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COKE PIONEER WOMAN DIES AT AGE OF 98

Mrs. David F. (Mary Elizabeth Burch) Millican, 98, Coke County resident for 61 years, died at 9 p.m. Tuesday in a Roscoe rest home after a brief illness.

She had been in failing health for some time and was a patient in the rest home about a year. The body was brought to Robert Lee Tuesday night in the Clift funeral coach.

Funeral services were scheduled for 3 p.m. Thursday at Pecan Baptist Church, west of Edith. The pastor, Rev. Jimmy Rogers of San Angelo, will officiate, assisted by Rev. Bennie Smith of the Robert Lee Baptist Church.

Burial will be in Paint Creek cemetery at Edith under direction of Clift Funeral Home. Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Mrs. Millican was born in Bosque County, March 6, 1858. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Burch, came to Texas when they were children and her father was a pioneer Baptist minister.

Mrs. Millican's memory carried back to fears of unfriendly Indians and the days of carding cotton. She and the late Mr. Millican were married Oct. 28, 1873. In 1894, the couple with their six children settled a few miles west of Edith. Mr. Millican died Jan. 14, 1936.

A few years later Mrs. Millican and her daughter, Josie, moved to San Angelo to make their home. The daughter passed away two years ago.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Henry L. Burk and Mrs. R. A. Linney, both of San Angelo, and Mrs. D. J. Walker of Robert Lee; four sons, W. M. Millican, Pleas Millican and C. C. Millican, all of Edith, and Charlie Millican of San Angelo.

There are also 32 grandchildren, 74 great-grandchildren, and 6 great-great-grandchildren.

Moore Twins On National H-D Program

June and Jean Moore, twin 4-H club members from Bronte, appeared on the program for the National Home Demonstration Council Wednesday in San Antonio. These girls wore a western outfit and sang four numbers on the program.

Delegates numbering over 2,000 from 29 states and four possessions attended the National Meeting for Home Demonstration Women held in the Municipal Building.

June and Jean were invited to sing on the program during the Western States program.

The Coke County H. D. Council helped sponsor the trip for the girls and their mother, Mrs. Foy L. Moore. They were accompanied by the Coke County Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Fay C. Roe, and Miss Gladys Waldrop.

June and Jean were interviewed by Mrs. Katherine Randall of the Farmer Stockman magazine. Their story will appear in the magazine in a few months.

Lewis Heuvel and family are enjoying a visit this week from his mother, Mrs. Mary Heuvel, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wisneski and son, Walter Glenn, all of Houston.



MARY BETH SCHOOLER

Miss Schooler To Model Dress At State Fair

On Saturday, October 6, forty-six high scoring 4-H Club girls will model their garments in the annual State 4-H Dress Revue. These girls represent more than 6,000 girls who took part in the county and district revues this year.

The revue will be staged in the women's building on the State Fair grounds at 10:30 A. M. as a feature of Rural Youth Day. Mary Beth Schooler will model the Nile green and gray wool suit she made during the Clothing Workshop held in May. Her blouse is of gray pima and cotton. Her accessories will be a black beaver toque, neutral gloves, black kid purse and shoes.

Judges will score models on construction, selection of design and fabric, becomingness, fit, choice of accessories, grooming, posture, poise, and on a record of other 4-H achievements.

Top award will be an all expense paid trip to National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago to model in the National 4-H Dress Revue. Mary Beth will be accompanied to Dallas by Mrs. Fay Roe, C. H. D. A., Miss Mayme Coalson, Tom Green C. H. D. A., and three other participants from District 7.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snead and the J. F. McCabe, Jr. family spent the weekend at Hobbs, New Mex., with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Watkins. Mrs. Watkins is the former Johnibeth Snead.

Swimming Pool Concrete Work Nears Finish

Concrete walls and floor of the swimming pool in the new county park at Robert Lee will be finished by Thursday night of this week, according to A. G. Blucher, engineer's inspector on the project.

After the excavation was made for the 80 x 40 foot pool, re-inforcing steel was put in position and the concrete has been sprayed on under heavy pressure. This process is being used almost entirely on swimming pool construction these days.

The inside of the pool will be finished in white. Concrete walks and a heavy fence will surround the pool.

Work is well along on the new community house in the park and the bath house and pool filtering system.

KIDS PARADE, TALENT SHOW HERE OCT. 13

Saturday of next week, October 13, will be a big day in Robert Lee when Coke County's beautiful new court house will be dedicated.

Dedication ceremonies take place in the afternoon, while a highly interesting forenoon program has been arranged by the Robert Lee Board of Community.

Turn to Page 3 in this newspaper for a detailed program of events arranged for Court House Dedication Day in Robert Lee Saturday, October 13.

Open house will be observed from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. to give everyone an opportunity to look over the building. County officials and employees will be on hand to show visitors the various departments of the court house.

The Commissioners Court in session Monday issued a special invitation to former Coke County residents to return for the dedication and renew old friendships. All former county officials will be guests of honor.

Speakers at the dedication will include Cong. O. C. Fisher, Judge Joe L. Mays, Senator Dorsey B. Hardeman, County Judge Henry Rumpy of Ballinger and L. T. Youngblood of Bronte. County Auditor Weldon Fikes will serve as master of ceremonies.

The program will begin at 3 p.m. following a flag raising and playing of the National Anthem by the Bronte and Robert Lee school bands. Speeches will be short and the program should require little more than an hour. There will be some time for visiting before the BCD Barbecue at the football stadium at 5 p.m.

PET AND DOLL PARADE

A Pet and Doll Parade at 10 a.m. is expected to attract youngsters from all over the county. The event is something new here, but in other places it has proved wonderfully successful.

Mrs. W. T. Roach is chairman of the Pet and Doll Parade, with Mrs. Travis McNair as her assistant. Others on the committee are Mrs. T. A. Davis, Mrs. J. E. Quisenberry, Mildred Wallace, Mrs. T. M. Wylie, Jr., Violet Brown, Mrs. Chas. Kennedy and Mrs. C. G. Walker.

TALENT CONTEST

Then at 11 o'clock there will be a Talent Contest on the pavement west of the court house. A lot of entries are expected to compete for the cash prizes.

Garland Davis is chairman of the Talent Contest and is being assisted by Mrs. Frank Coalson, Mrs. W. J. Humphrey, Mrs. Jeff Dean and Jack Denman.

Advance entries should be filed as soon as possible.

Robert Lee business firms have raised more than \$150.00 to be given away in prize money to contestants in the forenoon programs. W. D. McAdams is finance chairman.

Mrs. Coke Austin was over from San Angelo Monday visiting friends and looking after business matters. She reports that her son, Alfred (Bub), recently returned to the States after a long period in the far Pacific. He is now in a naval hospital at Oakland for surgery on his hand, but hopes to be home within a few weeks.

