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a second glance

By JOHN H. KING II

Jerry Alsup, assistant football coach and head baseball coach at Robert Lee High School this past year, was in Robert Lee Friday to get his small car and take it back to Memphis, Tennessee.

He stopped by the Observer office to let us know that his wife and young son were doing fine, but did not make the trip with him. He also told us that he had been serving as pitching coach and relief pitcher for the Newton, North Carolina, Twins, a class D baseball team in the West Carolinas League.

Alsup said that he had a 3-0 won-loss record as a relief pitcher this season. They also called on the "Old Man," 28, to pinch hit. He stated that he had a batting average of .300 for 15 trips to the plate.

He will teach history, speech and physical education along with his duties as assistant football coach and head baseball coach at Frazier High School in Memphis, Tennessee this year.

Last week after the Observer had been mailed one of the delegates from "The Philosophers' and Prophets' Circle" that meets daily at an establishment immediately south of the Observer Office practically ran into the office asking to borrow the dictionary.

I loaned it to him, and while he was looking for the word that he was interested in knowing about, I asked him what had we done wrong this time.

It seems as if the "Philosophers and Prophets" had been reading the semi-annual clearance ad of 'Roach's, and a great discussion came forth on the spelling and meaning of "thong" sandals.

Of course the advertisers are happy that their sales messages are being read, and frankly, it make me happy to know the Observer is being of service to the merchants and readers of this area.

Frank Dickey, Coke County Attorney, discovered a new client in his office Tuesday morning. The client had many different characteristics from the usual clients that Dickey serves... mainly it was a milk sipping racoon. Has anyone lost a pet coon?

The Robert Lee Rabbit Twisters were defeated by the Brownwood club by a score of 4 to 3 here Sunday.

Ronnie Baker said each side received 3 unearned runs. The tie was broken by one earned run by the visitors.

Superintendent Hervey Latham left Robert Lee Wednesday for Georgetown, Texas, and Houston where he will interview applicants for the position of band teacher in the Robert Lee school system for this school year. The band teaching position is the only vacancy in the school system at this time.

Jack D. Ivey Buys Butane Service Co. From R. H. Sims

Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Ivey of Bronte have purchased the butane part of the business of Butane Service & Hardware Co., operated for the past six years by Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Sims. Effective date of the transaction was Aug. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Sims are announcing the sale in an ad in this issue of this newspaper, and Ivey is also running an ad inviting continued patronage of the firm.

Included in the sale were tanks, trucks, lines, etc., used in the sale of butane in Bronte and Robert Lee. Ivey said that he will continue operation of a truck in both Robert Lee and Bronte. Wesley Kinsey will remain as Robert Lee representative of the firm.

In announcing the sale, Mr. and Mrs. Sims said they found it necessary to dispose of the butane business for reasons of health. They will continue to operate their hardware store and automatic laundry in Bronte. The firm will be known as Sims Hardware and Ivey's business will be known as Butane Service Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Sims expressed their appreciation given them during their six years of servicing the butane needs of their customers in Robert Lee and Bronte.

Ivey will maintain an office in the Sims Hardware building for the time being, at least until he has time to secure quarters for his new business.

WWI VETERANS MEET AUG. 3

Next meeting of Coke County Barracks 2409 Veterans of World War I has been set for Thursday night, Aug. 3, at the County Park Community Building in Robert Lee. District Cmdr. J. A. Caveness of Junction will speak and will be accompanied by his wife who is district president of the WWI Veterans Auxiliary. Other visitors are expected, including Arthur Sitas, area service officer. This will be Ladies Night and all World War Veterans and their ladies and veterans' widows are invited. After the program home made ice cream and cake will be served.

Local Physician Urges Use Of Salk Vaccine

Dr. John D. McDaniel, Robert Lee physician, stated this week that he urged parents to see to it that their families are given a full series of Salk shots immediately to guard against the possibility of contracting paralytic polio.

There has been some controversy between some experts over the relative merits of polio vaccines which are the Salk vaccine and the Sabin live-virus vaccine. This clash of scientists over some technical points has had a tendency to confuse some persons throughout the country.

