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MR. AND MRS. ROY TAYLOR
... wedded for fifty years

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor, Robert Lee Couple, Observe Their Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor's golden wedding anniversary was celebrated here Sunday, the event being sponsored by their daughters and their families.

During an open house from 3 to 5 p. m. more than 160 friends and kindreds called to congratulate the well known Robert Lee couple. Coffee, cake and punch were served. Many lovely and valuable gifts were presented to the honored bride and bridegroom of fifty years.

Roy Taylor and Miss Inez McDorman were married Sept. 21, 1910. W. K. Simpson, Methodist minister, officiated at the ceremony which took place in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McDorman.

Mrs. Daisy McCutchen, sister of Mrs. Taylor, and Mrs. Earl Evans of Big Spring, sister of Mr. Taylor, were present at the wedding and were among those who came for the anniversary Sunday.

Mrs. Taylor was born in Robert Lee. While most of her life was devoted to her family, she found time to teach piano and violin, was a post office clerk for several years and active in church work.

Mr. Taylor, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Taylor, was born in Coryell County and came to Robert Lee from San Angelo with his parents early in 1901. Roy was a rural school teacher in Coke and Runnels counties for some time.

He served as county and district clerk during 1914-18 and has been county surveyor for the past 25 years. Because of a shortage of teachers he returned to the profession and taught mathematics in Robert Lee high school in 1944-45. He worked on army camp construction during World War II and has since been engaged in the construction business.

The Taylors are the parents of ten daughters. They are Mrs. Lee (Mildred) Ligon of Odessa, Mrs. Ivey (Lavelta) Eubanks and Mrs. J. Q. (Beatrice) Counts of Robert Lee, Mrs. Wayne (Sylvia) Kenemer of Greggton, Mrs. Jack (Jane) Goldsmith of Akron, Ohio, Mrs. Jack (Kitty) Martin of Clovis, N. Mex., Mrs. Jackie Mahon and Mrs. Kent (Ruth Ann) Goode of Weimar, Mrs. Bert (Patty) Sheppard of Spearman and Mrs. Coy (Dixie) Jones of Brownfield. All of the daughters and their

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New Fords on Display Today at Ivey Motor

The complete line of 1961 Ford automobiles will go on display today, September 29, at Ivey Motor Company in Robert Lee.

Today is the first public showing of the new Ford line of automobiles. Ivey Motor Company cordially invites the residents of Coke County to inspect the new cars.

Ivey Motor Company will serve refreshments to the viewers of the new Fords and Falcons in their showroom.

The 1961 Ford features crisp new styling, new dimensions for greater maneuverability, and major engineering improvements such as 30,000-mile lubrication, that will result in lower maintenance costs and more carefree operation.

James O. Wright, Ford Motor Company vice president and Ford Division general manager, said the new Ford, nearly four inches shorter and two inches narrower than in 1960, will offer "a completely new, fresh appearance in the classic Ford tradition of straight-line design."

Mr. Wright also announced the 1961 Ford styling has been recognized for its "functional expression of classic beauty" by a world-renowned fashion authority. In Rome, Italy, against a backdrop of the new fashion center of the world, the Centro Per l'Alta Moda Italiana recently presented Ford Motor Company with a special medal honoring the 1961 Ford.

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Steers Host Bears Friday

The Robert Lee Steers will bid for their third victory Friday night when they play the Baird Bears here. This will be Robert Lee's second game at home this season.

Baird won their first victory last week when they rallied in the final quarter to beat Clyde 28 to 23.

The Steers won their first two games of the season, but lost their last contest to Melvin last week by a score of 12 to 6. Their first victory came at Menard when they defeated the Yellowjackets 28 to 6. They won their second game of the season by beating the Sands Mustangs 36 to 0.

From all reports the Baird Bears comprise a big and fast team. They defeated Clyde with passes and long end runs.

Coach John Malone's Steers are favored to win the contest Friday night, but they will evidently have to fight all the way for the victory over Baird.

Steers that will probably play Friday night will be: Richard Sims, quarterback; John Kinsey, halfback; James Blankenship, halfback; Joe Roe, fullback; Jerry Quisenberry, center; Dwain Walker, end; Curtis Higginbotham, end; Royce McInturff, tackle; Pat Lomas, tackle; Ronnie Reid, guard and Bill Roach, guard.