BARBECUE TICKETS

Everyone is invited to attend the Barbecue following the court house dedication. The event takes place at 5 p.m. at the football stadium and will be served by Fred Harris catering firm of San Angelo. Plates will be \$1.00 each and advance reservations will be necessary. If you and your family and friends plan to attend, buy tickets by Thursday noon, Oct. 11. Tickets may be purchased at the Robert Lee State Bank, Ivey Motor Co. or The Robert Lee Observer office.

Band Parents Elect Officers

The Band Parents Club held its first meeting Sept. 25 and elected the following officers:

President, Mrs. W. T. Roach.
Vice-Pres., Mrs. H. S. Lewis, Jr.
Secy-treas., Mrs. J. E. Quisenberry.

Reporter, Mrs. I. M. Bird.

The fourth Tuesday of each month was designated for regular club meetings during the year. Activities to be sponsored were discussed.

All parents of band children are urged to attend meetings and join the club. It takes each one to make the organization the success it should be. Do your fair share and it will be a success.

Next meeting will be Oct. 23 at 7 p.m. Come and bring a friend. See you there. — Helen Bird, Reporter.

Sterling City Plays at Silver

A big crowd was expected at Silver Thursday night of this week when the Silver Indians tangled with Sterling City in a junior high 6-man football game. Kickoff time was set for 7:30. A close contest was anticipated between the two well matched clubs.

Robert Lee marching band and twirlers were to attend the game and give a performance between halves.

Last week Guy Wheeler's Indians ran over Mozelle by a score of 53 to 0, with every man on the squad seeing action. Mr. Wheeler predicted his boys would have their hands full against Sterling City.



BRIDE—Mrs. Charles McDaniel was the former Judith Anne Jones before her marriage in Robert Lee Sept. 22. She is a recent graduate in nursing at Columbia University Hospital in New York City. Mr. McDaniel and his bride are residing at Lawton, Okla., where he is stationed in the army at Fort Sill.

STEERS TRAVEL TO ELDORADO FRIDAY NIGHT

Robert Lee Steers journey to Eldorado Friday night to engage the Class A Eagles, a team favored to win its conference.

But Robert Lee fans are optimistic and are backing their Steers to bring home a victory.

Everybody's going. The marching band, the twirlers, the yell leaders and the student body, besides hundreds of highly partisan fans.

Eldorado has about the same club that licked Robert Lee 27-0 here last season. They opened this year with a 26-0 win over San Felipe, then suffered a 20-0 defeat at Big Lake.

Last week the Eagles took a 46-0 victory at Loraine. Long runs were largely responsible, with Stockton, Harris, Sofge, Bellman and Kerr doing some fancy running.

There should be plenty of scores down on the Eldorado field Friday night, as the Steers also have offensive power this year and can gain both through the line and in the air.

Coach C. D. Manire reports his injured players have improved during two weeks' rest resulting from Melvin's cancellation last week. Robbie Don Godwin still has a sore finger, but he'll do some ball lugging from his full-back position. He only carried the ball three times at Santa Anna.

Don Stewart's sprained ankle isn't well, but he'll be in there at least part time as an offensive end. Sam Ed Skipworth has a broken thumb in a cast, but will play.

Quarterback Tom Sawyer and Halfbacks Freddie Ashworth and Freddie McDonald will rest as much as possible on defense, with Sammy Duncan and Gary Jackson working as defensive halfbacks, and Troy Walls at the linebacker's position.

Bronte took a 20-0 victory from Bangs last Friday, and the Longhorns have an open date this week. They might need it as they tangle with Hermleigh the following week.

Hermleigh didn't look too good last week in being trounced 25-6 by Rochester. Trent beat the Abilene Sophs 20-6.

NEW FORDS HERE

First showing of the 1957 Fords was held this week, with Ivey Motor Company of Robert Lee exhibiting five of the new models. Coffee and donuts were served to visitors Wednesday. Many persons are stopping by to inspect the 1957 Fords which have many changes and improvements. The new cars will be on exhibit the remainder of the week.

If You Don't Get the Observer
You Don't Get the News

BIRTHS

DUNCAN — Mr. and Mrs. Donny Duncan of Robert Lee are parents of a daughter born Sept. 26 in the Bronte Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, six ounces and has been named Donna Marie. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tomlinson of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Duncan of Robert Lee. The husband is employed by Texas Natural Gasoline Corp.



From the road up, 1957 Fords are a complete departure from previous models. They will be unveiled by Ford dealers in 19 body styles, of which this is the four door Victoria, a member of the new "Fairlane 500" series. Fairlane models are nine inches longer and four inches lower than their 1956 counterparts. Though the new models are lower, interior headroom is as great as last year, since the car's chassis and floor are re-designed for a lower center of gravity.

'57 Models Show Biggest Change In Ford History

Dearborn, Mich.—for the first time in its 53-year history, Ford Motor Company will produce two sizes of Ford cars, the company announced this week. The 19 new models which were unveiled by Ford dealers Wednesday morning will have the highest performance engines ever offered in the low price field.

R. S. McNamara, Ford Motor Company vice president and Ford Division general manager, said the 1957 Fords "represent the biggest change in the modern history of the Ford car."

The new Ford line divides into two basic sizes, Fairlane and Custom, plus the station wagon series, each with its own body and chassis. In addition, the Fairlane series has been expanded to offer "Fairlane 500" models, which have extra luxury features.

The 1957 Fairlane and Fairlane 500 sedans are nine inches longer and four inches lower than last year's comparable models. Custom and Custom 300 sedans are more than three inches longer. Fairlanes and Fairlane 500's are built on a 118-inch wheelbase. Station wagons, Customs and Custom 300's have a 116-inch wheelbase.

"There has been no sacrifice of headroom inside the car, in spite of their reduced height," Mr. McNamara said. "The new frame extends to the sides of the car, and this permits the floor to be lowered inside the frame rails."

"The design and styling are new from the ground up. Every dimension is changed. Wheels, frame, rear axle, drive shaft, engines, and every inch of sheet met-

al in every body style are definite departures from past models," he explained.

Riding ease has been greatly improved by using a longer, wider frame with lower pressure tires on wider treads, and employing redesigned ball-joint suspension in front and outboard-mounted longer leaf springs in back. Because there is more spring length ahead of the rear axle, front end dip on quick stops is checked better than ever before.

"Durability is built into the 1957 Ford through stronger alloy metals, greater use of insulation and sound-deadening materials, longer-wearing fabrics and plastics, and strengthening of mechanical parts," Mr. McNamara pointed out.

