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NOTICE

I will make an inspection the first part of next week on all sanitary conditions of the town. All out door toilets not in use will be condemned and the ones in use must be made fly proof. This includes both the business and residential sections.

DR. J. D. McDANIEL
City Health Officer

RITES HELD FOR HOWARD EATON

Funeral services for Howard Eaton, 56, well known Robert Lee farmer who died Wednesday night of last week, were held Friday afternoon from the Robert Lee Baptist Church. The services were in charge of the pastor, the Rev. J. C. Shipman.

Burial was in the Robert Lee cemetery under direction of the Clift Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Fred McDonald, Jr., David Key, Weldon Johnson, Sam Powell, Ell Hatley, A. V. Hughes and John Brown.

Mr. Eaton's death followed a brief illness caused by an infection of the blood stream.

BORN IN COMANCHE CO.

Howard Foster Eaton was born in Comanche County, Texas, May 22 1896. His death occurred at 11:45 p. m. July 9 at Coke County Memorial Hospital in Robert Lee.

He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Eaton and grew up on a farm near Blanket. He graduated from Blanket High School and was attending Oklahoma A & M College at Stillwater when he was called to army service during World War I. He was on the front lines in France when the Armistice was signed Nov. 11, 1918.

After returning from the service, Howard was employed for some time in California, then returned home to assist his mother in operation of the family farm. He also worked as a plumber in Sweetwater.

His marriage to a neighbor girl, Miss Violet Cox, took place Nov. 28, 1928, in Brownwood. They moved to Robert Lee in 1930 and this community has continued to be their home. A few years ago they bought the former Andrews farm, a mile south of town.

Howard was a member of the American Legion and was an ardent sports fan. He was a good friend and neighbor, honest and industrious, and was held in high esteem

by everyone who knew him.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Violet Eaton, his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Service, Jr., and two grandchildren, Kathy Ruth and Johnny Howard.

He also leaves two brothers, Robert of Comanche and Joe of Snyder, and two sisters, Mrs. Price Yantis of Bangs and Mrs. Willie Hepinstall of Blanket.

CITY CLEAN-UP IS UNDER WAY

With the danger of polio increasing over West Texas everyone should pitch in and put over a successful community Clean-Up Campaign which is now under way.

City ordinances set out a list of sanitary requirements, and the City Health Officer will make a city-wide inspection next week. Better have your clean-up before he comes. County trucks will haul off the rubbish without charge.

The City Commission has agreed to assess \$1.00 per month on each water meter to raise funds for spraying. Their action followed the resolution passed by the Board of Community Development and endorsed by the Lions Club.

HASELDEN-FLETCHER

Mr. Vic Haselden and Mrs. E. B. Fletcher, well known Bronte residents, were married in Robert Lee Thursday night, July 10, by R. S. Crum, Justice of the Peace. Mrs. Fletcher is a sister of Mrs. J. I. Murtishaw.

BIRTHS

BLOODWORTH—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth (Gertrude Landers) of Silver are parents of a son born July 12 at the Bronte Hospital. Charles Darrell weighed 8 pounds, 11 ounces. The Bloodworths have two daughters and another son. Grandparents are Mrs. J. B. Robertson of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bloodworth of Silver.

NOTICE

Please have your trash ready to be picked up Monday, July 21. It must be in containers and placed where it can be loaded easily. This service is furnished by the City and your County Commissioner J. W. Service.

ROBERT LEE CITY COMMISSION

JACK TRIMBLE BADLY HURT IN HIWAY CRASH

Jack Trimble, well known Robert Lee oil field driller and ranchman, suffered serious head injuries in a highway crash near here Wednesday noon.

He was rushed to Shannon Hospital in the Clift ambulance and his condition is regarded as critical. Extent of his injuries were not known Wednesday night.

The accident occurred at the Lem Cowley hill, south of town on Highway 208. Jack had started to San Angelo in his pickup, and stopped to visit with Dub Mashburn, San Angelo livestock buyer.

It seems that Trimble was turning around and part of his truck was crosswise of the pavement, when he was struck by an auto which came over the hill from the south.

The on coming car, a new Lincoln, belonged to Bankston Motor Co. and was driven by a prospective purchaser.

Three hours later Mrs. B. B. Pierce was injured when she slowed down to pass the scene of the previous wreck and was bumped into by a car coming behind her.

Mrs. Pierce had bad cuts and bruises and is being treated at Coke County Memorial Hospital. She is a nurse at the hospital and had started to town from her farm home when the accident occurred.

VISITORS IN FIELD HOME

A gathering of kinfolks in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Field recently included a number of nephews and nieces. They were Mrs. Jack (Sallie) Cook of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Joe (Anna) Epperson of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Green Field and children of Sonora, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Field and children of Tankersly, Newton Field of Robert Lee, also Mrs. Finis Harmon and son, Joe, and Mrs. W. M. Johnson and Helen and Weldon.

REVIVAL AT PECAN CHURCH

The Revival Meeting at Pecan Baptist Church, west of Edith, will continue through next Sunday, according to the pastor, the Rev. L. B. Voyles. The Rev. Wayne N. Stout of Calvary Baptist Church in Hamlin, is the evangelist. Rev. Voyles reports good interest in the series of meetings which began July 10.

Cynthia Schooler came over this week from Odessa to see her brother, Tom Schooler, who has been very ill. She also visited other relatives and old times friends.

EDITH CHILD POLIO VICTIM

Charlotte, 6 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fennell Smith of Edith, is this community's first polio victim of the year.

The child became ill last Friday and was taken to the Bronte hospital for treatment. Tuesday she was removed to San Angelo where test definitely pointed to polio. She was admitted to the polio ward at Clinic hospital.

Mr. Smith advised The Observer Tuesday night that Charlotte had been running high temperatures but most of the fever had gone. She has paralysis in her left arm and limb. Doctors believe she will respond to treatment.

Coke county's first case of the year was Deborah Bagwell, 5 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bagwell of Bronte. She was stricken with polio a month ago. Deborah is reported to be recovering.

CONCHO LEAGUE STANDING

	W	L	Pct.
Bryan Electric	6	1	.857
Miles	5	2	.714
Robert Lee	4	3	.571
Sonora	4	3	.571
Forsan	2	4	.333
Big Lake-Texon	2	5	.286
Ballinger-Winters	1	6	.143

Last Week's Results

Bryan Electric 6, Robert Lee 4.
Sonora 16, Ballinger 11.
Miles 14, Big Lake 0.

Next Sunday's Schedule

Miles at Ballinger (Sat. Night).
Big Lake in Robert Lee.
Sonora in Forsan.

