

Robert Lee Observer

Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas, Friday, November 5, 1954

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TRENT COMING FRIDAY NIGHT

Trent Gorillas are coming to town Friday to engage the Robert Lee Steers in a 6-B conference game. The Steers figured they would take this one, but illness has hit the squad, and prospects of a Robert Lee victory are not so good.

Sherman Williams, fullback, and Don Bell, rugged lineman, are victims of the flu and were hospitalized Wednesday. Both may be around Friday night, but they won't be up to par by any means.

Trent slipped by the Bronte Longhorns earlier in the season for their only conference win. The Gorillas lost to Hobbs last week 13-6.

Hermleigh took undisputed first place in 6-B last week by nosing out Loraine 20 to 19. Hermleigh was outplayed and went into the final period trailing 19-7.

Both Bronte and Robert Lee had open dates last week. This week the Longhorns journey to Hermleigh and the Coke County club is determined to knock off the Cardinals and regain some of their lost prestige.

Another big crowd is expected to watch the Steers here Friday night against Trent. There will be lots of action, lots of yells and noise from the cheering section and a special exhibition from the band between the halves.

Game time is 7:30. Richland Springs plays in Robert Lee next week and the season winds up with Bronte here Nov. 19.

Eileen Vaughan, sophomore student at Texas Tech arrived Friday night for a weekend visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vaughan. The family took her back to Lubbock Sunday afternoon. Eileen is employed five afternoons each week as librarian in the Architecture Dept. of the college.

CARD OF THANKS

We cannot find words to express our loving thanks and appreciation to the many friends who came to us in the hours of our bereavement over the loss of our mother. Your contribution of kindness and flowers is unsurpassed. We especially wish to thank Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Eaton and all others who helped prepare the wonderful meal for us Monday noon. May God bless each of you. — The Waldrop Family.

Methodists Will Build Addition For Child Dept.

At a Church Conference held last Wednesday night members of the Methodist Church voted to build an Educational unit 20 x 70 feet to house classes of the children's Department.

The building will be located at the rear of the present structure, and a maximum figure of \$8,000.00 was approved for its erection.

Also considered was a remodeling project for the present building which was referred to a later meeting for action. Rev. Warren Ellis announces that as soon as bids are in and a contract let, the Building Fund Campaign will be initiated.

County Votes 10 to 1 For New Court House

ENGAGED



Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Gartman of Sanco announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Melva Dean, to Mr. Butch Winkler of Abilene. The wedding date has been set for Nov. 28.

REMAINS IN HOSPITAL

Hawley Fields remains in a critical condition at an Odessa hospital where he has been treated for serious injuries received in a highway crash two weeks ago. He seemed to be recovering nicely until early this week when physicians learned he had a punctured lung, and it was necessary to insert a tube for drainage. His mother, Mrs. Hubert Fields, remains at his bedside. A sister, Mrs. Elbert Davidson, went to Odessa Wednesday and Mrs. Buster Fields returned home.

Driver Asleep, Hits Culvert, Badly Injured

J. A. McGilvray of Robert Lee received serious injuries in an auto crash Monday night. He was returning from San Angelo when he apparently fell asleep and struck a culvert railing, four miles south of town.

McGilvray was alone and his car dropped into a small ditch but did not overturn. He remained in the auto until daylight Tuesday morning when he was discovered by a truck driver and was taken to Coke County Memorial Hospital.

His injuries include a double fracture of the right arm, broken ribs, a mild concussion and an extensive scalp laceration which required more than 30 stitches.

The man had not fully recovered from a back injury received on a drilling rig a few weeks ago.

McGilvray and his family moved to Robert Lee earlier this year. He was a former well known rodeo performer, but had to give it up because of old back injuries.

Coke County is to have a new court house. At a special election Saturday the \$300,000 court house bond issue was carried by a vote of 537 to 58. The overwhelming endorsement was about 10 to 1.

All sections of the county supported the proposal and about 600 ballots were cast. Silver, Wildcat and Hayrick voted 100% for the bonds and there was only one vote against in Juniper and the absentee box. Robert Lee citizens cast 271 votes for the bonds and only two against.

Voting against the bonds were Divide, Ft. Chadbourne and Walnut.

A meeting was to be held here Thursday when the Commissioners Court would canvass the election returns and confer with the architects. Following the vote canvass, papers will be signed selling the entire bond issue to Columbian Securities Corp. of Texas at a rate of 2.35 per cent annual interest. The bonds are to be paid off within 15 years with an option of 10 years.

County officials believe it will be possible to retire the entire issue after 10 years if oil development continues in the county.

Gordon Charlton of San Angelo represents the Columbian Securities Corp. and has assisted county officials in handling the legal end of the bond election.

Thursday afternoon members of the Citizens Advisory Committee will meet in joint session with the Commissioners Court and Architect Wyatt C. Hedrick of Fort Worth and his associate, Harry Weaver of Robert Lee. Building plans will be settled as near as possible so that plans and specifications can be worked out by the architect.

The Observer has been active in bringing the new court house proposal to the attention of the voters. We have aimed to give honest facts and figures throughout the campaign, and are happy that the proposition received such a generous endorsement.

Because of the enormous increase in tax money from oil properties, Coke County has achieved an enviable position. Now we can have a new court house and pay for it without increasing taxes. And other improvements will be possible in the future.

Coke County officials are charged with the responsibility of handling and spending big sums of tax money. It is important that they spend it honestly and wisely. We are fortunate in having good men in office who can be depended upon to keep faith with the people.

BAKE SALE SATURDAY

A Bake Sale will be held Saturday, Nov. 6, in connection with the HD Clubs Achievement Exhibit in the Ivey Motor Co. building.

Mrs. Bill Havins, the former Peggy Bilbo, has taken a position in the office of County Clerk Waldon Fikes. Mrs. Eddie Good has been helping in the office the past few weeks.



MISS MARTHA SUE RICHARDSON

MARTHA SUE RICHARDSON WILL MARRIED OWEN COSGROVE DEC. 20TH

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Richardson of Robert Lee announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Martha Sue, to Owen Cosgrove, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cosgrove of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Miss Richardson was a 1954 graduate of Robert Lee High School and valedictorian of her class. She is presently enrolled at San Angelo College and has completed some work at Abilene Christian College.

Mr. Cosgrove is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma with a Cum Laude of Abilene Christian College and is minister of the church of Christ in Robert Lee.

