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BALLOTS READY FOR RUN-OFF VOTING AUG. 23

The only local contest to be settled in the Democratic run-off election August 23 is the nomination for County Commissioner form Precinct 3 (Edith).

However, Coke County voters will have the opportunity to express their choice in naming a new District Judge and a Supreme Court Judge.

Absentee ballots are now ready and are in the hands of County Clerk Weldon Fikes. Persons expecting to be absent on election day may go to the court house and vote in advance. Or they may mail a request to the County Clerk for him to send them a ballot.

The Commissioner's race is between Ed Hickman, who led in the first primary with 63 votes. He will be pitted against T. R. Harmon, who polled 48 votes. If Hickman gets an even break of the 30 votes which went to Fennell Smith, he will be an easy winner. Harmon has held the office 16 years.

The District Judge run-off is between Joe L. Mays and Clyde Vinson, both well known San Angelo lawyers. Mays, present Tom Green County Judge, had a nice majority over Vinson and Bill Leslie, but failed to poll the required 50 percent necessary for nomination.

The name of Martin Dies for Congressman-At-Large will also appear on the ballot, but he will have no opponent.

SCHOOLER FAMILY REUNION

Annual reunion of the L. D. Schooler family will be held this weekend at Buffalo Gap Presbyterian Encampment Grounds. Mrs. L. D. Schooler, 91 years of age, and all her nine children are expected to attend, except Tom of Robert Lee, who has been ill.

The Schooler children include Mrs. W. L. Northcutt of Midland, Mrs. Ella Young of Crane, W. B. Schooler of Abilene, Mrs. Carroll Field of Wichita Falls, Cynthia Schooler of Odessa, Joe Schooler of Blythe, Calif., Loyal Schooler of Lamesa and Tom and Raymond Schooler of Robert Lee.

A penny and a cannon ball, dropped from a high place, would reach the ground at the same time.

BIRTHS

GLASGOW—A son was born at 1:10 a.m. Aug. 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Glasgow (Winnie Ruth Boone) at Coke County Memorial Hospital. William Sloane weighed 8 pounds. He has a brother, Travis, 3, and a sister, Annalia Ruth, 2 years old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sloane Boone and W. L. (Shorty) Glasgow of Roscoe. The new baby's daddy is employed by the McDonald Lumber Co.

ANDERSON—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anderson (Gwendolyn King) of Odessa are parents of a son born July 30. He weighed 5 pounds and has been named Jerry David. He has a brother, Tommy, 3 years old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dave King of Edith and Mr. and Mrs. Dub Anderson of Odessa.

LITTLEFIELD—Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis Littlefield of Afton, Oklahoma are the parents of a son born July 27. The youngster has been named Mack, for his great uncle, John Mack Rippetoe of Bronte. Grandparents are Mrs. Mamie Littlefield of Bronte and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bilbo of Robert Lee. The couple has two other sons.

EDITH HOMECOMING AUG. 17

Don't forget the annual Edith Homecoming to be held Sunday, Aug. 17. The event is an all-day affair at the Tabernacle, one mile north of the Edith Store. Program arrangements are in charge of Mrs. Sam Powell and Miss Juanita Barger. A list of committees was published in The Observer two weeks ago. As in previous years, many former residents are expected to attend. Average crowds are in the neighborhood of 1,000. A finance committee will be out this week soliciting funds for the free barbecue dinner. Persons outside the county who wish to help may send their contributions to Waymon Robertson, Secretary, or Delmir Sheppard, President.

Goodwin Explains School Vote Aug. 16

When a Common School District is added to an Independent District, as was the case with Green Mountain, the law requires that the entire new district vote as a unit on two questions.

One question deals with equalizing the tax of the district. The other question requires that the new district be made responsible for any and all bond payments for either district.

This election is a formality required by law, that the tax be the same throughout the district and that the indebtedness of the new district be assumed by that district.

