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STEERS LOOKED

GOOD IN 34-25

LOSS AT BRONTE

Robert Lee Steers lost their opening football game at Bronte Friday night, the Longhorns winning the free scoring contest by 25. Home town fans were pleased with the Steers, who showed far more promise than last year's team.

During the opening kickoff on the 25 yard line, Robert Lee reeled off five first downs and completed a 75-yard drive with a touchdown. Sherman Williams, fullback, played an important part in the drive.

Bronte came back to score in the second quarter and led 14-6 at half time. The Longhorns racked up two more touchdowns in the third period. Robert Lee tallied late in the third quarter and added two additional touchdowns before the game ended.

Fullback Arbie Phillips was a big gun in the Longhorn offense, while almost an equally good performance was turned in by Dennie Braswell.

Robert Lee's offense was better than expected. Besides Williams, Lynn Davidson and Sam Duncan were the chief contributors. Ben Bessent led good at quarterback and had some excellent passes. Moving up best on defense were Harold Robertson, Bill Simpson, Gray and Duncan. The team as a whole showed a decided weakness in defense.

Harold McCutchen booted the opening kickoff for Bronte, Sam Duncan being downed on the 25. Sherman Williams hit guard for 4 yards and then moved on the same side for a down on his 36 yard line.

Ben Bessent advanced 2 yards to right guard. Lynn Davidson made a pitchout for a 5-yard gain. Williams hit the left side for a down on his 47. Duncan made a pitchout and gained 7 yards around right end, and Williams cracked thru left tackle for a 1st down on the Longhorn

Davidson hit the line for 5 yards. Williams added 3 and Davidson went over left guard for a down on the 25. Williams continued plunging with 5 yards to the left side and Davidson added up 4. Duncan was stopped a foot short of a first down. The next play Williams broke to left guard and ran 14 yards for a touchdown. Davidson failed to convert from placement.

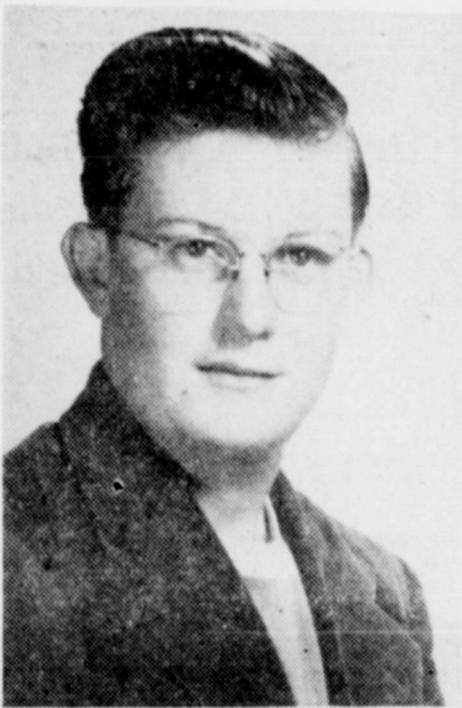
Robert Lee 6, Bronte 0. Davidson got a short kickoff and recovered the ball for Robert Lee on Bronte's 46. Williams hit line for 3 yards, but a 15-yard clipping penalty was assessed against the Steers. Bessent completed a pass to Davidson for a down on the Bronte 35. Robert Lee lacked a yard of making a first down and the ball went to Bronte on their 26.

Two pass attempts failed. Arbie Smith gained 6 yards to the right side and Arbie Phillips took a pitchout and circled right end for a 1st down on Longhorn 46. Kenneth Scott was downed for a 2-yard loss. Williams made 5 yards around end. Phillips went wide around right end for a 1st down on the Steer

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EILEEN VAUGHAN



DON FIELDS

Resume Studies At Texas Tech

Two Robert Lee young people who have returned to Texas Tech at Lubbock this year are Eileen Vaughan and Don Fields.

Miss Vaughan, a 1953 graduate of Robert Lee High School, will be a sophomore and is majoring in commercial subjects.

Don, who previously attended San Angelo College two years before enrolling at Tech a year ago, will be a senior this year.

BIRTHS

COPELAND—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Copeland (Bonita Childress) are parents of their first child, a daughter, born at 5:35 a.m. Sept. 19 in Coke County Memorial Hospital. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 3½ ounces and has been named Nita Gaye. The father is engaged in oil field work. Grandparents are Mrs. P. B. Copeland of Sundown and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Childress of Robert Lee.

ROBERTSON—Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Robertson (LaRue Walker) are parents of their first child, a daughter, born Aug. 29 in Shannon hospital at San Angelo. Claudia Glendolyn weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces. The father is a welder for Ernest Clendennen at Silver. Grandparents are Mrs. Boneita Robertson of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Walker of Silver.

PRINCE—Cpl. and Mrs. Hayes Prince (Betty Yarbrough) are parents of a daughter, Kathi Lynn, born Sept. 13 at El Paso. Cpl. Prince will be discharged from the army in October after two years of service at Ft. Bliss. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Yarbrough of Snyder, former Robert Lee residents.

Death Claims

W. G. Byrd, 83, Coke Pioneer

Death has come to W. G. (Wylie) Byrd, one of Coke County's early day residents. His passing occurred in the Silverton hospital at 1:30 p. m. Sunday, following a stroke suffered the previous Tuesday.

Funeral services were held from the Silverton Baptist Church at 3 p. m. Monday and burial was in the Silverton cemetery.

Mr. Byrd came to Coke County with his parents in 1879 when he was nine years of age. He lived here continuously until nine years ago when he moved to Silverton. He retains ownership of a 4-section ranch northeast of Robert Lee which is operated by Sam Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Byrd made frequent trips back to Coke County. They were here about six weeks ago visiting their daughters, Mrs. I. M. Austin of Robert Lee and Mrs. Jack Dixon of Bronte.

Surviving are his wife and six children, all of whom were present for the funeral. A more complete account of Mr. Byrd's life will appear in The Observer next week.

GREEN MT. JAMBOREE

The Green Mountain Junior Grand Ole Opry has arranged for some real good entertainment for this month's show. They will have as guests this week performers from the West Texas Jamboree. So be sure to come on out and enjoy yourselves about three hours of music and singing starting at 8 o'clock. See you tonight, Friday, Sept. 24.

May Organize Adult Ladies Sewing Class

In response to a request for an adult women's sewing class, a meeting has been set for next Tuesday, Sept. 28, at 7:30 at the Robert Lee school home economics building.