The ceremony will take place on December 20th at the church of the first building in Robert Lee.

WTH PERKINS-PROTHRO

Leslie Copeland has taken a position as pumper with Perkins-Prothro Oil Co. and moved his family this week to the company's camp across the river southwest of Silver. He is the fifth pumper now working for Perkins-Prothro who now have more than 60 producing wells in the northwest corner of Coke County. Other Robert Lee men holding similar positions with the Wichita Falls independent oil company are John Conley and Douglas Gartman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Higgins visited over the weekend with the Paul Isbell family in Midland.

Homecoming For Ex-Students Set For November 20

Second annual Homecoming for ex-students of Robert Lee public schools has been set for Saturday, Nov. 20. The Bronte-Robert Lee football game will take place Friday night, Nov. 19.

It was voted last year not to hold the Homecoming in connection with a football game, since most of the former students coming from a distance are more interested in renewing acquaintances and visiting.

The present arrangement will permit those who desire to attend the game Friday night and also be present for the Homecoming festivities Saturday afternoon and night. A banquet will be featured.

Announcements concerning the event will be mailed soon to ex-students. Officers of the association include W. B. Clift, president; Kenneth Lackey, vice president and Mrs. L. B. Mahon, secretary-treasurer.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Nov. 28—Mrs. C. E. Bell admitted. Howard Cain dismissed.

Nov. 29—Mrs. J. D. Boykin admitted.

Nov. 30—Mrs. Sam Fowler dismissed.

Nov. 31—Mrs. Faye Turner admitted.

Nov. 1—Mrs. Faye Turner birth to twin sons. One lived only four hours. Mrs. J. D. Bell, Mrs. J. D. Boykin dismissed.

Nov. 2—Mrs. Sam Fowler, J. A. McGilvray admitted. Mrs. Faye Turner dismissed.

History of Coke County

By Jessie Newton Yarbrough

INSTALLMEN 35 NEWSPAPERS

Newspapers play a tremendous role in the daily lives of the people in areas served by them — a much bigger role, perhaps, than the majority of people realize, for the services rendered by the newspapers are manifold and varied.

Newspapers wield a strong influence on the welfare of a community.

Newspapers which have served the Coke County area include the small weekly papers published within the county and the larger daily papers published in near-by cities.

The Coke County weekly newspapers are the Robert Lee Observer and The Bronte Enterprise, while the daily papers which serve the area are the San Angelo Standard Times and The Abilene Reporter News.

The Robert Lee Observer is the oldest business institution in Coke County, having begun its sixty fifth year on June 13, 19-53. On that date the volume number changed, and time commenced ticking off another year, a year of new opportunities, a year of unsolved problems, another year of Coke County development to be chronicled.

The Robert Lee Observer had its beginning in Hayrick, the first county seat, exactly three months from the date that Coke County was created by the Texas Legislature.

The paper changed hands with almost every issue for a while. Perhaps they couldn't get the business deal settled, or couldn't make up their minds as to who was to serve as editor and publisher.

At any rate, the first issue, which was called The Coke County Democrat, was a four-column, four-page paper, "published by Warren and Edgar, at Hayrick, Texas."

The second issue of the Coke County Democrat named Warren and Mathews as editor and publisher, while a short time later Brady and Shores were proclaimed as editor and publisher.

J. S. Brady bought Shores' interest in the paper and became both editor and publisher.

Mr. Brady moved the plant to Robert Lee early in 1891, when the county seat moved there.

Then the new paper in the new town in the new county was given the name of Coke County Rustler.

The name of the paper was changed to the Robert Lee Observer in 1904, when the editor J. T. Rankin put on a subscription drive. A person could submit a name with each one dollar subscription. The person submitting the winning name was to receive a prize of five dollars cash and five years subscription to the paper.

"The Robert Lee Observer has never missed an issue, however, there are gaps in the files, some of which were destroyed in a fire some years ago.

Throughout its many years the Robert Lee Observer has carried the story of changing times, of success, of failure, of sorrows, and of joys—the stories of the weal and the woe, printing from week to week, fond pictures of Coke County as it changed, always seeking to be entertaining,

informative, and of service to all who have read its pages and to all Coke County.

That service was not always easy. During its first eighteen years, the paper was produced on a "George Washington" hand press, under tribulations that lack of adequate machinery brought. In those days the type was set by hand, and in some cases the printer's whole family was pressed into service to get out the paper.

The Robert Lee Observer, including its predecessors, has had a long list of colorful editors, some of whom spoke their minds in no uncertain terms.

George Beeman, editor and

publisher of The Rustler in 1902, often broke forth in rhyme.

A while ago 'twas awfully dry, "We cannot plow," was all the cry.

But now the ground is pretty wet We're goin' to raise a crop, you bet.

His business grew to be a Buster

Through advertising in The Rustler.

George Cowan, who owned and edited the paper for eighteen years was known over West Texas for his dry wit. Readers watched for the entertaining and good-natured, three-way banter carried on between George Cowan and "Uncle" Bill Kellis of the Sterling City News-Record and D. M. West of the Bronte Enterprise.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and assistance given in our time of sorrow; particularly to Rev. Shipman and Mr. W. B. Clift. — Mrs. Faye Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mahan

TRY A WANT AD

CATHOLIC STUDY CLUB

The Ark and Dove Study Club met Friday at the home of Mrs. R. A. Stroud. Topic of discussion was Pro and Con of the eleven amendments to be voted on Nov. 7. Officers were elected. They are: Mrs. Frank Dickey, Jr. Mrs. Frankie Percifull, secretary and treasurer. Mrs. R. A. Stroud, reporter.

Coffee, Cokes and cookies were served to Father Fidelis, Mrs. J. A. Volker, Mrs. Frank Dickey, Jr., Mrs. A. V. Hughes, Mrs. Mickey Walker, Mrs. Frankie Percifull and Mrs. R. A. Stroud.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Frank Dickey, Sr.

Robert Lewis Jay and Foy D. Smith, students at Sul Ross College in Alpine, spent the weekend with home folks in Robert Lee.