There will be one voting place at the School Tax Assessor-Collector's office in Robert Lee on August 16, 1952. Property owners are qualified voters according to the law.—B. C. Goodwin, Supt. Robert Lee Schools.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Scott and children of Mena, Ark., visited relatives and friends in Robert Lee this week. They will also visit his parents at Lampasas and with his brother at Houston. The Scotts are well pleased with their new home in Arkansas. Wilton has a foundation herd of 26 purebred Angus cows and has grass for more. He is doing some part time real estate work and invites Coke county persons to contact him if they are interested in Arkansas property.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen at Silver this week are their daughters, Mrs. L. D. Evans of Albuquerque, New Mex., and Mrs. Bill Archer of San Angelo. With Mrs. Evans is her son, Larry, and his young friends, Jackie White. Mrs. Archer has her two children, Lancey and Rebecca. Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Archer and children plan to accompany Mrs. Evans home the first of next week.

Mrs. B. B. Pierce continues to improve at Coke County Memorial Hospital where she has been a patient since July 16. She was injured when a car crashed into the rear of her auto near the scene of the Jack Trimble accident which occurred a couple of hours earlier. Mrs. Pierce at the time was enroute from her home south of town to the local hospital where she is employed as a nurses aid. She had numerous cuts and bruises but no broken bones and has suffered severe headaches. It is thought she may be released from the hospital within a few days.

Mrs. M. L. Gutierrez of Bronte has taken preliminary training as a nurses aid at Coke County Memorial Hospital. It is thought her services will be of particular value when the hospital has Spanish speaking patients.

PHELAN, MOORE DRILL FOR OIL

Oil activity continues in the north west part of Coke County, to the west and north of Sun Oil Company block, with wells being drilled on A. E. Moore, Mrs. Pallie Phelan and J. B. Walker, Jr.

Kenneth J. Rich and others moved in rotary last week on No. 1 A. E. Moore, on the north side of the Jameson field. Location is 467 feet from the south and east lines of C. J. Norris Survey 1, A-1080. It is three quarters of a mile north and slightly west of a lime producer and a half mile west and slightly north of a sand producer. Contract calls for drilling to 6,500 feet.

After completing its No. 1 Russ Mathers, Southwest Natural Gas Co. gave Lomax Bros. Drilling Co. a contract for its No. 1 Pallie Phelan, a long northwest outpost to the Jameson field.

Location is 330 feet from southeast and 2,310 feet from the northeast lines of Snyder & Von Rosenberg survey 6, a 160-acre lease. Drillsite is 2,000 feet northwest of Southwest's No. 1 Russ Mathers, recently completed Strawn sand discovery.

No. 1 Russ Mathers has been finished for a calculated daily flowing potential of 688 barrels of 41.4 gravity oil from perforations at 6,031-47 feet. Operators will try for dual completion in the lime reef.

The test on J. B. Walker, Jr. was coring in sand the first of the week.

CLIFT IS DELEGATE

W. B. Clift of Robert Lee was chosen as Coke County's delegate to the State Democratic Convention to be held in Amarillo Sept. 9. He was named at a county convention here Saturday afternoon. Mr. Clift was also a delegate to the State Convention in San Antonio last Spring. He considers himself a straight Democrat, without any prefixes, and thinks Texans will support the Democratic ticket in November if they can get Gov. Stevenson to show a friendly attitude in the tidelands issue.

HEAT IS SWELTERING

Temperatures soared to 105 degrees Wednesday to climax a heat wave that is baking West Texas. Crops and pastures are burning up from the long drouth and terrific heat. Thunder clouds brought cooler weather and spotted showers to this area late Wednesday afternoon. Lightning burned out a transformer at the Robert Lee sub-station, causing a power failure from 5 p.m. until midnight.

STEEL PANELS AVAILABLE

Another load of steel panels has been purchased by the Boys 4-H Club for distribution to farmers and ranchers. There are a few not taken. Anyone needing some of these panels call or write County Agent's Office.

Mrs. Murl Day and sons, Frank and Johnny, left Sunday to join their husband and father, Staff Sgt. Day at Yokahoma, Japan. Murl is a well known Robert Lee resident and a son of Mrs. Hattie Day. He has been in Japan a year and his family will be expected to remain there two years. The Days spent two years in Japan immediately following the end of World War II.

Word has been received that Elton Millican and Royce Smith, well known Robert Lee young men who were recently inducted into the service, have been transferred from Ft. Sill, Okla., to Camp Roberts, Calif., for basic training in the infantry.