CITY WATER TO BE SHUT DOWN EARLY SUNDAY

Residents of Robert Lee are warned there will be a water shortage Sunday morning because of repairs at the standpipe. It will be advisable to draw off some water Saturday night, so as to have a supply available Sunday morning.

The following statement comes from the office of Mrs. Sam Jay, City Secretary:

The water tower and stand pipe will get a long needed working over this weekend. The Lone Star Tank Company of Texas City will do the work. They will clean and paint the exterior Thursday, Friday and Saturday and plan to scale and paint the interior Sunday. All weak spots will be welded.

There will be a short while Sunday morning when the town will be without water while they are by passing the tower. If the pressure seems to be weak for the following 24 hours after they start the interior it will be because of the water reaching the customers by the by-pass. The quality of the water will not be affected.

Sunday has been selected as the day to work on the inside because that is the day of lowest consumption. It is only natural that the pressure will be weaker from a level than it would be from elevated storage.

ELECTION NIGHT PARTY

Plans are being made for a big crowd in Robert Lee on election night. Returns will be received at The Observer office and the Farris Drug Store. The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church will serve sandwiches, cake, pie, coffee and cold drinks.

PLAN EDITH HOMECOMING

A meeting to make plans and appoint committees for the annual Edith Homecoming will be held at the Court House in Robert Lee on Saturday, July 19, at 4 p.m. Attendance of all interested persons is requested, according to the Homecoming Association President, Delmir Sheppard. The Homecoming date is Sunday, August 17.

BIG LAKE CLUB COMING SUNDAY

Snipe Conley and his Big Lake Snipers will invade Robert Lee next Sunday for a Concho Basin League encounter. It will be the first game on the local diamond since a month ago. Ballinger comes here the following Sunday.

The Twisters lineup is expected to be shifted around during future games in an effort to put a winning club on the field. Some additional players have been signed, including Judge Sandusky of Bronte, Delbert Coalson of Silver, former Bronte player, and Joe Geraci.

Sandusky, a recent A & M graduate, is a crack outfielder and will be needed to succeed Royce Smith who leaves this week for army service. Coalson, a left hander, is also a good fielder, a fine hitter and may do some of the hurling. Bon Spoons is also expected to join the local club soon.

The Twisters dropped to a tie for third in the loop standing after losing last week's game to Bryan Electric.

TWISTERS LOOKED BAD

Robert Lee played its worst ball game of the season in losing to Bryan Electric, 6 to 4, on the Veribest diamond last Sunday. The usually heavy hitting Twisters secured only five blows off the delivery of young Herb Biederman.

Johnny Stewart on the mound for Robert Lee was given poor support in the field. John Conley hurled the last end of the game. Bryan scored twice in the second, one in the third, two in the fifth and one in the seventh. Robert Lee gets its first tally in the fifth inning. Richard Harvey was safe on an infield error and Chilly Tinkler drew a walk. Harvey scored on Tommy Gray's double.

Roy Tinkler knocked in two runs in the ninth frame with a hit into right. He later came home when the left fielder dropped Gray's short fly.

Coke County

Hospital News

July 9—Mrs. A. J. Kirkpatrick admitted. Howard Eaton passed away at 11:45 p. m.

July 10—Miss Billy Allen, J. D. McWhorter admitted.

July 11—Howard Varnadore admitted. J. W. Arnold, Jackie Sparks Carolyn Millican dismissed.

July 12—J. E. Quisenberry admitted.

July 13—Frank Blair, 9 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blair, admitted. Mrs. Claude Beaver dismissed.

July 14—Tom Schooler admitted. Annelle Simpson, J. E. Quisenberry dismissed.

July 15—Elaine, 6 year old daughter of Mrs. J. B. Robertson, admitted.

July 16—Billy Allen dismissed.

NOTICE

The town will be sprayed by airplane, Wednesday, Thursday or Friday, July 23, 24 or 25, with weather permitting. If weather is not favorable it will be done at a later date. The work will start early in the morning.

ROBERT LEE CITY COMMISSION

CLIFTS RETURN FROM EASTERN TRIP BY MOTOR

Going east to be present when their son, Wallace, received his Law Degree at Harvard University, Mr. and Mrs. Buce Clift also visited many places of interest including Bruce's old home in Tennessee before returning last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clift made the trip by air from Dallas to New York City where Wallace met them at LaGuardia Field. They spent part of three days in New York, visiting Times Square, Radio City, Coney Island and attended services on Sunday at Christ's Church on Park Avenue. Their headquarters were at the New Yorker Hotel.

Wallace then took his parents to Cambridge, stopping at Plymouth

Rock and Providence. Mr. and Mrs. Clift were guests at a luncheon given by Harvard graduates when President James B. Conant was the speaker. Commencement ceremonies were held June 19 and before leaving the Clifts saw many places of interest in the Boston area, including Bunker Hill, Lexington and Concord.

They began their homeward journey the following day in Wallace's car, driving over through New York to Niagara Falls. Their route then took them south to Pittsburgh and eastward 200 miles over the Pennsylvania Turnpike. They visited the Gettysburg Battlefield on their way down to Washington, D. C.

During their stay in the nation's capital they visited numerous places of interest and were luncheon guests of Congressman O. C. Fisher. They had headquarters across the Potomac in Alexandria, Va., which is also an interesting place with its Mt. Vernon, Masonic Memorial, etc.

They came westward through Virginia, stopping at the Natural Bridge and continued on to Chattanooga, Tenn., near which place Bruce was born at a small community called Soddy. A large number of kinfolks turned out to give the Texans a welcome. Bruce said the house where he lived had to be moved to higher ground when a lake was formed on the old site. Mr. Clift at the age of nine moved with his parents to Texas. He had previously made one trip back 14 years later.

Victor Wojtek Weds At Stillwater, Okla.

A3-C Victor Wojtek and Miss Betty Sue Darnell were married July 4 at 5 p.m. in Stillwater, Okla.

The bride wore a peach colored dress with blue green figuring and blue green shoes, with white hat, gloves and purse. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eric Darnell of Stillwater.

Victor is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Wojtek of Robert Lee. He is stationed at Sheppard AFB near Wichita Falls where they will make their home.

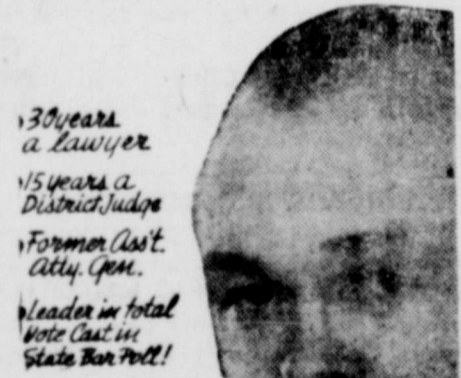
ENJOYED VACATION TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Lenn Roberts and son, Norman, returned Saturday from a business and pleasure trip through Arkansas, Missouri and Oklahoma, visiting some of the former Coke county people enroute. They enjoyed the beautiful scenery of the Ozarks and report that country still looks fine in spite of a few weeks of drouth.