The Sabin live virus vaccine is not available on the market for general use, and possibly will not be—if proven satisfactory—for some time to come.

Dr. Salk's vaccine is available

ATTEND SHERIFF'S MEETING

Sheriff and Mrs. Melvin Childress and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McAdams attended Texas 83rd Annual Sheriff's Convention at McAllen, Texas for 4 days last week.

The Texas Sheriff's Association selected Austin as the place to hold their convention next year.

Casey Home Burglarized

The G. C. Casey farm home, 7 miles southeast of Robert Lee, was burglarized at approximately 10 p.m. Thursday.

Sheriff Melvin Childress said that the intruder gained entry by breaking the glass of the rear door of the residence and turned the knob of the door from the inside.

Items that were reported taken were: electric iron, 1 radio, electric percolator, pressure cooker, 2 wheels and tires, size 67x15 taken from a 53 Chevrolet, an auto battery and electric fan. Value of the stolen goods was placed at \$150.00.

Sheriff Childress stated that he had some clues that he felt would aid in apprehension of the criminal.

Services Held For Smith Youth

Services were held Saturday, July 29, at the Trinity Baptist Church at 2:00 p.m. in Sweetwater for Samuel C. R. Smith Jr., 9. Rev. Avery Sullivan and Rev. Carl Smith officiated.

The youngster died in a Sweetwater hospital following surgery Friday evening, July 28.

Samuel Smith, Jr. was born July 21, 1952 at Portland, Oregon.

Survivors include the parents, two sisters, Nancy 12, and Judy 11, and a brother, Johnny, 7. His father was born in Coke County and is employed by the Franklin Chain of Stores.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. J. S. Smith of Sweetwater.

Burial was at the Garden of Memory Cemetery at Sweetwater under the direction of Patterson Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were: Frank Davis, Jimmy Huckaby, Wade Sanders, Curtis Lewallen, Doyle Feagan, all of Sweetwater, and Finnell Smith of Robert Lee.

District Court To Convene Monday

Joe L. Mays, 51st District Judge, will preside at the 51st District Court of Coke County Monday, August 7, at 10 a.m. to hear 6 non-jury cases that are scheduled to be tried in this term of court.

Cases scheduled to be tried are: Jack Weeks, et al vs. Mrs. Olga Seth for damages. Attorneys for the plaintiff are George T. Thomas and Wayne Basden of Big Spring. The defense attorney is Bill Griffis of the law firm of Upton, Upton, Baker & Griffis of San Angelo.

D. A. Dumas and Guy C. Burton, suit for debt against Paymaster Feed Mills, Division of

Anderson, Clayton & Company, Inc. Frank C. Dickey of the law firm Dickey & Dickey is the attorney for the plaintiffs and Bill Tippen of Bradberry, Tippen and Brown of Abilene is the defense attorney.

Dr. John R. Harris, Bronte Hospital and John Harris Clinic have filed suit on account against Cullen F. Busher and Mrs. Cullen F. Busher. Tom Lear of Wilson, Logan and Lear of San Angelo is attorney for the plaintiffs.

Clara Thompson vs. Sam Richards, et al, for judgment and foreclosure of lien. Frank C. Dickey is attorney for plaintiff.

Verna Grace Rose versus Melvin Thomas Rose, suit for divorce. Charles Gibbs of the firm of Stovall and Gibbs of San Angelo is representing Mrs. Rose.

R. D. Jones versus Texas Employers Insurance Association for damages and compensation. James Robinson of the firm of Robinson and Wilson of Abilene is representing Jones and Earl Smith of Hardeman, Smith and Foy is representing the defendant.

Judge Joe Mays postponed the meeting of the grand jury that was scheduled for Monday.

Graveside Rites Held Here for Otis Wiginton

Graveside rites were held for Otis Wiginton, 62, Friday, July 28, at 11 a.m. at the Robert Lee Cemetery. Rev. Robin Guess, minister of the Robert Lee Baptist Church, officiated.