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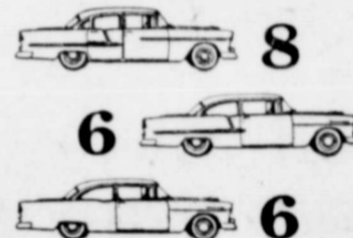


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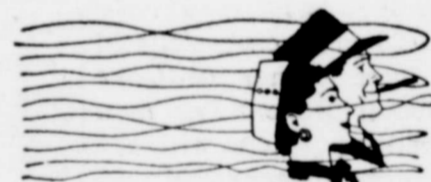
New Outrigger Rear Springs

Rear springs are longer—and they're attached at the outside of the frame. This means they're spaced wider apart, outrigger-fashion, to give you greater stability in cornering. And Chevrolet's new Hotchkiss drive cushions drive-line shocks through the rear springs!



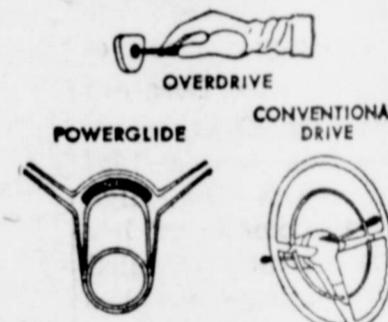
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SILVER NEWS

Methodist Church Notes

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

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met Wednesday night to hear a report on the current financial condition of the church and to make any revision necessary in the present budget and financial procedure.

Rev. Warren Ellis will be in Del Rio next Tuesday and Wednesday attending the District Conference. A report on the pro-

gress of the local church will be given.

Bob Read returned Monday to his duties as driver of the Bronte-Edith star mail route after an enforced vacation because of illness. During his absence the route was handled by A. M. Tubb.

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ing a loaded Halliburton bulk cement truck when the brakes failed as he approached Highway 80 from the Snyder Highway in Colorado City.

As the truck continued on across the highway Brown jumped from the cab but hit an old foundation and was injured with re-enforcing steel rods. He suffered bad wounds in his left hip and leg.

Brown resides in Snyder and has a wife and three children. Silver kinfolks were scheduled to visit him at the hospital on his birthday which occurred Thursday of this week. They were taking a birthday cake and other gifts.

Clayton Bloodworth, who is stationed at Carswell AFB near Ft. Worth, recently enjoyed a two weeks leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bloodworth.

Mrs. Dan Hale was over from Bronte Saturday to pay her county taxes and stopped by to renew her Observer subscription. Although grass has been scarce Mrs. Hale continues to keep a herd of milk cows, and has pulled a few boles this fall, too.

At the Church Conference last Wednesday night following the favorable vote on the building issue, the Building Committee and the Campaign Committee were elected. The Building Committee, Jack Brock, Bart Geer, Bailey Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Simpson, Sr., Bob Vaughan and Bryan Yarbrough met Saturday morning with Bill Warner of San Angelo, to finish details of the building plans.

The Campaign Committee, Mrs. Jeff Dean, Mrs. Sid Ferrell, Raymond McCutchen, Mrs. Frank Smith, Arthur Tubb and Bob Vaughan met Sunday night to lay plans for the building fund drive. Among other plans the committee is asking each group or organization of the church, if they desire, to initiate group projects in the interest of the drive.

A KICK-OFF Dinner to signal the opening of the drive was also planned, with the date for the dinner to be announced as soon as the contract is let.

The Commission on Finance, Raymond McCutchen chairman,

The Halloween Carnival held Saturday night at the school was a great success and netted \$395. The affair was sponsored by the...

Beth Newell of Silver was named Football Queen at a ceremony between halves of the Stamford-Colorado City football game Friday night. The attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Newell, Beth is a senior at Colorado City High School.

A big crowd of Silver residents attended the game and saw the Wolves win 20 to 14 over a good Stamford team. Lee Mulvan of Silver plays an end position for the Wolves and is outstanding on defense.

Sun Oil Co. production department has scheduled a stag party at the Rec Hall Thursday night this week.

Paul Gilbert was kept at home before part of the week by illness. He is chief clerk of Sun's production department.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lacik have returned from a three weeks' vacation. They visited in Corpus Christi, Oklahoma City and Rancho New Mex. Mr. Lacik is a Sun Oil Co. pumper.

Leaving Friday for two weeks vacation periods are Bob Key and J. W. Service, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mathers returned Sunday from a visit in Oklahoma with the Upton Mathers family at Seminole and the large Pennintons at Prague. Returning home they visited the Jamesons at Fritch, Tex. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jameson returned over the weekend at Big Spring with their son, G. A. Jameson and family.

Mrs. O. F. Bradham and Rosalyn accompanied Mr. and Mrs. B. Bradham to Sun field for a weekend visit with Paul Bradham and family.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen included Mrs. Allen and family of Sweetwater, the R. D. Allens of Vanhook and Mr. and Mrs. Finis Allen of San Angelo.

Guests in the Frank Mullican home last week were Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Anderson of Monahans, New Mex., Mrs. Frank Smith and son, Don, of Midland and Jerry Mullican, who is attending college at Canyon. They witnessed the football game between Colorado City Friday night.

P. P. Pew of Dallas and three representatives of the Texas University Extension Service were in Silver Tuesday making plans for a new training program which will be launched for employees of Sun's gas department.

A new course will deal with electricity in connection with pipeline plant operations. Mr. W. W. Garner, former superintendent of the training program for plant employees. He and his family now reside in Dallas and he works out of the Dallas regional office of Sun Oil Co. Employees of Jameson gas plant on vacation are Hank Garner, Claude Bradberry and E. Garner.

Gene Garner and Eddie Paul have been in Dallas the past few days for initiation of the Rite Masons.

Claude Walker, Jr. has been accepted as a permanent employee by Sun Oil Co. and left Silver last week for Premont where he will work as a roustabout. He graduated last spring from Robert Lee high school. Claude Walker, Sr. has been with Sun Oil Co. for more than 20 years and has been a pumper in the Jameson field since March, 1948.