For the first time, a high performance V-8 engine is available as an optional power plant on all Ford cars. The engine, called the Thunderbird Special, develops 245 horsepower, and is equipped with a four-barrel low silhouette carburetor.

Standard engine for the Fairlane and station wagon series is the 212 h.p. Thunderbird V-8. A 190 h.p. V-8 is standard for the Custom and Custom 300 series. Both have two-barrel carburetors. In addition, the 144 h.p. Mileage Maker six is available on all models. All engines can be ordered with standard, overdrive or Fordomatic transmissions.

When School Bus Stops, Motorist Must Stop Also

Texas school superintendents, news editors and other citizens have been requested to give statewide emphasis and interpretation

to the oft-neglected Texas law which requires all vehicles to stop when approaching a school bus loading or unloading children. Three state agencies, The Texas Education Agency, Texas Highway Department, and the Texas Department of Public Safety joined in making the appeal.

Texas school buses were involved in 379 accidents in rural areas (outside city limits) during 1955. Three children and two adults were killed in these accidents.

"Even one preventable accident, as we all know, is one too many," said J. W. Edgar, Commissioner of Education. "A study of the various replies which have been made to the question of what drivers of other vehicles should do when they approach a school bus which is loading or unloading children reveals a startling lack of understanding and a great deal of misunderstanding concerning what the statutes require."

The law says, in effect, that upon meeting or overtaking from either direction a school bus which

has stopped on the highway for the purpose of receiving or discharging children, the driver shall stop immediately before passing, then proceed with due caution at a speed which is prudent and does not exceed ten miles per hour. The law does not apply within city limits.

Vehicles are not required to stop on highway with separate roadways when the bus is on a different roadway from that of a passing vehicle. Vehicles are not required to stop if the school bus is stopped in a loading zone which is part of or adjacent to a controlled access highway and where pedestrians are not permitted to cross the roadway.

Edgar said motorists can identify a school bus easily because "SCHOOL BUS" appears in large letters across the front and rear of each bus. "All public school buses are painted in a uniform yellow color and trimmed in black," he pointed out. "School buses are equipped with flasher lights front and rear and usually mounted high on the bus. Flashers are used only when the bus is in the process of stopping or is stopped to receive or discharge children."

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Young were honored with a birthday celebration Sept. 29 in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wojtek. Their birthday days occur on the same day. Twenty-five guests were present, including Mrs. Young's four sisters and one sister of Mr. Young. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Townsend of Del Rio, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Childress, Mrs. R. A. Perry, Mrs. R. L. Young and Mrs. C. H. Ray of Miles; Mrs. W. A. Perry, Mrs. A. E. Pace, Mrs. Mildred Farris and Maryland Russell of San Angelo; Mrs. Archie Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Townsend of Eldorado and Mr. and Mrs. Miller Montgomery of Haskell.

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TV TIPS—

Every time we have lightning or a bad sandstorm the TV Repair Business picks up. The only safe thing to do is to disconnect the antenna lead-in and unplug the set when this kind of weather occurs. We will be glad to sell you a clothespin clip for easy disconnection of your lead-in.

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Statement of Condition

Robert Lee State Bank

ROBERT LEE, TEXAS

SEPTEMBER 26TH, 1956

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$ 409,008.60	Capital Stock \$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts 2,446.04	Surplus 50,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 2,950.70	Undivided Profits 11,434.84
Future Banking Site 40,593.45	Reserves 2,500.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock 2,850.00	Deposits 1,437,319.77
U. S. Bonds and Securities 517,717.00	
State and County Bonds and Securities 171,913.13	
Cash and Exchange 403,775.69	
Total \$1,551,254.61	Total \$1,551,254.61

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T. A. Richardson, Vice President and Cashier

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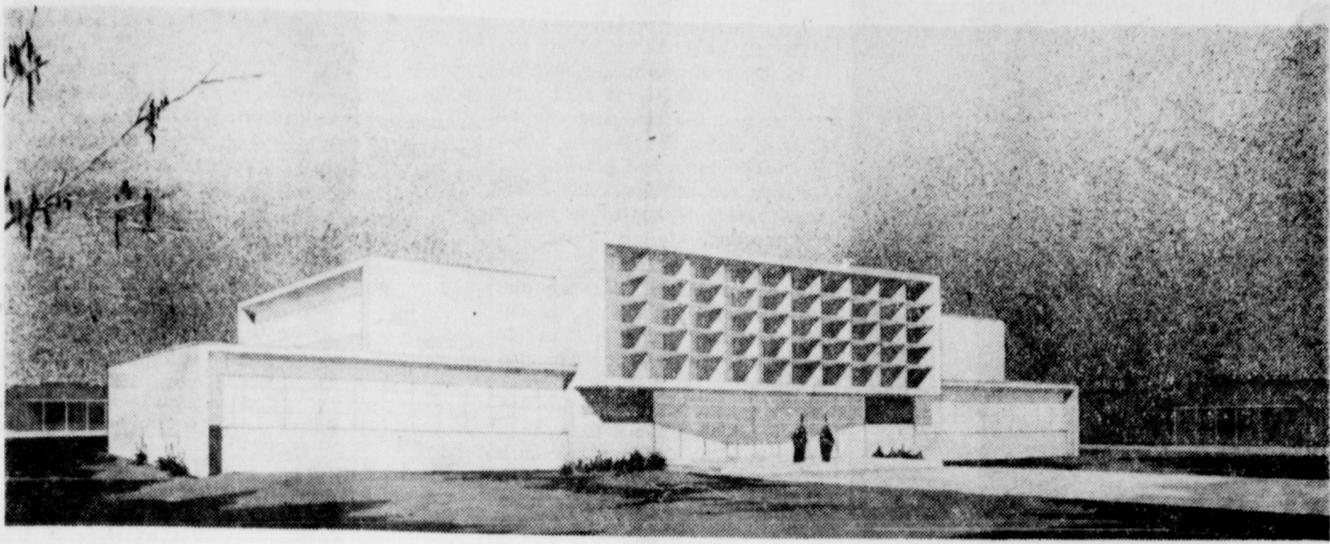
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The Commissioners Court and other County Officials take great pleasure in extending a cordial invitation to the public to attend a Dedication of the new

COKE COUNTY COURT HOUSE

At ROBERT LEE, TEXAS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1956

PET AND DOLL PARADE

10:00 O'Clock A. M.