Mr. Wiginton died after a short illness at his home in Carrizo Springs at 8 a.m. Wednesday. He is a former resident of Robert Lee.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Janis Parkman of Fort Worth and Mrs. Clydola Bradberry of Fort Worth; two sons, O. S. of Galveston and William of San Antonio; one brother, Tom Wiginton of Robert Lee; one sister, Mrs. E. J. Lanson of San Angelo and nine grandchildren.

New Field Discovered Near Here

Western Petroleum Co., Long Beach, Calif., has requested discovery allowable and suggested field designation of Pauson (Swastika) for its No. 1 H. G. Wendland Estate, Coke County discovery, 12 miles southeast of Robert Lee and 1/4-mile east of the Wendkirk (Cisco) field.

It was finalized for a daily flowing potential of 420 barrels of 41 gravity oil, plus six-tenths of 1 per cent water, with gas-oil ratio of 400-1. Production was natural through an 18-64-inch choke and open hole between 3,632 feet, where 4 1/2-inch casing was set, and 3,641 feet, the total depth.

Top of pay was picked at 3,632 feet on elevation of 1,774 feet. Tubing pressure was 320 pounds; casing pressure, 100 pounds.

The following tops were picked: Valera, 1,780 feet; Flippen lime, 3,297 feet; Gunite, 3,505 feet.

Location is 3,030 feet from the southwest and 330 feet from the northwest lines of Frederick Merkel survey No. 455.

Humble 1 Arledge, bottomed at 6,595 feet, preparing to drill stem test.

HOSPITAL NEWS

July 12 — Mrs. W. A. Payne admitted. Mrs. Elmo Bell, L. C. Ivey, Jr. dismissed.

July 13 — T. A. Gartman admitted.

July 14 — J. B. Evans admitted. T. A. Gartman, Mrs. Bonita Robertson, W. H. Hall dismissed.

July 15 — Mrs. C. W. Young, G. F. Davis, Mrs. Elmo Bell admitted. Mrs. Bobby Walker dismissed.

July 16 — Mrs. Alvin Lara Jr. admitted. Mrs. C. W. Young and son dismissed.

July 17 — L. J. Holder, Mrs. James Deen admitted. Mrs. James Deen, Mrs. Jennie Bilbo, G. F. Davis, J. B. Evans dismissed.

July 18 — Mrs. Sam Fowler, Mrs. Bruce Allen, Sallie Ann Lara admitted. Mrs. Alvin Lara Jr. dismissed.

July 19 — Osa Faries, Mrs. C. W. Lightsey admitted. L. J. Holder dismissed.

July 20 — J. B. Evans admitted. Mrs. W. B. Allen dismissed.

July 21 — Mrs. Roy Ross, Sallie Ann Lara admitted. Mrs. Sam Fowler, Mrs. C. W. Lightsey dismissed.

July 22 — Mrs. R. R. Ash admitted. Osa Faries dismissed.

July 23 — Mrs. James Deen, Vellery Jayne Deen admitted. J. B. Evans, dismissed. Mrs. Elmo Bell transferred to Shannon Hospital.

July 24 — J. L. Tinkler admitted. Mrs. W. A. Payne, Sallie Lara dismissed.

July 25 — Mrs. R. R. Ash dismissed.

July 26 — Mrs. James Deen and Valery Jayne dismissed.

July 28 — Mrs. Roy Ross dismissed.

July 29 — Osa Faries admitted. J. L. Tinkler transferred to San Angelo.

July 31 — Mrs. Melvin Childress admitted.

Aug. 1 — Osa Faries dismissed.

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Mrs. Emory Hughes and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Phil Hughes and children of East Point, Ga. left Wednesday after visiting several days with Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hughes, Mrs. A. E. Hayley and the Ell Hatleys.

Gaston Family Holds Reunion

Approximately 75 persons attended the Gaston Family reunion at the Presbyterian Encampment grounds at Buffalo Gap near Abilene Saturday and Sunday.