Other Steers that will probably see action are: Tommy Allen, quarterback; Daniel Gloria, halfback; Commie Hallmark, halfback; Derwood Coalson, end; John Jacobs, halfback; Clark Godwin, center; Jimmy Caraway, tackle; James Harmon, tackle; Jerry Craig, guard; Bill Ledbetter, fullback, and Donny Robertson, end.

Havins Receives New Assignment

Master Sgt. Otto E. Havins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fern Havins, has been assigned to Air Force Recruiting duty in San Antonio, Texas, and Atascosa County.

Sgt. Havins is a graduate of Robert Lee High School.

He is being transferred from Waco where he was stationed at James Connally Air Force Base as Noncommissioned Officer in Charge of Airman Personnel Division.

His wife, Barbara, and daughter, Elizabeth, have moved to San Antonio with him.

RETURN TO COKE COUNTY

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Millican and their five children have returned to Coke County to make their home. They spent 7½ years at Arlington while Connie was employed as a machinist at Chance Vaught Aircraft. The son of W. M. Millican, he has leased his father's place west of Edith, but for the present he and his family are residing in the A. N. Counts ranch house on the Divide. Four of the children are of school age and attend classes at Water Valley. Mrs. Millican is the former Pauline Peek, who taught in Robert Lee school before her marriage. Her family resides in San Angelo, but formerly lived at Paint Rock.

Delton Chatham has returned to Robert Lee and is employed at the C. F. Vowell automotive maintenance shop. A graduate of Robert Lee high school, Delton has been at El Paso the past two years where he resigned a position with General Motors.

County Showers Aid Ranchmen

Rainfall reports of moisture received from the recent showers as well as the reactions to its possible effects varied over the county. Readings of 1.5 inches and more were recorded in the Hayrick area and northeast of Tennyson, while some operators in the Friendship, Edith and Blackwell areas received no more than half an inch of rainfall. The Divide area on the west side of the county received very little moisture during the five day period beginning last Friday, while a small strip from southwest

of Silver to Panther Gap and east of Silver gauged one half to 2.00 inches on Tuesday of last week. In the Robert Lee and Bronte areas, recordings of one inch were common for the period.

Mixed emotions greeted the rainfall as some operators are anxious for the pasture and stock water situation to improve, while the cotton farmers, particularly those with cotton defoliated preparatory to stripping, would like to see more clear weather.

The pasture situation is critical in most areas of the county. In the hills to the north and west where rainfall was received earlier, the pastures are in better shape for the cool season ahead. The county as a whole needs more rain soon to avoid a large feed bill this winter. Stock tanks are low on water and, in some cases, out of water. Pastures are in poor shape for the dormant period ahead.

The showers should be a starter for much of the county, but will need more rain soon to be of any appreciable value. Many operators, hoping to improve their pastures, dry planted small grains, primarily oats. Except for the areas receiving the light showers, the dusted in oats should start growth on the rainfall received. If additional moisture comes soon, the oat fields should relieve the situation.

Cotton harvest is well underway and producers, with possibly the best quality cotton in recent years, had hoped to complete the harvest before the rain came. The grade will be down slightly because of the rain, but little damage has been sustained so far. Quality of the cotton harvested before the showers was good and yields were better than expected. The county yield should average between one fourth and one third of a bale per acre.

Mrs. McDorman HD Club President

Mrs. Linzy McDorman was elected president of the Friendship Club Thursday, September 22.

Other officers elected were: Mrs. Lowell Roane, vice president; Mrs. Tom Rives, secretary; Mrs. J. D. Rudd, delegate; Mrs. Wilson Bryan, alternate delegate; and Mrs. Pat Rives, reporter.

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Wilson Bryan. Ten members were present.

Mrs. Curtis Walkr reported on the state meeting at Brownsville. Sunshine pals were revealed.

Carole Hooper at Clothing Workshop

Miss Carole Hooper, Coke County Home Demonstration Agent, is attending an advanced clothing workshop this week in San Angelo.

Home Demonstration Agents in District 7 are making a garment under the direction of clothing specialist, Miss Fannie Brown Eaton.

