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BRENDA McDORMAN



VICKI WOJTEK



RICHARD SIMS

Robert Lee Students In Finals

Leaving for Austin today (Thursday) to represent Robert Lee High School and Region II in the State Interscholastic League Contest to be held May 4-6 were Brenda Sue McDorman, Vicki Wojtek and Richard Sims. They were accompanied by Mrs. Frank Coalson, John Malone, and Garland Davis.

Brenda Sue will take part in the journalism contest; Vicki will compete in the ready writing contest; and Richard will run in the 120 yd. high hurdles and the 180 yd. low hurdles.

This is the second year Brenda Sue has gone to the state meet. Last year, she won first in the state typewriting contests.

As in all state contests, there

will be sixteen contestants in the Class B field, the class with which Robert Lee must compete.

Richard has the highest regional time in the 180 yd. low hurdles, and is surpassed only by Huntsman of Rochester in the 120 yd. high hurdles.

These students earned the right to compete in Austin by winning the district contests held in San Angelo April 7 and by winning the regional contest held in Stephenville on April 22.

Residents to Visit Mexico

Students studying Spanish in the Robert Lee High School, under the direction of Mrs. Frank Coalson, and prospective students who plan to take the course next fall, will leave for Ciudad Acuna, Mexico, Sunday, May 7, at 7 a. m.

The trip is sponsored by parents of the students who will provide the transportation. Parents who will accompany the group in their autos are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coalson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Quisenberry, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. White, C. L. Hallmark, Mrs. and Mrs. F. C. Millican, Mrs. Pauline Holland, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Godwin.

Students and parents are scheduled to arrive in Mexico around 11:00 a. m. in time for each member of the party to attend the church of his choice.

After church the group will dine at the famous Crosby Restaurant. During the period of time between lunch and the bull fight which is scheduled for 4:00 p. m., the students will bargain with the Mexican merchants for souvenirs.

The Robert Lee party plan to see the first bull fight of the season at the famous La Macarena before they return to Robert Lee Sunday night.

Students who plan to make the trip are Carol Hester, Irene Gloria, Raymon Kincaid, Frankie Millican, Derwood Coalson, Taylor Jones, Ronnie Reid, Bill Roach, Ann Carwile, Lynn White, Carolyn Parker, Beverly Higginbotham, Commie Hallmark, Jimmy Caraway, Lexie Lewis, Don Ellis, Joe Roe, Judy Lewis, Linda Thetford, Clark Godwin, Robert Holland, Betty Jo McGinley, Prescilla Wylie, Bonnie Quisenberry, Dwain Walker, Jerry Quisenberry and Anne White.

Mr. Dale Hamby, a teacher at Robert Lee school, will also be a member of the sight seeing group.

Members of Mrs. Sam Powell's second grade class were taken to the Powell Ranch Tuesday afternoon to watch a sheep shearing crew at work. The 36 students made the trip in a school bus, driven by Mr. Fowler. They were accompanied by Mrs. Powell, Mrs. W. T. Roach and Mrs. John H. King.

Rites Held For Linney

R. A. (Lon) Linney, 82, former resident of Silver died at 3:40 p. m. at his home at 802 Hughes Street in San Angelo.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday in the Bethel Baptist Church with Rev. M. M. Griggs, pastor, and Rev. R. L. Denton officiating. Burial was in Pecan Cemetery under direction of Johnson's Funeral Home.

Mr. Linney was born April 25, 1879, in Beville. A retired farmer and rancher, he ranched at Silver from 1906 to 1933 and at Midland from 1933 to 1945.

He married the former Louisa Millican, sister of W. M. Millican of Edith, Sept. 12, 1906, in Edith. He was a member of the Bethel Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Roy Linney of Stanton, Lester Linney of Rising Star and T. P. Linney of San Angelo; three daughters, Mrs. J. C. Stroman of Sweetwater, Mrs. Tom Hale of Midland and Mrs. Jake Allen of Ruidosa, N. M.; 19 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

BIRTHS

CLARK — Mr. and Mrs. Royce Dean Clark of Bronte are parents of a new daughter, Donna Sue, born at 5:53 p. m. April 28 in the Coke County Memorial Hospital. The baby weighed 8 pounds. The mother is the former Bonnie Joe Ensor. Mr. Clark works at Sims Food Store in Bronte. The couple has four other children.