Every boy and girl in Coke County is invited to enter any one of these divisions:

CHILDREN UNDER 8 YEARS	CHILDREN UNDER 14 YEARS
Division 1. Girls with Dolls	Division 1. Girls with Dolls
1st Prize \$5.00 Cash	1st Prize \$5.00 Cash
2nd Prize 4.00 Cash	2nd Prize 4.00 Cash
3rd Prize 3.00 Cash	3rd Prize 3.00 Cash
4th Prize 2.00 Cash	4th Prize 2.00 Cash
5th Prize 1.00 Cash	5th Prize 1.00 Cash
Division 2. Boys and Girls under 8 Years, with Pets, Bikes, Carts, Wagons, Ponies, Etc.	Division 2. Boys and Girls under 14 Years, with Pets, Bikes, Carts, Wagons, Ponies, Etc.
1st Prize \$5.00 Cash	1st Prize \$5.00 Cash
2nd Prize 4.00 Cash	2nd Prize 4.00 Cash
3rd Prize 3.00 Cash	3rd Prize 3.00 Cash
4th Prize 2.00 Cash	4th Prize 2.00 Cash
5th Prize 1.00 Cash	5th Prize 1.00 Cash
Division 3. Boys and Girls under 8 Years, Comedy or Raggamuffin	Division 3. Boys and Girls, under 14 Years, Comedy or Raggamuffin
1st Prize \$5.00 Cash	1st Prize \$5.00 Cash
2nd Prize 4.00 Cash	2nd Prize 4.00 Cash
3rd Prize 3.00 Cash	3rd Prize 3.00 Cash
4th Prize 2.00 Cash	4th Prize 2.00 Cash
5th Prize 1.00 Cash	5th Prize 1.00 Cash

No advance entry required. Be on hand at Methodist Church corner in Robert Lee by 9:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 13. TEACHERS of Bronte, Silver and Robert Lee—Explain this wonderful Pet and Doll Parade to your pupils and tell them they should take part.

11 A. M. at Court House Square TALENT SHOW

ENTRIES OPEN TO YOUNG AND OLD

Lower Division: 6th Graders and Below
Cash Prizes of \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00 and \$1.00.
Other Division: Adults and Children from 7th Grade up
Cash Prizes of \$7.00, \$5.00 and \$3.00.

Send Entries to Garland Davis, Chairman, Robert Lee, Texas. Get your entry in early and be sure of getting a place on the program. Entries will be accepted until starting time, only if there is room on the Talent Show Program.

The forenoon program is sponsored by the Robert Lee Board of Community Development.

AFTERNOON PROGRAM

- 2:00 P. M.
Parade by Bronte and Robert Lee High School Bands and Silver Indians Pep Squad. Drills and Twirling Exhibitions.
- 2:45 P. M.
Flag Raising at Court House. National Anthem played by combined Bronte and Robert Lee Bands.
- 3:00 P. M.
Dedication Program Weldon Fikes, County Auditor
Master of Ceremonies
Invocation Rev. Travis McNair
Pastor Robert Lee Methodist Church
Song, "America the Beautiful" Methodist Boys Choir
Mrs. Jeff Dean, Director
Address of Welcome L. T. Youngblood
President 1st Nat'l Bank of Bronte
Response Hon. Joe L. Mays
Judge 51st District Court
Response Hon. W. H. Rampy
Russels County Judge, Ballinger
Address Hon. O. C. Fisher
Congressman 21st Texas District
Address Hon. Dorsey B. Hardeman
State Senator, 25th District
Vocal Duet June and Jean Moore, Bronte
Benediction Rev. Bennie Smith

Open House at Court House 8 A. M. until 5 P. M.

Former residents of Coke County are specially invited to come and renew old friendships.

The Robert Lee Board of Community Development will sponsor a Barbecue at 5:00 P. M. at the football stadium. Tickets at \$1.00 each must be reserved by Thursday noon, Oct. 11. Tickets on sale at Robert Lee State Bank, Ivey Motor Co. or Robert Lee Observer office.

Everyone is invited to come and enjoy this event which recognizes a great achievement and a new milestone in the progress of our county.

THE COMMISSIONERS COURT

COKE COUNTY, TEXAS

One Of Her Brightest Lights



Boy Scout Drive Starts Oct. 9th All Over Texas

The Boy Scout program in the Concho Valley Council requires a 1957 budget of \$90,976.44 to continue current operations and provide for the increasing number of boys wanting in the program, Hale Kincaid, community leader of Silver, has announced.

Deputy Sheriff O. B. Jacobs is chairman of the fund campaign which kicks off here Oct. 9 to raise the Scout budget. John Conley is chairman of the drive at Silver. It is part of a statewide coordinated Scout fund-raising drive which will raise approximately \$2,250,000 for Scouting in Texas during 1957.

"Too much stress cannot be placed on the importance and the need for meeting our local fund campaign," said Mr. Kincaid.

"We are only asking for the money to continue training the youth of our community to be better prepared in body, skills, and in spirit as they grow into young men and finally into the leaders of tomorrow."

Each year, he added, the demand for enlarged Scouting facilities and more Scouting groups continues as more and more boys reach Scouting age.

"This year we have a good sized group of boys in our local Scouting program," he said. "And we expect to have a record number next year. We want to be able to offer Scouting to any boy who asks for it next year."

"To do this, we must be able to help our local Scout executives and the churches, schools and other sponsoring groups."

The Scout budget will be used in many ways to help operate the program which develops physical fitness, self-reliance, a greater ap-

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preciation of God, a sense of personal responsibility, a spirit of helping people and many other Scout characteristics.

Part of the funds, said Mr. Kincaid, will be used to maintain Camps Sol Mayer and Fawcett, where local Scouts go for their major camping activities. The Scout funds also are used to provide program material, a service station for supplies and records, advancement standards and awards, training for leaders and professional leadership.

KICK OFF BREAKFAST

All men of the Robert Lee community are invited to attend the annual Boy Scout Finance Round-Up Breakfast at the Baptist Church on Tuesday, Oct. 9, at 6:30 a.m. The breakfast featured by bacon and eggs will be served free to all who attend.

Attorney Ralph Logan of San Angelo will speak. O. B. Jacobs is chairman of the fund raising campaign which will be launched Tuesday morning.

A good turnout is expected. The invitation is extended to all Robert Lee men, so come and bring a friend or neighbor.

Bobby Robert is returning this week to his old job as a roughneck with Baker & Taylor Drilling Co. He will work on Vincent Hanna's crew in the Spearman area. Bobby and his wife have resided the past year in Abilene where he was employed on a butane truck.

Will Speak At Award Dinner

Mary Beth Schooler of the Robert Lee 4-H Club will be a busy person during her visit to Dallas this week. Besides being a participant in the State Dress Revue, she will receive the State Fair Honor award at a banquet on Friday night, Oct. 5, in the Baker Hotel. Miss Schooler has been invited to give the Response following the 4-H award presentation.