Miss Eaton is with the Extension Service of A & M College of Texas.

Melvin Bulldogs Nip Steers 12 to 6

The Melvin Bulldogs snapped the Robert Lee Steers winning streak Friday night by a score of 12 to 6.

Robert Lee's John Kinsey made the first score of the evening when he ran over the right side for 30 yards early in the first quarter.

In retaliation, Melvin tied the score in three plays in the first quarter. Melvin's Richard Germany completed a long pass to Eddie Sandoval. James Blankenship made an outstanding stop on Sandoval at the 1, but scrappy halfback Reuben De Los Santos punched over for the score.

Trying hard to go ahead in the first half, quarterback Richard Sims carried the ball 6 times in 7 plays toward the end of the second period, to no avail.

Melvin's second and final touchdown came in the third quarter. Again the key play was a long pass from Germany to Sandoval that

was carried deep into Robert Lee territory. Fullback Roy Ferris drove over the line for the tally.

Robert Lee outgained the Bulldogs in every department except the score and passing yardage.

The Steers made 20 first downs to Melvin's 7. They also gained 308 yards rushing to Melvin's 178.

The playing field at Melvin was extremely sloppy due to almost an inch of rain just two hours before playing time.

Outstanding defensive plays were executed by Blankenship, John Kinsey, Higginbotham, Tommy Allen and McInturff.

John Kinsey penetrated into Melvin territory for 109 yards. Joe Roe toted the ball for 100 yards. Richard Sims carried for 54 yards and James Blankenship made 45 yards.

The Steers host Baird this Friday night at Robert Lee.

Kirkpatricks Return From Eastern Trip

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kirkpatrick returned to their home in Robert Lee Sept. 14 from an extensive trip to mid-western and eastern states. They were gone nearly four weeks and travelled 5,500 miles.

Going first to northern Iowa they visited Mr. Kirkpatrick's mother-in-law, Mrs. Eugene Owen, and an aunt, Mrs. Thos. J. Shafer, in Butler County. Mrs. Owen, who is 84, accompanied them on their trip to the east.

At Columbus, Ohio, they visited the Kirkpatrick's son, Thomas O. Kirkpatrick, and his wife. Tommy is studying for his Doctor's Degree at the University of Ohio and is also teaching two classes in business administration. His wife,

the former Juanita Fultz of Denton, is private secretary for Dr. Miner, head of the business department at the university.

The Robert Lee couple then continued on to Pittsburgh, Pa., where they were guests of their sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dausch and Mr. and Mrs. James Hillman, and their families. The men are partners in a men and boys' apparel store located in an enormous new shopping center in the North Hills section of Pittsburgh. It bears the firm name of "Kirks."

Mrs. Dausch is the former Mary Jane Kirkpatrick. They have eight children, ranging in age from 13 to 2. Mrs. Hillman (Betty Jean) and her husband have two daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirkpatrick had the privilege of accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Dausch to New York City where Mr. Dausch combined business with pleasure. They spent three night and two full days in

the city and found it a most fascinating experience.

Highlights of their New York stay were a sight seeing bus trip over the lower half of Manhattan, an afternoon boat trip in the harbor and entirely around Manhattan Island, Radio City Musical Hall and "The Music Man" stage shows, a visit to Rockefeller Center, tour of the RCA Building and a view of the city from the Rainbow Room on the 65th floor.

Returning to Pittsburgh for the Labor Day weekend the Kirkpatricks took Mrs. Owen back to Iowa and journeyed to Pawnee City, Neb., where they visited a sister, Mrs. Joe Gifford and family, being joined by another sister, Miss Florence Kirkpatrick of Kansas City, Mo.

The sisters accompanied them to Kansas City where they enjoyed a couple of days together. The party stopped in St. Joseph, Mo., to visit a brother, E. V. Kirkpatrick, an attorney, and his son, E.

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V. Kirkpatrick Jr. and his family. The St. Joseph brother also joined the group in Kansas City.