While in Dallas the Roberts family saw a good Texas League baseball game between the Dallas Eagles and Oklahoma City Indians. They have a nephew playing with the Eagles.

The god "Pan" was supposed to be responsible for human fears—hence our word, "panic."

George Washington and James Madison were the two signers of the Constitution who later became U. S. Presidents.



*30 years a Lawyer
15 years a District Judge
Former Asst. City Gen.
Leader in total vote cast in State for 1952!*

Elect

A.R. STOUT
OF ELLIS COUNTY
ASSOCIATE JUSTICE
SUPREME COURT

SAMPLE BALLOT

Do Not Carry to Polls

Coke County, Texas, July 26, 1952

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominee of this Primary.

You may vote for the candidate of your choice by placing an X in the square beside the name; or you may vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by scratching or marking out all other names in that race.

FOR GOVERNOR

- Mrs. Allene M. Traylor
Bexar County
- Ralph W. Yarborough
Travis County
- Allan Shivers
Jefferson County

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

- Ben Ramsey
San Augustine County
- Frank Hessbrook Morales
Travis County

FOR U. S. SENATOR

- Lindley Beckworth
Upshur County
- E. W. Napier
Wichita County
- Price Daniel
Liberty County

FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

- Billy E. Beard
Brazos County
- John C. White
Wichita County
- Walter McKay
Gillespie County

FOR LAND COMMISSIONER

- Bascom Giles
Travis County
- Guy Patterson
Eastland County

JUDGE, COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS

- Kenneth K. Woodley
Travis County
- Jesse Owens
Wilbarger County

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER

- Joe Laird
Brazos County
- Olin Culberson
Jackson County

FOR CONGRESSMAN-AT-LARGE

- Martin Dies
Angelina County
- Herb Petry, Jr.
Dimmit County
- Phil Hamburger
Harris County
- John Lee Smith
Lubbock County
- Roy Selman
Houston County
- Edwin O. Nimitz
Orange County
- Charles M. Dickson
Bexar County

FOR COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

- Robert S. Calvert
Travis-County

FOR TREASURER OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

- Jesse James
Travis County

ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS

- Curt Stiles
Dallas County
- John Ben Sheppard
Gregg County

PLACE NO. 1, SUPREME COURT

- A. R. Stout
Ellis County
- Frank P. Culver
Tarrant County
- Glenn R. Lewis
Tom Green County
- Spurgeon Bell
Harris County

PLACE NO. 2

- Graham B. Smedley
Tarrant County
- Robert Bruce Kennan
Gregg County

PLACE NO. 3

- W. St. John Garwood
Harris County

PLACE NO. 4

- Clyde E. Smith (Unexpired term)
Tyler County

CONGRESS of United States, 21st Congressional District

- Ira Gallaway
Coleman County
- O. C. Fisher
Tom Green County

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, Court of Civil Appeals, Third Supreme Judicial District

- Robert G. Hughes
Tom Green County

DISTRICT JUDGE, 51st Judicial District

- Joe L. Mays
Tom Green County
- W. S. Leslie
Tom Green County
- Clyde Vinson
Tom Green County

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 51st Judicial District

- Aubrey D. Stokes
Tom Green County
- John A. Roehl
Tom Green County

STATE SENATOR, 25th Senatorial District

- Dorsey B. Hardeman
Tom Green County

STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 77th District

- R. W. Shytlers
Runnels County
- A. J. Bishop, Jr.
Runnels County

SHERIFF AND TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR

- J. T. Thetford
- Wilson Bryan
- Paul Good

COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK

- Weldon Fikes

COUNTY JUDGE and EX-OFFICIO SUPT. OF SCHOOLS

- Jeff Dean

COUNTY TREASURER

- Gertrude Gray
- Ruby L. Pettit

COUNTY ATTORNEY

- Frank C. Dickey
- E. B. Fuller

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 1

- J. W. Service

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 2

- Howard Brock
- Otis Smith

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 3

- Ed Hickman
- T. R. Harmon
- Finnell Smith

COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 4

- Claude Ditmore

CONSTABLE, PRECINCT 2

- T. F. Sims, Sr.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT 2

- C. E. Bruton
- Austin C. Coulter

COUNTY CHAIRMAN

- Democratic Executive Committee
- R. B. Allen

MEMBER, Democratic Executive Committee

Elect
WALTER
McKAY

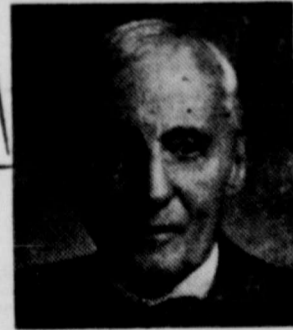


COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

Profit by McKay's 22 YEARS EXPERIENCE WITH PROBLEMS OF TEXAS AGRICULTURE!

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by Walter McKay)

Re-elect
JUDGE
GRAHAM
SMEDLEY



to the SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS (Place 2)

- 12 Years on Supreme Court Commission of Appeals.
- 7 Years Associate Justice of Supreme Court.
- 6 Years Asst. Attorney General, handling state's oil, gas, irrigation and land suits ... saved more than 100,000 acres in school fund.
- Active practice of civil law in Midland, Austin, Wichita Falls and Fort Worth.
- Endorsed by Bar Associations throughout Texas for second elective term.

"He is the type of Judge Texas needs!"