The four daughters and four sons of Mrs. Gaston and the late S. W. Gaston met with their children and grandchildren to make it a happy occasion.

Five generations were represented. Mrs. Gaston and Sam of Tennyson; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gaston, Christoval; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Coleman, Mrs. R. B. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Gaston and children, Linda, Mike and Buzzy, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gaston and children, Marilyn and Buddy, Janell and Johnny Gaston, all of San Angelo.

Mrs. Frank Farmer and Mary Evelyn Cowan, Waco, Texas; Mrs. Ray Dickens and Nelda Ruth Cade, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Garland Gaston and children, Silvia and Sabine, Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Allen and children, Butch and Robin of Van Court, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Odom of Silver, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hugh Odom and son, Robert Davis of McAllen; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stewart and children, Mickey and Cindy of Buffalo Gap; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Allen and children, Glyn and Vicki of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Archer and children, Lancey, Becca, Timmy and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones and children, Kathy and Debbie of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Saunder, Jane, Kay and Lynn of Eldorado; Rhonda Corpiet of Grand Prairie.

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Also Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Patterson of Robert Lee. Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell and children of Abilene. Several visitors from San Angelo and Abilene attended the eleventh annual Gaston reunion that has been held at Buffalo Gap.

TINKLER HAS SURGERY

J. L. Tinkler, Coke County Clerk, underwent surgery in a San Angelo Hospital Monday morning. He was reported to be making satisfactory progress.

Report local news by calling Merle King at 453-4051 or 453-3501.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir:

We are moving from Colorado City after five years. My husband has accepted the elementary principal's job at Baird, Texas, and I am going to teach as an extra teacher in high school and grade school. My mother is Mrs. Bonita Robertson who lives in Robert Lee.

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SAWYER - SIMS WEDDING VOWS PLEGGED IN LOCAL CHURCH

In double ring rites read at eight o'clock Saturday evening in the sanctuary of the First Methodist Church, Miss Kenneth June Sawyer became the bride of Mr. Ronald Esteene Sims.

The Rev. Warren Ellis, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Silver, officiated. Nuptial music was provided by the brother of the bridegroom, Mr. Richard Sims, who sang "Always" and "The Lord's Prayer." Mrs. R. Cortez Russell was organist.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sawyer are parents of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sims, parents of the bridegroom.

Twin, seven branched candelabra flanked an arrangement of white gladioli before which the couple stood.

Mr. Sawyer gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a traditional dress of white Chantilly lace and net over taffeta. The gown was designed with a high neck and small collar. The long sleeves tapered to points over the wrists. A voluminous four-tiered skirt was held out by a hoop petticoat. Her finger-tip veil fell from a crown of iridescent sequins. The bride's bouquet of white glamelias featured her maternal grandmother's wedding band.

Mrs. Garland Davis attended her sister as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Tom Sawyer of McAllen and Miss Lavina McDaniel of Ribert Lee. They wore identical blue brocade sheath dresses with matching net overskirts. Their hats were fashioned of blue net and they carried white

carnation nosegays.

Mr. Richard Sims served his brother as best man. Groomsman were Mr. Tom Sawyer of McAllen, brother of the bride, and Mr. Garland Davis, the bride's brother-in-law. Don Weathers and Edwin G. Davis seated guests and also lighted the tapers.

Miss Jana Mauldin, cousin of the bridegroom, was flower girl. She was dressed in blue silk organza. Trey Johnson, cousin of the bride, carried the rings.

The bride's parents gave a reception following the ceremony in the Fellowship Hall of the church. The bride's table was covered in white linen and held a white four-tiered wedding cake decorated with blue rose buds. Mrs. Wendell Lammers and Mrs. Donald Mauldin served cake and punch. Mrs. Jimmy Mathis was at the guest register.

In the receiving line were the bridal couple, their parents, members of the wedding party, and the bridegroom's grandmother, Mrs. Thelma Mauldin.