Leslie Brown, 31, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown of Silver, was much improved at Hendricks Hospital in Abilene where he had been treated the past month for serious injuries received in a car accident. He was operat-



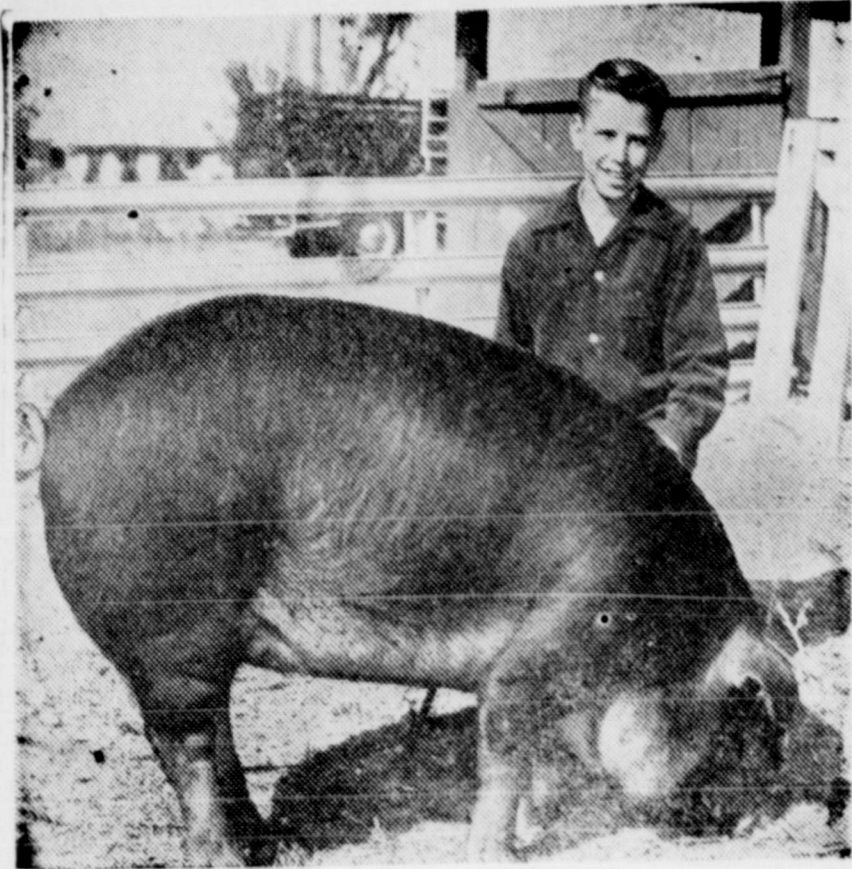
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WINNING SEARS GILT—Top placing gilt in the Sears Foundation area swine show at San Angelo Saturday was this one shown by 12-year-old Kenneth Wink of Robert Lee. The boy is a seventh grader in Robert Lee schools.

(Standard Times photo.)

ROBERT LEE YOUTHS SHOW TOP HOGS

Top honors in the Sears Foundation area swine show in San Angelo Saturday were achieved by two Robert Lee youths. Kenneth Wink showed the champion gilt, while first place for boars went to Terry Frank Bryan.

Young Wink, a seventh grader, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wink, who stock farm nine miles north of Robert Lee. Bryan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bryan, who reside 3 miles west of town. Each received \$35 cash prize money.

Coke County gilts were judged as follows: 1. Kenneth Wink; 2. Carlton Boone; 3. Bill Petty; 4. Herbert Armstrong, Edith; 4. Jerry McShan, Bronte.

Each of the gilts was given to the boys by the Sears Foundation. They will return the best gilt from the first litter to be given to other boys.

Early last summer Coke County won first in the area on the heavy litter contest. James Coalson of Bronte was the winner with a litter of 10 pigs which weighed 490 pounds when 58 days old.

Mrs. Johnnie Williams and her mother, Mrs. E. B. Creech of San Angelo, have returned from Houston where they visited their sister and daughter, Mrs. A. S. DuBas. They also stopped for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ed S. Roberts near Schulenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey spent the weekend in Dallas where the former attended a dealers meeting at which the new model Fords were shown. The new models will be displayed to the public Friday, Nov. 12.

Hayrick Lodge



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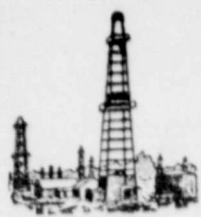
A live telecast and broadcast of the Texas-Baylor game Saturday will be sponsored by Humble Oil & Refining Co. In addition, The Humble Company will broadcast two other Southwest Conference games and Texas Tech's game with Arizona.

TV and radio time for Texas-Baylor game will be 1:50 p. m. over KTBC, TV, Austin; WFAA-TV, Dallas; WBAP-TV, Fort Worth; KGBS-TV, San Antonio; KFDX-TV, Wichita Falls; KCBD-TV, Lubbock; KFDA, TV, Amarillo; and KTXL-TV, San Angelo.

Ves Box and Bob Walker will do the radio broadcast over KTBC, Austin; WFAA-WBAP-570, Dallas - Ft. Worth; KXYZ, Houston; KTSA, San Antonio; KFDX, Wichita Falls and KPET, Lamesa.

The Rice-Arkansas game will be broadcast from Little Rock, Arkansas by Kern Tips and Jerry Doggett. Radio time will be 1:50 p. m. over KTRH, Houston; KRLD, Dallas; KGBS, San Antonio.

SMU plays Texas A&M in Dallas and Dave Russell and Eddie Barker will describe that game beginning at 1:50 p. m. over WFAA-WBAP-820, Dallas - Fort Worth; KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; KRBC, Abilene; KWFT, Wichita Falls; KGNC, Amarillo; KCBD, Lubbock; KGKL, San Angelo; KBST, Big Spring;



Notes From The Oil Field

Kewanee Oil Co., Tulsa, has filed application to drill its No. 1-E. Wend, a 3,850-foot Cisco wildcat, in Coke County, six miles southwest of Bronte and 1/2-mile east of the Wendkirk (Cisco) field, but separated by a dry hole Shamrock 8 Wendland.

Location on an 86.45-acre lease, is 330 feet from the northwest and 2,529.2 feet from the northeast (Colorado River) lines of 454-F. Medkel Survey.

Shamrock 8 Wendland was plugged and abandoned March 23 at 3,729 feet on elevation of 1,832 feet, Kelly bushing.

OUTPOSTS SET

Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. has filed application to drill two outposts to production in the Jameson (Strawn) field of Coke County.

The tests will be drilled with rotary to 6,800 feet with operations beginning when permits are approved. They are on a 7,230.75-acre lease.

The No. 24 J. E. Chappell, one mile west, is 1,800 feet from the northeast and southeast lines of 35-15-SPRR.

The No. 22 J. E. Chappell, 7/8 miles west, is 2,100 feet from the northeast and 1,200 feet from the northwest lines of 36-15-SPRR.