(Pol. Adv. Paid for by Wm. Kay Miller)

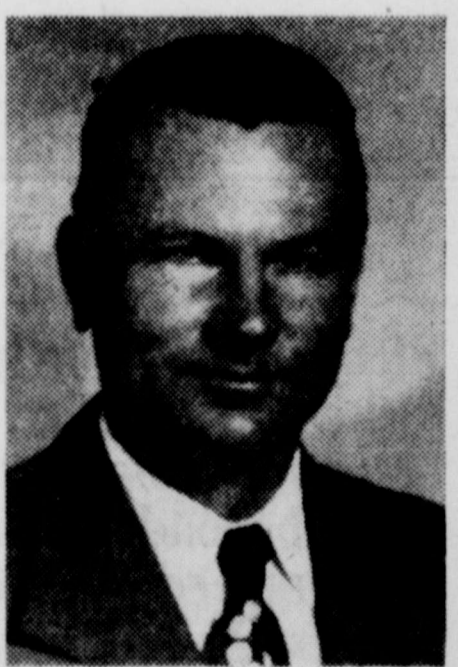
WILSON BRYAN

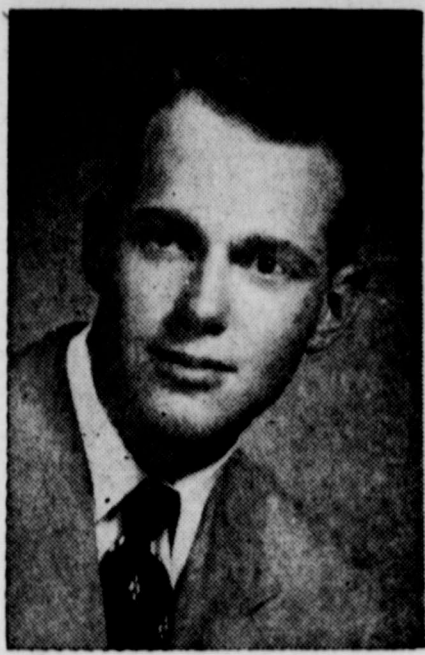
Candidate For

SHERIFF

My Platform Is:

- ★ To Try to Do the Thing That's Right at All Times.
- ★ To Feel that I Will Be Obligated the Same Degree to Everyone.





A. J. BISHOP

For State Representative

A. J. Bishop, 27-year-old farmer and Quarter Horse breeder from Wintest, is a candidate for the office of State Representative from the 77th District, made up of Coke, Coleman, Concho and Runnels Counties.

Bishop, who was born and reared on a farm at Wintest, states that "Many important issues will face the people of our district, and I believe that our people deserve and need public servants that understand their problems and will represent them."

Bishop, a graduate of Texas Tech College with a degree in agriculture, is a veteran of World War II. He served with the 42nd Infantry Division in Europe.

"I have no selfish interest to serve," Bishop said, "But to represent all the people living within the four counties of this district, whether they are farmers, ranchers, or business men."

"I am particularly interested and will seek the continuation and support of the important farm and ranch programs of this area, such as soil and water conservation practices, and fam-to-

Personals

Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough came in from Alpine for a weekend visit at home. She is attending Sul Ross College and returned Monday to resume her studies. Mrs. Yarbrough says the summer climate is very pleasant at Alpine.

Gladys Waldrop, Joyce King, Mrs. Barton Waldrop and Mary Dean Cresap motored to Waco Tuesday of last week where they attended the wedding of Minnie Mae Sharp, former county home demonstration agent here. They returned via Austin where Mrs. Waldrop visited her sister, Ms. Howard Davis. Miss Cresap visited a friend in Waco.

Mrs. Claude Carter and granddaughter, Juddy Allen, have returned to their home in Harlingen after a visit of three weeks with relatives in San Angelo and Robert Lee. Mrs. Carter is a daughter of Mrs. J. N. Adams and a sister of Mrs. Sam Powell. Noel Adams and wife of Amarillo and S. E. Adams and wife of San Angelo joined the group in a family gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barron and daughter, Iris Lee, were here from Coleman for a weekend visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Read. Mrs. Barron is the former Vernema Freeman, who served as county HD agent here.

Mrs. Robert Vaughn and daughters returned the first of the week from a week's visit with Mr. Vaughn's parents at Victoria.

market roads. I will work for the elimination of the waste and extravagance that have caused higher taxes. I stand against the automobile inspection law as it was passed in the last session of the legislature.

"This announcement is respectfully submitted to the people of the 77th District with the solemn and sincere promise to serve, if elected, to the very best of my ability and with honesty and equity to all."

Pol adv. paid for by A. J. Bishop

COLE FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Cole were in Abilene over the weekend to attend a Cole family reunion at the home of Mr. Cole's sister, Mrs. J. T. Robertson, the former Lela Cole.

Coming from Balmorhea were Jeff Cole and wife, also Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kelley and daughters of Pecos, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Humann and daughter of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. George Cole and daughter of Boerne, and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cole and daughters and Mrs. Nellie Longwood and daughter of Abilene.

Seaman 1st Class Maynard Read with his wife and 6-months-old daughter, Deborah Kay, were Sunday guests in the parental R. L. Read home. Maynard recently completed a cruise to Cuba and is now enjoying a 15-days leave with his family in San Angelo.

Ed S. Roberts trucked a load of cows this week to Fayette county where he leased some pasture.

Want Ads

FOR SALE—220 acres sandy loam, well improved, no encumbrance, food water, everlasting, creek valley pasture, commercial orchard no gullies or rocks. On county road, REA, school bus, telephone. Contact owner, D. A. Neel, Edith, Tex. 6-7p

Aermotor Windmills, woodrod, cylinders and all fittings necessary to complete your water job. Leeper Supply Co.

NOTICE

My place south of Robert Lee has been posted and \$50 Reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons trespassing upon my property without permission.

—Fred McDonald, Jr.

WANTED—Good used electric refrigerator. Ellis Eubanks. 1p

Mail your Kodak film to Etz Studio & Camera Shop, Sweetwater, Texas. 120 eight exposure rolls, 50 cents, 12 exposure rolls 70 cents. 16 eight exposure rolls 58 cents. All prints jumbo size. Prompt service, good work. Send cash with order.

HOUSE FOR SALE—3 room modern house and lot in Robert Lee. Screened in porch. For sale or trade for San Angelo property, trailer house or car. \$3,000 furnished, \$2,500 unfinished. \$700 down. Contact or call R. R. Thomas, 205 East 14th St., San Angelo. 6tf

FISHING TACKLE Headquarters—We have a complete new stock of fishing essentials. See the new guaranteed anti-backlash casting reel.—LEEPER SUPPLY CO.

WANTED—Producing and non-producing royalties and leases. Geo. Fry, 7306 Thurston, Dallas, Tex. 5w4p

FOR QUICK SALE—Most choice 814 acre farm-ranch in close to Robert Lee. Has everlasting water, oil prospects good, one-half minerals given. Owner will carry some notes. Better improvements than most places. For more information write Box 837 or Phone 3685, Wintest, Texas. 5w3c

PAINT—Pittsburgh Rubberized Satin Finish Wallhide for all inside work. Use it on paper, wallboard, wood, cement, anything. Dries in 15 minutes.—LEEPER SUPPLY CO.

Building Materials—Cement and Paint. The right materials at the right price. McDonald Lumber Co., Robert Lee, Texas.

Give a windmill a chance. Change its oil and tighten its bolts once a year. Aermotor Windmill Oil. LEEPER SUPPLY CO.

