson, Marvin, Jr, Bill and Carolyn, re-Angus herds in that section.

The Simpsons bought a new land Farms, Chapman, Kansas, half of the week and P. E. Webb Mrs. Harry Anderson, and family, and 28 females and 11 bulls from the Tall Corn Breeders' Sale, Marshalltown, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Havins and children were in San Angelo Sunday where they joined in a surprise dinner honoring Mrs. Havins' mother, Mrs Ida Verferth, on her 33 8 8 27 12 68th birthday. Four of her children and their families were present.

> Benny Bessent has gone to Lubbock for a visit with his brother,

#### **Boy Scouts Return**

near Fort McKavett. Joe Ross was a member of the group in addition turned Thursday afternoon from to the twelve names published re- home over the weekend were Mrs. a 10 day tour of Oklahoma, Kansas, cently. The Robert Lee boys won Lee Augustine of Sterling City and Missouri, Iowa and Nebraska third place in general excellence Mrs. C. L. Boykin and Mr. and where they visited some of the top for their showing during the week. Mrs. Kenneth Broadax and son Robert Lewis Jay and Garland of San Angelo. Davis were nominated to receive herd sire from the famous Penney the coveted Order of Arrow. Sam daughters, Zona Mae and Joyce, and James herd at Hamilton, Mo., Williams was in charge of the spent last weekend in Sundown and 25 choice females from Wheat-Robert Lee group during the first with their daughter and sister,

succeeded him. Sherman Williams Thirteen Boy Scouts from Rob received a bad cut on one of his ert Lee returned Saturday from a feet early in the week and had to week's stay at Camp Sol Mayer return home with his father.

Visiting in the J. I. Murtishaw

Mr. and Mrs. Dave King and

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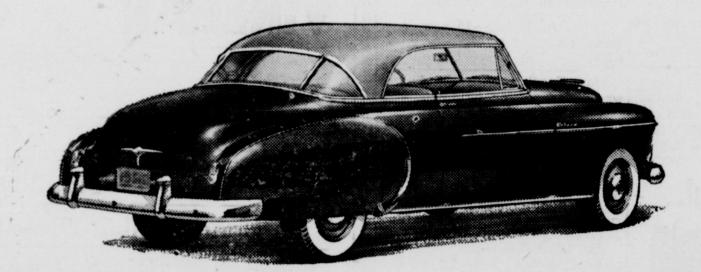
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#### McCutchen Achieves Honors in Journalism

(Special to The Observer)

San Antonio, Tex -Madison C. McCutchen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McCutchen of Robert Lee, was graduated from Trinity Uni- met Friday afternoon at the home versity with the honor "cum laude" of Mrs. Frank Percifull. Chapter Monday, May 29.

when he will be enrolled in the Visitors are welcome to the meet- ing. Graduate Division of Trinity Uni- ings each Friday. versity. He has been awarded a teaching fellowship in the department of journalism for 1950-1951. His major for the B. A. degree was journalism and his minor his-

member of Sigma Tau Delta, bert Lee high school, she plans to poisoning. national creative writer's frater- major in business administration. nity, won a prize for poetry at the the Southwestern Intercollegiate Poetry Meet in 1949.

He was delegate to the Associated Collegiate Press convention in Detroit, Michigan, last October.

Each of his four years at Trinity his name appeared on the Honor Roll of the university and scholastic recognition came to him in his election to Alpha Chi, national scholastic honor society.

An executive member of the Press Club, he served his college paper as managing editor, reporter of Mrs. and Mrs. Carroll Russell, ford and continued to Ft. Smith and columnist before being elected is improving from an illn ss of the next day. After Memorial seredicor-in-chief.

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old Trinity University, 225, receivd the Bachelor of Arts, Bache-Theological Seminary, San Anselmo, periods.

California gave the address to the graduates; and Dr. Russell Grady Snuggs, chairman of the department of religion at the University of Tulsa, preached the baccalaureate sermon.

#### Study Club

The Ark and Dove study club Five of You Can Change the Editor-in-chief of The Triniton- World was reviewed. It dealt with

#### Personals

Janet Bilbo left Sunday for Alpine where she will enroll for

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCutchen and daughter, Joyce, were in San Antonio recently to witness the graduation of their son and brother, Madison McCutchen, at Trinity University.

daughter of the G. A. Jameson of tional Cemetery. Their son, Frank, Big Lake, is making a two weeks who lost his life when his bomber visit in the home of her grandpar- was shot down near Tokyo, was at Silver.

Morgan Russell, 13-year-old son rheumatic fever He was brought vices they drove 60 miles and spent McCutchen's biography appears home last week after being treated

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Scott came He and his wife, Mrs. Mary Mc- from Lampasas for a weekend Cutchen, reside at 102 Delaware visit in the home of their son, Wilton, and family. They were The largest graduating class in anxious to make the acquaintance the history of the eighty-two year of their new grandson, Larry Gene, two weeks old.