212-BBL. WELL

The Fuller-Coke (Strawn) field of Coke County has been extended 1/4-mile north with completion of Perkins-Prothro Co. No. 1-C W. Escue survey, 20 miles northwest of Robert Lee.

It was finaled for a daily flowing potential of 212.12 barrels of 46 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio of 957-1.

Production was through a 12-64-inch choke and perforations between 6,524-6,603 eet.

Completion was natural. Tubing pressure was 880-875 pounds; casing pressure, 240 pounds.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 1 C. H. Wylie et ux, one location east stepout to production in the Fort Chadbourne, West field of Coke County, recovered oil on a drillstem test in the upper Gardner lime.

On the 71-minute test between 5,219-69 feet, gas surfaced in 12 minutes. Recovery was 600 feet of oil, 30 feet of oil-cut mud, and 163 feet of mud. Flowing pressure was 202 pounds; 22-minute shut-in pressure, 2,105 pounds.

Location is in 474-Alfred Dor-

sey survey, five miles southeast of Blackwell.

Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 20 R. E. Hickman, indicated east extension and third Cambrian producer for the Bronte multi-pay field, swabbed 85 barrels of oil in seven hours from open hole between 5,317-5,328 feet.

Pay section had been washed with 300 gallons of mud acid.

Location is in 5-C&MRR, two miles southwest of Bronte.

TEXAS IN REVIEW

Six Southwest Conference teams will be seen in action next week on Humble Oil & Refining Company's TV program, Texas in Review. The program will fea-

ture outstanding plays filmed during the Rice-Arkansas, Texas-Baylor and SMU-Texas A&M games. Kern Tips will deliver commentary on the plays.

John Petty last Friday was relieved of the plaster cast he had worn on his right foot for two weeks. He fractured a heel when he fell a distance of 22 feet while repairing a cistern at his home northwest of town.

Returning Saturday night from a few days of fishing on the Rio Grande near Langtry were Marvin Krall, James Bynum and C. Cobb. They had good success and their catch included a 10-pound catfish.

Infant Baptism

"Infant baptism" is a popular practice in the modern religious world.

Though often referred to as such, this usually is not a baptism at all but is a sprinkling. The baptism the Lord commanded is an immersion (Acts 8:38; Romans 6:4, 5; Col. 2:12, etc.), and there is only one baptism binding on us today. (Eph. 4:5).

THE BIBLE ABSOLUTELY DOES NOT APPROVE OF SPRINKLING INFANTS AS A RELIGIOUS RITE. ANY MAN WHO PRACTICES SUCH IS ACTING WITHOUT THE AUTHORITY OF GOD AND IS IN DANGER OF CONDEMNATION. (Gal. 1:8-9)

Infants are not eligible subjects for baptism because they are not accountable to hear (Romans 10:17), to believe (Mark 16:16), to repent (Acts 2:38; Acts 17:30), nor to confess. (Luke 12:8, Romans 10:9-10).

Dear beloved, let no man tell you that sprinkling infants is New Testament baptism. At its best it is useless, and at its worst it is a blasphemous mockery of that which the Lord has commanded. **SHAME ON THE MAN WHO UPHOLDS IT!** Let such a one attempt to defend it in open public discussion!

These articles are not written to hurt others. They are designed to help us to see God's Truth that it may make us free. (John 8:28) "Take heed lest there shall be any one that maketh spoil of you through his philosophy and vain deceit, after the tradition of man, after the rudiments of the world, and not after Christ." (Col. 2:8).

Church of Christ services: Sunday: 10:15 a.m. Bible study, 11:00 Worship, 6:30 Young people's, 7:00 Worship. Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Worship and Bible study.

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PECAN PIE

- 1/2 recipe pastry
- 2 eggs, beaten
- 1 cup Karo Syrup
- *1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 tablespoons melted butter or margarine
- 1 cup pecan meats

Roll pastry 1/8 inch thick. Line a 9-inch pie pan. Mix remaining ingredients together, adding pecans last. Pour into pastry shell. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) 15 minutes; reduce heat to moderate (350° F.) and bake 30 to 35 minutes longer. *If salted nuts are used omit salt in recipe.

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The collections by the little (bigger) goblins last Saturday night totaled \$48.25. This has been sent to the U. S. Committee for UNICEF (United Nations Children Relief). It is enough to buy 20 children each a glass of milk a day for a week; or to buy 432 children a bowl of rice for a month! Or it will buy boys or girls either a dress or suit. Or again, it will administer to 240 children a treatment of penicillin for the dreaded disease, yaws. This is good will to the world peace in action.

We want to thank all those who participated in and helped make the program a success. Especially do we commend Mr. & Mrs. Gray and his fine band in their concert and leadership in parade. Also members of his committee, Rev. James Shipman, Owen Cosgrove, Mrs. Louise Smith, Mrs. Jack Waide and Welton Fikes, the Methodist Youth Fellowship in their sponsorship of the campaign, and the P. T. A., Mrs. McKinley, president, for providing the concession stand; folks of the Alamo Theater for the Halloween show at reduced prices; and W. T. McNamee for providing the court lawn lights.

And most of all we thank the children and young people and several parents who assisted in the canvass for making the activity both a success and a lot of fun.

Donald Mauldin returned Sunday to his station at Fort after a week's visit with the folks in Robert Lee. He and his family were called by the death of Mrs. Mauldin's grandfather, Mrs. J. W. Waldrop. Donald's wife and baby son remained here for a longer visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rives.

Mrs. Ethel Green and daughter, Mrs. Joyce Augustine of Dallas City, visited recently at El Paso, New Mex., with the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garrett. Mr. Garrett is seriously ill.

COURTHOUSE ELECTION October 30, 1954

Voting Precinct	For	Against
Robert Lee	271	2
Bronte	93	18
Ft. Chadbourne	6	7
Tennyson	27	6
Divide	4	6
Sanco	13	3
Silver	36	0
Green Mt.	25	4
Wildcat	10	0
Olga	6	2
Walnut	2	5
Lometa	6	3
Hayrick	11	0
Juniper	10	1
Absentee	17	1
Total	537	58

BIRTHS

ROYCE — Capt. and Mrs. Ray Royce (Jessie Pearl Summers) of Klamath Falls, Oregon, are parents of a daughter born Oct. 2. She weighed 8 pounds, 13½ ounces and has been named Patricia Eileen. She has two sisters, Roselyn and Dian. The father is at present serving overseas with the US Air Force. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Summers of Robert Lee and Mrs. W. M. Summers is the great grandmother.