FOR SALE—160 acres improved. 1 mile from pavement and mail. Inquire at Observer office. 1p

FOR RENT—Good modern house, close. Inquire of S. R. Young. 1p

OLD BILL'S ALMANAC JULY

DON'T LOOK FOR ANY FROSTS THIS WEEK—UNLESS YOU'RE LIVING IN LITTLE AMERICA!

Conscience gets a lot of credit that belongs to cold feet.

20—Ballot first used in U.S., 1628.

21—U.S. serves Japan surrender ultimatum, 1945.

22—Puritans sail from Holland, 1620.

23—Detroit founded, 1701.

24—Mormons reach Salt Lake City, 1847.

25—Russia objects to count of armed forces, 1949

26—Attlee ousts Churchill as English prime minister, 1945.

S. E. ADAMS

OIL PROPERTIES

INSURANCE

Reserve District No. 11

State No. 1684

Report of Condition of

Robert Lee State Bank

of Robert Lee, Texas, at the close of business June 30, 1952

A state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by Federal Reserve Bank of this district.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection.	383,154.69
U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	393,858.50
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	98,279.07
Corporate stocks (including \$1,800.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	1,800.00
Loans and discounts (including \$453.16 overdrafts)	313,086.61
Bank premises owned \$1.00; furniture and fixtures \$2,279.52	2,280.52
Other assets	5,418.50
Total Assets	1,197,877.89

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	921,074.53
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	13,533.80
Deposits of states and political subdivisions	148,093.42
Deposits of banks	35,805.75
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	1,930.68
Total Deposits	\$1,120,438.18
Total Liabilities	1,120,438.18

(Not including subordinated obligations shown below)

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	25,000.00
Surplus	35,000.00
Undivided profits	17,439.71
Total Capital Accounts	77,439.71

Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts 1,197,877.89
This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 170,000.00

I, T. A. Richardson, cashier of the above named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
T. A. Richardson.
Correct-Attest: R. C. Russell, Henry Briscoe, Victor Wojtek, Directors
State of Texas, County of Coke, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of June, 1952.
Virginia Jay, Notary Public

THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS

Cherry Bell FLOUR, 25 lbs 1.89

MARYLAND CLUB

COFFEE 1b 79c

Tomatoes No. 1 Can 3 for 29c

Prune Plums Large 2 1/2 can 4 for 1.00

PORK & BEANS 3 for 25c

ORANGE JUICE, No. 2 can 2 for 25c

SPINACH No. 2 can 2 for 29c

SALAD DRESSING Bestyette Pint 25c

WAX BEANS Allens Yellow 2 Cans 29c

Midwest BACON Lb 42c

Fresh Ground Meat Lb 59c

STEAK, Fore Quarter Lb 69c

BAKER'S Groc. & Mkt.



JOHN C. WHITE

WHITE MAKING CAMPAIGN FOR RE-ELECTION

AUSTIN, (Special)—A recent admission by the U. S. Department of Agriculture that its 1951 cotton crop estimate was "too optimistic" has verified a claim by Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

White, who is now seeking his second term in office, said the U. S. D. A.'s over-estimate by 2 million bales last year resulted in a serious break in cotton prices. His own correct estimate of the Texas crop as early as last August, and his advice to farmers to hold their cotton saved them millions of dollars, he said.

The commissioner cited his cotton report, which was upheld last week by the U. S. D. A. annual rendered by his department during his first term in office. He is actively campaigning this year to repeat his 1950 victory at the polls when he unseated J. E. McDonald, veteran politician who had held the post of Agriculture Commissioner for 20 years.

The son of a Clay County tenant farmer, White was formerly head of the Division of Agriculture at Midwestern University, Wichita Falls. He and his wife and three sons have now established their home in Austin.

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Leaving Robert Lee June 13 they went through Colorado and on to Salt Lake City. Then to Yellowstone and Glacier Parks and into southwestern Canada. From Vancouver their travels took them to Seattle, Portland and down the California coast to San Francisco.

The Goodwins visited Yosemite Park, Las Vegas, Boulder Dam, the Grand Canyon, Petrified Forest, Painted Desert and many other points of interest.

Measuring Snow

The Weather Bureau usually measures the fall of snow at the bottom of a standard eight-inch rain gauge, which is essentially an open-ended can, eight inches in diameter and about two and a half feet high. The snow is leveled off to cover the bottom at a uniform depth, which, measured in inches, is the amount of snowfall during a particular period. The snow is then melted and measured, to get the equivalent amount of liquid water in the snowfall.

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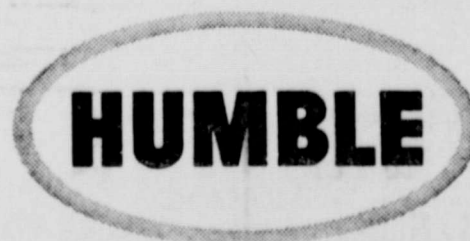
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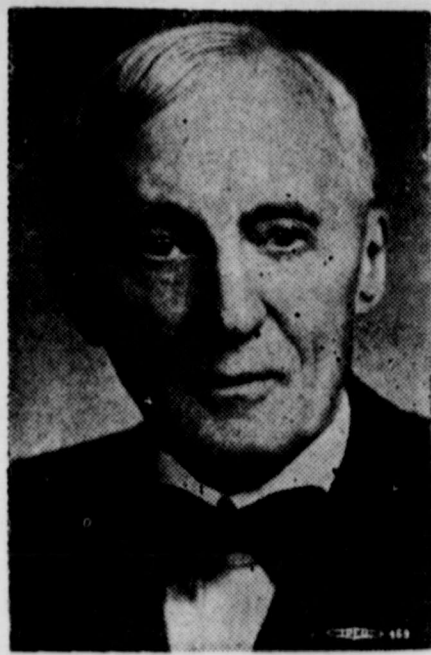
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BAR ENDORSES JUDGE SMEDLEY

HOUSTON—Endorsement of the legal profession was given July 5 to Judge Graham B. Smedley for re-election to the Supreme Court of Texas, Place No. 2.

President Cecil Burney of the State Bar of Texas in reporting the poll said that "lawyers of the State in an official poll conducted by the State Bar gave Judge Smedley an overwhelming vote of confidence and voted he should be retained on

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Mrs. Vinson, the former Lulu Felton, niece of a San Angelo pioneer, is a business administration teacher in the San Angelo High School. The Vinsons married in 1921, before Clyde's graduation from Law School at Texas.

This is the daughter of the Vinsons, Marjorie, and her husband John Miller, Schleicher County ranchman.



Meet Clyde's grandson, Rocky Miller who naturally wishes he was old enough to vote for his grandfather.

This is Ivodell Vinson, honor graduate at San Angelo College this year. She makes her home with the Vinsons who became responsible for her rearing and education four years ago. Ivodell is Clyde's niece.



