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Precinct 4 Only Local; Hot State Race Sat.

With only one Coke County office involved, that of Commissioner in Precinct 4, where Jack Corley and Robert Brown are the candidates, Saturday's election will center on state offices in the rest of the county.

Candidates for governor and lieutenant governor are pressing their races in newspapers and on radio and television.

John Connally and Don Yarbrough, with AF of L and CIO endorsement, are both running hard for governor.

James A. (Jimmy) Turman, Speaker of the House of Representatives, and Preston Smith, Lubbock attorney with experience

Accident Victims In Hospital Are Said Improved

Fred Henson at Shannon Memorial Hospital after severe burns last week, is listed as in fair condition, with chances for recovery considerably improved.

The Shiflett baby has been dismissed from the hospital, while only one of the family, Brenda, was considered critical Tuesday evening. Others: Mr. Shiflett, fairly good; Mrs. Shiflett, fair; Michael and Brooksie, improving.

How the Henson automobile caught fire was still a puzzle to Mr. Henson as well as relatives and friends. The entire interior of the car was burned out, but the fire was out when the fire truck arrived. Tires were not burned.

The Jack Shiflett family were all badly hurt when their automobile, a Packard Clipper, plowed into the rear of a dump truck stopped on the Robert Lee-Colorado City highway some three miles northwest of Robert Lee.

El Valle Ends Year With Pilgrimage

Mrs. Fred Cooke and her home-making girls were guests of El Valle Garden Club when they made a recent pilgrimage of members perennial gardens. Mrs. Hervey Latham was chairman of the pilgrimage, which included the yards of Mmes. Sterling Lindsey, W. B. Clift, R. C. Russell and Cumbie Ivey Jr.

Mrs. Cumbie Ivey Jr., Mrs. Frank Dickey, and Mrs. Sterling Lindsey were hostesses for coffee at the Ivey residence. The serving table was covered with a geranium printed cloth and centered with a geranium plant.

During the business meeting reports from committees were heard. The club projects for the past year were reviewed. They included the planting of shrubs at the cemetery, an Arbor Day planting at the school yard, the community Christmas tree at the Recreation Hall, and purchase of street markers for the city.

BRIEFS

Harry T. Stewart is getting a long well at Shannon Hospital, according to reports from the Bert Blaylock Ranch where he works.

Mr. Stewart, not related to Robert Lee Stewarts, sustained a break in his leg above the ankle when his horse fell with him Friday afternoon.

Pickett Engineers at Work on Oil Values

John Lochaby of San Angelo of Thomas Y. Pickett evaluation engineering firm, with Chas. H. Pickett, president, and Joe Lee, both of Dallas, met Thursday with the county Board of Equalization.

The Pickett personnel were to be here several days, studying the new oil field, along with other property values. They are employed on a contract basis to provide this information and estimates for the county in setting values on oil properties.

Powell Fondling Charge Here As Kidnaping Filed in Ballinger Court

Richard Edward Powell of San Angelo and Odessa was charged with fondling a minor under 14 and bond set at \$15,000 in the Court of Justice of the Peace Roy Ross at Robert Lee, following his arrest Thursday afternoon about two miles east of Bronte.

The object of an intensive man hunt by 100 local officers of Runnels and adjoining counties, 60 national guardsmen, and 100 citizens, the Korean war veteran, 27, got his car stuck on a high cen-

ter on a side road just off the Bronte-Ballinger highway. He was arrested by Deputy Jess Parker and Oscar Renshaw, Bronte Constable.

Kidnaping charges were filed in Ballinger in connection with the abduction of 9-year-old Sheila Allen from a Ballinger school yard.

Unless the grand jury should be called sooner, the Coke case will be investigated when district court convenes here in August.

The man had enticed the little girl into his car saying that he was her uncle come to take her to the funeral of an aunt in Abilene, according to a statement made to officers.

The suspect waived examining trial, and is held in the Ballinger jail, Coke officers stated.

Start Schedule in Boys Little League

The Colorado River Little League for boys from 9 to 12 years of age, has announced its summer schedule, to begin June 1 with a game between the Cardinals of Robert Lee and the Giants of Bronte, at Bronte, and a match with the Yankees of Bronte with the Indians of Robert Lee, at the home field.

Bronte and Robert Lee have two teams each, Blackwell has one, and Norton has one. Each team is to play fifteen games — one each week, the last being on July 24.