A formal dinner-dance is given each year to honor outstanding 4-H boys and girls and F. H. A. and FFA members, their agents, teachers and parents. One boy and one girl is selected from each of the 12 Extension Districts to receive this honor. They are chosen on their 4-M Record of Achievements.

Miss Leslie Nell Wink, also of Robert Lee, was District 7 Honor Awards Winner in 1955.

Home Demonstration Club Activities

MRS. A. J. ROE, JR., H. D. Agent

The HD Council meeting has been changed from the second Tuesday to October 16 at 2 p.m. The annual reports, delegate reports of National and State meetings, and election of officers will highlight the meeting. Any interested person is invited to attend this meeting.

The County Extension Agents will be in Mason Tuesday and Wednesday of this week for a district meeting. Agents from 22 counties of District 7 are expected to attend.

Surely enjoyed my trip to San Antonio to the National HD Council meeting. The Moores are such nice people to be with and how proud I was of the girls after they sang! Think I'll leave Mrs. Moore at home next time so I can claim the twins for my own! Gladys Waldrop is another nice companion and such a good driver!

Am having to be extra nice to Mary Beth Schooler since she informed me she was taking me out to dinner Friday night. Anyway I am mighty proud of her and her accomplishments as a 4-H Club member. We will be given free hotel accommodations while in Dallas, also, since Mary Beth is the State Fair Honor Award Winner.

If any of you are interested in some snacks and refreshments, you might visit an HD Club meeting during October to watch those leaders give a food demonstration. A recipe sheet can be obtained by calling or writing me.

Plans for the dedication of the court house on Oct. 13 sound real interesting. Hope to see all of you then!

A chicken feather is handy for brushing crumbs out of a pop-up toaster.

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

BCD LUNCHEON

Robert Lee Board of Community Development held its weekly luncheon meeting Wednesday noon at Varnadore Cafe. O. B. Jacobs introduced as his guests, O. K. Reynolds of Ballinger and R. D. Borden of Junction. Reynolds is Boy Scout Executive of the Tri-Rivers district, while Mr. Borden is director of the fund campaign to start next Tuesday. Guests of County Auditor Weldon Fikes were A. G. Blucher and O. W. Jones, representatives of W. W. Greif & Associates engineering firm, who are overseeing construction work

on the new county park projects. President A. J. Kirkpatrick announced that members of the BCD will hold a joint meeting with the Silver Lions Club on the night of October 16 at a seven o'clock dinner. Previous to the dinner the Robert Lee group will be shown through Jameson gasoline plant at Silver, as a guest of Super John Shimer.

The first railway built in the U. S. was from the granite quarries at Quincy, Mass., to tide-water a length of five miles. It was begun in 1826 and was completed in 1827.

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- 2nd Prize - - - - - Bronze Electric Clock

Prizes to be awarded at 5 P. M., Saturday, October 13

It will pay you in every way to TRADE WITH US!

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Wives Held for Mrs. McCutchen, Bronte Pioneer

Mrs. J. B. McCutchen, Bronte pioneer, died Monday at 2:10 p. m. at the Bronte Hospital. She had been ill and in the hospital for nine months.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 3:30 p. m. at the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Douglas Brown, pastor, officiating. He was assisted by the Rev. M. R. Rogers of Miles, former pastor of Bronte.

Burial was in the Fairview cemetery with Cliff Funeral Home in charge. Pallbearers were W. D. McDonald, J. B. Mackey, F. Sims, Jr., E. F. Glenn, O. Willoughby, L. T. Youngblood, E. Cumbie and Leonard Fletcher.

Georgia Ann Gentry was born in Athens, Henderson County, Jan. 1868. She moved to Coleman county with her family while a young girl. She was married to J. McCutchen at Santa Anna Aug. 1884. The ceremony was performed in a log cabin. Mr. and Mrs. McCutchen lived in Coleman county until 1889, when they moved to Coke County. Only a few families lived here when they moved here. They lived here the remainder of their lives. Mr. McCutchen died Jan. 8, 1941.

Mrs. McCutchen had been a resident of Bronte for 67 years and a member of the First Baptist church for the past 64 years. She was active in Sunday School and women's work in the church. She had also been active in Eastern



If you look the world over, you'll never find so much good entertainment and spectacular fun as you'll find at the 1956 State Fair of Texas. This year's extravaganza, October 6 through 21, will present a kaleidoscopic program of sparkling entertainment, fashion shows, football games, livestock shows, agricultural and industrial exhibits, contests and special events, youth activities and carnival merry-making. There's something wonderful for everybody at this festival of fun!

Imagine these shows: "DAMN YANKEES" starring Bobby Clark and Sherry O'Neil, ICE CAPEDES featuring "Peter Pan," Joie Chitwood's AUTO DAREDEVILS, and many new rides and shows on the MILLION \$ MIDWAY.

COTTON BOWL FOOTBALL: Texas A&M vs. Texas Tech on October 6, Texas vs. Oklahoma on October 13 and many big high school games.

And the big name talent: ELVIS PRESLEY on October 11, LOUIS ARMSTRONG on October 15, THE SPORTSMEN and ROGER WILLIAMS on October 16, VICTOR BORGE on October 20, FIESTA MEXICANA on October 9.

The fabulous sights: an ESPERANZA OF LIGHT, PAN-AMERICAN LIVESTOCK SHOW, a GALLERY OF PRESIDENTS in the Art Museum, amazing EXHIBITS in the Automobile Show, Electric Show, Gas Show, Women's Building, Food Show, Farm Implement Exhibits, Agriculture Show.

Not to mention free band concerts, aerial acts and free shows... the INTERNATIONAL CENTER with exhibits of thirteen foreign countries, free MAGIC SHOW, PLANETARIUM.

Naturally, I'll be there to greet you... and to introduce you to my new pet Hereford. He's only 12 feet tall, but he's mighty cute.

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Star work.

Mr. and Mrs. McCutchen were the parents of four children, Mrs. Lula Hines of San Angelo and Mrs. Annie Wilkins of Bronte, both of whom survive, and Mrs. Minnie Mitchell and Joe McCutchen, both of whom are deceased. Other survivors include four grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; one brother, James Gentry of Junction; one sister, Mrs. Fred Heine of Roswell, N. M.; and numerous nieces and nephews. One grandson, Lam Hines, was killed in Germany during World War II.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation to the many kind people for their words and cards of sympathy, for the beautiful flowers and good food at the recent loss of our loved one, Emmitt L. Kuykendall. May God bless you.

—Mrs. Emmitt L. Kuykendall, the B. W. McDonald Family, the Fritz Perry Family, the P. W. Slugh Family and the E. J. Light Family.

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FOR RENT — Large 4-room house, unfurnished. Call T. W. Farris or 89 after 2 p.m.