Miss Martha Taylor, home making teacher, has volunteered to sponsor the class and give instruction in beginning and intermediate sewing if enough interest is shown. Tuition will be free. Classes would be held on Tuesday nights from 7 to 9. Since home economics was not taught in Robert Lee for a number of years, many women were unable to have sewing instruction when they were in high school.

Miss Taylor, recent graduate of the University of Texas, is beginning her first year as head of the home economics department at Robert Lee where she graduated a few years ago. She is very enthusiastic about her work and has made an excellent start on a highly successful school year.

All women interested in the sewing class should be on hand next Tuesday night.

OCCUPY NEW HOMES

Three new dwellings constructed in the S. R. Young addition in the west part of town are now occupied by their new owners. They are R. D. (Red) Day, Leon Kincaid and Vaughan Davis.

Petitions Want Court House Bond Election

SCHOOL OFFICE MOVED

Robert Lee Independent School District tax collector's office moved this week to the Simpson building next door to the post office. School officials were anxious to have tax records housed in a more nearly fireproof building, and they were also able to save rent on the new location. Tax collector H. S. Lewis, Sr. and his wife have redecorated their new quarters and a partition shuts off the rear of the room.

SLIGHT GAIN IN SCHOOL TAX

Tax income for the Robert Lee Independent School District will gain slightly more than \$2,000 this year, according to a statement released this week by H. S. Lewis, Sr., tax assessor-collector.

Total tax assessed this year is \$69,642.00, compared with a total of \$67,588.43 in 1953.

Grand total valuation in the district went up to \$4,642,887.00 while last year's total was \$4,505,933.

Oil properties make up 2½ million dollars of valuation and utilities are assessed at something over \$300,000.00. The remainder of about \$1,800,000.00 is made up from real estate and personal property assessments.

Mr. Lewis has mailed tax statements and says a number of collections have already come in. Notice of county and city taxes are due to go in the mail by October 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Trimble and children, DeQuinta, Bill and Kathy, spent the weekend with Mrs. Trimble's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Farris, and other kinfolks and friends. Carol is employed on an R-H-K drilling rig near Sweetwater.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Sept. 15—Jeanne Denman, Mrs. Sam Jay admitted.

Sept. 16—Mrs. E. C. Davis, Mrs. Monroe Gaines admitted. Mrs. B. B. Pierce dismissed.

Sept. 17—Charles Marquez admitted. Jeanne Kay Denman dismissed.

Sept. 18—T. W. Lyle, Mrs. Leslie Copeland, Mrs. J. W. Service, Jr., Mrs. Douglas Martin admitted. Mrs. Monroe Gaines dismissed.

Sept. 19—Daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Copeland at 5:35 a.m. Mrs. C. A. Dukes admitted. Charles Marquez, Carolyn Childress, Mrs. J. W. Service, Jr., T. W. Lyle dismissed.

Sept. 20—Mrs. J. W. Bynum, Mrs. J. D. Harmon admitted. Mrs. Douglas Martin, Mrs. E. C. Davis, Mrs. Jack Gray and infant son dismissed.

Sept. 21—Mrs. M. J. Krall admitted. Mrs. J. D. Harmon, Mrs. Sam Jay dismissed.

are expected to be filed within the next two weeks, after which the Commissioners will immediately set the election date.

Petitions are being circulated requesting a special election to be called to vote on a \$300,000 bond issue for a new Coke County Court House.

Several important matters concerning the proposed new court house were discussed at a conference of the Commissioners Court and Citizens Advisory committee last Friday. The project has met with favorable reaction from all parts of the county, since it has been definitely announced that a new court house can be built without any tax increase.

Petitions are being circulated here at the locker plant and Brown & Clark station. There are also petitions in Bronte and Silver. As set out in the petition the proposition to be voted upon is as follows:

"Shall the Commissioners Court of Coke County, Texas, be authorized to issue bonds of said county in an amount of \$300,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 2½% per annum, and maturing serially in not to exceed 15 years from the date thereof for the purpose of providing funds to erect a Court House for the County, and whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said County sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturity."

Judge Jeff Dean says sufficient taxes are already being levied to pay off the bonds in 15 years. He points out that the present Permanent Improvement Fund (some times referred to as court house & jail) carries a levy of 25 cents on \$100 valuation. Since this year's county total valuation is over \$25 million dollars, the fund will have an income of more than \$60,000.

Hospital bonds, upkeep of county buildings and other items totalling \$23,000 were paid out of this fund last year, indicating there will be ample funds to retire the court house bonds.

Columbian Securities Corp. has agreed to purchase the bonds at an interest rate of 2.35%. An average of \$20,000 per year would pay off the bond principal, while interest charges will decrease from year to year from the first year maximum of \$7,050.

Wyatt C. Hedrick of Ft. Worth has been engaged as architect with Harry Weaver of Robert Lee as his associate.

The proposed building will have ample room for all county offices on the ground floor. Second floor not as large as the main floor, will provide a court room, jury dormitories, lawyer's rooms, etc. Rest rooms, a heating and cooling system and storage space will be included in the basement.

Since the amount of bonds were determined along with other matters, the Citizens Advisory Committee probably wound up its job at the Friday meeting. Members of the committee include R. C. Russell and Cumbie Ivey of Robert Lee, L. T. Youngblood and J. A. Stephenson of Bronte, H. H. Jameson of Silver, W. E. Burns of Edith and S. C. Saylor of Tennyson.

Judge Dean stated the petitions

History of Coke County

By Jessie Newton Yarbrough

INSTALLMENT 29

Sun Oil Company's third pool opener in Coke County, No. 1 P. W. Millican, flowed 575.9 barrels of 45.4 gravity oil in its official 24-hour test last week. The potential gauge probably set a new record for Coke County. It was through a quarter inch choke from Strawn lime at 5,952-5,971 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 1,075-1.

Subsequent drilling has made the Millican field the third largest in Coke County. It contains approximately 40 producers.

The Fort Chadbourne field, one of the great oil fields in West Texas, borders Coke County on the northeast. The majority of the field lies in Runnels County, but 12 producers have been completed in Coke County. The field extended over seven miles in length in the county and has recorded no dry holes. The future of this field, indeed, is very bright.

Another new field is the West Fort Chadbourne field located two miles west of the main Fort Chadbourne pool. Production is obtained from the Strawn lime as it is in the regular Fort Chadbourne field. Ten wells have been completed at this time.