Commissioners Court Meets on Values Which May Be Equivalent of 1961

The County Commissioners meeting recently as Board of Equalization will continue at their regular meetings to sit in that capacity until any and all taxpayers wishing to be heard in regard to tax assessments may appear before them.

With apparent valuations for next year close to what they were last year, county finances are in good shape, but there is no real surplus when all obligations and responsibilities are considered.

This is the way County Auditor Weldon Fikes interprets the figures on his books at the court house.

Since the county has quit buying machinery with warrants and pays for its new equipment out of operating funds, there is of necessity some money accumulated to meet cash payments when new machinery is bought.

Much of the balance on hand is obligated to pay off bonds, and the county is in position to meet its indebtedness as it falls due, and

Reunions to Bring Summer Crowds

With the descendants and relatives of the late B. W. Bilbo coming Friday, Saturday and Sunday, every week until well in August will see homecoming friends and families in reunions at the recreation hall and park grounds.

Also Saturday of this week J. P. Jameson entertains Sun Oil Company employees at a barbecue.

Saturday and Sunday, June 9

and 10 the Brooks-Walker family reunion is scheduled.

Sunday, June 17 the Lewis family, including many of the Williams and Davis families, is booked.

Sunday, June 24, the Senior Class of Robert Lee High School of 1957 have their reunion programmed, and on Friday, June 29 the family of Mrs. S. R. Young will hold their reunion.

Caretaker Buzz Sawyer has other similar events booked solid for weekends until well into August.

Homecoming at Sanco Sunday
With a program at 10:30, basket dinner under the tabernacle at 12:00 and visiting all day long, the eighth annual Sanco Homecoming is set for next Sunday.

Public address system has been borrowed, also a tank for drinking water.

Several out of county people have arrived for early visits with friends here.

Flannagan Moves To Robert Lee As Game Warden

R. L. Flannagan, with the Texas Fish and Game Commission, is stationed at Robert Lee, effective June 1, being transferred here from Ballinger where he has lived the past 4½ years.

Prior to that he was stationed at Buchanan Dam for 3½ years.

The last game warden to serve and live here was Raymond Taylor, who resigned early in 1961.

Mr. Flannagan, 34, is married and has three children: Margaret, 9, who will be in the fourth grade next year; Randy, 8, third grade; and Renea, three months old daughter. He is a member of the Baptist Church; and was reared in Comanche County.

Mrs. Flannagan is the former Evelyn Mullis of Brown County. The couple have bought the Bennie Rogers home on River Drive and will move to Robert Lee as soon as their home in Ballinger is sold.

Fast Action When Fire Blast Sounds

The fire siren sounded. I walked around the corner to the fire station, less than half a block and just then Pete Davis drove up.

"Get on the telephone," Pete directed, as he opened the big door. To the question, "Where is it?" a woman's voice replied, "Prairie fire at the school house."

That information passed on to Pete as the truck was going out the door, and by the time it was in the street three men out of nowhere swung on it and they were away.

That is how the volunteer firemen work. Every one of the twenty-five men knows how to drive the truck, how to work the pumps, and how to fight a fire, although each one has his own specialty.

There were four grass alarms in two days last week, three of them one afternoon.

Sample ballot for Saturday is printed on Page 2.

School Lists Students Earning Letters, Awards

Merit awards issued at the close of the school term to letter men and women and to first place winners in the district Interscholastic League contests were presented to the following students:

High School Letters

Football, basketball, track, tennis, baseball letters went to Walter Thetford; Reed Coalson, who also received a one-act play award; and to Joe Roe.

Four letters in athletics: Joe Dodson, Ricky Hatch, James White, Curtis Higginbotham, Charles Askins, Mike Ledbetter, and Robert Holland.

Three letters in athletics: C. L. Sparks, Jr.; Eddie Parker; John Godwin; Commie Hallmark; Taylor Jones; Phillip Lowder; Dwain Walker; John Kinsey; Bill Ledbetter, along with one-act play award.

Michael Malone lettered in football, John Jacobs in football and in track; Bill Roach in football and basketball, Jimmy Caraway in football, Daniel Gloria in football and track, Donald Ellis in basketball and in track, Royce Hood in basketball, Noel Gregston in track, Jerry Hester in track and baseball, Cecil Allen in baseball and one act play.