Dixie Taylor and Tommy Kirklor of Science and Bachelor of patrick are spending a few days at Music degrees Monday night at the Methodist camp near Kerrthe Sunken Gardens Theatre, ville. They are among a small Brackenridge Park. Dr. Jesse Hays group who are preparing the Baird, president of San Francisco grounds for the summer camp

### SANCO NEWS

(By Mrs. Sam Fowler)

Plans are being made for a joint vacation Bible school by the churches here. Next Sunday is Church Day at the Baptist church.

Patricia Fowler and Nettie Gartman visited with Anniece Gartman last Sunday.

Editor-in-chief of The Triniton- World was reviewed. It dealt with Mrs. W. H. Wyatt, Mrs. Sam ian, university newspaper during Education. God must be in educa- Fowler, Roy, Sammie Jo and Janis the 1949-1950 school year, Mc- tion; without God we have no Fowler, Jane Gartman and W. H. Cutchen has been selected to morality; without morality we Wyatt Jr. visited the Seven Wells succeed himself as editor next year become slaves. Cokes were served. near Colorado City Sunday even-

> Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gartman have moved to the Sanco school house and Mrs. Gartman, postmaster, has moved the post office

Harvey Reid was taken sick the the summer session at Sul Ross first of the week. His illness was While in Trinity, McCutchen, a college. A recent graduate of Ro- thought to have been ptomaine

> Sam Fowler is back at work in the Varnadore station after being off ten days because of illness.

#### **At National Cemetery**

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tubb and son, Mack, motored to Fort Smith, Ark., early last week to attend Linda June Jameson, little Memorial Day services at the Naents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jameson, buried there last September. The Tubbs spent Sunday night with the Claude Deans near Weatherthe night with Mr. and Mrs. L.W. Welch at New Blaine, Ark. Young Mackie became ill with the mumps next morning and they decided to return home. They arrived in Robert Lee at 11 p. m. after driving 640 miles.

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#### Farris Gathering

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Towner Leeper vis ted a few days last week at the parental Palmer Leeper home near Sanco Sun's Gas Depart, office. and left Monday to accept a posi-Dallas. Towner graduated from the are guests in the Lee Weigel home. University of Texas last week.



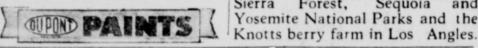
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Visiting in the Curtis Walker Special honor was directed to Mrs. home since last Saturday are Susan Farris, who makes her home Zimmalew and Margaret Nell with the son in Robert Lee. She is Cooper from Brady. Mrs. Cooper R. Farris, was also present. Three Cooper in New Orleans the first of had a very enjoyable trip.

> Shirley Coffey of Dallas is here for an extended visit with her sis-

The O. L. Snyders left last Friday on two weeks annual vacation on June 14. Program begins at 10 Bob Gaston is also away on vaca- a, m. and runs through 3 p. m. tion from his duties as clerk in Barbecue lunch will be served at

Mrs. T. J. Jones, Uvalde, and included in the district. tion with the Lingo Lumber Co in Mrs. C. A. Joyce, San Antonio,

> The Allen Jamesons went to Big Lake Monday to see the G. A. Jamesons They returned Tuesday and brought their little granddaughter, Glenda June, home with

The Charles W. Shelton family of San Angelo spent the weekend with the W. L. Carrs and S. V. Fants, Norma Jo Fant returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McCabe and Charlotte spent a few days recently in Ruidoso. While there they attended the races.

In Brownwood last week were the H. W. Keeners for a visit with her parents, the J. H. Duffs, and her sister, Mis. Dick Stevenson, who was there from Houston.

M. D. Miller made a business trip to Dallas last week.

The P. P. McGee family returned recently from a successful fishing trip to Phantom Hill Lake near Abilene.

The Charles E. Butchers returned Tuesday night from a several days visit in Louisiana with relatives.

#### California Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jameson and Elna, Mr. and Mrs. Myrle Jameson and Jerry, and Miss Ruth Calleyof Forsan have returned from a trip to California where they visited Mrs. Myrle Jameson's father, Gene Harris at Fresno. They also visited the Kings Canyon, Sierra Forest, Sequoia and Yosemite National Parks and the

In Pomona they visited an aunt SILVER NEWS of Allen Jameson, Mrs. Tom Po-

well. The group took the southern route to Fresno, Via San Diego and Long Beach, sight seeing and returned by Indio and Carlsbad, New Mexico. They stopped in past 93 years of age and enjoys will come for the girls the last of Seminole and visited with Mr. excellent health. Her other son, C. the week. They will join Chaplain and Mrs. Eddie Jameson. They

#### Angus Field Day

District 6 of the Texas Aberdeen Angus association will hold its Field Day at the L. Moore & Sons Ranch, 15 miles west of Eldorado, noon. Coke is one of eight counties

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