TURNER TWINS — Mrs. Faye Turner of Robert Lee is the mother of identical twin sons born at 10 a. m. Oct. 31 in Coke County Memorial Hospital. James Lee weighed 3½ pounds and is doing nicely in a nursery incubator at the hospital. The other twin, Wayne, weighed 1½ pounds and lived only four hours.

Billy Carroll Green and family moved to Gainesville last week where the former will be in charge of a Yucca Construction Co. roustabout crew. It will work for Sun Oil Co. under direction of Bobby Beggs, formerly of Silver, who is production foreman for Sun in the Gainesville area. Yucca is owned by J. C. Coleman, whose contract with Sun in Coke County was recently discontinued.

Will Barnett had the cast removed Saturday from his right ankle which he fractured seven weeks ago while working with Joe Weddle's roustabout crew at Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Shellburne, Jr. and children, G. B., Gene Paul and Ruth Ann of Amarillo visited with the D. P. Keys over the weekend. The younger G. B. Shellburne filled a preaching appointment at the Northside Church of Christ Sunday morning. Other guests in the Key home Sunday were Mrs. Obie Campbell and daughter of Abilene.

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GREETING:
You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's first amended original petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 13th day of December, A. D., 1954, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Coke County, at the Court House in Robert Lee, Texas.

Said plaintiff's first amended original petition was filed on the 25th day of September, 1954.

The file number of said suit being No. 1974.

The names of the parties in said suit are: J. Willis Johnson, Mary B. Hall and Ruth J. Gordon as Plaintiff and J. W. Hinson, Mrs. G. T. Rogan, Mrs. G. T. Ragan, D. W. Ritchie, Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, Archibald Jones, Thomas H. Bradley, John A. Woods, Charles H. Ora, S. J. Murray, H. L. Scales and L. H. Taylor, the residence of each of whom is unknown; Mr. Rogan, husband of Mrs. G. T. Rogan, whose further name and residence is unknown; Mr. Ragan, husband of Mrs. G. T. Ragan, whose further name and residence is unknown; Mr. Hunter, husband of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, whose further name and residence is unknown; the unknown stockholders of Biard Development Company, a defunct corporation; the unknown heirs of J. W. Hinson, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. G. T. Rogan, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. G. T. Ragan, deceased; the unknown heirs of D. W. Ritchie, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, deceased; the unknown heirs of Archibald Jones, deceased; the unknown heirs of Thomas H. Bradley, deceased; the unknown heirs of John A. Woods, deceased; the unknown heirs of Charles H. Ora, deceased; the unknown heirs of S. J. Murray, deceased; the unknown heirs of H. L. Scales, deceased; the unknown heirs of L. H. Taylor, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mr. Rogan, deceased, husband of Mrs. G. T. Rogan, any further name of said Mr. Rogan being unknown; the unknown heirs of Mr. Ragan, deceased, husband of

Mrs. G. T. Ragan, any further name of the said Mr. Ragan being unknown; the unknown heirs of Mr. Hunter, deceased, husband of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, any further name of the said Mr. Hunter being unknown; as defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows:

For the title and possession of the North Half (N2) of the Northeast Quarter (NE/4); the Southwest Quarter (SW/4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE/4); the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of the Southeast (SE/4); and the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of the Northwest Quarter (NW/4); of Section 77, in Block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., in Coke County, Texas; plaintiffs claiming title under the 5 year and 10 year statutes of limitation.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the the 27th day of October, 1954.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Robert Lee, Texas, this the 27th day of October A. D., 1954.

Weldon Fikes
Clerk of the District Court of Coke County, Texas.

By Winnie Waldrop, Deputy (Seal)

Mr. and Mrs. W. D McAdams returned Sunday from a week's vacation They spent several days near Cassville, Mo., with their old Winters friends, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hobbs, and also visited a cousin of Mrs. McAdams, D. C. Oeff, at Fayetteville, Ark. Mr. McAdams reports the drouth has been broken in southwestern Missouri where generous rains have been received since in September.

Coke Added To Drouth Disaster Area

Coke County was added to the Drouth Disaster Area October 29, 1954. No application blanks have been received as yet. It is expected they will be ready not later than the first part of next week. The local ASC office will take applications and turn them to the County FHA Committee for approval.

The Emergency Feed Grain program is part of the Department of Agriculture's total drouth relief operations. Under the program, surplus CCC feed grain stocks are made available to farmers in designated drouth areas as a means of preventing the liquidation of foundation herds.

The special "Purchase Order" enables the farmer to obtain feed grains from established feed dealers at \$1.00 per hundred weight below prevailing local sales prices.

Feed and grain dealers then receive a certificate which may be used to buy designated CCC owned surplus feed grains either directly or indirectly through regular suppliers.

DIVIDE HARRIS RANCH
Mrs. Harry Weaver and her sister, Mrs. Beverley St. George Tucker, have divided the remaining 2,100 acres of the former Harris Ranch, lying east of the highway south of Robert Lee. A new fence dividing the property is now being constructed. When the ranch was divided among the two heirs a few years ago, the 2,100 acre tract was not included because of the talk at that time of building a huge dam on the Colorado River several miles southeast of Robert Lee.

PERSONALS

Commissioner and Mrs. Ed Hickman and their daughter, Mrs. Austin Sandusky of Bronte, motored to Levelland for a week-end visit with Johnny Mac Hickman and family. John is coaching at Levelland this season and is making a good record. He informed his folks that a newspaper account of a near-riot after

the Big Spring game last week was badly exaggerated.

Rev. and Mrs. Ray Lee of Rankin were over night guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Crum.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Huggins stopped here Sunday for a brief visit with Mr and Mrs. R. S. Crum. They were enroute to their home at Burnet from a hunting trip to Colorado. Mrs. Huggins is a sister of Mrs. Crum.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Pierce Tuesday on a five days' trip the Rio Grande Valley in South Texas. They were guests of Sweetwater real estate agent. Mr. and Mrs. John Petty are now residing in Ozona where Mrs. Petty has been employed the past month as nurses assistant in the Ozona hospital. Mr. Petty joined her there this week and will do electrical work.



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Exhibit Set for Saturday

Annual Home Demonstration Achievement Exhibit will be held Saturday, Nov. 6, from 10 a. m. until 5 p. m. in the Ivey Motor Co. building in Robert Lee.