Awards in Girls Events

Phebe Casey, basketball, volleyball; Barbara Gray, basketball, volleyball, one-act play; Kay Havins, basketball, volleyball; Carol Hester, basketball, volleyball; Beverly Higginbotham, basketball volleyball; Jeanette Higginbotham, basketball; Betty Jo McGinley, basketball, volleyball; Carolyn Parker, typing; Elaine Robertson, basketball; Sheila Roe, volleyball; Elwanda Sparks, volleyball; Betty Tinkler, basketball, volleyball; Mary Beth Walker, basketball; Anne White, volleyball; Linda Kay Wink, basketball, volleyball; Prescilla Wylie, volleyball; Mary Wojtek, volleyball, ready writing.

Perfect Attendance Awards

Margarita Sanchez, Judy Brice, Jan L. Havins, Debra Kay Hinnard, Mariyn McBroom, Kenneth Prine, Barry Day, Jo Adkins, Ronald Adkins, Wanda Gregston, Sharon Walker, Freddy Smith, Ronald Devoll, Donald Devoll, Randy Hall, Edward Meredith.

Kay Roberts, Albert Fields, Danny Smith, Dwain Gregston, LeRoy McGallion, Doyle Robertson, Barbara Blaylock, Carolyn Prine, Farrell Jean Fikes, Linda McBroom, John Gregston, Robert McBroom, Dick Waldorp, Bob Lomas, Raymond Waldrop, Rhea Jean McCutchen.

World War I Vets to District Convention

Regular monthly meeting of Coke County Barracks Veterans of World War I will be held Thursday, June 14, at the County Park community building in Robert Lee. District convention of WWI Veterans and Auxiliary has been scheduled for next Sunday, June 3, in Brownwood. It opens at 10 a.m. in the Community Center two miles south of Brownwood on the Brady Highway. There will be special program features, election of officers and a barbecue at noon.

A number of Coke County veterans are planning to attend.

Volunteer Firemen To Meet Monday

Robert Lee's Volunteer Fire Department will hold their semi-monthly meeting Monday night, June 4.

There are 25 members, with Royce Smith President, Butch Davis Secretary, Calvin Wallace fire chief, Fagan Parker assistant fire chief, First Captain, W. H. Robertson, Second Captain E. H. Ivey, First Lieutenant Ray Shandley, Second Lieutenant, R. D. Day.

Sanco Townsite Pooling Amendment Signed by Lessors

Most of the landowners of small tracts in and adjoining the townsite of Sanco have signed lease amendments to permit pooling of these tracts with other acreage up to a total of 80 acres, and Standard Oil Company of Texas, which has the tracts under lease has been completing some of the title work usually as prelude to drilling.

Work has continued on the Ulmer Bird well in the effort to a successful sand fracturing job, about the only activity in the Northeast I.A.B. Field.



PVT. JERRY CRAIG

Jerry Craig Completes Training at San Diego

Pvt. Jerry C. Craig, USMC, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Craig of Robert Lee, Tex., completed recruit training, May 1, at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif.

The 11 week training covers physical conditioning, the history and mission of the Marine Corps, customs and courtesies, hygiene and sanitation and basic military subjects.

The new marines next will report to Camp Pendleton, Calif., for advanced combat training.

Jerry Tinkler to Earn Degree in Accounting

Jerry Tinkler, who graduated here in 1959, will be a Senior in the next term at Texas Tech. Jerry visited over the weekend recently with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tinkler of Robert Lee.

He is working as accountant to pay his way to a B. A. degree, with major in accounting, and expects by the time he has graduated to have the necessary experience to be ready immediately from his license as Certified Public Accountant.

He is employed by a Lubbock firm and returned to his work.

Mrs. Robin Guess and children, Phyllis, Mark and Randy spent last week in Floresville, Texas, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Poppell. Rev. Guess visited there early this week and returned the family to Robert Lee.

Robert Lee Relatives At Creighton Anniversary

About 150 relatives and friends, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bilbo and Mrs. Lou Ella Bessent of Robert Lee, attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary dinner and reception of Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Creighton.

Mr. and Mrs. Creighton were married in Robert Lee by Rev. W. K. Simpson May 12, 1912. She is a sister of Mr. Bilbo and Mrs. Bessent.

The four children of Mr. and Mrs. Creighton were hosts for the event, which was held at Elida Club House, Elida, New Mexico, Sunday, May 20.

PONY LEAGUERS PLAYING

Junior League Boys, dubbed locally the Pony League, won their go at Wingate Friday night 13 to 10, after drubbing Blackwell 17-3, and meet the San Angelo Builders here Thursday night.