FLASH. Marjorie & John Miller announce the arrival of another son, they have named David Vinson. Clyde says he's just like Rocky.

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the court by more than a 9 to 1 count."

The vote of the Bar was: Judge Smedley, 5,177.

His opponent, 598.

Judge Smedley won the endorsement of the attorneys in his home county of Tarrant (Fort Worth) by a 18-to-1 margin, the vote being 355 to 19.

In Gregg County, Judge Smedley was favored over his opponent by nearly 3 to 1 margin, the vote being 26 for Smedley to 9 for his opponent, although the county was the home of his opponent.

These figures prove, his supporters said, that Judge Smedley is not only an ideal "layman's lawyer," but he also has the overwhelming respect of the legal profession.

Judge Smedley is basing his campaign for re-election on his long experience, his outstanding qualifications and his record while on the bench. He has been an associate justice on the Supreme Court Commission of Appeals. He is considered one of the State's leading authorities on oil, gas, irrigation and title matters.

McKAY AGAINST BRANNAN PLAN

MIDLAND, TEXAS., July 17—(Special)—Walter McKay, of Fredericksburg, candidate for Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, speaking here today, expressed his firm opposition to the Brannan plan "as advocated by Washington bureaucrats."

"I believe that Texas can operate their own State Department of Agriculture without dictation from Washington bureaucrats and without favoring Socialistic theories such as the infamous Brannan plan, which would ruin the

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economy of Texas and the whole nation," said McKay. "If the bureaucrats will just leave Texas farmers alone, our farmers will produce adequate foodstuffs to supply the demand.

I resigned my position with the Texas Department of Agriculture in 1950, after the election of the

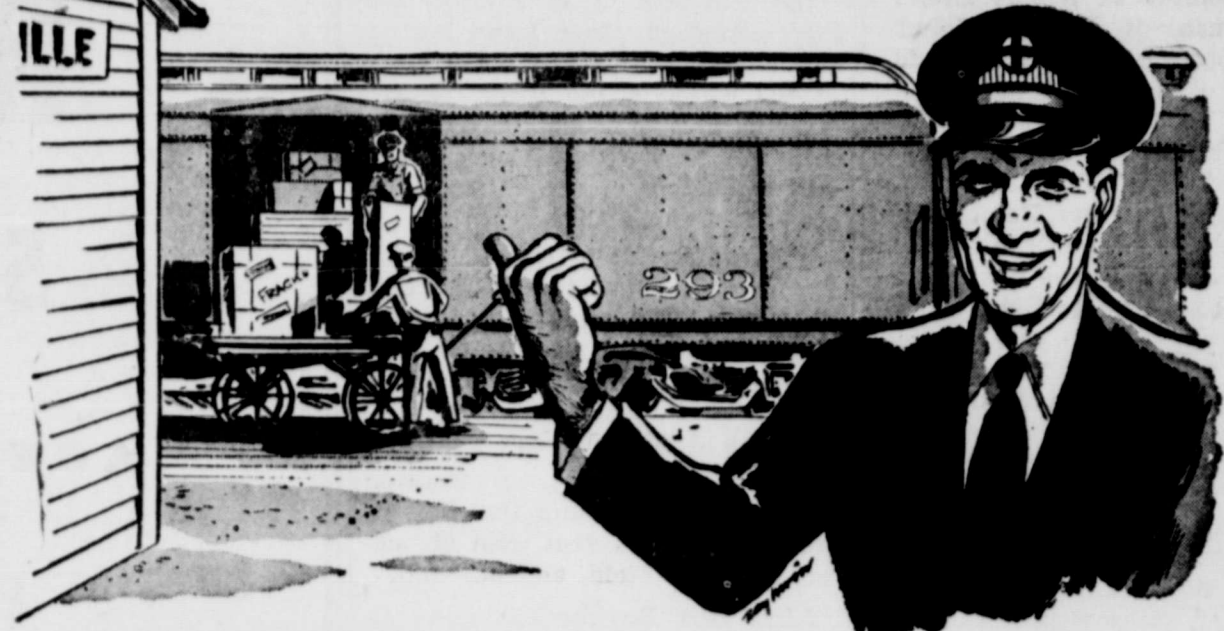
present commissioner, because I could not carry out his Truman-Brannan Fair Deal policies," McKay concluded.

McKay served 22 years in all levels of the department of agriculture. He is 47 years of age and the father of four children. He was born in Guadalupe Coun-

ty and was educated in the public schools of Luling and San Antonio and at Baylor University.

The candidate pointed out that he is a native Texan, who was raised on a farm in Caldwell Co. He is at present a stock farmer and businessman in Fredericksburg.

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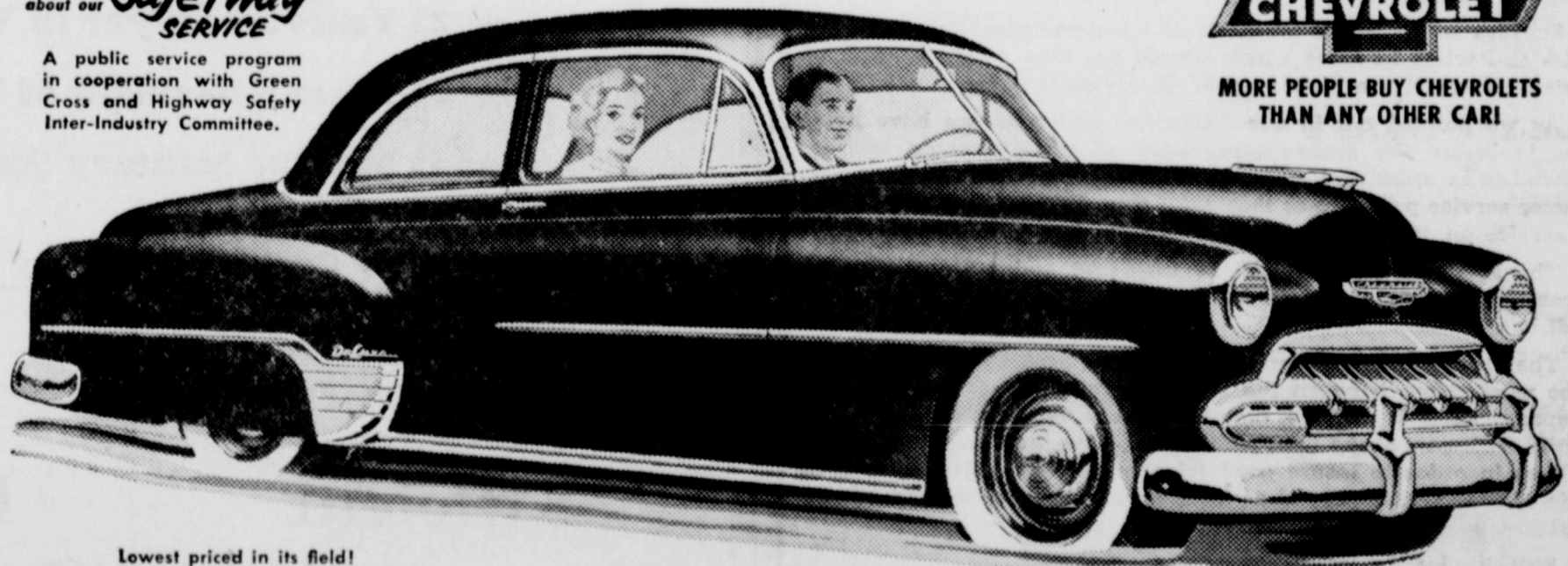
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Ed Hickman Family Holds Barbecue