A small pool was discovered by Union Oil Company of California in their No. 1 Daisy McCutchen. The test spudded Friday, May 19, 1950. It was five miles due east of Robert Lee. On July 11, 1950, No. 1-B Daisy McCutchen struck oil and flowed at the rate of seven barrels per hour. No. 1-B McCutchen was "completed for an official flow of 179.2 barrels of 42.6 gravity oil." This completion was the first in the county to be completed from the Cisco sand. Union's second well, No. 2-B Daisy McCutchen was completed naturally at a depth of 3,966-3,978 feet for "1,320 barrels of 44.6 gravity oil." The McCutchen field has 12 producers.

Sun completed two new discoveries south of their Jameson field during the fall of 1951. The first well, No. 8 Ralph Harris was completed from a new pay section, the Caddo lime, at 6,771-6,775 feet. The well flowed over 100 barrels of high gravity oil for its potential test.

The second well was a 3/8 mile offset from No. 8 Ralph Harris. This well, Sun No. 1 Blanks-Perkins Unit, failed to find commercial production in the Caddo. But it made a good producer in the Strawn sand at 6,011-6,022 feet. "The well flowed 124.56 barrels of 45.6 gravity oil in 24 hours." These two producers have prospects of developing into larger fields in the future.

The last major discovery was made by Chester Hunter early in 1952 in his No. 1 Stagner on the west side of the Jameson field. This test located a new pay just above the Strawn lime reef from which the other wells produced. No. 1 Stagner flowed "140.8 barrels of 47.8 gravity oil" on a 24-hour potential test from 5,925-6,095 feet in the Strawn sand. Sun Oil Company had been drilling through this new sand section and knew it was productive, but they did little to produce from it until the Stagner well came in. By the end of April, 1952, they had completed over 11 wells in the new sand section. The Jameson field has over 126 lime wells and 11 sand wells in it at this time. "Sun opened the field December 6, 1946, and on the Febru-

ary proration schedule had 126 lime wells with a total daily allowable of 12,242 barrels.

Although Coke County has only a few minor discoveries, they are worthy of being mentioned. The Arledge field, of all the minor discoveries apparently has the best chance of further development. Sun Oil Company's No. 1 J. W. Arledge was "five-eighths of a mile south of the Coke-Nolan County line." It was eight miles east and a mile north of Allen Jameson No. 1, the opener of the Jameson field. Early in January, 1948, the test struck oil at 6,608 feet in the "Marble Falls section of the Pennsylvanian." lime. No. 1 Arledge flowed "176 barrels of 47.8 gravity oil" on its official 24 hour test. The second well resulted in obtaining a daily average of only 4.2 barrels of oil. The third test was a gas well. On a test that lasted 15 hours and ended early in the morning of June 2, 1948, No. 3 Arledge flowed 16.3 barrels of high grade distillate through a choke that measured only 3/16 of an inch. The gas-oil ratio was 31,000-1. After the third test, Sun moved out of the Arledge field and have never returned.



MISS DORENE HARMON

Dorene Harmon To Be Married

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harmon announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Dorene, to Wayne Mashburn of Borger. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mashburn of Manitou, Okla.

The wedding takes place Saturday, Sept. 25, at the home of the bride's parents near Robert Lee. Miss Harmon has been attending business college in Abilene since her graduation from Robert Lee high school last May. The couple plans to live in Borger following their marriage.

Wilbern Millican and family are now occupying Mrs. Willie Campbell's residence recently vacated by the Richard Days.

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R. T. Caperton New Chairman USO District

Dallas, Texas — Mr. R. T. Caperton, Chevrolet Dealer in Sterling City, has been named as Chairman of District 24 on the Texas United Defense Fund, the state-wide group which will sponsor USO's campaign for \$775,000 in Texas this year. This district includes: Sterling, Coke, Tom Green, Irion, Schleicher, and Sutton counties.

Caperton was appointed by Mr. John P. Butler of Midland, who is Regional Chairman of the forth-

coming fund appeal to carry the familiar services of the USO to the young men and women of the nation's armed forces. A major portion of the Texas fund in 1953, will be included in Community Chest and United Fund campaigns throughout the state this fall.

Pfc. and Mrs. Donald Maudslowe and little son, Donny, came to the last of the week from Paso. Donald returned to Bliss where he will be on maneuvers two weeks and his family will remain with his Lee relatives. Mrs. Maudslowe the former Melba Rives, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rives

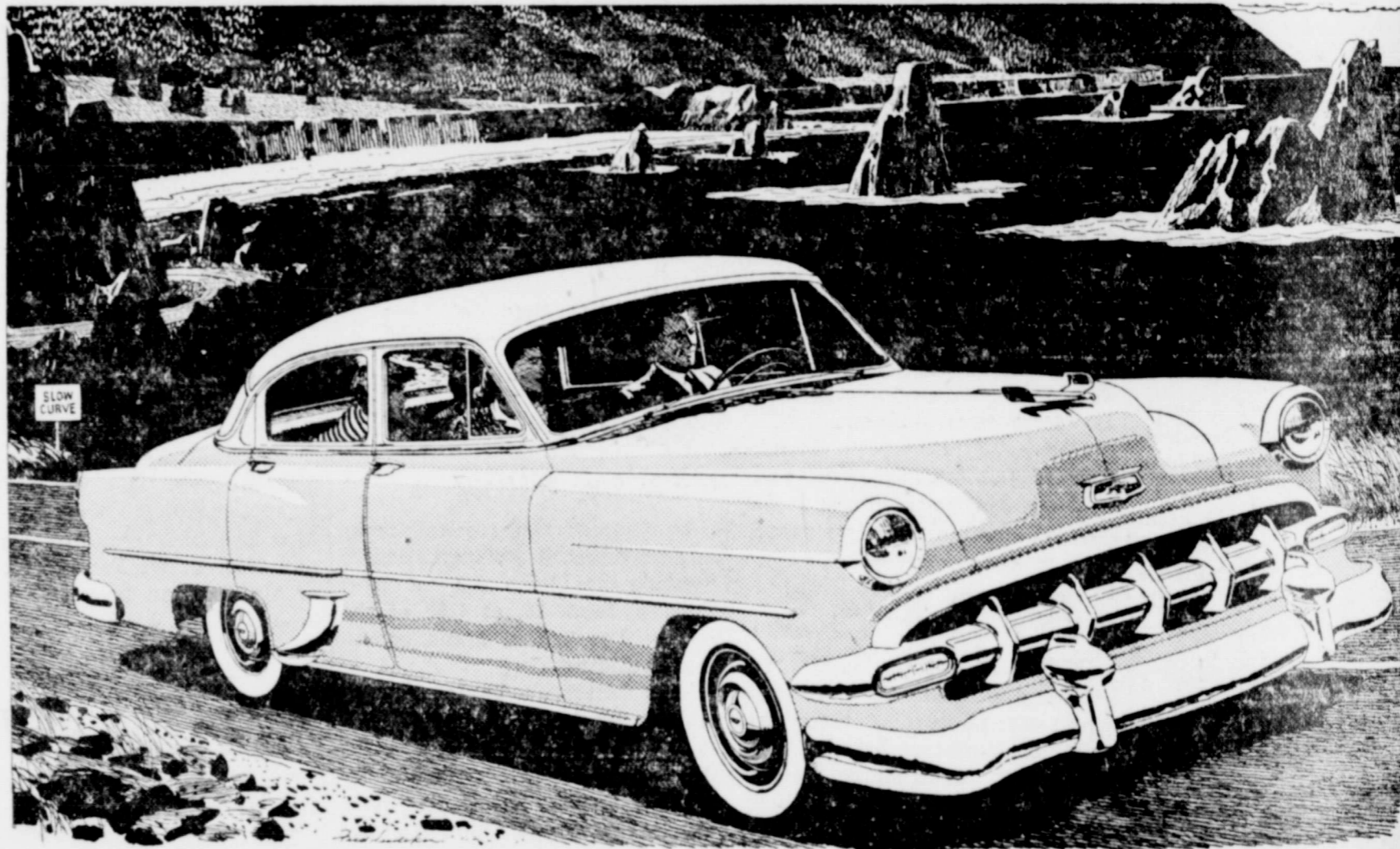
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Community School House For Communities Use