SCUDDAY — Judith Ann is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Scudday of Silver. She was born at 4:12 p. m. May 2 in Coke County Memorial Hospital and she weighed 5 lbs., 14 ounces. The couple has two other children. The mother is the former Mary Katherine Prince. Mr. Scudday is employed by Ambassador Oil Corp. and also is a farmer.

Large Crowd Takes Part In Fish Kill Here

More than 500 persons were at Mountain Creek Lake here Saturday to gather fish that were killed by the Texas Game and Fish Commission Biology Department. Many people traveled as far as from Odessa to be here for the kill.

The largest fish captured were 4 flathead or "yellow" catfish that weighed 52, 51, 47 and 20 pounds. The two largest catfish were captured by Johnny Rives of Odes-

sa and the other two large ones were caught by Jimmie Byars of Sweetwater.

River carp suckers amounting to nearly 8,000 pounds were the greatest percent of fish killed Saturday. The over population (approximately 90%) of this species was the reason for the kill.

Most of the crappie and sunfish killed were very small and apparently stunted.

A few very large bass were captured but practically no smaller ones. Only a few small channel catfish were picked up.

The Texas Game and Fish Commission representatives expressed their appreciation for the cooperation that they received from the landowners in letting the biologists treat the watershed. Permission was granted by these landowners to eradicate the fish in all the pot holes in the creek and in most of the farm tanks. "There are a few farm tanks that should not be treated, however," said one of the state biologists.

The lake treatment appeared to be very successful to the biologists. They believe that a complete kill was effected and that very few fish were wasted since most spectators carried the fish away.

Fish Kill Improves City Water

The fish kill affected by Texas Game and Fish Commission Biologist James Wilcox and his assistants Saturday at Mountain Creek Lake "has cleared the water" said Cecil Mayfield, Robert Lee Water Department Superintendent.

Prior to the killing of thousands of pounds of sucker fish the water was extremely muddy due to the fact that suckers habitat at the bottom of the lake and their activity stirred the mud into the water.

Mayfield said that before the kill he was adding chemicals to the city's water supply at the filtering plant that cost the city from \$6.00 to \$8.00 per day. Since the fish kill last Saturday it is no longer necessary to add lime and alum to the water.

The only chemical that is added to the water is 2 parts of chlorine to per million parts of water to kill all bacteria in the city's water supply.

According to many observers the Mountain Creek Lake now has the cleanest appearance that it has had in a number of years.

OUTSIDERS WIN TWO GAMES

The Robert Lee Women Outsiders softball team has defeated the Union Texas Natural Women's Team twice in two softball contests.

Inez Gartman was the winning pitcher in the first game for the Robert Lee team which defeated Union Texas Natural team by a score of 42 to 16. Two home runs were made in the game by Gartman and Maxine Day.

The Robert Lee team defeated the Union Texas Natural again Monday night by a score of 14 to 5. Jeffie Roberts and Inez Gartman were the winning pitchers.

Johnnie Moore was the losing pitcher for both games.

The Robert Lee Outsiders will travel to Winters Friday night with managers, Sam Williams and Joe Ross. Game time is 7:00 p. m.

Community Barbecue Set

A large barbecue, free swimming and many other entertaining events are planned by the Board of Community Development, the Park Board and Silver Lions Club at the Coke County Park Monday, May 15, from 2:30 till 6:00 p. m.

Complete details of the county affair will be in next week's edition of The Observer.

Rus Mathers of San Angelo visited in Robert Lee Wednesday.

Mother Of Mrs. Blaylock Dies Suddenly

Mrs. W. J. Rabel, 68, mother of Mrs. Bert Blaylock of the Lometa community, died suddenly at her home in Abernathy at 7 a. m. after apparently suffering a heart attack in her sleep.

She was born in Williams County August 24, 1895. She was married to W. J. Rabel March 14, 1920.

Mrs. Rabel was a member of the Lutheran church at Abernathy.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 3:30 p. m. in Johnson Funeral Chapel in San Angelo.

Officiating at the services was Bob Hoover, minister of the Church of Christ of Lubbock.

Survivors other than her husband include two sons: Willie of Ojai, California, and Johnny of the home; two daughters: Mrs. Dub Wright of San Angelo and Mrs. Blaylock of the Lometa community.

Sheriff and Ranger on Trail Of Burglars

Texas Ranger Ralph Rohatch and Coke County Sheriff Melvin Childress have been following leads of the recent Robert Lee school burglary for the past several days.

The sheriff and ranger have traveled to Wichita Falls, Abilene, Dallas, Ft. Worth and several other cities following up leads on the burglary.