Mrs. Sawyer chose a blue linen sheath featuring embroidery on the skirt, for her daughter's wedding. With this she wore a white hat and accessories. Her corsage was white carnations.

The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Sims, wore a green faille sheath with dyed to match silk opera pumps. Her hat and elbow-length gloves were champagne beige. White carnations were pinned to her shoulder.

The bride is a graduate of Robert Lee High School, attended

San Angelo Business College and until her marriage was employed in the Coke County tax office. Her husband, also a graduate of Robert Lee High School is a sophomore at the University of Texas, Austin.

For the trip to Austin, the bride wore a beige two piece suit with brown accessories. The couple is at home at 1616 West 6th, Apt. 218, in Austin, where Mr. Sims will continue his studies.

Out of town guests for the wedding included Mrs. Allen Sweet of Blackwell, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Stenberg, Gary and Mike, of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Lammers, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mauldin, Carol and Wade Arledge, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ed Skipworth, Diane Howell and Dick Denman, all of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Roy Braswell, Sterling City; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson and Trey, of Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Landers and Mrs. Bill Wrinkle, of Bronte; Mr. and Mrs.

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Clifford Hart, Zephyr; Mrs. Jess Cargile, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sawyer of McAllen and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mauldin of Belton.

Miss Kenney Sawyer was named honoree at a bridal tea given Wednesday evening, July 26th, from seven to nine in the Recreation Hall. Hostesses were Mmes. Jimmy Mathis, Hervey Latham and E. G. (Butch) Davis, and Misses Lavina McDaniel and Sue Parker.

At the register table, covered in white cutwork and enchanced with a wedding taper based in blue net and calla lillies, was Miss McDaniel.

The serving table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with a large wedding bell. Appointments were in crystal. White cake squares were served by Mrs. Davis and Miss Sandra Baker ladled punch.

Out of town guests present included Mrs. C. W. Lammers and Mrs. Donald Mauldin of San Angelo; Mrs. Tom Sawyer of McAllen, Texas; Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Ft. Worth; Mrs. George Braswell, Bronte; Miss Marta Geer of San Marcos; and Mrs. Eddie Roy Braswell, Sterling City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sims hosted the Rehearsal dinner on Friday evening for twenty-five, including members of the wedding party and family.

Decorations on the table featured wedding rings, tied with ribbon bows.

Miss Judy Lawrence of Midland has been visiting for the past ten days in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Hall.

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Home Demonstration By CAROLE L. HOOPER

It's always nice to have a few days off, but its much nicer to get back home and into the old routine, again! Francis and I had an teresting trip but the cool weather in the New Mexico mountains was the most pleasant of all!

I was in Abilene Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Margie Williams, Cynthia Dillon (agents in Tom Green County) and I assisted by the State Clothing Specialist, Fannie B. Eaton, judged the garments made by the Senior 4-H girls as well as the records of the Senior and Junior models.

Quite a delegation from Robert Lee attended the Dress Revue itself which was held Thursday at the Wooten Hotel. Prescilla Wylie was the Senior model from Coke County and Betty Hughes was the high placing Junior model.

Marjorie Gladys Rives was selected as Commentator for the Dress Revue. The script she read describing the 4-H models as they came across the stage was written around a circus theme, and was quite interesting and entertaining.

Those attending from Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hughes and Patty, Mrs. T. M. Wylie, Jr., Mrs. Tom Rives and Miss Gladys Waldrop.

The Crafts committee for the Home Demonstration Camp will meet again Friday to make final decisions on the crafts to be done during the Craft Day August 24.

If you have not already returned the letter you received pertaining to this, please do so as soon as possible. We must have an approximate number to plan for.

Agriculture News By STERLING LINDSEY

A number of 4-H Club members from over the County have spent a lot of time lately completing their record books for the year. There is a lot more to the records they complete than the word implies and our hat is off to them for their diligent and devoted labor.

The club members having their books completed at this writing are C. L. and Bucky Sparks, Jerry Burson, Gaylon and Darrell Pitcock, James Bird Pentecost, William Ray Hood, Jimmy and Ronnie Varnadore, Freddy and Danny Smith, Bill Roach, and John Service of the Robert Lee 4-H Club. Jerry Parker of the Bronte 4-H Club has also completed the requirements.