SANCO — To make use of the school building as a permanent community center and to improve the cemetery, Sanco people organized and made preliminary plans, setting Oct. 9, at the school building as time and place to continue activity set under last Saturday night.

A community gathering sponsored by the Sanco Home Demonstration Club, Mrs. T. E. Pitcock, president, a committee of four were named to meet with trustees of the Robert Lee Independent school district in regard to transfer of title of the two-room brick building to the people for use as a community center.

Members of this committee include Bryan Gartman, school trustee, Guy Denman, Green and Nolan Pentecost.

Elmer Bird was elected president of the Sanco Cemetery Association, Guy Denman, vice-president, Mrs. H. L. Reid, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Guy Denman and Mrs. T. E. Pitcock assistant secretaries. H. L. Reid, Guy Denman and Robert Walker were appointed as a planning committee to study possible improvements and to outline and suggest as well as estimate the cost of work to be undertaken, a report to be made at the next meeting of the Association. The president announced an amount of \$100.00 toward the installing of well and water system, made by a non-resident relative of a Sanco pioneer buried here. Plans were projected for notifying all non-residents that might be interested in the improvements to be undertaken as soon as the committee has made its report and the Association has made definite decisions.

Sanco, established in 1887, is the oldest community still in existence in Coke County, its post office, churches and cemetery being the first after old Fort

Chadbourne. The school was consolidated with Robert Lee Independent a few years ago. The building was occupied by the post office until a few months ago, when the office was moved to the Sanco store. The substantial grey brick former school house is now used for elections, community gatherings and by the Home Demonstration Club for club meetings.

Following the business session Saturday night, club members served cake and cold drinks to over thirty present.



Notes From The Oil Field

Sun A-6 Central National Bank across the river south of Silver, drilling Tuesday at 5,235 feet in shale and sand. Sun has only one rig drilling in Coke County at this time.

Allowable oil production for October will remain at 15 days. It is the lowest number of producing days for a 31-day month that has been enforced for many years.

Ray-Harris has moved its rotary rig No. 2 to a wildcat location 18 miles south of San Angelo. It is No. 1 Jones and the operators will include the drilling company and others. Ira Koskie is pusher on the rig which was stored for a month after plugging a 4,100-foot test on the Faries place, 5 miles east of Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Clark motored to Medina Friday for a weekend visit in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cradock. Freeman says he witnessed a 6-man football game at Medina Friday night and found it highly interesting.

Mrs. B. A. Goodman was dismissed last Friday from St. John's hospital in San Angelo and has returned to her home in Robert Lee.



MARTHA SUE RICHARDSON



JOYCE BAGWELL

Two RLHS Girls To Attend SAC

Martha Sue Richardson and Joyce Bagwell left this week to begin studies at San Angelo College. They graduated from High School here this spring.

Miss Richardson, who was last year's valedictorian, is planning to major in elementary education. Miss Bagwell will take a course in journalism.

The girls will room together.

DENNIS REED MARRIED

Dennis L. Reed, son of Mrs. Carol Reed of Sterling City and former Robert Lee resident, was married Aug. 29 to Miss Barbara Neel of Tampa, Fla. Since graduating from Robert Lee High school in 1951, Dennis has been studying for the ministry in Florida. He is now minister of the Church of Christ in Panama City, Fla.

J. J. S. Smith of Sweetwater stopped in Robert Lee a short time Tuesday while enroute to San Angelo on a business mission.

T. A. Richardson Member Medical Advisory Group

DALLAS, — (Spl.) — The Southwestern Medical Foundation with headquarters here, has announced the appointment to its Advisory Council of T. A. Richardson of Robert Lee.

Richardson will represent Coke County on the Council during the ensuing year, according to R. R. Gilbert of Dallas. Gilbert, a banker, is chairman of the Advisory Council.

The Southwestern Medical Foundation is a non-profit, philanthropic organization. It works to improve health and combat disease in the Southwest.

Membership in the Advisory Council extends to almost every county in Texas. This membership is now being broadened to include all of Texas as well as Louisiana, Oklahoma and New Mexico, Gilbert said.

STANOLIND CAMP

Stanolind Oil Co. has started construction of a camp in their rapidly developing field on the Spade Ranch, west of Silver. First buildings will include a pumpers house and a warehouse, while other units are to be added later. The camp will be enclosed with a high fence. McDonald Lumber Co. of Robert Lee has the contract and construction operations are in charge

of E. F. Henry of Robert Lee.

Mrs. Martha Hutchinson of Pocasset, Okla., visited here recently with her brother, Wm. McCutcher, and other relatives. She resided here many years ago. Mrs. Hutchinson is 83 years of age and enjoys good health. She made the trip to Robert Lee in company with two granddaughters and their husbands.



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Blue Cross Will Provide Extra Care for Cancer

Cancer, one of the most dreaded diseases known, is often one of the most expensive to treat. Beginning October 1, 1954, Texas Blue Cross-Blue Shield will add Cancer to the original ten dread diseases covered in their \$5,000.00 CIE (Catastrophic Illness Endorsement) first introduced in 1951.