Sheriff Childress said this week that he believes that they are getting closer to the solution of this case.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Blake of Welch, Texas and Mrs. W. E. Blake of Lemitar, New Mexico, visited the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brown, Marsha and Patricia.

James Blankenship Injured in Accident

James Blankenship, well known Robert Lee High School athlete, was slightly injured at 6:00 p. m. when the auto in which he was driving overturned near the Colorado River bridge on highway 208 just outside Robert Lee.

He was admitted to Coke County Memorial Hospital for treatment of a cut on his left elbow and numerous bruises. Hospital attendants stated Wednesday morning that Blankenship's condition was good.

The automobile which he was driving was extensively damaged. He was the lone occupant of the car.

Improvements Are Made At Park

Under the direction of the Coke County Park Board, Fern Havins, commissioner of precinct 1, has constructed 5 picnic tables and shelters, retopped and remarked the tennis court and installed a putting green in the Coke County Park.

The picnic tables and shelters are of masonry construction.

These improvements will add to the attractiveness and usefulness of the park.

HOSPITAL NEWS

April 26 — Mrs. Oscar Collett admitted. Mrs. Lillian Caraway dismissed.

April 28 — Mrs. Royce Dean Clark admitted. W. H. Hall dismissed.

April 29 — Mrs. Don Bumpas admitted.

April 30 — Mrs. L. M. Service admitted. Mrs. R. D. Clark and daughter dismissed.

May 2 — Mrs. R. C. Scudday, James Blankenship admitted.

Silver News

Mrs. John T. Stewart and daughter, Vicki, are in Shreveport, Louisiana for a visit with the Reid Biggs family. Mrs. Biggs is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Rogers and children, Kay and Mit of Big Spring, were weekend guests in the R. S. Gann home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bradham and daughter, Rosalind, spent the weekend in the Leonard Sharp home in Tuscola. Mrs. Sharp is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bradham.

SHARP IS SCHOOL ADMINISTRATOR
Leonard Sharp, son-in-law of the O. F. Bradhams of Silver, has recently been appointed Business Administrator of the Tuscola

Schools.

Sharp was recently discharged from the U. S. Army at Seattle, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharp and their two children, Katrie and Larry, have just moved into a new home at Tuscola.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Wilkes of Mary Neal were Sunday visitors of the C. T. Wilkes family at Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. "Buster" Jones returned Monday after a vacation of three weeks at Glade-water and other East Texas points.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Taylor returned Monday after spending a vacation of two weeks at Nederland.

Lawrence and Tommy Stewart spent the weekend at their parents home, the John T. Stewarts.

PRE-1ST GRADERS VISIT

Students that will be in the first grade at Silver Peak School next year visited the school from 8 a. m. until 12:00 noon Monday. There were 20 in the group.

STUDENTS TAKE FIELD TRIPS

Two groups of Silver students went on field trips Monday. The first grade students went to San Angelo.

The fifth grade students journeyed to Sweetwater to visit the Radar Base, a packing plant and Broom factory.

Achievement tests were given to all Silver students who attended classes Monday.

The Silver Band Members will go to the Carlsbad Caverns at White City, New Mexico Friday.

Mrs. Fred Theis returned home Sunday with her granddaughter, Teresa Sherman of Abilene.

Mrs. J. K. Davis of Odessa, nee Julia Padgett, visited friends in Silver Sunday. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mann, Mrs. Herb Suckling and daughter, Sally, all of Odessa.

Mrs. Albert Rhtarchik of Tacoma, Washington left Silver last week to join her husband for a vacation at Tuscon, Arizona. She has been a guest in the M. J. Jennings home the past several days.

Returning to San Antonio after visiting in the Marshall Jennings home for three days is Glenn J. Hubert.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Moore and

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daughters of McComb, Mississippi returned home Wednesday after spending a week's vacation in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moore.

Visiting in the home of the Bob Odoms during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones and daughters, Kathy and Debbie of San Angelo.

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LOCAL NEWS

Visiting in Robert Lee Saturday were Mr. Edgar Cowart and Mr. Charlie Cowart, son and brother of the late sheriff L. J. Cowart. Edgar Cowart now lives in Rusk, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tinkler, Mr. and Mrs. Fagan Parker and son, Gary, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Godwin spent the weekend at Camp Sol Mayer near Menard.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lomas and Lisa Lynn were in Robert Lee over the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wylie Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. George Lomas. The Wylies were to assist them in moving their household belongings to Albuquerque, New Mexico, on Tuesday.