Annual reunion and barbecue of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hickman and their children took place Sunday at the Bronte Park. In addition to the Hickman's seven children and their families, a number of other kinfolk and friends were in attendance.

The Hickman children include Mrs. Austin Sandusky of Bronte, Mrs. J. E. Turner of Artesia, N. Mex., Mrs. R. H. Richards and Mrs. C. W. Trimble of Robert Lee, Ed F. Hickman of Killeen, Johnnie Hickman of Lufkin and Freddie Hickman of Robert Lee.

Mrs. Turner was accompanied here by her husband and their grandchildren. With Ed F. were his wife and daughter, Bonnie. They are preparing to open a new ladies shop in Killeen in the near future. Because of Fort Hood being made a permanent army base, Killeen has grown to a city of 10,000.

Johnnie Hickmas, assistant coach at Lufkin high school, is doing construction work during the summer. His wife and their daughter, Jerry, are making a week's visit here. Also present for the family get together was Freddie's fiance, Miss Betty Bennett, of Stanton. She came for the weekend from Denton where she is taking summer work at North Texas State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Field were called here from Wichita Falls last week by the illness of Mrs. Field's brother, Tom Schooler.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Keyes and daughter, Koleta Ann, were here from Christoval Monday visiting the former's mother, Mrs. R. L. Read.

Mr. and Mrs. Finnell Smith and daughter, Charlotte, recently visited at Houston with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Muston and other relatives in that area.

Mrs. Noel Percifull of Bronte is helping with work at the Robert Lee State Bank while June Duncan is on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Roberts and their grandson, Gary Lynn Poston, of Dallas were guests here the last of the week in the home of Mrs. Roberts' brother, B. B. Pierce. They went on to Carlsbad Caverns and will also stop with the Guy Denmans at Denver City.

Mrs. Jeffie Bell Garrett of Big Spring was a guest here the first of the week of her sisters, Mrs. F. C. Clark and Mrs. A. J. Bilbo. She previously spent a few days in San Angelo with other sisters, Mrs. Paul Brown and Mrs. Marcus Turner.

George W. Barnett of Houston returned to his home the first of the week after a visit with his sister, Mrs. Joe Field, and husband.

Mrs. Ben Boykin has gone to Rising Sun, Md., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. C. S. Haselden, and family. Mr. Haselden, former Coke County Hospital Administrator, was recalled to active duty in the Navy a year ago and is stationed at a Naval induction center near Rising Star.

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The Honorable J. S. Ferrell
Mayor of Robert Lee
Robert Lee, Texas

July 7, 1952

Dear Sir:

This is in further reference to our meeting with you and the City Commission Monday night, July 1, at which time an ordinance was passed increasing the telephone rates in Robert Lee.

In our discussion at that time we pointed out that our need for a telephone rate increase was based on the fact that our business, like all other businesses, was and is now confronted with the problem of rising costs for everything required to furnish telephone service. In Robert Lee the payroll expense alone is over five times greater than it was in 1945. This increase is due to higher wage rates. Materials, supplies and equipment of all kinds used daily in furnishing telephone service to the citizens of Robert Lee and needed to further expand and improve the service here have increased from 80 to 300 per cent over pre-war costs.

This sharp up-turn in expenses and the increased investment in the telephone plant here have resulted in the Company operating the Robert Lee exchange at a loss each month. The telephone rate increase which has been granted will help in part to pay the increased cost of operations in Robert Lee.

We appreciate your interest in telephone service improvements in Robert Lee; in this connection we propose the following program for your city:

Surveys will be made on the local telephone plant to extend our cables and wires in areas where people are now without telephone service, and to give a higher grade of service to those requesting it.

As we pointed out in our discussion with you, we have taken steps to insure the proper supervision of our exchanges such as Robert Lee in order that we may be able to work out local and long distance service problems as they arise from time to time and to keep the service on as high a level as is possible.

The local switchboard will be inspected and all necessary replacements or repairs will be made to place it in standard working condition.

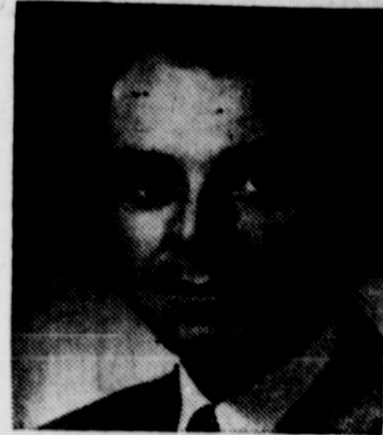
The rural lines in Robert Lee present a problem that will have to be worked out between the rural subscribers and the Telephone Company, since it will be necessary for rural line subscribers to rebuild their part of the lines at the same time the Company rebuilds its lines in order to insure good telephone service. Studies will be made of the rural lines, and as arrangements can be worked out the rural line program will be carried out.

With kindest personal regards, I am
Yours very truly,
J. E. Robbins, Jr.
Commercial Superintendent

The above letter is published to show Robert Lee residents the Company's plans for improving service now that an increase in rates has been granted.