HOUSE FOR SALE—5-room modern house, newly re-finished. Requires only a small down payment.—Fred McDonald, Jr. 47tf

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FOR SALE—Good 3-room house, strictly modern with new bath fixtures and water heater. Will sell on payments like paying rent. Mrs. E. A. Burgess, phone 203-J, Robert Lee.

FOR RENT—Unfurnished house, six rooms and sleeping porch, \$55. Write or call Mrs. Nellie Simpson, 610 E. 19th St., San Angelo. Phone 39122. 9 tf

RED WIGGLE WORMS — Evenings after 5:30 and weekends. Frank Herrington.

NOTICE — I have all equipment for cleaning your septic tanks and cess pools. Call me at No. 8, Bronte, for this service. Also do plumbing. — A. L. ROGERS. tfe



Notes From The Oil Field

Smith Wildecat Rates 43 Bbls.

Coke County gained a Strawn reef discovery with completion of C. L. Norsworthy No. 1 J. J. S. Smith in 4-Winfield Scott Survey, two miles north of Edith.

It was completed for a daily pumping potential of 43.4 barrels of 50 gravity oil, plus 50 per cent water, with gas-oil ratio 820-1.

Production was through perforations between 6,186-89 feet.

Norsworthy is now drilling a stepout on the Smith lease, two miles to the north and west.

Miami No. 1 Fred McCabe, bottomed at 5,466 feet, preparing to drill after being shut in for repairs.

Associated 1-J Nora Gee, near the Coke-Sterling county line, 7,775 feet in shale and sand.

Sherk 1 Sayner, near Tennyson, bottomed at 5,700 feet in dolomite, circulating, preparing to run logs.

Dugger & Herring 1 Cynthia Malone, bottomed at 6,791 feet, waiting on orders. The wildecat is located on Meadow Mountain, four miles east of production in the Jameson field at Silver. It is in

the southwest corner of Section 465.

Previous drillstem tests have had good oil shows.

NEW LOCATION

Plymouth Oil Co. will drill a southeast offset to its West Wendkirk Cross Cut sand pool opener as No. 1-964 Hickman, 300 feet from the north and east lines of S. A. Maverick Survey 964. The Sims discovery was completed for a daily potential of 135 barrels of oil.

BRONTE JUNIORS WIN

Bronte defeated Robert Lee 40-21 in a junior high football game here Tuesday night. It was the first game for both teams. Dee Arrott did all the scoring for Bronte. More junior high games are being arranged. Coach Guy Wheeler at Silver is hoping to shape up an 11-man team to play the Robert Lee junior high club.

ENTERS ARMY SERVICE

Carl Caston of Robert Lee was inducted for military service last week at Abilene, and was sent to Fort Bliss at El Paso for basic training. The son of Mrs. Bessie Caston, Carl had been employed as a heavy equipment operator by J. D. Harmon. He requested immediate induction from the draft board.

McCutchen Heads AP Newscasters

Madison McCutchen of San Antonio, Trinity University journalism teacher and KONO Radio newsman, was recently elected president of the Texas Associated Press Broadcasters' Association at its annual convention in Dallas.

McCutchen, who has been with Station KONO three years, will head the organization of Texas Radio and TV newsmen for one year. The association is composed of stations subscribing to the Associated Press.

KONO Radio for the third consecutive time won the AP Award of Achievement for outstanding news coverage for the class of radio stations in cities above 50,000 population.

McCutchen grew up at Robert Lee and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCutchen, north of town. He is a journalism graduate of Trinity University in San Antonio.

Commissioner and Mrs. J. W. Service and Mr. and Mrs. Lenn Roberts were among the many Robert Lee spectators at the Ram-Victoria junior college football game in San Angelo Saturday night. The Rams won by a close score and Norman Roberts again was one of the outstanding players for SAC.

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- SALT, Kimbell - - - 3 Boxes 25c
- CRANBERRY SAUCE, Kimbell - - 2 Cans 39c
- Round Steak 1b. 63c**
- Round Cheese 1b. 49c**
- Bacon Squares 1b. 29c**
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- Bacon 1b. 39c**

Silver News

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Haigood have returned home after spending three weeks' vacation in the southern and eastern states, visiting and uncle and aunt in Kentucky and Mrs. Haigood's mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Beringer, in Meadville, Pa.

Points of interest visited were at Lake Erie, Pa., the Drake oil well and museum at Titusville, Pa., Oil City, Pa., Blue Ridge mountains in Virginia, Rock City atop Lookout mountain, near Chattanooga, Tenn., and Birmingham, Ala., the Pittsburgh of the South. Preparations for Life."

While in South Texas Mr. and Mrs. Haigood visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Haigood and granddaughter, Debra, of Freer, Texas. They also visited with Mrs. Haigood's sister, Mrs. Frances McKinney who has just returned to the states from a two year tour of duty in an army hospital in Okinawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Haigood of Alice, Texas visited with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Haigood of Silver, Texas this past week. Melvin and wife, Linda, were enroute home, having spent a few days of their vacation in Colorado and New Mexico.

4-H GIRLS ORGANIZE

A group of girls met in the school library Friday afternoon to organize a 4-H club. They elected the following officers:

President, Carol Hatfield.
Vice-Pres., Twila Edwards.
Secy-treas., Lynda Ashmore.
Reporter, Anne White.
Songleader, Beverly Higginbotham.
Game leader, Sylvia Voelkel.
Mrs. Jahew Jameson, Mrs. R. T. Palmer and Mrs. Faye Roe, county agent, attended the meeting.

Sharon McKinnon is improved at the Colorado City hospital where she has been a patient the past week. She is the little granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Caldwell.

W. L. Gray, operator 2nd class at Jameson gasoline plant here,

has resigned after three years of service with Sun Oil Co. He has taken a position with El Paso Natural Gas Co. in New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Gray and their four daughters have been living in Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Copeland of Plain Dealing, La., visited here last week with his sister, Mrs. Bob Edwards, and family. The group enjoyed a weekend trip to Acuna, Mexico.

E. E. McClusky was released last Wednesday from a Houston hospital and is now convalescing from an operation with Beaumont relatives. Mrs. McClusky is with her husband.

Leaving Monday for a week's visit with the Jerry Gallier family at Ingleside were Mrs. A. J. Jones, Mrs. W. W. Dean, Mrs. Marshall Jennings and Mrs. John T. Stewart and daughter, Vicki Lynn.

Ole Johnson and family are enjoying a visit from his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Johnson, Sr. of Nederland.

C. M. Mayo is a new pumper for Sun Oil Co., having been transferred recently from Snyder to Silver. He succeeds J. D. Smith, who was transferred to Colorado City. Mr. Mayo is a new subscriber to The Robert Lee Observer.