Remember your Mother with a gift from Roach's. She never forgot you.

Clearance Byrne, 67, brother of V. P. Byrne of Robert Lee, was found dead recently at his home in Salinas, California.

Mr. Byrne was born July 1, 1893, at Sanco. His parents were Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Byrne.

He left Coke County to follow oil field work in Oklahoma and New Mexico in 1919. He had resided in California for the past 25 years.

Survivors other than his brother include two sisters, Mrs. Anna Gibson of Stephenville and Mrs. Ada McDonald of Seminole.

Guests in the Chism Brown home during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Young of Ralls; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Dickinson of Brownwood. Mr. Young is a brother of Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Dickinson.

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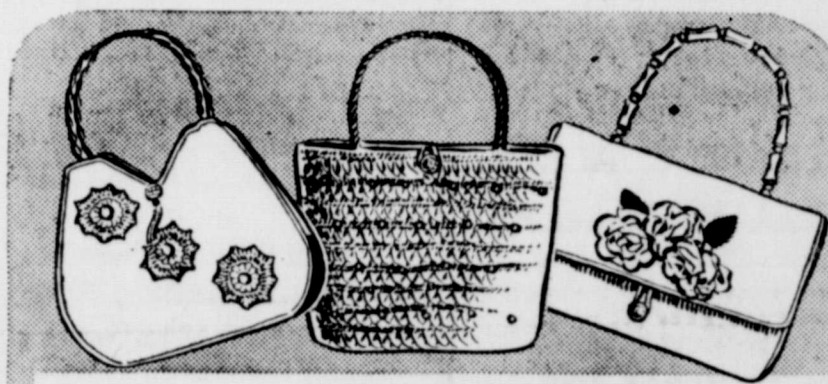
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By CAROLE L. HOOPER

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One of the highlights of the three days was our fishing trip at one community. I had never fished with a rod and reel before—but I caught one!

The 75 home demonstration club members in Coke County are a part of the one and a third million home demonstration club women in these United States who are celebrating National Home Demonstration Week April 30-May 6. The organization includes all 50 states and Puerto Rico. Home

Demonstration work is an educational program—planned by and for homemakers. It is conducted by the Extension Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the State land-grant colleges, and our County government.

Presidents who are doing a good job planning their respective club's work for this year are Mrs. LeDrew Arrott, Bronte Junior Club, with a total membership of 17; Mrs. J. C. Boatright of the Bronte Senior Club, membership of 14; Mrs. Linzy McDorman of the Friendship club which has 18 members; Mrs. Floyd Harmon, president of the Green Mountain Club, with a membership of nine members; and Mrs. Bobby Roberts of the Robert Lee Club, total membership of 16.

The five clubs in the county meet twice a month with the exception of August when there are no meetings. The Robert Lee Club and the Bronte Jr. Club do not have regular meetings in June or July, but they do attend special interest group meetings which might be held during those two months.

The Coke County Home Demonstration Council meets the second Tuesday of each month for the purpose of getting representatives of all five clubs together to plan countywide work and listen to reports of the work of each individual club.

Officers of this organization are Chairman, Mrs. Curtis Walker; Vice Chairman, Mrs. R. L. Page; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Glenn Waldrop; Parliamentarian, Mrs. Taylor Emerson and County TH-DA Chairman, Mrs. Pat Rives.

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FARMERS MAKE IMPROVEMENTS

Farmers Home Administration county supervisor Chester L. Sinclair said today that owners of farms who need to replace or repair houses and other essential farm service buildings are showing a great deal of interest in the agency's farm housing loan program.

These loans are available to qualified owners of all sizes of farms provided the farm will produce at least \$400 worth of commodities for sale or home use each year, based on 1944 prices. Additional loan funds have recently been made available for this type of credit, Sinclair stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Millican and children of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith and family of Arlington were weekend guests in the home of Mr. W. M. Millican and Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Millican. The families attended the funeral of R. A. (Lon) Linney Saturday at San Angelo.