Mr. Kirkpatrick reports crop conditions in the farm states were excellent. Need of moisture was apparent this side of Kansas City and on into Oklahoma, and they found it extremely dry when they crossed into Texas and saw parched pastures and suffering crops

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County Agents News Column

By **STERLING LINDSEY**
County Agricultural Agent

If you are a cattle owner, we sincerely hope you will be able to attend the general discussion meeting on the brucellosis testing program to be held in the County Courtroom at Robert Lee next Tuesday night at 7 p.m. The more advance planning and educational work that can be done prior to initiation of the program the more smoothly and systematically the program will unfold.

You probably noticed the article regarding the Sears swine program that appears in another portion of the paper. A little added information that we did not include in that article is that this is the third year in a row that family hogs has won the coveted county show top placing. Two of the three years the family's representative also copped the store area championship award. And to prove their ability as producers, in 1958 and 1960 the litter of pigs from the family won the store area heavy litter contest. Gaylord Hancock, Sanco, had the heaviest litter in 1958 and Roy Lee Baker, Tennyson, in 1960. Dawnie Boynton, Divide Rt., Roy Lee Baker and Carl Bloodworth, Silver, exhibited the family's representatives to the top in 1958, 1959 and 1960, respectively.

This spring when the gilts were awarded the club members, we selected four gilts from the family. The four gilts placed one, two, three and four in the show last Saturday.

I heard a story that tops this in production. An operator in the Norton area, James Ash, had a sow that weaned 44 pigs in the last year of elapsed time. She weaned litters of 13, 14 and 17 pigs. One sow with her ability would keep a man in the swine business.

The quality of the cotton harvested so far has been excellent according to operators talked to. Lack of insect damage and moisture damage have helped hold up the quality. Everyone would like to have a larger yield, but the quality of that harvested prior to the showers has been gratifying. And yields have been better than many operators anticipated.

When cooler weather prevails at this season of the year, normally rats and mice begin searching for more substantial quarters in which to live during the coming winter. Now is a good time to offset some of the migration by cleaning up and stopping up possible housing places or points of entry. I caught A. V. Hughes cleaning his barn and equipment shed last week, trying to avoid some of the influx.

In addition to cleaning your

premises, placing bait or other poisons along mice and rat runs will help your cause. There are numerous products on the market all of which have given good results under certain conditions. If you put out a bait containing one of the blood anti-coagulant type poisons, be sure to keep out the bait consistently for a period of a week or more. A rodent must feed for several days—usually 3-5—on the anti-coagulant baits or liquid poisons to obtain a lethal dose.

If loose feed is abundant around your barn or sheds, then a combination of dry and liquid baits usually proves more effective. A good cat or dog is an asset, also.

Sears Swine Contests Held

Coke County 4-H club entries in the Store Area Swine contests held at the show grounds in San Angelo Saturday capped championship honors. Carl Bloodworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth, Silver, following his winning of the Coke County Show, exhibited his gilt to the championship spot in the three county store area show.

Roy Lee Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker, Tennyson, exhibited the champion male animal in the store area boar show.

Seventy five people were present from Coke, Runnels and Tom Green counties to witness the girls and boys exhibiting swine in the county and store area shows. H. C. Stanley, county agricultural agent of Taylor County, judged the shows.

Placing behind Carl in the county gilt show with their entries in the Sears, Roebuck Foundation Swine Improvement Program were the following: Robert Wink, Sanco, second; John Service, Robert Lee, third; Mike Krall, Robert Lee, fourth; Kathy Service, Robert Lee, fifth; Robert Mathers, Silver, sixth; and Lonnie Bloodworth, Silver, seventh. Malcom Johnson of Marie did not exhibit his entry.

The show completes the first

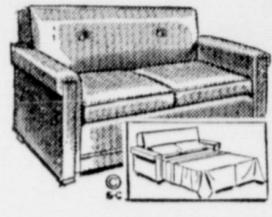
phase of the club members program—that of developing the animal. In the ensuing months the breeding phase will unfold as a

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litter of pigs are reared by the club members.