Effective on that same date, the benefit period on CIE diseases will be extended from two years to five years.

The addition of Cancer marks another forward step for the voluntary health care plans that had their beginning in Dallas.

In keeping with the tradition of extending to their members the fullest possible benefits, Blue Cross and Blue Shield in Texas constantly study the needs for health care, revising their benefit schedule to meet the demands as experience suggests.

Cancer, like Polio and other feared major illnesses, is under constant study and experimentation by the scientist, physician, and laboratories, and progress has been made in their early diagnosis, treatment, and cure. They continue, however, to be prolonged and expensive in many cases. The cost of care is often beyond the means of the majority of families. Protection against these financial problems is important to every family and every single person.

Those Texas Blue Cross-Blue Shield members already enrolled in CIE will receive the Cancer protection with no increase in cost to them. The service will become effective automatically on October, 1954. To give all Texans an opportunity to own this protection, applications will be accepted from eligible Texas residents, for membership in Blue Cross-Blue Shield and CIE.

Many Features Will Highlight 1954 State Fair

Entertainment highlights of the 1954 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 9-24, include such varied and spectacular attractions as the following:

1. "The King and I," opening Friday night, the evening before the fair officially begins, for 24 performances in the air-conditioned State Fair Auditorium, seating 4,285. The sensational Broadway hit musical starring Yul Brynner and Patricia Morrison of the New York cast will be presented at 8:30 p. m. nightly Oct. 8-23, with matinees on Saturdays, Sundays, and Wednesdays.

2. "Ice Cycles of 1955," also opening Oct. 8 in the Ice Arena. The brilliant skating extravaganza features a production of "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs." The show will have 24 performances.

3. The famous Cherokee Indian daredevil Joie Chitwood will present his original thrill show in front of the Grandstand nightly at 8 p. m. except Oct. 11, 13 and 24.

4. Free aerial acts will be presented high above the crowds at 2 and 7:30 p. m. daily during the fair atop the Magnolia Midway stage.

5. A free show for children, "Aladdin and His Wonderful Lamp," will be presented four times daily in the Theatre Building.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon (Jesse) Lofton and daughter, Jan, came up from Texas City for a weekend visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lofton, and other kinfolks. They also visited Mrs. Lofton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raphey Paris, in Menard.

Wilfred Caraway left Monday for Dallas after a two weeks' vacation here with his mother, Mrs. Lillian Caraway, and family. He is employed in the land department of Sun Oil Co.

Mrs. Lavelta Diemert is in Odessa doing special nursing duty for a few weeks. She spent the past summer here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerald Ivey of Odessa were weekend guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. (Buck) Ivey. Jerald is employed by Gasoline Construction Co. of Houston, and are completing a project near Odessa.

Coming from Hobbs, N. Mex. for a weekend visit with relatives and friends were Mr. and Mrs. Russ Lord and their children, Billy and Iva. While here Russ purchased a new car from Vaughan Chevrolet Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McAdams were Sunday dinner hosts to a family gathering including Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Eoff of Tuscola. Also present were Mrs. McAdams' three brothers and four sisters and their families, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Millican and Mrs. Buddy Millican visited last week with relatives in Odessa and Andrews. Later in the week they motored to Oklahoma and visited friends in Manhattan and Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Yantis of Bangs visited here a few days last week in the homes of Joe Dodson and Mrs. Howard Eaton. They are former residents of the community.

Sheriff and Mrs. Paul Good visited the last of the week in Stephenville with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parker, and children. Sheriff Good went on to Ft. Worth on official business.

Mrs. J. S. Gardner and Mrs. Mettie Russell were weekend visitors in Midland. The former was a guest of her son, Wilfred Gardner, and family, while Mrs. Russell visited her niece, Mrs. Fletcher Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Roberts have completed a 20-foot addition to their home in the south part of town. The work was in charge of Jack Capps and Martin Casey.

Mrs. J. V. Krall and Mrs. H. L. Mills and children of San Angelo were in Robert Lee in Robert Lee Wednesday visiting their son and brother, Melvin Krall, and family.

100 Bales Cotton Have Been Ginned

More than 100 bales of cotton had been processed at the Robert Lee Gin up to Wednesday morning. Cotton is opening rapidly and more pickers are needed.

COOLER WEATHER

Cooler air arrived in West Texas as Monday night bringing relief to a September spell of abnormally hot weather. The mercury reached 100 degrees during the day Monday. Temperatures moved down to the low 50s Wednesday morning, for the coolest mark since May 4. The drought continues with no sizeable rain fall in Coke County since the first of June.

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LENE SOPHS TLE STEERS E SEPT. 30

home game of the 1954 for the Robert Lee Steers on Thursday night of next Sept. 30, against the Abilene Sophomores. The Sophs large squad and always a rugged battle.

fans are happy over the showing at Bronte last week. They looked so much better last year that there is strong speculation that the Steers may not fare so well when they come here to the season Nov. 19.

It is interesting that it was their first game, it was not surprising that Robert Lee would make mistakes, and they did. But the fact is a good teacher and these mistakes are being made. The Steers should not expect improvement when they visit Abilene.

James Mancil was somewhat confused with his team's defense at Bronte. He had figured his defense was solid, but offense was the problem. It turned out just the opposite. Robert Lee showed plenty of offense and well varied, but defense was nothing to brag about. Everyone knows they'll do better from now on.

Eight games appear on the schedule.

Want Ads

QUICK SALE—1950 4-door in good condition. Miss Jonell Black.

NOTICE
Place south of Robert Lee posted and \$50 Reward paid for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons trespassing upon my property without permission.
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All equipment for cleaning septic tanks and cesspools. Call me at No. 8, Bronte service. L. M. Jones.

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the Steer schedule. An open date this week resulted from Ira dropping out of 6-B conference. Five of the contests will be played here. October 8 the Steers journey to Hobbs and play at Lorraine Oct. 15.

From then on all games will be on the Steer home field. Hermleigh comes here Oct. 22. Oct. 29 is another open date, after which Trent, Richland Springs and Bronte are booked for Nov. 5, 12 and 19.

Here's the way 6-B conference clubs came out last week:
Bronte 34, Robert Lee 25.
Rule 45, Hobbs 19.
Lorraine 18, Aspermont 18.
Leuders 21, Trent 20.
Hermleigh 13, Roby 9.
Abilene Sophomores are scheduled to meet the Longhorns in Bronte on Thursday night of this week. No conference games have been played thus far.