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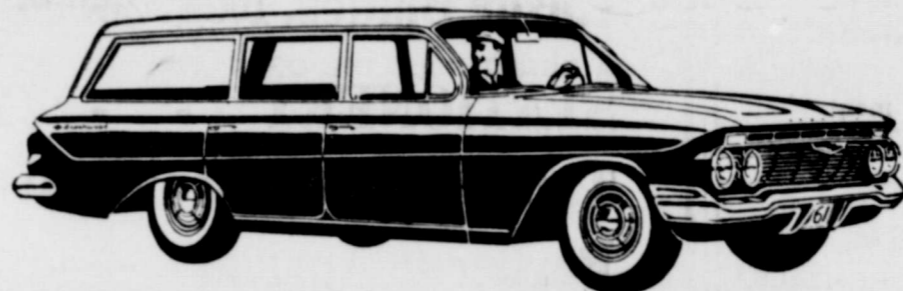
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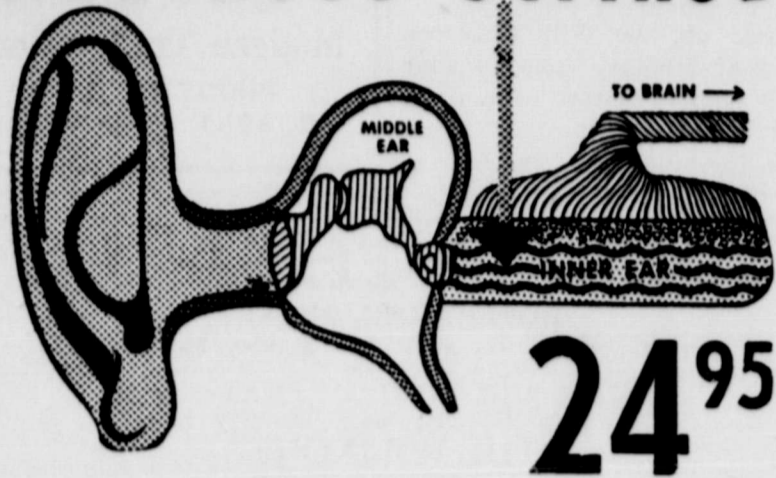
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PERSONALS

Guests of the R. C. Sawyers are Mrs. Arthur Johnson and Tray of Fort Worth. Among recent visitors were Mr. and Mrs. James Coffman, Jim and John of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Snyder of Sun Field in South Texas.

Sterling Allen, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen, was in Fort Worth visiting family friends for five days.

Mrs. Charles Sims was among 150 hair dressers who attended the first "Color Show" in San Angelo recently. The show, held in the ballroom of Hotel Cactus, was under the direction of a New York stylist.

Mrs. Delmir Sheppard has been with her mother, Mrs. Temp Whiteside, who is a patient in the Clinic Hospital, San Angelo. Mrs. Whiteside suffered a broken leg in a fall, and has undergone surgery.

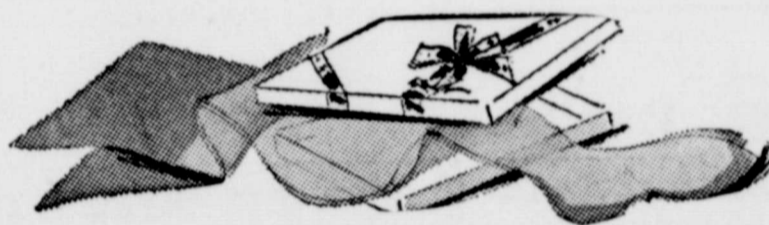
Mrs. Jerome Sheppard and children of Spearman were recent guests of the Melvin Childresses, and other relatives.

Remember your Mother with a gift from Roach's. She never forgot you.

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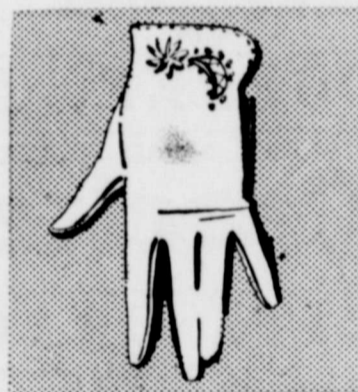
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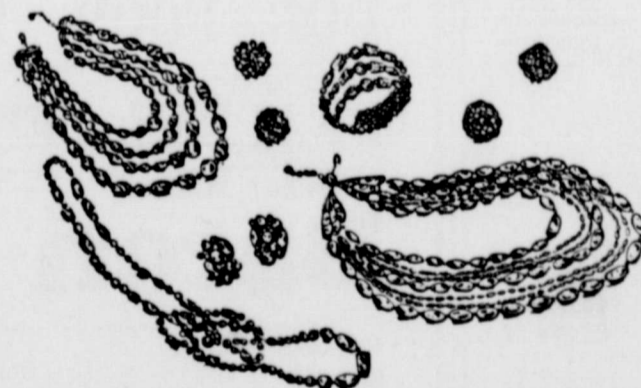
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This property owned by the Jennie Scott Allen Estate includes 160 acres in Abstract No. 232, Survey No. 161 and 324 acres Abstract No. 1839, in Survey 126, H & T C Railway Co. Survey.