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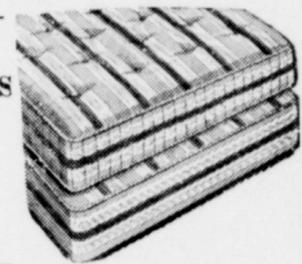
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Guard



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Tackle



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Back



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Steers Schedule

Sept. 2	Menard	There
Sept. 9	Sands	Here
Sept. 16	Open	
Sept. 23	Melvin	There
Sept. 30	Baird	Here
Oct. 7	Eldorado	There
Oct. 14	Roby*	There
Oct. 21	Hermleigh*	Here
Oct. 28	Trent*	Here
Nov. 4	Loraine*	There
Nov. 11	Bronte*	Here

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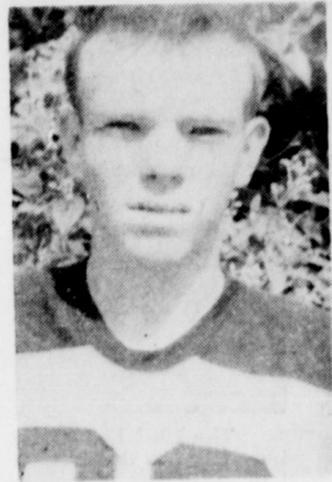
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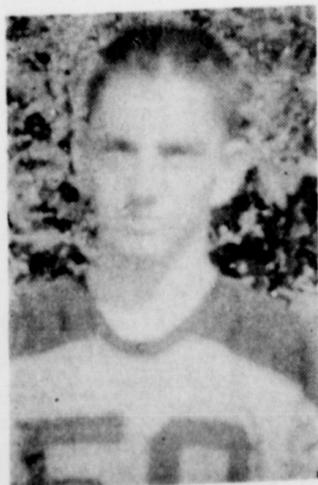
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Mr. Wright said engineering and design improvements in the 1961 Ford make it "a car that virtually takes care of itself." Improvements include:

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The new Ford line, to be introduced by Ford dealers on September 29, consists of 16 models in four series—Fairlane, Fairlane 500, Galaxie and station wagons. Added to the line are two new models—a Galaxie Club Victoria (two-door hardtop) and a six-passenger Country Squire station wagon.

All six station wagon models, from the two-door Ranch Wagon to the nine-passenger, four-door Country Squire with simulated wood

paneling, have a new roll-down rear window in the tailgate. The tailgate itself is seven inches wider than in 1960. The front-facing third seat in nine-passenger station wagons has been improved and, when not in use, folds quickly into the floor.

A power operated rear window is standard on the Country Squire models and the 9-passenger Country Sedan and optional on others.

Ford introduces a new 390-cubic-inch Thunderbird Special V-8 engine in 1961 that is designed for effortless performance. The Thunderbird 352 Special and the Thunderbird 292 V-8's, as well as the Mileage Maker Six, all are designed to deliver greater economy on regular grade fuels.

Ford has improved all four transmissions for 1961—the manual, overdrive, two-speed Fordomatic and dual-range Cruise-O-Matic. The Cruise-O-Matic transmission is equipped with a new vacuum control throttle valve linkage which provides smoother, more precise shifting than ever before, and elimination of periodic adjustment.

FORMER RESIDENTS VISIT
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Taylor Jr. came from Seagoville for a week-end visit with kinfolks and old Robert Lee friends. They came especially to attend the golden wedding observance of his brother, Roy Taylor and wife. Mrs. Taylor is the former Merle Averitt, daughter of the late Judge D. T. Averitt. She is a niece of Mrs. J. S. Gardner and she and her husband were guests in the Gardner home. Mr. Taylor's father operated a meat market and grocery store in Robert Lee for 25 years. A. J. and his wife have been away for

35 years, but they were happy to renew many old friendships.

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Jerry Jostles

By Jerry Calder

Africa

From out of the darkest jungles of Africa comes the cry of the Jaguar. Beep! Beep!

Crazy Man!

Say, did you hear about the beatnik maid who came in every few days to dirty up.

Money Goes Fast!

Mr. Davis was at the bank last week depositing some money for the Senior Class. While walking up to the cashier, he noticed something on the floor. After he had picked it up and inspected it thoroughly, he asked if anyone had dropped a roll of bills with a rubber band around them.

"Yes, I did," said several voices in the bank lobby.

"Well, I just picked up the rubber band," said Mr. Davis calmly.

The Top

Coach Alsup's Chemistry class was engaged in a discussion about the contributions that chemistry has given to the world. Coach Alsup asked Richard Sims what he thought was the most outstanding contribution that chemistry has ever given to the world. Richard calmly replied, "Blondes."