CONCHO LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pct
Bryan Electric	8	1	.889
Miles	6	4	.600
Robert Lee	5	5	.500
Sonora	5	5	.500
Big Lake	3	6	.333
Ballinger	3	6	.333
Forsan	3	6	.333

Last Week's Results

Miles 8, Robert Lee 5.
Bryan Electric 5, Sonora 3.
Big Lake 3, Forsan 2.

Next Sunday's Schedule

Robert Lee at Sonora.
Big Lake vs. Bryan Electric at Veribest.
Forsan at Ballinger (Sat. night).

Sweetwater Man In Highway Crash

With officers in close pursuit a Sweetwater man lost control of his car Tuesday afternoon and rolled it off the highway three miles west of Bronte. Sheriff Paul Good and Deputy Chilly Tinkler had been notified that the driver of the car appeared intoxicated and was having trouble keeping on the road.

C. C. Smith, 60, was driving the machine, a late Studebaker. With him were his son, Melvin, and the latter's wife. The trio were brought to Coke County hospital in the Clift ambulance. The woman remained over night for treatment but both men were taken to jail. Later that night the elder Smith developed symptoms of more severe injuries and was taken to a Sweetwater hospital.

As soon as the man recovers he will be brought into court.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Upton Mathers and son, Rodney, of Silver returned Friday from a 2½ weeks vacation trip. They motored to Mrs. Mathers' native state of Michigan where they visited her grandmother near Grand Rapids and also were guests of kind-folks at other points in the state. Then they went south to Columbus, Ga., where Mrs. Mathers' brother, L. D. Ryon, is attending an Infantry Officers Candidate school. The trip back to Texas was via Highway 80. Upton says they were in rain most every day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Partin of Crane were guests here the last of the week in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Postmaster and Mrs. Hugh Lewis, Jr. They were joined by their daughter, Sylvia, who attended a Band Clinic at McMurry College in Abilene. Sylvia remained for a week's visit in Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Looney and children have returned to their home at Park Hill, Okla., after a week's visit with Coke county relatives and friends.

Coke County Hospital News

July 30—Bill Pharris admitted. Mrs. Jim Mauldin dismissed.

July 31—Mrs. Ed Gray dismissed. Aug. 1—Mrs. H. A. Murphy, Mrs. Marvin Glasgow admitted. Bill Pharris, H. C. McMinn, Roy Bethune dismissed.

Aug. 2—Son born to Mrs. Glasgow at 1:10 a.m. Mrs. H. A. Murphy dismissed.

Aug. 3—Lynda Arledge admitted and later dismissed. Mrs. Marvin Glasgow and son dismissed.

Aug. 4—Mary Coffey admitted.

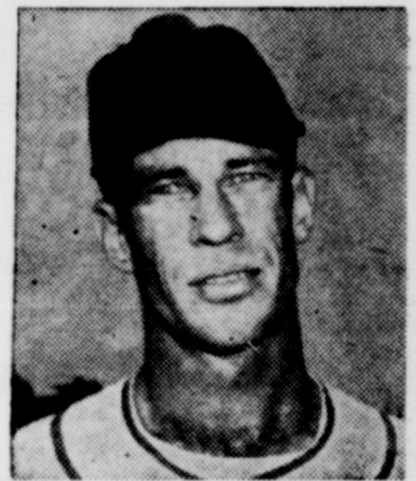
Aug. 5—Mrs. A. B. Lammers, Wilton Robertson, Mrs. Melvin Smith admitted.

Aug. 6—Jimmy Caraway, Mrs. Marvin Glasgow admitted.

TWISTERS SHIFT LINEUP FOR BIG SONORA BATTLE

Robert Lee Rabbit Twisters journey to Sonora Sunday to engage Pat Lyles and his wild Broncos in a Concho League contest. The game is highly important to both clubs which are now tied for third place in the loop.

Bryan Electric is safely perched at the top of the league standing, with Miles having undisputed possession of second place. With the league nearing its close, there is a mad scramble to finish in the top



JOHN CONLEY

four and be eligible for the Shaughnessy playoff.