There will be a general exhibit of hand work by each individual, also educational exhibits of demonstrations given during the year. These will be prepared by members of the Womens Home Demonstration Clubs of the county. The public is invited.

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Allens Hosts At Barbecue For Wildlife Group

The Coke County Game Management Assn. named new officers and discussed problems for restoration of wildlife in this county when members met for a barbecue Tuesday at the Hawley Allen and Gerald Allen ranch near Hayrick.

Raymond Schooler was named president, succeeding Delmir Sheppard.

Other officers include Bert Blaylock, vice president and J. E. Quisenberry, secretary. Blaylock and L. E. Smith, neighbors of near Lometa, will be hosts for next year's meeting.

Rep. A. J. Bishop of Winters; Jim White, game warden of San Angelo; A. V. Sheppard of Robert Lee, Soil Conservation Service, and Dean Chenoweth, editor of The Standard-Times, San Angelo, spoke briefly.

Bishop said he is interested in learning what the ranchmen and farmers desire in the way of legislation.

White noted that drought had hampered some plans of the State Game and Fish Commission to replenish game in some areas. The restocking program had to be curtailed because of the lack of water, he said. He congratulated Coke County, however in the success of the program there. He said that wildlife had deteriorated less in Coke County than in many other West Texas areas.

Sheppard showed the parallel between game management and soil conservation and the way the two associations are conducted. He said that a good cover area 200 by 300 feet located above a

pond or lake would not only provide for wildlife but would serve to catch silt that otherwise would get into the reservoir.

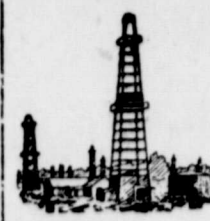
Vetch, guar, and other grasses around the fences provide cover for game. He urged conservation of the soil, comparing it to a checking account in the bank.

Chenoweth noted the potentials of the hunting season as a means of supplementing range income.

BELL DAUGHTERS REUNION

The nine daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell held their annual reunion last Saturday and Sunday. The enjoyable event took place in the home of Mrs. Jeffie Garrett in Big Spring. Six husbands were also present. The group includes Mmes. Ruby Sturman of Elida, New Mex., Opal Brown of San Angelo, Jodie Lowery of Lubbock, Willie Clark and Alta Bilbo of Robert Lee, Jeffie Garrett, Lois Landers of Midland, Ruth Denman of Tyler and Robbie Turner of San Angelo.

John L. Bruton arrived in San Francisco recently from sea duty in the for Pacific. He expects to be discharged this week after serving nearly four years in the Navy. His wife, the former Janie Sue Higgins, is planning to meet him this weekend in El Paso.



Notes From The Oil Field

Coke County with 21 rigs ranked high among other counties in the Permian Basin for the number of drilling operations underway Oct. 25.

SUN STAKES LOCATION

Sun Oil Co. has staked its No. A-3 Victor McCabe, outpost to the McCabe field just north of Silver in Mitchell County. Location is 1,980 feet from east and 3,300 feet from north lines of Section 231. The drilling contractor has not been announced.

STANOLIND STAKES TWO

Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. of Fort Worth has filed application to drill two 6,800-foot outposts to production in the Jameson (Strawn) field of Coke County, west of Silver.

The rotary projects will be on a 7,230.75-acre lease.

The No. 26 J. E. Chappell, 1-3/8 mile west, is 1,200 feet from the northwest and 600 feet from the northeast lines of 22-15-SP-RR.

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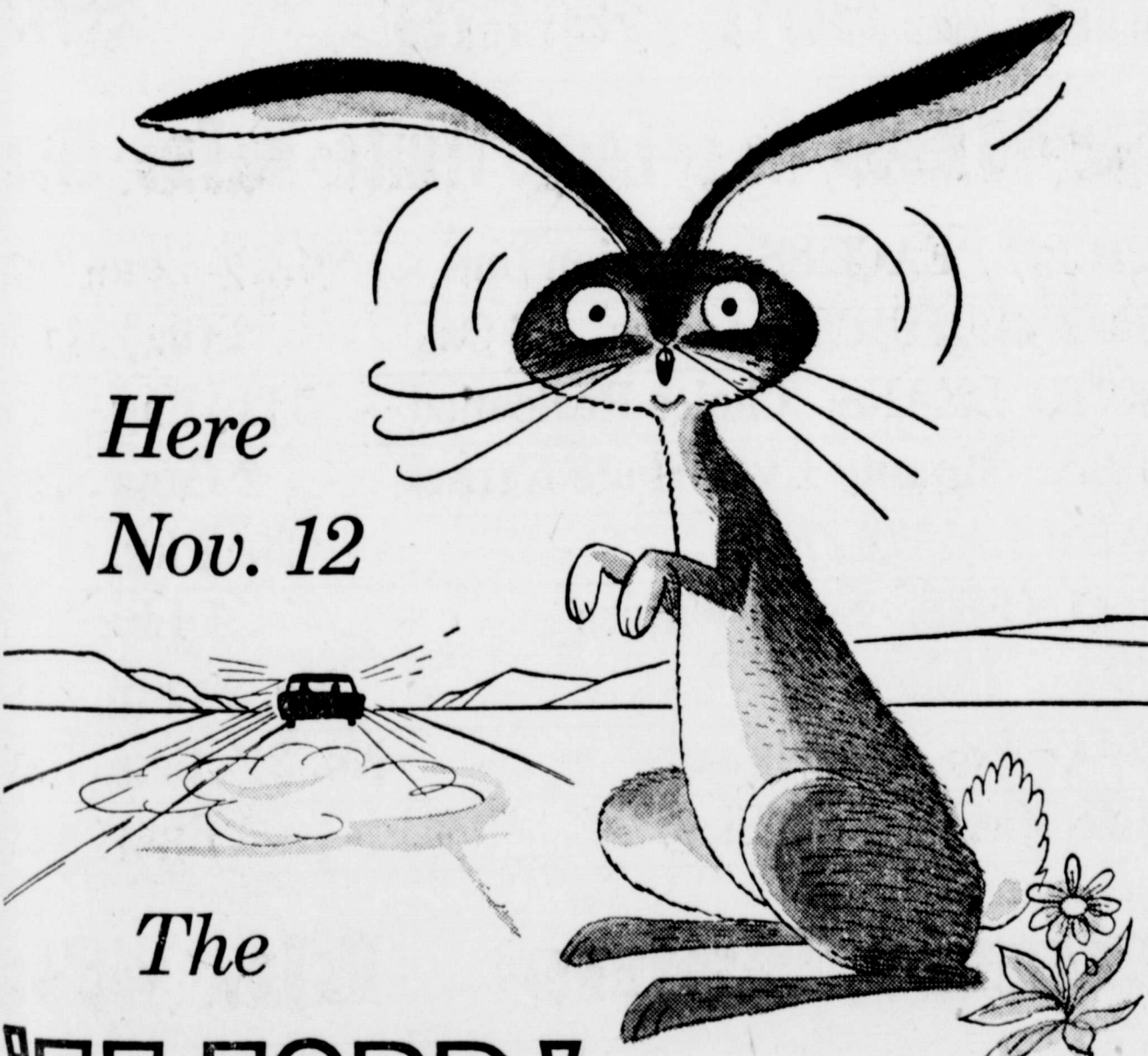
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Tuesday's Vote Less Than 500 In Coke County