Several of the above boys' books will be entered in the District Awards program contests to vie for district honors. We believe we have several very good entries among the group.

You probably have already made application, but if you have not and are entitled to a Federal refund on gasoline used on your farm or ranch now is the time to apply for your refund. The claim must be made by October 2, 1961. If you did not receive a claim form through the mail or if it has disappeared, drop by the office. We have a supply.

The cotton insect situation looks less awesome this week than it did at this time a week ago. We have found very few—in fact, the least I have ever seen in cotton at this time of the year — boll worm moths. We hope it stays that way.

The boll weevils as a whole have not started building up. Two fields checked did have moderate to heavy infestations, but were not out of hand.

The situation could change rapidly with an influx from the outside if the winds prevail from the south. I do not expect a migration

in, but it could occur. The cotton is fruiting excellently and regular insect inspections should be made to avoid any slip ups by weevils and boll worms.

VARNADORES RETURN HERE
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Varnadore, former longtime residents of Robert Lee, have moved back here from Mena, Arkansas.

The Varnadores have purchased a new home that is located in the Hillcrest addition.

Mr. Varnadore, former Coke County Commissioner, Precinct 1, was engaged in the registered Angus cattle business in Arkansas. He has some cattle in Coke County.



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 Mrs. Eldon Lee Mayfield, the former Miss Brenda Sue McDorman, was honored with a miscellaneous shower Monday in the Cecil Mayfield home.

Hostesses were Mmes. Lowell Roane, Homer Carwile, Alfred Lofton and Pat Rives. Also Misses Gayle Lewis, Brenda Cowley, and Vicki Wojtek.

Miss Lewis presided at the bride's book.

The lace covered serving table held an arrangement of pink roses and a miniature bride and groom figurine. Appointments were crystal. Miss Doris Mayfield served punch, cookies and nuts.

Coming from out of town were Mrs. Jewell Mayfield and Judy of San Angelo.

TOUR DAVIS MOUNTAINS

Returning Wednesday from a tour of the Davis Mountains and the W. J. McDonald Observatory and Alpine were Mr. W. M. Millican and daughters, Mrs. Owen Smith of Odessa and Mrs. Rankin Russell of Lampasas County.

Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Smith and Mr. Millican joined the H. Millican family to Odessa to make the scenic trip through Fort Davis and the mountains.

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VAUGHANS TO ATTEND GOVERNOR'S AFFAIR

Mr. and Mr. Robert Vaughan will attend the Governor of Texas For A Day affair that will be held at the Governor's office and the Stephen F. Austin hotel.

Sen. Preston Smith of Lubbock, who is President Pro-Tem of this session of the legislature extended the invitation to the Vaughans.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan will attend the business sessions of the day at the governor's office and will attend the dinner party given in honor of Senator Smith at the Stephen F. Austin Hotel Friday night.

SCHOOL BUDGET HEARING

The Silver Peak Common School District is preparing its budget for the year 1961-62. There will be a budget hearing at the school board meeting Monday, August 14, at 7:30 p.m. at the school building. This is an open meeting and interested patrons of the district are welcome to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation for every expression of sympathy, the thoughtfulness of friends, the flowers, cards and food extended us during our recent sorrow. God's richest blessings be with you.

Mrs. Otis Wiginton
 Mr. & Mrs. T. W. Wiginton
 Mr. & Mrs. E. J. Lanson

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McArthur and son of Kingsville were visiting in Robert Lee Monday while enroute to Amarillo. The McArthurs are former residents of this area.

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Marlon McCutchen and Jo Ann Patton Are Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Marlon McCutchen are at home in Odessa following their marriage Thursday, July 27. The couple was married in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edie Braswell in Sterling City.

The bride is the former Mrs. Jo Ann Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Crawford of Midland.