Robert Lee has only two more games, including the Sonora affair next Sunday and a battle with Forsan here Aug. 24. After next week Sonora will wind up at Big Lake. Two foes remaining on the Miles schedule are Forsan and Bryan Electric. If Robert Lee can win one of its last two contests, it will have at least a tie for fourth. Two victories would insure a berth in the playoff.

The Twisters will have a revamped lineup this week. Injuries, vacations and other causes have kept the playing roster at a minimum all season. Johnny Stewart, first string pitcher, leaves Saturday on a 3-weeks vacation. John Conley, another hurler and outstanding all around player, fractured a small bone in his right wrist in the Miles game Sunday.

The injury occurred when John slid into second base. Later he pitched three innings, not knowing until after he had returned home that his wrist was fractured. He is wearing a plaster cast and will be out of the lineup the remainder of the season.

Joe Geraci, young catcher, damaged a finger on his right hand Sunday. He may play in the outfield. Bon Spoons has promised to be with the club Sunday and Barnell Malish is recovering from his neck injury. He started at first, then went behind the bat at Miles after Geraci was hurt in his third inning. R. W. Bowman is being counted on to join the Twisters for the remaining games, but he has not given a definite answer.

Tommy Gray, Spoons and Delbert Coalson will be called upon to handle the hurling assignment against Sonora.

Robert Lee has been awarded the Big Lake game here July 20. The 4-3 victory by the Twisters had been protested by Manger Snipe Conley of Big Lake.

A Youth Revival at the Robert Lee Baptist Church begins Aug. 8 continues through the 17th. Rev. Luther Mann of Abilene will do the preaching. There will be good singing and services will be held twice daily. The meeting is a feature of the Crusade for Christ sponsored by the Runnels Baptist Asso-

Duncan Family Has Reunion at Kerrville

The descendants of George Duncan held their annual meeting July 13 in Kerrville at the Corral Club. The family, which takes its name from a Scottish soldier who arrived in America in 1732, numbers its members at approximately three hundred persons. George Duncan and his wife had two sons and two daughters, the boys' names were George Washington and John Bruce and the daughters', Rebecca and Juliana.

Among the seventy-five that signed the register, the youngest was the baby daughter, Sherrill, of Mr. and Mrs. Gery Muray of San Antonio, the most recent bride and groom were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Duncan of San Antonio, the oldest members was Mr. Jeff Duncan of Kerrville, while the most unusual personality was little Miss Penelope Robinson who, with her sparkling black eyes, yellow pigtailed and warm friendliness won the attention of the entire group.

The officers elected for next year were: President, F. J. Williamson of San Antonio, Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Jack Klein of Georgetown, and the Advisory Committee, Mrs. Josephine Saul of Hutto, Mrs. R. Smith of Houston and Jeff Duncan of Kerrville. The meeting in 1953 will be in Fredricksburg.

Those attending from West Texas were: Mr. and Mrs. John Petty and sons, Bernard, James and Bill from

Robert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Menielle from Texon and Mrs. Edna Maxey of San Angelo.

Personals

Attorney E. B. Fuller, accompanied by his father the Rev. J. E. Fuller of Bronte, made a business trip to Dallas the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Jay of Van Alstyne are visiting their sons, Sam and Raymond, and their families.

The Observer has been advised that the Army and Air Force Recruiting Sergeant will no longer be able to visit Robert Lee, due to a reduction of personnel in the San Angelo office. The office, now located in the Post Office Building will continue to be open 5½ days per week, and young men and women in the service may contact the recruiting sergeant there.

Robert Lee Youth Is Chaffee Instructor

CAMP CHAFFEE, Ark., July 21—Thanks to such skilled instructors as Pfc. Wilfred R. Caraway of Robert Lee, Tex., the 5th Armoured Division here is able to turn out future army leaders in eight weeks.

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through various combat problems.

During the final three weeks of the school, students apply their leadership training by serving as instructors in a basic training company here on the post.

Private Caraway has been stationed here for 21 months, and is a supply clerk at the leaders school. A graduate of Blackwell High school, Caraway is the son of Mrs. Clayton Caraway of Robert Lee.