Seniors Operate Concession Stand

The Robert Lee Senior class is sponsoring as one of their money-making projects, the concession stand at the home football games.

Sandwiches, cold beverages, coffee and candy will be sold. Other articles, such as sno-cones and chewing gum will add to the purchaser's enjoyment.

The stand is operated by volunteer seniors and is conveniently located at the northwest end of the football field. Proceeds of the project will add to the endeavor of the class to go to Washington, D. C., on their senior trip in May.

QUISENBERRY RETURNS TO STEER LINEUP

Jerry Quisenberry returned to his center position in the Robert Lee-Melvin game, after one and a half game absences. Due to a back injury in the first half of the Menard game, he was unable to finish that game, and was not able to participate in the Sands game.

Jerry is a Senior and plans to go to the University of Texas. Quisenberry has played football every year of his high school tenure.

Hamby Is One Of New Teachers

Mr. Dale Hamby is one of the new teachers at Robert Lee School. Hamby graduated from Stanford High School, Stanford, Texas. The Stanford graduate teaches seventh grade reading, English and P. E. He also teaches eight grade P. E. and world history.

Mr. Hamby went to Tarleton State College at Stephenville two years before he transferred to North Texas State at Denton, Texas, where he graduated. Mr. Hamby majored in secondary education.

STUDENTS HAVE PICS MADE

The students of Robert Lee Public School had their pictures taken Tuesday, September 13. The Fox Company out of San Antonio took the pictures. The seniors had two different pictures taken. One pose was in street or dress clothes and the other in caps and gowns.

Mrs. Cooke Heads Home Ec Dept.

Mrs. Hazel Louise Cooke is Robert Lee High School's new home economics teacher. She taught four years at Abernathy, then four years at San Angelo. These years of experience have given her poise and a greater understanding of student problems.

Mr. Fred Cooke and daughter Fredda Kay find an advantage in Mrs. Cooke's being well versed in the mechanics of running a smooth home.

Mrs. Cooke is a home building contractor in San Angelo; while Fredda Kay lives with her mother in the home of Mrs. Willis Smith and attends Robert Lee Elementary in the third grade. She is eight years old.

Mrs. Cooke has three hobbies, which are cooking, sewing and horseback riding. Her daughter, Fredda Kay also enjoys riding horses.

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Journalism Class

Visits Press

The Robert Lee High School Journalism Class made a trip to Bronte Friday, Sept. 16, to learn how a newspaper is published. Those attending were: Brenda McDorman, Gayle Lewis, Lee Ann Faught, Sue Parker, John Jacobs, Bob McBroom, Don Ellis, Jerry Don Calder, Doris Mayfield, Bill Roach, Frankie Millican, Jenell Jeffery, Bill Ledbetter, and Garland Davis, sponsor.

After arriving at the office of The Bronte Enterprise, the class was escorted through the office by Ben Oglesby and his assistant, Eddie Alexander. Mr. Oglesby explained and demonstrated everything, starting with the Linotype machine. Keys are tapped on the

Linotype to make metal (unbroken line of type) which is then made up or arranged in chase or letter make-up of paper. The chase is put onto press and the form which it is rolled onto paper. A mat of cardboard-like mold over molten metal can be poured to make a metal plate. They are arranged in the chase along type to make advertisements. The press is a large machine to roll paper over the form which is evenly distributed with ink. Oglesby also explained that pictures are made into engravings ready for the press at a factory in another town.

The whole exhibition was educational for the journalism class. One class member stated, "You have to see it to understand it, and then you're not sure."

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Silver News

and Mrs. G. C. Walker re-visited with their children at the home of Mrs. R. S. Anderson and Mrs. O. O. Burleson. Later Mrs. Burleson and her niece, Mrs. K. O. Cardwell, accompanied her to Little Rock, Ark., where her surgery was scheduled to undergo.

The Kincaid, John Conley and Herford returned Sunday from a two day stay at Del Rio where they attended a Boy Scouts training school. The meeting was held at Central Power plant company's camp on the river above Del Rio. Sixteen scout leaders from over the Valley Council attended the school which was directed by Ray Howell of San Angelo.