Coke County residents cast less than 500 ballots in Tuesday's General Election. There were no local or district contests, and little support was generated for the Republican candidates for U. S. Senator and Governor.

All candidates for state, district and county offices nominated in the Democratic primaries, were elected this week with little or no opposition. At Dallas a Republican was elected to Congress over his Democratic opponent.

In Robert Lee 124 votes were cast and Bronte had 121. Silver was third with 40, Tennyson cast 32 ballots and Sanco 25.

Governor Shivers headed the ticket with 441 votes, and his Republican opponent received 6. The county vote on U. S. Senator was Lyndon Johnson 424, Watson 12, Spangler 1.

Considerable interest centered around the 11 proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution, everyone of which seem to have carried in a statewide vote. Coke County, however, gave its approval to only three. Worst defeat locally was for the amendment requiring women to serve on the jury.

Here's the way the amendments fared in Coke County:

1. — Old Age Assistance; For 210, Against 164.
2. — Retirement Credits; For 161, Against 213.
3. — Employee Benefits; For 142, Against 204.
- 4.—Confederate Pension Fund; For 248, Against 113.
5. — State Salaries; For 154, Against 213.
6. — Toll Road Grants; For 150, Against 204.
7. — Women Jurors; For 101, Against 285.
8. — Four Year Terms; For 118, Against 266.
9. — Hospital Districts; For 116, Against 230.
10. — Military Voting; For 214, Against 127.
11. — Tax Officials; For 165, Against 172.

TRY A WANT AD

rites Held For Infant

Wayne Lee, one of identical twins born here Sunday at 10 a.m. to Mrs. Faye Turner, died four hours after birth.

Brief funeral services were held at Clift Funeral home Monday afternoon in charge of Rev. James C. Shipman, and burial followed in Robert Lee cemetery.

The other twin, James, weighed 3½ pounds and seems to be doing nicely.

The 15-year-old mother came to Robert Lee six weeks ago and has been making her home with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Mahan. Mr. Mahan is employed by Ard Drilling Co.

Mrs. Turner has a divorce from her husband pending.

Skinny Adams Buys Control Angelo Colts

S. E. (Skinny) Adams has purchased Mrs. W. A. Guinn's 41 per cent of stock in the San Angelo Colts. He and his wife previously owned 12 per cent of the stock, and they are now in control of the professional ball club and the valuable stadium.

At a stockholders meeting this week Pat McLaughlin was engaged as the Colts new manager. He has had fine success with other clubs and is expected to bring the San Angelo team out of the dumps.

Mr. Adams and his family have resided in San Angelo the past few years, but still regard Robert Lee and Coke County as their home. Skinny has extensive oil holdings in this county and other parts of West Texas.

He has been active in business and civic affairs in San Angelo and was vice president of the Colts organization the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Pentecost and her father, I. A. Bird, returned Saturday from a motor trip to Mississippi where they went to meet Mrs. Bird, who had spent a month in the home of her sister at Gulfport. The Sanco people were gone eight days and enjoyed many points of interest enroute to and from their destination.

OES Honors For Mrs. G. C. Allen

Signal honor came to a Robert Lee woman last week when Mrs. Gerald C. (Ione) Allen was named deputy grand matron of Section 1, District 5, Order of the Eastern Star in Texas.

She will have jurisdiction over 14 chapters in this locality, and her first official visit will take place at her home chapter in Robert Lee Thursday night of this week. A dinner for chapter members will be served at the chapter dining room preceding the meeting.

Mrs. Allen served previously in this position and in 1940 held the office of Grand Adah under Mrs. Lillian Bernard of Lubbock.

Attending the grand chapter sessions of the OES in Houston last week were Mrs. Allen, Mrs.

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Bob (Juanita) Godwin, and Mrs. Nancy Stephenson. The latter served as a page. Mrs. Godwin, is worthy matron of the Robert Lee chapter, and also held that office in Levelland a few years ago.

J. T. (Bud) Jones and family of Irving were weekend visitors among Robert Lee relatives and friends.

B. N. Shropshire of Aloha, Oregon, visited here recently with his father, B. W. Shropshire, and a sister, Mrs. D. P. Key. He and his family were former residents of Robert Lee

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to neighbors and friends for the sympathy and many acts of kindness extended during the illness and death of our son and brother, Lloyd. — M. W. Johnson and Children

A big crowd attended the singing last Sunday afternoon at the North Side Church of Christ in Robert Lee. Calvin Wall was in charge of the evening. Guests were present from Bronte, Ballinger, Winters, Loraine and San Angelo.

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SUPER MARKET

12 OZ. PKG.

Frozen Spinach

17c

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8 OZ. PKG.

Cut Green Beans

18c

SPUDS No.1 Long White Lb. 5c

SPICED PEACHES, Mission Inn - No. 2½ Can 27c

ORANGE JUICE, Adams, 46 Oz. - 3 for \$1.00

PINTO BEANS, Choice Recleaned - 5 Lb. Bag 49c

CORN, Kounty Kist Whole Kernel - 2 Cans 29c

VANILLA WAFERS - - - - 25c Pkg. 19c

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

CHILI, Ireland's - - - - No. 2 Can 45c

PEACHES, Stokely's - - - - No. 2½ Can 33c

LUX SOAP, Bath Size - - - - 4 Bars 43c

SWIFT'S COOKED

Picnic Hams Lb. 43c

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Sliced Bacon Lb. 53c

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