Runnels Baptist Association Crusade For Christ



Aug. 3rd to 17th, 1952

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ROBERT LEE YOUTHS RETURN FROM 10,000 MILE TRIP TO THE NORTHWEST

Marvin Jr. and Bill Simpson, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Simpson of Robert Lee, arrived home early last week from a six weeks' motor trip through the west and northwest and into Canada. They were accompanied by Stanley Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. (Skinny) Adams of San Angelo. Stanley is still feeling effects of infantile paralysis which seized him a year ago. He became tired out and not feeling well after a month, and returned home by air after reaching Spokane, Wash.

Leaving June 16, the youths first visited the Carlsbad Caverns and then continued to Arizona, stopping for brief visits with the Simpson boys' aunts, Mrs. Ralph Lewis and family and Mrs. Lucy Warner. Places of interest which they visited in Arizona were Brice and Zion National Parks, Las Vegas, Hoover Dam and Grand Canyon. Marvin and Bill rode mules down to the floor of the canyon, the trip requiring about a full day.

Death Valley, Kings Canyon, Sequoia and Yosemite National Parks were visited in California and three days were spent in and around the fascinating city of San Francisco. The tour then took them to Sac-

ramento, capital city of the Golden State, and eastward to Reno, then back into northern California where they visited Mt. Lassen and Crater Lake National Parks.

They went north to Portland, Oregon, and down the Columbia to Astoria. Going on up along the coast they saw two of the world's largest sawmills. The travelers went up to Olympia National Park on the west coast of Washington, then back eastward and ferried across Pudget Sound from Bremerton to Seattle. A trip was then made up to Vancouver, B. C., and they shipped themselves and their car down to Victoria. Returning to Seattle they went down to Mt. Ranier, one of the most beautiful mountain peaks of the continent.

Going eastward through Washington they stopped at Grand Coulee Dam and on to Spokane, where Stanley said farewell and returned to Texas. Marvin and Bill went north into Canada, where the roads were far from good, and spent some time at Jasper National Park, Banff and Lake Louise. They ascended a glacier in the high Rockies, with a snowmobile furnishing transportation.

At Calgary the Robert Lee bro-

thers headed back to the States and visited Glacier National Park in northern Montana, then Yellowstone, the Grand Tetons and back to Salt Lake City. They came through Rocky Mt. National Park northwest of Denver, and ascended Mt. Evans with an elevation of more than 14,000 feet. Denver, Colorado Springs and the Royal Gorge were visited, when Marvin and Bill decided they had absorbed enough sightseeing for one trip, and headed for Robert Lee, 800 miles away.

The boys took about 500 colored pictures which will be made into slides for showing with a lantern. Stanley had a moving picture machine, hence the high lights of their wonderful experience has been well recorded. They covered a total distance of 10,600 miles.

Carter Dibrell is spending the last half of the week in Lubbock where he is attending a conference of Vocational Ag teachers for Areas I and II. Plans for the coming school years will be formulated. Dibrell is beginning his second year as Vocational Ag instructor in the Robert Lee public schools.

It is possible to leave Wake Island on January 21 and arrive at Midway Island on January 20.

Hezzie McMinn and Mrs. R. B. Thompson and Georgie Sue returned the latter part of the week to their homes in Corpus Christi after being called to Robert Lee by the illness of their father, H. C. McMinn. The latter, well known cafe operator, recovered rapidly from a heart attack and was released from the hospital Friday.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF COKE COUNTY

It has been my policy throughout the campaign for County Treasurer to maintain an attitude of deep appreciation toward all who assisted me in the race and at the same time one of sporting tolerance for those who did not see fit to do so. I shall never forget those who helped me in my time of great need and will harbor no ill feelings toward those who did not. I wish to congratulate the victors and will accept my defeat with a good will toward all.

MRS. RUBY L. PETTIT

To The Voters Of Coke County

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BOTH FOR ONLY 1.00.

2 for Daintiness
Heaven-Sent Eau De Toilette plus Heaven-Sent Deodorant Cream. Combination value, 1.85.
BOTH FOR ONLY 1.25.

2 for Dry Skin
"Pasteurized" Face Cream Special plus Skin Lotion Special. Combination value, 1.88.
BOTH FOR ONLY 1.25.

2 for All-Day Make-Up
Silk-Tone Foundation plus Silk-Screen Face Powder. Combination value, 2.00.
BOTH FOR ONLY 1.50.