Joe Ash and son, Joe Ruston, arrived Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jahew Jameson. The Ash family is moving from Weatherford to Wichita Falls where Joe has a good position with the land management of Lone Star Gas Co. They are having a new home built near Iowa Park. Until it is completed later in the fall Mrs. Ash and her children will reside with relatives at Silver and Bronte.

Ash's daughter, Sylvia, has been with her grandparents here for two weeks. T. Z. Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Windham spent the weekend with relatives of the Windhams in Justin, Arkansas. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Holden, former Silver resi-

dent. O. F. Bradham and daughter, Rosiland, were in Dallas. Rosiland underwent surgery at Baylor Hospital. Mrs. Bradham is recovering in the Bradham home. Mrs. James Bradham of Car-

roll, Cheatham was at home over the weekend from Lubbock. Cheatham is a sophomore at Texas Tech this year. His parents are M. K. Cheathams.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson spent the weekend with Mrs. Wilson's parents, the Jahew Jamesons, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are recent graduates of Southwest Texas Teachers College at San Marcos. They are both teaching in

the Rankin school system. Mrs. Wilson is the home economics teacher and he is a language arts teacher in the 6th grade.

The Coke County unit of the Texas State Teachers Association will hold its first meeting of the 1960-61 school year October 3 at 7:30 p.m.

There will be a meeting of the Silver Cub Scouts and parents at Silver School Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Visiting in the George Connor home were Mr. and Mrs. Bob McKelvy of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Slone of Hawley.

Silver Girl Scouts Elect New Officers

The Silver Intermediate Girl Scouts elected new officers at their meeting September 13.

Fredda McCabe was elected president of the troop. Others elected were: Susan Newel, vice president; Brenda Jameson, secretary; Karen Fugate, treasurer; Sherry Biggs, chairman, and Aletis Ackerman, reporter.

Leaders of the sixth, seventh and eighth grade girls are Mrs. Mary Fugate, Mrs. Sitter McCabe, Mrs. Virginia Biggs and Mrs. Nell Hines.

Mrs. Fugate outlined the program for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey Sr. were in Dallas last week when they attended a meeting of Mercury dealers. The new 1961 models will be shown to the public next week.

Brucellosis Testing To Begin in County

Brucellosis testing of cattle in Coke County will begin during the next two or three weeks. To explain how the program will unfold, a general discussion meeting will be held in the County Court room on Tuesday night, October 4, at 7 p.m. Dr. Henderson, D. V. M., of the Texas Animal Health Commission will be present to answer questions and to explain basic operational plans for the program. All cattle owners are encouraged to attend the meeting to hear Dr. Henderson explain how the work will progress and to present to him any questions they may have regarding the program.

Coke County, following a petition to participate in the State wide program to receive certification as a modified brucellosis free area, became eligible for testing August 17. The testing crew now operating in Tom Green County under the supervision of Dr. Post, D. V. M., will begin work in Coke County as soon as their work is completed in our neighboring county and operational plans can be completed. Dr. Post indicated that testing for certification would begin in Coke County in two or three weeks.

Livestock shipments are now being spot checked as a part of the program to wipe out brucellosis or Bangs disease in Texas. In order that we receive certification as soon as possible to allow unre-

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children were present except Mrs. Goldsmith.

Their son, James Mac Taylor, died a number of years ago. He was making a career in the Marine Corps. His widow, Ruth, is now Mrs. Mark Slay and resides in Odessa. She and her two daughters were here for the anniversary festivities. Also her mother, Mrs. Adie Crumpler of Goldsboro, N. Car., who is visiting in West Texas.

There are 28 grandchildren, all of whom but three were present.

Fete Newlyweds, R. McArthurs, At Gift Shower

Mr. and Mrs. Roland McArthur were honored with a gift shower and domino party Thursday night at the County Park recreation hall. Many household gifts were presented to the newly wedded couple.

Following the game period coffee, punch and cookies were served by the hostesses, Mmes. Bob Godwin, Frank Coalson, Lewis Heuvel, Fagan Parker, John Brown and C. C. Ramsey.