Settlement Reached In Damage Suit

After E. E. Stagner and his wife were heard on the witness stand, a settlement outside of court was reached in the Stagner damage suit against J. C. Windham et al. The case came up in County Court here Friday. Damages of \$306 were sought by the Stagners whose Packard collided with a pickup driven by Windham. The collision occurred last Feb. 16 at a cattle guard crossing a half mile west of Silver. Windham is a pumper for A. G. Hill and Chapel Hill Gas Co. at Silver.

Frank Dickey, Sr. presided as judge during the trial because of the illness of County Judge Jeff Dean, who was unable to climb the stairs to the court room. Frank Ginzler of Colorado City represented the Stagners, while Hartman Hooser of Big Spring was attorney for the defense. Serving as the jury were A. E. Gentry, Ed Rawlings, C. E. Butcher, Robert Forman, Henry Carwile and R. S. Anderson.

FAMILY GATHERING

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Warrington were hosts to the Waldrop family Sunday, Sept. 19. The occasion was a birthday dinner in honor of B. W. Waldrop. A nice dinner was enjoyed by all. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Waldrop, Mrs. J. A. Waldrop and Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rives and Marjorie Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rives, Mrs. Donald Mauldin and baby, Mrs. Billie Warrington and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Waldrop and boys.

Mrs. J. A. Waldrop had all her children with her, but one daughter, Mrs. Bascom Hartgraves, who was unable to attend.

Housewarming For Kincaids

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kincaid were honored with a surprise housewarming Saturday night.

The affair took place in their new home in the west part of Robert Lee, with the event being sponsored by the Coke County Hospital staff and other friends.

Mrs. Kincaid is employed at the hospital as a registered nurse. The Kincaids moved to Robert Lee from Ballinger last year, when Mr. Kincaid took over a service station here.

Gifts presented to the Kincaids included a floor lamp, smoking stand, towels and linens, vases and plants and other articles for their new home.

New Year Begins For Garden Club

El Valle Garden Club, Robert Lee's only women's federated organization, opened the new year Wednesday with a President's Coffee in the home of Mrs. B. A. Austin. Assisting hostess was Mrs. Palmer Leeper.

Club officers are Mrs. Leeper, president; Mrs. S. E. Adams, 1st vice president; Mrs. F. C. Clark, 2nd vice president; Mrs. Frank McCabe, secy-treas.; Mrs. Paul Good, corresponding secretary.

A new yearbook distributed to members this week was compiled by Mrs. Marvin Simpson, Mrs. J. S. Ferrell and Mrs. Sam Powell.

El Valle was federated in 1938. It aims to cooperate in all civic projects for community improvement and each year sponsors a flower show. There are twenty-two members.

The following poem appears in the club's new yearbook:

PREACHING AT SANCO

H. L. Bloodworth of Silver will preach morning and evening next Sunday, Sept. 26, at the Sanco Baptist Church. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

BARBECUE ENJOYED

County and City Commissioners and their families were guests of the Robert Lee Fire Department at a barbecue at the Legion Hut Tuesday night. Delmir Sheppard furnished the meat for the barbecue. Fireman President H. H. Harris gave the welcoming address, response was by Judge Jeff Dean. Wives of the firemen members furnished salads and deserts. 22 members of the fire department were present. Also Mr. and Mrs. Delmir Sheppard and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Fikes.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

Robert Lee seventh and eighth graders have booked four football games, having arranged home and home contests with Bronte and Colorado City. The first of the series takes place at Bronte next Tuesday night at 7:30. James Mancill handles the junior squad in addition to his duties as high school coach.

SPARKS FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. J. M. Sparks, who for many years made her home in Coke County, but has lived with the children since the death of her husband, the late J. M. Sparks in 1927, had all her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren together for the first time in several years. They met at the ranch home of her son, C. W. Sparks, near Weatherford.

The children attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Morris (Eva Mae) of Kermit, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Halbordier (Rieta Beth), and children, Barbara June, Lynn Iris and Terry of San Angelo, Mrs. S. T. Esterholdt (Vera Nell) and daughter Patricia Jayne of Fresno, California and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sparks and Jack of Weatherford. Grandchildren and great grandchildren attending were Mrs. Jean Neville (Jean Varnadore) and little daughter, Lezah of Kermit. Mrs. Buck DeLoach (Lovello Sparks) and daughter, Darla, Hobbs, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sparks and children, Bobbie Sue and Joe Bill of Merkel.

Friends attending were Mr. and Mrs. Walker Good, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Modgling and sons, all of Weatherford and Bart Johnson of Kermit.

Everyone enjoyed their get-together more than anyone can guess and hope it will not be so long before they can gather again in a happy family reunion.

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SILVER NEWS

Jack and Gladys Mowbray visited friends in Silver the last of the week. They were enroute from Premont, where Mrs. Mowbray has been visiting her parents, to Dickinson, N. Dak where the former will be stationed as a Sun Oil Co. foreman. The Mowbrays were residents of Silver several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Buzzie Thorp of Throckmorton are guests this week in the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Jameson. Mrs. Thorp is the former Billie Fred Jameson.

Bill Humble of Post visited kinfolks here last week and looked after business affairs.

T. W. Lyle is home from Coke County Memorial Hospital in Robert Lee where he underwent treatment a few days. He is an engine operator 1st class at Jameson gasoline plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Warren and two little sons are on vacation visiting in Del Rio and other points. Joe planned to take in some football games including the contest at College Station Saturday night when Tech ran rough shod over his alma mater, Texas A & M. Mr. Warren is a chemist at the Sun gas plant.

John Shimer went to Dallas Wednesday to attend a meeting of Sun Oil Co. superintendents.

C. E. Palmer has been named a member of Silver school board, succeeding Jesse Duplissey, who has been transferred to Beaumont. Cecil is assistant foreman of Sun Pipeline Co. here.

A. T. Holt was in Dallas this week attending a meeting of Sun employee representatives.

Tyrus Davis, engine operator at Millican gas plant, has returned home from the Sterling City Hospital where he submitted to surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bradbury are parents of an 8-pound son born Monday at the Colorado City hospital. Mr. Bradbury is a repairman 2nd class at the Jameson gasoline plant.

James Bradham and wife have

returned from a two weeks' vacation trip to the New York City area where Mrs. Bradham's parents reside. Mr. Bradham is a junior engineer with Sun's gas department.

Mrs. L. B. Carden has been engaged by the Silver Board of education as its bookkeeper. The position was formerly held by Doug Keith.