2 for Oily Skin
"Pasteurized" Face Cream plus Beauty Washing Grains. Combination value, 1.70.
BOTH FOR ONLY 1.25.

2 for Perfuming
Command Performance Eau De Parfum plus Cologne Stick. Combination value, 2.55.
BOTH FOR ONLY 1.75.

2 for Coarse Pores
Deep Cleanser plus "Herbal" Skin Lotion. Combination value, 2.00.
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Sun Spun PEAS 2 cans 29c

KRAFT DINNER 2 boxes 27c

Kimbell Orange Juice, No. 2 can 2 for 25c

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HAYRICK HD CLUB

Seven members, three visitors and three children were present for the meeting of the Hayrick Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. Dan Middleton was hostess to the club on Thursday, July 31.

The business meeting was conducted by Mrs. J. W. Labenske, the club president. Gladys Waldrop announced that there will be a Work Shop held by Mrs. Sadie Hatfield, specialist in homestead improvement of the Extension Service, on Sept. 3 and 4 at Big Spring. Anyone desiring to go should contact Miss Waldrop by Aug. 15.

The next meeting will be Sept. 4 in the home of Mrs. L. C. Robbins. There will be no meeting in August as this is vacation month.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 20

proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 61 to authorize cities, towns, and villages of this State to provide insurance for employees; providing for the submission of the proposed Amendment to the qualified electorate; and providing for proclamation and publication by the Governor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 61 to read as follows:

"Sec. 61. The Legislature shall have the power to enact laws to enable cities, towns, and villages of this State to provide Workmen's Compensation Insurance, including the right to provide their own insurance risk for all employees; and the Legislature shall provide suitable laws for the administration of such insurance in the said municipalities and for payment of the costs, charges, and premiums on policies of insurance and the benefits to be paid thereunder."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electorate of the State at the General Election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1952, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon (or in counties using voting machines the said machines shall provide for) the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of cities, towns and villages"; and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of cities, towns and villages."

Each voter shall mark out one (1) of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one (1) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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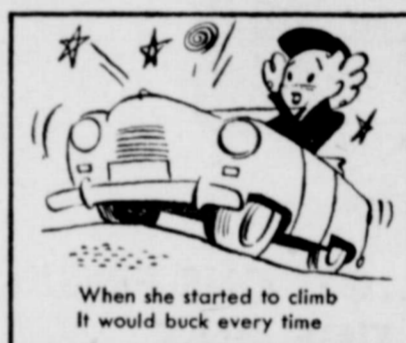
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MILES DEFEATS TWISTERS 8-5

Robert Lee's Rabbit Twisters were defeated at Miles Sunday, when Brandy Ray and his Giants came from behind to earn an 8 to 5 victory.

The Twisters took an early lead as Tommy Gray blasted a homerun in the first frame to also score Freddie Hickman, who had walked. Two more runs were annexed in the fifth. Judge Sandusky singled to start the inning and Roy Tinkler advanced him to second with a sacrifice.

Hickman was safe on an error and Sandusky scored. Lew Heuvel layed down a perfect bunt which went as a hit and Hickman went to third. John Conley was safe on an error at short, Hickman scoring. Conley was thrown out on Gray's grounder to second. Chilly Tinkler grounded out.

Things looked good for Robert Lee with a 4-0 lead and Johnny Stewart allowing Miles only one hit in five innings. However, in the last of the sixth heck broke loose. The Giants put together three walks, two doubles, a single and an error to manufacture five tallies.

Robert Lee tied the count in the

seventh when Hickman came in with his third run of the game. Conley relieved Stewart on the mound in the sixth after three tallies had been made. Runners were on second and third and there were no outs. A Texas leaguer into the right field by Jim Arrington brought in the last two runs.

Miles scored three times in the eighth as the result of an infield hit, two wild pitches, a single thru short, a hit batsman and an error.

Harley Jeschke hurled for Miles and was touched for seven blows. Hickman and Sandusky each got two, Heuvel and Malish had singles and Gray hit for the circuit.

Joe Geraci, Robert Lee catcher, received a broken finger in the third inning and had to leave the game. Malish took over the receiving job and Chilly Tinkler replaced Malish at first.