Composed of boys 13 through 15, these lads have Donny Devoll, Robert Wink, Terry Thetford, and Pistol Hood to do the mound work.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Lofton and children, Jan, Kirk, and Leslie of Dickinson, Texas, are visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lofton, and other relatives.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Ava Lou Hanna and sons, Jerome and Vincie, are in Yazoo City, Mississippi, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hinnard and "Cookie" returned Saturday after a week's vacation trip to Corpus Christi, Texas. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Thompson.

Mr. Hervey Latham was in Dallas Monday where he was to undergo a check-up at the Veterans Hospital.

Mrs. Jack Trimble was in Odessa the early part of last week to welcome a new grandson, Ray Lee, born to Mr. and Mrs. James Coleman.

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DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY
June 2, 1962

Democratic Primary Election

Coke County, Texas, June 2, 1962

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of Tarrant County

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of Harris County

For Lieutenant Governor

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of Dallas County

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JOHN C. PHILLIPS
of Travis County

THOS. C. (TOM) FERGUSON
of Burnet County

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

ROBERT I. BROWN

JACK CORLEY

Your County Agents Report

Agriculture News

By STERLING LINDSEY

This is Soil Stewardship Week in Texas, a period set aside for recognition of the value, the importance of two resources we too often take for granted—soil and water.

J. G. Phillips Jr., Chairman of the Soil Stewardship Committee, Association of Texas Soil Conservation Districts, put it aptly in saying, "It behooves all Texans to pause in their busy lives and offer thanksgiving unto our Lord for the super abundance that we enjoy. All must be made aware that from Mother Earth all that sustains life has its beginning; that we must protect it, husband it, and enrich it so that future generations of Texans may not be in want. Truly the earth is the Lord's and we are but its caretakers and guardians."

I will embark for Junction and the District 4-H Club camp on Wednesday, May 30. Eleven 4-H club members and I will be there with approximately 200 boys, agents and leaders through Friday. Those attending from Coke County are Jimmy and Ronnie Varnadore, Jimmy and Joe Dee Blair, Gaylon and Darrell Pitcock, of the Robert Lee 4-H Club; Nicky Arrott, Gary Cole, Charles McGuire, Jerry Parker and Bob Wells of the Bronte Club.

The screwworm sterile fly production plant in Mission is expected to be completed and in production ahead of the original July 1 deadline. When the plant reaches its maximum production of 75 million flies per week, approximately 100 million flies will be available for screw worm control efforts.

Just how this increase will be utilized we do not know, but it is certain to enhance the present control program. Even though the outlook is brighter, there is no substitute for preventive measures being carried out locally. Preventive measures will help both the operator and the overall screw worm control program.

The Foundation urges us to submit samples of any worm cases found. They are necessary for them to keep abreast of screw-worm movements and activities.



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CHISM S. BROWN, Secretary

Home Demonstration

By FAY C. ROE

Coke County 4-H girls will leave Thursday for the Christian Retreat on Lake Brownwood to attend District 7 Citizenship Camp. Ideas and information received in the District Camp will be used in the County Camp later this summer. Attending the camp will be Laura Morrow and Ida Lee Parker of Bronte; Kay Roberts and Vernay Vaughan, Robert Lee, and Daphne Roe, Silver. The group will return late Friday afternoon.

Again I want to mention the Hat Making School held last week. You may have already seen some of the hats the ladies made. The women made truly lovely hats and so becoming to the individual. Mrs. Mears was so gracious, intelligent, considerate and well informed that we learned worlds! We were so fortunate to have her come to Robert Lee. The only regret I have is that such a few ladies availed themselves of the training.

Plans are being made now for the 4-H Clothing Unit work to begin immediately. Each girl will construct a garment to be modeled in the 4-H Dress Revue early in July. All 4-H girls will receive a letter this week with information about their leader and plans for each group.

Dairy Foods Demonstrations were given Thursday to the summer meeting of the F.H.A. Class in the Robert Lee Homemaking Department by three 4-H members.

Betty Hughes made "Snow Capped Spread" and Joe Alice Evans and Dawn Boykin made "Frozen Fruit Salad."

These girls are to be commended for their work in the preparation of dishes containing dairy products. All three of them made a nice showing in District 4-H Contests in April. Jo Alice and Dawn will represent Coke County and District 7 in the State Contest on June 6 at A&M College.

Mrs. Betty Ferrell gave this recipe to me. It is a quick cake which stays moist. Would be a nice one to put into the freezer or to carry to a picnic.

Vanilla Wafer Cake

Cream 2 sticks margarine; add 2 cups sugar and cream together until light and fluffy. Add 6 eggs, one at a time to creamed mixture, beat well after each addition.