Delbert Coalson, who is stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla., visited the last of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Coalson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen and their son, R. D. Allen and wife of Vancourt, returned last week from a two weeks' vacation trip to the Black Hills, Yellowstone National Park and other points of interest in the Rocky Mountain states.

Bobby Hugh Odom left Wednesday for Canyon where he will enroll as a junior at West Texas State. He will major in agriculture.

NEW PIPELINE FOREMAN

Ernest E. McClusky and family arrived here early last week from Ingleside. The former succeeds Jesse Duplissey as foreman of Sun Pipeline's station at Silver. The McClusky's have two children. Their son, Elton, is a student at Lamar College, and their daughter, Dorothy Jean, is attending Colorado City high school.

Sun Pipeline employees attended a party at the Colorado City Country Club Wednesday night, when a dove and beef barbecue was enjoyed. The affair was held in honor of Hill Sanders, former Sun Pipeline Co. vice president and general manager, who has been made president of the Mid-Valley Pipeline with offices in Longview. Another guest of honor was James E. Ford, who succeeded Mr. Sanders. Pipeline people from Silver and Snyder attended the enjoyable event.

Mrs. James Spivey is reported to be recovering nicely from major surgery which she underwent Monday of last week in a Beaumont hospital. Her husband is a Sun Pipeline employee here.

The Bill Archer and Walter Jones families of San Angelo were weekend guests in the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen. Bill Allen and family of Sweetwater joined the group on Sunday.

Leslie Farr and family have returned from a vacation period at Port Arthur and other points on the Gulf. Leslie reports some good fishing. He is a Sun Pipe-

liner here.

Pete Ashmore made an important business trip to Big Spring on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lambert and children of San Angelo were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hargis.

Bob Odom and Buster Jones spent a few days last week squirrel hunting on the Leon River. They had good luck.

SILVER 4-H GIRLS

The Girls 4-H Club of Silver met Monday, Sept. 20, in the school house. Miss Jonell Black, county home demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on basic quick mixes. Three new members joining the club were Linda Dean, Patty Sue Gallier and Jonell Black. — Hattie Kay McKinnon, Reporter.

Kenny and Randy Fair of Gardena, Calif., arrived recently for an extended stay in the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jeffries.

Zone 1 To Name SC Supervisor At Silver Oct. 5

October 5, 1954, at 7:30 p. m. at the Silver School House, land owners in Zone 1 of the Coke Soil Conservation District will elect a landowner to serve them on the Board of Supervisors. The landowner elected will serve a five year term. R. W. Walker, district supervisor, has announced.

The election will be conducted from the floor with R. B. Allen acting as chairman. All people owning land in Zone 1 are qualified to vote in the election. The man and woman each are entitled to a vote.

O. F. Armstrong, field man for the State Conservation Board, will be present to give an interesting discussion on soil conservation districts. Mr. Armstrong will be remembered for his excellent talk that he gave at the range tour at the W. E. Burns Ranch last July. "Mr. Armstrong is one of the best speakers that I have ever listened to", is the statement made by Robert Walker.

The Board of Supervisors of the District have the sole responsibility of administering the Soil Conservation District. Technical assistance in planning and applying soil and water conservation is provided by the district. "All landowners should plan to attend and elect a man that will serve them the next five years", Mr. Walker added.

Fern Havins, Marshall Stephenson and Foster S. Price completed construction of livestock ponds last week. The ponds are part of their plans as district co-operators with the Soil Conservation District. The Soil Conservation Service assisted the district co-operators with staking, designing and checking of the ponds.

Landowners should make their plans now to seed fall cover crops when we receive some rain. Oats or rye seeded with a mixture of clover, winter peas, or vetch will provide good grazing; and if properly managed will provide good soil protection.

Arrangements have been made to provide \$1.25 per acre for seeding 48 pounds of oats or rye with one of the legumes. The small grain and legumes can be grazed if adequate cover is left on the land. The crop cannot be harvested for grain or hay.

For additional information, landowners should contact either the ASC or Soil Conservation Service offices.

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Former Failure Now a Producer

F. Kirk Johnson, et al, Fort Worth, have recompleted a former 7,110-foot failure as a Strawn producer 1½ miles east of the recently opened South Fuller-Coke Strawn field.

It is No. 1 Nora Gee, section 120, block 2, H&TC survey, recompleted for a calculated, daily potential of 636 barrels of oil.

Potential was based on a six-hour flow of 159 barrels of oil through 24/64-inch choke and perforations from 6,756 to 6,765 feet, 6,767 to 6,771 feet, 6,776 to 6,780 feet, 6,785 to 6,799 feet and 6,806 to 6,818 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 827-1.

Quarter-mile west extension and second well for the South

Fuller-Coke pool is C. T. B. son et al, Wichita Falls, N. Nora Gee, section 118, H&TC survey, completed 80 barrels of oil in eight perforations at an un-

level. The discovery, No. 1 Gee completed in the 7,000-foot

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Steers-Bronte Football

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36. Dennie Braswell broke thru left guard for 12 yards and a 1st down on the 24.

Phillips picked up 6 yards over tackle and Scott was stopped at the line of scrimmage. Scott then got thru the Steer defense and went to the 4 yard line. As the 2nd quarter started Phillips was dropped for a 20-yard loss then went over right tackle for a touchdown. Braswell converted thru the line. Score: Bronte 7, Robert Lee 6.

2ND QUARTER

Robert Lee fumbled the kickoff and Bronte recovered on the Steer 36. Three line plays gave Bronte a 1st down on the Steer 23. Braswell gained 7 yards and Phillips made it a 1st down on the 10. A fumble behind the line cost Bronte 5 yards. Kenneth Scott was injured and left the game. Braswell hit the line for 6 yards and Phillips went around right end to score. Pinkie Gentry carried over the conversion. Score: Bronte 14, Robert Lee 6.

Alta Hall downed the kickoff on the Robert Lee 31. Three line plays netted only 6 yards and Davidson punted to the Longhorn 18. Gentry hit the left side for 17 yards and a 1st down on his 31. Bill Simpson stopped Braswell at the line of scrimmage. The Longhorns marched for 4 more 1st downs to the Steer 16. They lost 15 yards on a fumble as the half ended.

THIRD QUARTER

Bronte recovered a short kickoff on the Steer 49. The Longhorns with a completed pass made it 1st down on the Steer 24. During the next series Bronte picked up small yardage and suffered a 5-yard penalty. On the 4th down with 6 yards to go, Phillips started around right end, then cut back thru tackle and ran for a touchdown. The extra point was converted by a line play. Score: Bronte 21, Robert Lee 6.