Harley Jeschke not only did a superb mound job but starred at the bat with two doubles and an infield single. Cato, Arrington and Glass were responsible for the other six hits secured by Miles. Bradley, Miles catcher, got on base five times without a hit. He was given three walks and was hit twice by pitched balls.

DEATH OF MRS. GEO. COWAN

Mrs. George Cowan, former Robert Lee resident, died July 29 at her home in Long Beach, Calif. She was 72 years of age. Her husband owned and published The Observer, disposing of it about 30 years ago. He published a paper in the Rio Grande Valley for a year or two, and has since lived in California. Mr. Cowan survives and there are several children. The information concerning Mrs. Cowan was given to The Observer by Burl Murtishaw of Kingsville, who visited here last week. His first wife was a daughter of the Cowans.

The Horton Devolls have moved to Burnett after ranching many years north of Sanco. Horton says it got too dry for him to continue operations in this area.

VAUGHAN MAKES CHANGES

Many worth while improvements have been completed at the Vaughan Chevrolet Co. The display room and parts department has been partitioned off from the shop, parts bins have been rearranged, and the interior has been redecorated.

Purchasing the Chevrolet agency a short time ago from John Harvey, Robert Vaughan has also purchased the Harvey residence at the northwest edge of Robert Lee, and he and his family are now comfortably settled in their new home.

Mr. Vaughan reports the Chevrolet factories will start up Aug. 11 after a shut down because of the steel strike. He expects to have some new units in September.

GETS ARMY DISCHARGE

Sgt. 1st Class Billy Baker has returned to Robert Lee after receiving his discharge from the Army at Fort Sill, Okla., Aug. 2. Billy was employed here by his uncle on construction of the new Colorado River Bridge west of town when he was drafted in Nov. 1950. He served seven months in Korea and received leg and arm wounds June 10. His injuries have healed nicely and he is thinking about getting back to a civilian job. Baker is engaged to Miss June Duncan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Duncan. Their marriage is expected to take place in the near future.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Richardson and Martha Sue returned the latter part of the week from an interesting vacation trip. They went out through New Mexico and into Colorado where they visited Mesa Verde Park, then continued on to Salt Lake City. Two days were spent at Yellowstone National Park, and the homeward journey was through Denver.

The third largest known caverns are located in Longhorn Cavern State Park 11 miles southwest of Burnet.

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Folks You Know

The condition of Jack Trimble, Robert Lee man who was injured in a highway crash south of town July 16, seems to be improving. He has not regained consciousness, but opens his eyes some and is eating well. A car coming from San Angelo smashed into Trimble when the latter was turning his stock pickup around on the Lem Cowley hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young and son, Jerry, of Abilene visited the past week in the home of the former's uncle Tom Schooler. The latter is greatly improved from a critical illness and expects to be released soon from Coke County Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Mathers and daughters, Anita, Ronel and Rhea Jeann, arrived Saturday from Puente, Calif., for a month's visit at the parental Russ Mathers home in San Angelo and with Coke county relatives and friends. Elton was employed in a General Motors plant which has been shut down because of the steel strike.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garrett of Carlsbad N. M., visited the past week with Mrs. Garrett's mother, Mrs. S. M. Conner, and other relatives. They were accompanied by their son, Joe Boy, who was home on leave from the Navy. Also visiting in Robert Lee were the Garrett's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berry, who were enroute to Abilene where they will enroll at ACC to study for the ministry.

Undergoing surgery at Coke County Memorial Hospital Wednesday afternoon were W. L. Glasgow of Roscoe and Jimmie Caraway. The latter is the 7-year-old son of Mrs. Clayton Caraway of Robert Lee.

The Rev. and Mrs. B. C. Goodwin, Jr. and children, Dianne and John Willis, arrived Saturday night from Norman, Okla., for a visit in the parental B. C. Goodwin home. The Rev. and Mrs. Goodwin departed Wednesday for a few days trip to the Rio Grande, Big Bend Park and Davis Mountains, while the children remained with their grandparents. The Rev. Goodwin is director of the Wesleyan Foundation and associate pastor of the Methodist Church for students at the University of Oklahoma.