Another new subscriber is B. B. McDougle, Sun productions foreman.

Bill Brooks this week moved his family from Colorado City to Pampa, where he will be a production foreman for Sun. Mr. Brooks was formerly stationed at Silver.

Mrs. Jack Mowbray left Tuesday for her home at Sidney, Mont., after a few days' visit with Silver friends. She was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bogus. Mrs. Mowbray had spent two months with her mother who was a patient in a Corpus Christi hospital. Mr. Mowbray is a Sun foreman and was located at Silver several years before being transferred to Montana.

John Fallowil is reported to be recovering following an appendectomy at the Colorado City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Goodwyn

spent the weekend with kinfolks in Waco and attended the Baylor-Texas Tech football game Saturday night.

Guests in the Frank Mullican home last week were Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Barrett and son, Bob, of Overton. Mrs. Barrett and Mrs. Mullican are sisters. Coming for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ledbetter of Abilene, Jerry Mullican and Sharon Skrabanek of Abilene and Edward Lee Mullican of Lubbock.

Mrs. David Haught was honored with a Pink and Blue shower Monday night in the R. D. Arthur home. The event was sponsored by members of the Church of Christ congregation. Mr. Arthur is a gauger for the Texas Co.

Delbert Coalson was expected to return Wednesday from the Bronte hospital where he was a medical patient several days.

Miss Letha Mathers of San Angelo is visiting here this week in the home of her brother, Arch Mathers, and family. Sunday guests in the Mathers home were the J. C. Thorne family of Sweetwater. Mrs. Thorne and Mrs. Mathers are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Arthur left Tuesday morning for their home at Saltillo after a couple of days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Odom. Mrs. Arthur is a sister of Mr. Odom. The visitors were enroute home from a western trip. Mr. Arthur has been postmaster at Saltillo for 29 years and his wife is his assistant in the office.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Jameson and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brown went to Georgetown to visit relatives last week and planned to spend some time at Buchanan Dam before returning home.

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Cecil Coalson was here for a weekend visit with home folks. He is a student at West Texas State at Canyon.

The Jerry Sanders family of Eldorado were over night guests of Silver kinfolks. Mr. Sanders went on to the Eldorado football game at Loraine and returned here with his daughter, Jane, who plays in the Eldorado band.

TEXAS NATURAL CAMP

Mr. and Mrs. Zeke Mascho and two sons have moved to Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ray and daughters of San Angelo were guests of the John Masons.

Mrs. Marshall McWilliams of Ft. Worth is spending two weeks with her parents, the L. R. Hatfields.

Tommy Talley celebrated his 5th birthday Friday, Sept. 21. His mother, Mrs. Louise Talley, entertained him with a party. Thirteen children and five mothers were present.

Newcomers to the camp are Mr.

and Mrs. Frank Owens and son from Robert Lee.

FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

The freshman class of Robert Lee High School has elected the following officers:

President, Ronnie Sims.
Vice-President, Freddie Ross.
Secretary, Jimmy Bell.
Treasurer, Kenneth Wink.
Reporter, Jo Ann Hood.
Sponsor, C. D. Manire.

Mr. and Mrs. Ell Hatley left Tuesday for Glendive, Mont., taking with them Mrs. Bobbie Hatley and children, who will join the husband and father who is employed there by Texas Natural Gas line Corp. The Ell Hatleys plan to tour the mountain states and return home through Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Franky Percich entertained a group of kinfolks Sunday dinner honoring their son Danny, on his third birthday.

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Ike Better Democrat Than Adlai, Says Supporter

A bunch of us were standing around talking the other day, and the talk got around to politics like it usually does. Some of the boys said they'd voted for Ike in '52 and were going to do it again; some of them said they'd always voted the Democratic ticket straight and always expected to—you know how it goes around a little Texas town.

One fellow said something that made the rest of us stop and think. He said he was a Democrat, sure—always had been, and his father and grandfather before him. And he always felt like he had to vote for the best Democrat in the race, which he was going to do this year.

"And that means," he said, "that I'll have to cast my vote for Ike Eisenhower. He's a better Democrat, by my definition of a Democrat, than that other fellow ever will be."

And besides that, he said, Ike kept his promises to Texas and Texas ought to return the favor by keeping Ike.

You know, he might have had something there. "Gratitude" is one of the greatest words in the English language, and we all like to think of ourselves as being grateful when people do something for us. Like I heard a man say one time: "Texans are people who never forget anything that is done TO them—or FOR them." That's the way we think of ourselves, and it's about right.

This Eisenhower man pointed out that Ike promised to give the Tidelands back to Texas, and he kept that promise; he promised to do his best to close out Mr. Truman's war in Korea, and he kept

that promise, and he promised to give us a government in Washington that we could be proud of, because it was clean and honest and efficient—and, in this man's opinion, he had kept that promise.

"I know you're reading and hearing a lot of stuff to the contrary," he told us, "coming from Brother Stevenson and Brother Kefauver and the rest of the politicians on the other side. That's politics for you. Everybody expects them to jump on Ike every way they can, and I guess they'll keep on doing it right up to Nov. 6. But the American people are smarter than some politicians give them credit for being, and before they vote they're going to sit down and ask themselves this question:

"Remembering 1952, when our boys were dying in Korea and the newspapers were full of talk about mink coats and Communists and corruption in Washington—now, be honest about it: If you could, would you go back to 1952 and start over with Adlai Stevenson instead of Dwight D. Eisenhower?"

This man said he wouldn't, and come to think of it, I wouldn't either. As a matter of fact, I think Ike has made us one of the best presidents we ever had. If we had to go to war, I'd certainly rather have him at the head of our government than any other living American. But even more importantly—I'm convinced he is the best man to keep up OUT of war.

That's why I still like Ike—better than ever!

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goats, horses and Shetland ponies have been entered in the Pan-American Livestock Exposition Oct. 6-14 and the Junior Livestock Show Oct. 15-20. There'll be horse shows all three weekends of the fair.

The Women's Department has catalogued over 5,000 individual entries in the categories of traditional homemaking skills and other competitive classifications. Daily free style shows will be featured in the Women's Building.

Two outstanding new permanent features of the fair are the Esplanade of Light, spectacular vista of dazzling illumination and scenic water effects, and the revolutionary Skyway Monorail, "tomorrow's transportation today," only Mono-

rail line in the country.

"Damn Yankees", Broadway musical comedy hit, will have shows nightly and matinees Saturdays, Sundays and Wednesdays through the fair. "Ice Capades" will have 24 performances. The Joie Chitwood Thrill Show will present 27 performances.