Davidson downed the kickoff on the Steer 37. Jack Gray dropped a long pass from Bessent. A

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Salve for a Sin-Sick World

"And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength; this is the first commandment.

"And the second is like, namely this, Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. There is none other commandment greater than these." (Mark 12:30-1.)

The glaring fault of modern humanity is our lack of love for God and for each other.

As surely as God and Christ have loved the soul of the sinner (John 3:16, I John 4:19, etc.), no man can be pleasing to God while holding hatred for his fellow men. (Matt. 5:38-48)

May the day come soon when we shall hate sin, but love the sinner; abhor evil, but love the soul of the evil-doer; despise error, but have patience with the one who is erring.

If we do not love the Lord and our neighbor in this life, we may never get the opportunity to do it in Heaven.

With love in our hearts, the church of Christ pleads for a return to simple New Testament Christianity. May we all humbly "contend earnestly for the faith once delivered unto the saints." (Jude 3). Services on Sunday: Bible Study, 10:15; Worship 11:00, Young People's 6:30 p.m., Worship 7:00 p.m., Wednesday: Bible study and worship 7:00 p.m.

fumble, lost 4 yards, but the Steers were off side and penalized 5 yards. Bessent tried another aerial which failed and Davidson gained 9 yards around end. Davidson punted to the Longhorn 42.

Another penalty against the Steers and Gentry's end run gave Bronte a 1st down on Robert Lee's 48. Phillips again circled end for a 1st down on the 38. Don Bell failed to break up a short Longhorn pass when he deflected the ball into the arms of Smith who ran for a touchdown. A kick from placement was wild. Score: Bronte 27, Robert Lee 6.

Duncan returned the kickoff 30 yards to his 48. Davidson broke thru the right side and ran 52 yards for a touchdown. His placekick failed. Score: Bronte 27, Robert Lee 12.

FOURTH QUARTER

Bronte downed the kickoff on their 30. Two plays were good for 3 yards and a pass failed. Bronte punted out on the Steer 40 as the fourth period opened. On the next play Davidson again got thru the left side of the Bronte line and ran 60 yards to score. A line play failed to convert. Score Bronte 27, Robert Lee 18.

The kickoff went to Bronte on their 23. Braswell gained 6 and Phillips went to the 35 for a 1st down. Again Braswell and Phillips teamed up to make it 1st down on their 45. Three more plays netted another 1st down on the Steer 44. Gentry gained 5 and Braswell made it a 1st down on the 15. Robert Lee was penalized to its 1-yard line and Bronte scored on the next play. Braswell carried over to convert. Bronte 34, Robert Lee 18.

Davidson returned the kickoff 10 yards to the Steer 38. Three plays were good for 20 yards and first down on the Bronte 41. Duncan got 8 yards over left tackle and Bessent completed a pass to Davidson for a touchdown. Williams plunged thru to convert. Score: Bronte 34, Robert Lee 25.

Bronte downed the kickoff on the 50-yard line as the game ended.

JUNIOR CLASS ELECTS

The Junior Class of the Robert Lee High School had a class meeting September 14 for the purpose of electing officers. The following officers were elected: President: Jackie Sparks Vice-Pres.: Rose Marie Sawyer Secretary: Jo Francis Box Treasurer: Louise Meeks Reporter: Nell Burson Janelle McGilvray is the only new member. Miss Taylor and Mr. Petross are class sponsors.



Notes From The Oil Field

American Republics 7 W. I. Tubb, 4½ miles southwest of Silver, has been finaled for a daily flow of 427.61 barrels of 45 gravity oil, no water. Gauge was thru 16-64 inch choke. Gas-oil ratio 1,250-1.

Stanolind 10 J. E. Chappell rated 119 barrels for its official 24-hour test through a 12-64 inch choke. Gas-oil ratio 891-1. Perkins - Prothro 7 W. C. Blanks "D" flowed 302 barrels of 46 gravity oil during its 24-hour potential. Gauged through a 12-64 inch tubing choke, the gas-oil ratio was 1,062-1.

Sun 1 D. M. Millican has been finaled for a daily flow of 52.8 barrels of 39.3 gravity oil with a gas-oil ratio of 1,240-1. Production is from the Caddo. Location is 4 miles south of Silver.

Perkins - Prothro 15 Blanks Track 2 was completed for a daily potential of 329.77 barrels of 44 gravity oil, no water. Gauge was through a 12-64 inch choke and the gas-oil ratio 1,031-1.

Perkins - Prothro 11 W. C. Blanks "B", 18 miles northwest of Robert Lee, finaled for a daily flow of 285 barrels of 46 gravity oil through a 12-64 inch tubing

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choke. Gas-oil ratio 1,298-1. Perkins-Prothro 6 Blanks "D" rated 253 barrels of 46 gravity oil through a 12-64 inch choke. Gas-oil ratio 1,099-1.

LaGloria & Dykes 1 M. G. Reed, wildcat, 3-2-GC&SF, Abst: 172; plugged and abandoned at 6,790 feet. On a 1½ hour drill-stem test between 6,734-079 feet, recovery was 6,100 feet of salty sulphur water. The following tops were reported: Palo Pinto, 5,033 feet; Strawn, 5,353 feet; Ellenburger, 6,286 feet; Wilberns, 6,650 feet; and the Wilberns sand, 6,734 feet.

Lieut. and Mrs. Jack ... motored up from Houston last of the week, bringing the former's mother, Mrs. Snead, Jr., who had spent days there. Johnibeth ... who has been treated at a veston hospital, is reported proving but will remain for another week or two.

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Spuds No 1 White Lb 50c

Lettuce Large Firm Heads lb 12c

Fresh Tomatoes Lb 19c

CHILI, Irelands - - - - - No. 2 Can 45c

CRACKERS, Salad Wafers - - - - - 1 Lb. 25c

TAMALES, Wolf Brand - - - - - Can 19c

APRICOT, PEACH OR PLUM PRESERVES, Zestee - - - - - 20 Oz. Glass 39c

TISSUES, Charmin - - - - - 300 Count 19c

CARNATION POWDERED MILK, Dissolves Instantly - - - - - Box 35c

EARLY BIRD COFFEE - - - - - 1 Lb. Pkg. 85c

WAFFLE SYRUP, Kimbell - - - - - 24 Oz. Jar 39c

PANCAKE FLOUR, Pillsbury - - - - - 1 Lb. Box 19c

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