She is an employee of Gulf Oil Corporation in Midland.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. McCutchen of Bronte. A graduate of Bronte High School, he is an employee of El Paso Natural Gas Company out of Goldsmith.

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We will continue with our Hardware Store and Maytag Laund-O-Rama. We wish to express our sincere appreciation to each of you for your past business and invite you to come by any time we can serve you, and we would enjoy just a visit with you.

Sincerely,

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sims

Misuse of Phone Now Jail Offense

State legislation which will affect telephones was called to the attention of Texans this week by General Telephone Company of the Southwest.

The three bills which have been passed are Senate Bill 309, which has to do with fraudulent use of telephones; Senate Bill 366, which deals with obstructing the use of a party line during an emergency; and House Bill 921, which deals with destruction or obstruction of telephone, telegraph or electrical transmission equipment.

"Some pathetic things have happened here in Texas when persons would not give up the line for an emergency call and telephone companies and individuals are being cheated out of thousands of dollars through fraudu-

lent use of the telephone, according to the telephone company district manager. The theft of transmission wires also has reached serious proportions. The current legislation is an effort to curb such situations," he said

According to SB309, which became law June 16, it is a misdemeanor to obtain telecommunication service with the intent to defraud any individual or company through the use of fictitious telephone numbers or false credit cards.

Defrauding or misrepresenting through the use of a code or any prearranged trick or scheme where the telephone is involved is also covered in the bill.

Charging calls to false, nonexistent or discontinued telephone numbers is classified as a misdemeanor by the legislation and carries up to a \$1,000 fine and/or up to one year in jail for violation of the law.

Senate Bill 366, which becomes effective August 27, states that it is a misdemeanor to maliciously obstruct emergency telephone calls or to secure the use of the telephone line by falsely claiming that an emergency exists.

Any person refusing to relinquish immediately a party line when such line is needed for an emergency call to a fire department, police department, medical or ambulance service after having been informed that an emergency exists, will be guilty of a violation of this law.

Fines of \$25 to \$500 and/or up to one month in jail are the penalties levied on a person guilty of violation of this law.

Publication of the party line law must be inserted in telephone directories and also stuffed into the subscriber's statements at least once a year, according to the law.

House Bill 921, which is effective now, states that any person intentionally breaking, cutting, pulling or tearing down in any manner injuring any telegraph, telephone, or electrical transmission lines or willfully obstructing or interfering with the transmission of messages or electricity shall be confined in the penitentiary not less than two years nor more than five or be fined not less than \$100 nor more than \$2,000.

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Silver News

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jones visited recently with relatives in Longview. Mrs. Bernice Wood, sister of Mrs. Jones, returned home with them for a week's visit.

Rev. and Mrs. David Crow left Tuesday for the Piasano Baptist encampment between Marfa and Alpine for several days. They will also spend next week at the Glorieta Baptist Assembly encampment near Glorieta, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mullican and Larry spent last weekend with the R. B. Arthur family at Strawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hugh Odom and children have returned home at McAllen after visiting with his parents, the Bob Odoms.

Ken Willis of Kountze is here visiting his uncle and family, the Herschel McDonalds.

DAUGHTER FOR COALSONS

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Coalson are parents of a daughter, Becky

Ann. She was born at 10 a.m., July 24, at a Colorado City Hospital.

Becky Ann weighed 7 lbs. and 1½ ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvine Haigood and daughters, Cindy and Debbie of Rockport have returned home after visiting his parents, the C. M. Haigoods. Debbie had been visiting her grandparents in Silver for the past 4 weeks.

Donald Rutherford, age 11, of Tipton Home, Tipton, Oklahoma, is here for a visit of two weeks. He is supported by the Silver Church of Christ and visits annually with members of the church. Bubba Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Duncan, is a patient in a Big Spring Hospital.

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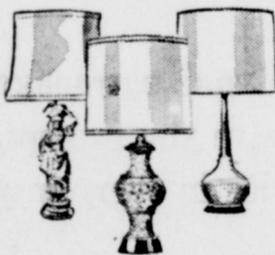
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