There'll be a world of new things to see, such as the International Center with exhibits of 16 foreign nations, the sparking new Automobile Show, the Food Frontier with its "snack bar" of free samples, the Agriculture Show stressing conservation, the museum of Fine Arts with its exhibition of portraits of American presidents, the Electric Show, Health Museum, Natural Gas Show, Aquarium, Mu-

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seum of Natural History and Hall of State.

Elvis Presley, "rock-and-roll" idol of American teen-agers, will appear in his own show in the Cotton Bowl Thursday night, Oct. 11.

Other highlight events during the first week of the fair will include the free "Fiesta Mexicana, in the Cotton Bowl Oct. 8, the big Music Festival Oct. 9, the Dallas Day program Oct. 10 and the Wichita Falls Boys Club Variety Circus Oct. 12.

W. M. U. PROGRAM

The Women Missionary Union met at the Baptist Church Mon-

day, Oct. 1 with 21 ladies present, starting the new church year.

President Mrs. G. C. Allen opened the meeting, calling on the prayer chairman, Mrs. Lowell Roane, to read the names on the prayer calendar for the day, and leading the prayer.

Mrs. Kenneth Lackey with her new organized young ladies circle were present for the Mission program "Sowing Beside All Waters" which is our theme for the year. The meeting closed with a prayer by Mrs. Frank McCabe.

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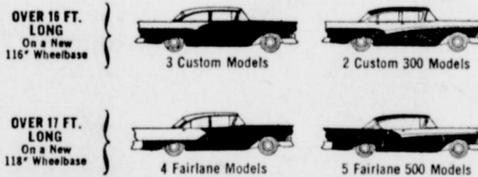
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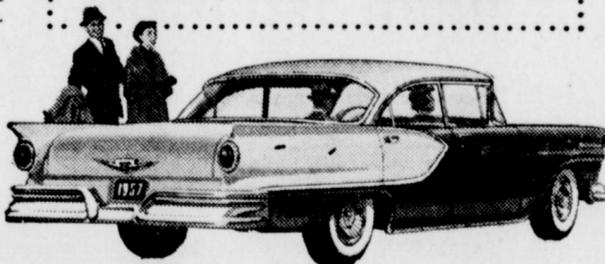
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SMALL TALK

By A. J. K.

Archie Wheeler of Amarillo, a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lowrance of Robert Lee, was in the limelight a short time ago and the circumstance was out of the ordinary. He and another Amarillo resident gave some of their blood to help save the life of a Sonora ranchman.

The ill rancher had an unusual blood disease, called plastic anemia, which prevents his body from making enough red blood cells. Wheeler and the other Amarillo man have polycythemia vera, a disease which manufactures too many red blood cells.

So Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler made the 400-mile trip to Sonora where Archie gave the ranchman a transfusion. They were accompanied by Mrs. Wheeler's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Picketts, and stopped enroute for a visit in the parental Lowrance home.

Our son Tommy finally got around to write. Said he made it all right to Denton with his trailer house, and made the trip in seven hours. Further stated he was taking six subjects at North Texas State and hopes to get a degree in January.

The kid parade Saturday of next week should turn out to be one of the best shows ever seen in Robert Lee. All the youngsters will want to enter, and there will be lots of prize money to distribute. Some guys won't have to wash their faces and hands if they get in the raggamuffin class. Look for a variety of costumes, clowns,

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tramps, colored boys and girls, and the like.

Along with most everyone else I have been deeply concerned over the plight of our farmers and ranchmen because of the drouth. But this week Ike and Benson are saying everything is fine down here and they are doing everything they can to help. Well, that isn't the way we hear it. This so-called drouth relief feed and hay is costing more than it did before the program was launched.

Politics is getting hot and the way they are kicking around the matter of naming a new U. S. Senator is a disgrace. Daniel resigns, Shivers goes to Kodiak for a bear, and everything is up in the air. They are still trying to figure out some way to stop Ralph Yarborough.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Sept. 28 — Franky Percifull, Joe Roe admitted. Mrs. Frank Dickey, Jr. and infant son, William George, dismissed.

Sept. 29 — Mrs. E. L. Calder admitted. Franky Percifull dismissed.

Oct. 1 — Mrs. J. C. Wallace, Jr., Jerome Sheppard, Mrs. Bobby Walker admitted. Joe Roe dismissed.

Oct. 2 — G. C. Casey, Mrs. J. C. Wallace, Jr., Mrs. J. E. Roane, dismissed.

Oct. 3 — Mrs. E. L. Calder, Jerome Sheppard dismissed.

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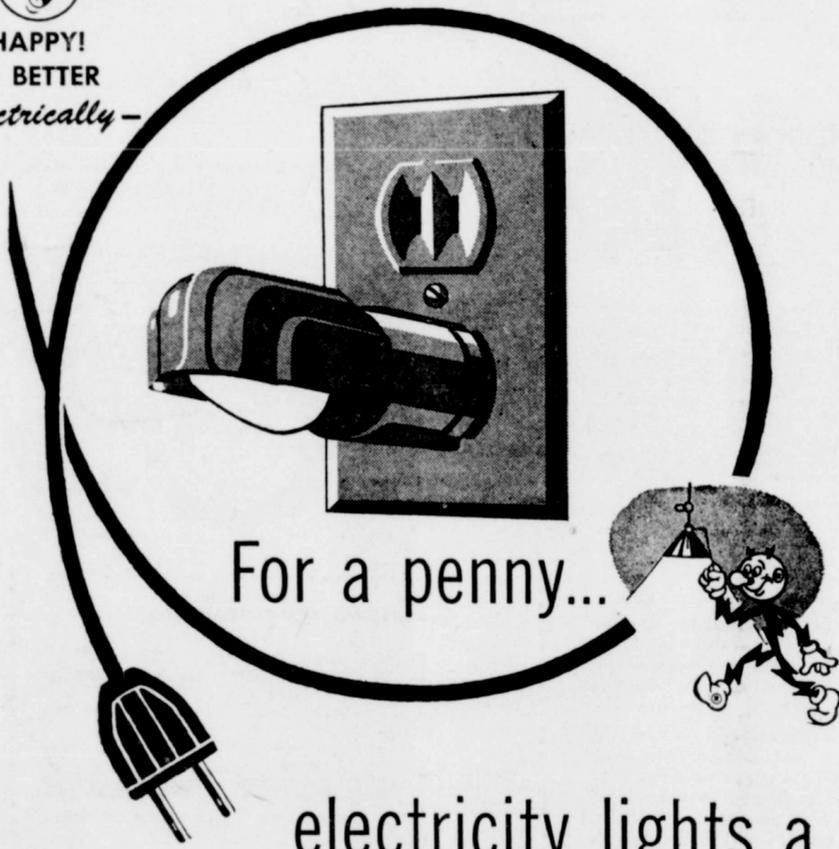
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