Boone Richardson and family are vacationing in Oklahoma with kinfolks of Mrs. Richardson. Boone is shop foreman at the Vaughan Chevrolet Co.

Judge Jeff Dean is batching for a few weeks while his wife is in school at Sul Ross and the children are vacationing with kinfolks. However, he had a house full of company Tuesday night, which included his sister, Mrs. Cecil Lewis and children of Parker county and Mrs. Edmund Dean and sons, David and Stephen, of Pecos. Mrs. Lewis was enroute home from a visit at Balmorhea, and Mrs. Edmund Dean and children were going to visit Mrs. Claud Dean at Weatherford. Judge Dean's little daughter, Della Kay, was also with the group. She will stay with her grandmother until later in the month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McAdams enjoyed a vacation visit last week with friends at Cassville, Mo. While there they saw Ray Ledbetter and his mother, Mrs. J. C. Slaughter, and also visited the Carlton Fields family at Monette, Mo.

Mrs. Bobby Baker is making a fine recovery from surgery which she underwent Monday morning at St. John's Hospital in San Angelo.

B. C. Goodwin, Robert Lee school superintendent, is teaching a series of First Aid lessons to the Volunteer Firemen.

The Mary Martha Class of the Baptist Church enjoyed a luncheon meeting Tuesday in the home of Mrs. E. C. McArthur at Edith.

Real, authentic Texas Longhorn cattle still roam in Fort Griffin State Park on Highway 283, fifteen miles north of Albany.

There are only four perceptible tastes, sweet, salt, bitter and sour.

Personals

Earl Roberts, well known Robert Lee merchant, is said to be doing good at Shannon hospital where he submitted to a delicate eye operation last Friday. The vision of his right eye was impaired when he received a bump on his head a few weeks ago. Physicians believe the operation was successful. Mrs. Roberts has been at her husband's bedside.

Tom Norfleet of San Diego, Calif., has been visiting his sister, Mrs. S. M. Conner. He made the trip to Texas with the Elton Mathers family.

Buster Farris is helping out at the Rippetoe Pharmacy in Bronte while the owner and his family are on a vacation trip to Oklahoma.

Guests one day last week of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tubb were Mr. and Mrs. Clem Fenney of San Francisco, Calif. The visitors from the west had been on a vacation trip through the Rocky Mountain states. Mr. Fenney worked for Mr. Tubb a number of years ago.

Bob Odom of Silver, his brother-in-law, Bill Archer of San Angelo and R. D. Allen of VanCourt, and Finis White of San Angelo left Saturday on a two weeks land seeing and vacation trip into Canada.

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Explains Everything

The little woman had spent the whole afternoon, and made a real effort to balance her checkbook. When her husband came home, she handed him four neatly typed sheets, with items and costs in their respective columns. He read them over carefully: "Milkman, \$11.25; cleaners, \$4.67," etc. Everything was clear except one item reading **ESP, \$24.49.**

Wearily he asked, "What does **ESP** mean?" She explained, "Error some place."

Silly Question

Scene: Courtroom. Prosecutor turns to defendant. "Madam, on the day of the crime, while walking your dog, did you stop anywhere?" The spectators sat tensely while she replied: "Sir, did you ever walk a dog?"

NEVER SAY DIE



The young railroader had taken his grandfather, a retired steam locomotive engineer, down to watch the start of an experimental run of a radically new type of engine. While the old man and his grandson watched, 100 cars were put behind the new locomotive. The old man spat into the cinders and said smugly to his grandson: "She'll never start 'em."

But eventually the conductor gave the engineer a highball, the whistle sounded and the engine and train began moving down the tracks. "Well, grandpop," snickered the youngster, "what do you say to that?"

The old man spat once more into the cinders, looked the boy in the eye and said through tight lips: "She'll never stop 'em!"

OLD BILL'S ALMANAC AUGUST

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- 10—Japan sues for peace, 1945.
- 11—Movie cartoons introduced, 1914.
- 12—Sewing machine patent granted, 1851.
- 13—Mexico surrenders to Cortez, 1521.
- 14—Americans enter Manila, 1898.
- 15—Will Rogers killed, 1935.
- 16—Gold found in the Klondike, 1896.

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