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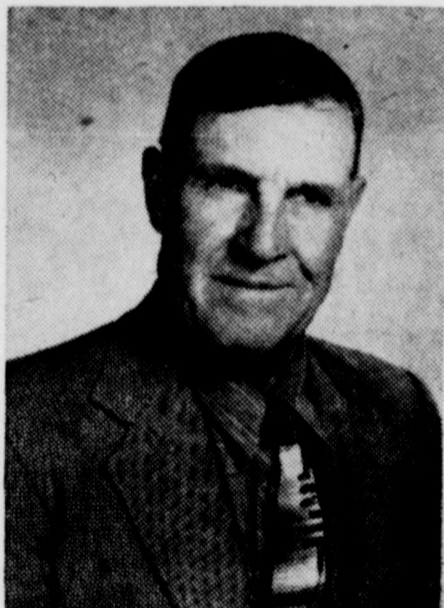


FRANK C. DICKEY

Candidate for Re-Election as
County Attorney

Frank C. Dickey, native son of pioneer Coke County parents, belongs to the American Legion, V. F. W., D. V. A., is a graduate of Baylor University and a member of the Baptist church. Married, wife and two married sons. Practiced law for 25 years in both Federal and State courts; says:

"To the people of Coke County: The office of County Attorney is among the most important in our Government. Its responsibilities are greater and higher qualifications are required of its holder than any other county office. I respectfully submit my record of 3½ years as your County Attorney. Inquire of any county official, precinct or State officer working in this area. I am grateful for our fine co-operation. Your tolerance of me, patience with me, and favors shown me leave me ever in your debt. If you honor me with re-election, I shall repay your kindness with prompt, courteous, and efficient service."—Sincerely, Frank C. Dickey.



Your Support Solicited For

ED HICKMAN

Candidate For

County Commissioner, Precinct 3

Mr. Hickman has been a resident of Coke County nearly all his life and has lived in the west part of the county in Precinct 3 for more than twenty years.

He has been a hard working man, raised a big family and has taken an active part in community affairs. He has always shown good judgment in helping decide local issues, and is qualified to represent his precinct in an able capacity as a member of the County Commissioners Court.

When he announced early in the year Ed was not aware that the present incumbent would be a candidate again.

We earnestly request that you give serious consideration to the candidacy of Mr. Hickman for this highly important position.



This Space Paid For as a Tribute to their Dad by Mr. Hickman's Children. They would liked to have made a personal visit to their friends in Precinct 3, but it has been impossible. Don't Forget our Dad when You Vote July 26.

\$175,000 BOND ISSUE BEFORE SILVER VOTERS

SILVER, July 16—(Special to The Observer)—A bond issue for \$175,000 to construct a new auditorium will be submitted to the voters of the Silver School District on July 26. The vote will be held the same day as the Democratic primary, but it will take place in a separate room at the school house.

A decision to submit the bond issue was reached at a School Trustee's meeting last Thursday night. H. P. Pew, board president, said the proposed building will have a basketball floor, stage and seating facilities to accommodate 450 people, library, cafeteria and school office.

Architects have made preliminary estimates that the building may cost around \$135,000, exclusive of equipment. Mr. Pew pointed out that if the bond issue carries, an architect will be employed to draw up definite plans and specifications. The school board wants to get a building that will suit the needs of the community, and they also want to get their money's worth.

Commissioner J. W. Service advises The Observer that the black-top surface on the new 2-mile strip

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of highway at Silver will be completed about the first of August. His information came from Felix Itz, resident engineer.

PARTY AT COALSON HOME

An ice cream supper and party honoring Joe Lee and Bobby Scott of Bronte was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coalson and son, Delbert. Joe Lee is to report in New Jersey Friday to go overseas. Bobby returned this week to Fort Ord, Calif., after a 15-days leave.

Present in addition to the honored guests were Mrs. Arlie Proctor, Mrs. S. O. Jackson, Mrs. M. A. Scott, Mrs. Ara Scott and son, Billy Ray, Mrs. Ida Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott and Danny, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Scott and Merritt and Brenda Kay, all of Bronte. Also Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Rodgers and daughter, Beverly, of Kilgore and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rodgers of Charlotte, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS

We are sincerely grateful to our friends and neighbors for their many kind acts of sympathy during our sad bereavement. Our appreciation cannot be adequately expressed.—Mrs. Howard Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Service, Jr. and Family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dodson.

Jack Dibrell is here for an extended visit with his sister, Mrs. Carter Dibrell, and family.

Mrs. A. J. Kirkpatrick is much improved after a week's treatment in Coke County Memorial Hospital, and planned to return home Thursday.

Political Announcements

The Observer is authorized to publish the following list of persons who will be candidates for public office at the Democratic Primary Election July 26, 1952:

For Congressman, 21st District
O. C. FISHER
IRA GALLAWAY

For District Judge
CLYDE VINSON
W. S. LESLIE
JOE L. MAYS

For State Representative:
R. S. SHYTLES
A. J. BISHOP

For Sheriff and Tax Assessor-Collector:
PAUL GOOD
J. T. THETFORD
WILSON BRYAN

For County and District Clerk:
WELDON FIKES

For County Judge and Ex-Officio Supt. of Schools:
JEFF DEAN

For County Treasurer:
MRS. RUBY L. PETTIT
MRS. GERTRUDE GRAY

For County Attorney
FRANK C. DICKEY
E. B. FULLER

For Commissioner, Precinct 1:
J. W. SERVICE

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:
FINNELL SMITH
ED HICKMAN

POLITICS IS GETTING WARM

Interest over the Democratic Primary election is mounting rapidly. With little over a week remaining, candidates are busy gathering in the loose ends of their campaigns and trying to contact as many voters as possible before Saturday, July 26.

Principal local interest exists in the three cornered race for sheriff and the contest for county attorney and county treasurer. Another three way battle is in Precinct 3 in the west part of the county where two candidates are opposing the incumbent commissioner who is serving his 16th year in office.

Another commissioner race is going on in Precinct 2 (Bronte).

Coke County folks are also interested in the hot fight for District Judge in which three San Angelo lawyers are the participants. Two young men from Winters are the opposing candidates for State Representative, and Congressman O. C. Fisher is opposed by the young Coleman County judge, Ira Gallaway.

Personals

Howard Varnadore is recovering nicely at Coke County Memorial Hospital where he underwent an appendectomy Saturday night. Howard is a well known Robert Lee service station operator.

Billy Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, underwent a goitre operation last week at the local hospital. She is recovering in a satisfactory manner and returned to her parents home Wednesday.

Visitors Day observed by the Simpson Memorial Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church, resulted in 26 members and 6 visitors being present last Sunday. Mrs. Carroll Russell teaches the class.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Lord and children of Midland visited kinfolks here the first of the week and continued to Grand Prairie with the Clyde Gartmans who had come for a weekend visit. Frank Lord who is stationed at Luke AFB near Phoenix and his wife were members of the party.

Tom Schooler, well known farmer and ranchman of the Wildcat community, has been critically ill with blood clots in the brain and heart. He became ill nearly two weeks ago when he and his son were returning from a trip to Winters where they were looking for pasture. Nearing Bronte, Don Joel noticed that his father was sick and took him to the Bronte hospital. His condition is improving and he was transferred to the hospital in Robert Lee the first of the week.

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2 cans 19c

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