All of the minerals and royalty go with the 324 acre tract and all the minerals and one-fourth the royalty included with the 160 acres.

This property is adjacent to the Millican oil field and is under a 5-year oil and gas lease which expires in December, 1963. Annual rental is \$1.00 per acre.

Some excellent farm and pasture land which adds to the value of the property is also under lease.

This is a rare opportunity to purchase land right against oil and gas production with 3/4 of the minerals included. Because of this fact local prospects have first chance by reading this announcement, as it has not yet been advertised outside Coke County. The price, minerals and all, is \$52.50 per acre.

The property has been listed for sale exclusively to the undersigned broker, and any and all inquiries should be made to him.

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only a few miles from Robert Lee has been listed for immediate sale. 443 acres on main paved highway, 135 acres cropland, 22 acre cotton allotment. Modern 5-room house, barns, outbuildings, good water well and electric pressure pump, large surface tank and several smaller ones, butane, REA, school and mail routes. One-half the minerals. Priced at \$85.00 an acre.

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Robert Lee, Texas

Reserve District No. 11 State No. 1684

REPORT OF CONDITION OF ROBERT LEE STATE BANK

of Robert Lee, Texas, at the close of business April 12, 1961, a state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 423,821.78
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	492,289.25
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	220,922.68
Other bonds, notes, and debentures (including \$ None securities of Federal agencies and corporations not guaranteed by U. S.)	20,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$3,600.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	3,600.00
Loans and discounts (including 1,652.71 overdrafts)	697,196.16
Bank premises owned \$44,725.00, furniture and fixtures \$11,060.28	55,785.28
(Bank premises owned are subject to \$ None liens not assumed by bank)	
Other assets	505.74
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,914,120.89

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$ 955,112.49
Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	443,769.84
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	6,917.81
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	355,442.73
Deposits of banks	10,000.00
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	979.75
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,772,222.62
Total demand deposits	\$1,228,452.78
Total time deposits	\$ 543,769.84
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,772,222.62

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital: Common stock, total par value	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	70,000.00
Undivided profits	21,898.27
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$ 141,898.27
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$1,914,120.89

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 305,000.00

I, Willis W. Smith, Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Willis W. Smith

We, the undersigned directors attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Wm. H. Allen }
G. C. Allen } Directors
L. C. Ivey }

State of Texas, County of Coke ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day of April, 1961
Kenneth Lackey, Notary Public

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF COKE

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED VOTERS OF Coke County, Texas:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 27th day of May, 1961, in Coke County, Texas, at the places, in the manner, and on the proposition set forth in the ORDER FOR SECOND SPECIAL ELECTION, duly entered by the County Judge of Coke County, Texas, on the 1st day of May, 1961. Said ORDER FOR SECOND SPECIAL ELECTION is for the purpose of electing a United States Senator (Unexpired Term).

J. L. TINKLER

County Clerk, Coke County,

Texas.

SEAL

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vick of San Angelo were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Walker.

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

May 4, 1961

WORLD WAR I VETS

Monthly meeting of Coke County Barracks 2409 World War I Veterans, U. S. A., will be held at the American Legion Hall in Bronte on Thursday, May 4, at 7:30 p. m.

Visiting on the Bill Craddock ranch near Medina, Texas, Friday through Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Clark. Mrs. Craddock is the daughter of the Clarks.

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Also Cartoon

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(In Color)

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Biscuits 12 cans \$1.00

FRESH UNGRADED

Eggs 3 doz. \$1.00

DUNCAN HINES

CAKE MIX, White, Yellow or Chocolate - \$1.00 (3 BOXES)

TEA, Morton's - - - - - 1/4 Lb. Box 29c

PURE CANE

Sugar 5 lbs. 49c

COFFEE, All Brands - - - - - Lb. 69c

SUPREME SALAD WAFER

Crackers 27c (1 LB. BOX)

RITZ CRACKERS - - - 1 Lb. Box 37c

GLADIOLA

Flour 10 lb. bag 89c

SCOT TISSUE - - - - - 8 Rolls \$1.00

DOG FOOD, Pard - - - - - 7 Cans \$1.00

PACIFIC GOLD

PEACHES, Elberta, No.2 1/2 - - 4 for \$1.00

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