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Heart Ailment Claims Life of Joe Chapman, 57

Joe Chapman, 57, Coke county ranchman residing in the Water Valley community, died at 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 18, in a San Angelo hospital. His death was due to a heart ailment.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Robert Masie Funeral Chapel with burial in Divide cemetery.

Joseph Lee Chapman was born Nov. 20, 1902, in Coke County and had resided here all his life.

Survivors include his wife, Elizabeth; a daughter, Miss Kitty Chapman; five sisters, Mrs. Leonard Lobb and Mrs. Susie Shelton, both of Burleson, Mrs. B. A. O'Neal of Glendale, Ariz., Mrs. Luke O'Neal of Richmond, Calif., and Mrs. Carl Plock of Clay Center, Kans.; four brothers, Sam Chapman of Palo Pinto, Bill Chapman of Quemado, Coke Chapman of Faith, S. D., and Cooper Chapman of Water Valley.

SERIOUS HAND INJURY

W. T. Roach sustained a painful injury Monday afternoon when he cut off the end of the third finger of his left hand while operating a power joiner in his carpenter shop at his home. He was planing a piece of lumber when he accidentally got his finger into the moving blade. Mr. Roach was treated in the emergency room at Coke County Memorial Hospital.

Silver Indians Tame Dogies 22-8

The Silver Indians gained their second straight victory of the season Thursday night by beating the Robert Lee Dogies 22 to 8 in an 8 man football contest.

Robert Lee's lone score was made on a 68 yard run through the middle by John Jacobs early in the first period.

Lynn White scored for the Indians in the first quarter on a left end sweep of 60 yards.

Raymon Kincaid made the second touchdown in the third quarter on a 55 yard run around left end. He punched through the line for the extra points.

In the fourth quarter Raymon Kincaid made the thrust for last touchdown of the game. Jack McCallie passed to Dennis Gartman for the bonus points.

The victorious Silver Indians were David Cox, Dennis Gartman, Larry Mullican, Bill Paul, Eddie Parker, Jack McCallie, Raymon Kincaid, Lynn White, Robert Jameson, John Reed, Mike Conner and Keith Jones.

Former Resident's Husband Dies

Leonard W. Welch, 63, husband of the former Miss Ruby Bessent, died last Thursday in the Veterans Hospital at Legion near Kerrville. Mrs. Welch is a former resident of Robert Lee.

Mr. Welch was a veteran of 27½ years of service in the U. S. Army. He served in World Wars I and II.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in Smith Funeral Chapel, with burial Monday in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio.

He was a member of the Independent Order of the Oddfellows and the Baptist Church.

Survivors other than his wife include: one son, Leonard E. Welch of Kerrville, and one brother, T. C. Welch of Tracy, California.

Among those attending the funeral service from Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Fern Havins and daughter, Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Dudge Hallmark and Mrs. Wesley Watson.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Sept. 16 — Mrs. Hubert Payton, Mrs. J. K. Griffith, Bonnie Quisenberry dismissed.

Sept. 17 — Bonnie Quisenberry readmitted. Osa Faries admitted. Mrs. R. H. Snively, Dean Snively dismissed.

Sept. 19 — Mrs. J. S. Walker admitted. Bonnie Quisenberry dismissed.

Sept. 20 — William H. Hall admitted. L. H. Blankenship dismissed.

Sept. 21 — Mrs. E. D. Ackerman, Oscar Collett, Mrs. Johnny Hollis admitted. W. M. Hall dismissed.

Sept. 22—Mrs. Hays Prince admitted. Oscar Collett dismissed.

Sept. 24 — Mrs. Sam Jay admitted. Mrs. E D Ackerman dismissed.

Sept. 26 — Mrs. C. E. Benningfield admitted. Mrs. Sam Jay, Mrs. Hays Prince dismissed.

Sept. 27 — Mrs. Oscar Collett,

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Bryan Yarbrough admitted. Mrs. Johnny Hollis dismissed.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to everyone for all the kindness and the many thoughtful deeds shown us following the loss of our wife and mother.

The Will Millican Family

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin C. and her sister, Mrs. O. D. of Snyder, motored to Coke Sunday to attend a reunion of the Eubanks family. The occasion in honor of the 82nd birthday Mrs. Aurie Eubanks. She is aunt of Mrs. Childress and Adkins who grew up in her home after the death of their parents.

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