Crush one 14 oz. package vanilla wafers to fine crumbs; Add

alternately with 1/2 cup sweet milk. Stir in 1 cup chopped pecans and one 7 oz. package angel flake cocoanut.

Blend until well mixed, pour into well greased, floured tube pan. Bake 1 1/2 hours at 325 degrees. Cool in pan. Delicious!

NITA KAY HUNTER TO WED JOSEPH WINDHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton T. Hunter of Chico are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nita Kay, to Joseph D. Windham, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Windham of Silver.

The wedding is set for August 25 at 8 p.m. in the Morris Memorial Methodist Church in Chico.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Chico High School and North Texas State University. Her fiancé is a graduate of Colorado City High School and is a senior biology student at North Texas State University.

GOOD Today,
BETTER Tomorrow;
ROBERT LEE!

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TO MEMORIAL SERVICES

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tubb and Mrs. R. S. Crum motored to Fort Smith, Arkansas, where they attended Memorial Day services Wednesday. Frank Maxwell Tubb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tubb, is buried at Ft. Smith, and this was the third Memorial service the Tubbs' have attended there.

The Robert Lee group was to spend two days in the D. M. Miller home at Rogers, Ark., before returning home.

TO K-C CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dickey left Sunday for Dallas where Mr. Dickey was to attend the State convention of Knights of Columbus. He was acting delegate for the San Angelo chapter. While in Dallas, Mr. Dickey was also planning to attend a crime prevention meeting for prosecuting attorneys. The Dickeys will return home the latter part of the week.

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Silver News

By Mrs. George Fugate

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Coffman left Monday on vacation, visiting his mother, Mrs. R. C. Coffman, of Chester. They will also attend the graduation of Mrs. Coffman's son, from the University of Houston.

Mrs. D. H. Caldwell is a patient at the Malone-Hogan Hospital in Big Spring, following surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson left this week to visit friends and relatives in Longview and Louisiana. They will also spend a week at Red River with their son, Charles, of San Antonio.

Debbie Hines and Eddie Parker were hosts to a spring dance at the Sun Rec Hall Friday evening. Guests were the young people from Silver and Robert Lee.

Rev. and Mrs. Warren Ellis and family were honored with a covered dish dinner at the Methodist

Church Sunday. They were presented a set of Corning-Ware from members of the church. The Ellis family moved to San Angelo Tuesday.

Mr. Howard Johnson, a teacher at San Angelo, will serve the Methodist Church in Silver as a supply pastor.

Rev. Charles Camp, former pastor of the Silver Methodist Church, has been ordained as a Navy chaplain. He and his family will leave for Massachusetts in July. Charles has been pastor at Veribest for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Newell were weekend visitors in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bloodworth are the new parents of a son born in the Colorado City hospital, May 24. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Perry Post. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bloodworth.

Hale Kincaid and John Clifton attended the annual meeting of the Southwest Texas conference of the Methodist Church in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Swinney and children left Friday for Bailey, where Don will preach during the summer. He will also attend East Texas State College at Commerce.

The Silver M. Y. F. recently elected the following new officers: president, Raymon Kincaid; vice president, Bill Paul; secretary Keith Jones; treasurer, Susan Newell; reporter, Karen Fugate; refreshment chairman, Sue Ree Kennedy; recreation chairman, Gayle Conley; membership chairman, Debbie Hines; and party chairman, Aletris Ackerman.

Larry Cheatham, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Cheatham, has been hired as a summer roustabout at the Sun Gas Plant in Laverne, Okla.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hughes this past weekend were Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Farmer of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. H. D.

Hughes of Beeville, and Dick Beggs of Premont. The guests attended the commencement exercises for the Hughes' daughter, Susan. Susan plans to attend Baylor University in the fall.

The Sun Gas department employees hosted a bar-b-que Memorial Day for their families at the Sun Recreation Hall.

Paul Gilbert has returned from a week's vacation when he visited his father in Shreveport, La.

The P. T. Walls family have returned from a week's vacation. They spent several days in East Texas at Frankston Lake. Mrs. Walls flew to Alabama for a friend's wedding while Mr. Wall and the children spent a few days with grandparents in Dallas.

New summer employees for Sun Oil Co. this summer are: Production Dept.: Bill Newell, Wayne Reed, Larry Lindsey, Curtis Higginbotham, Harold Hennley, and Tommy Hassell.

Gas department summer employees are Sonny McWilliams, James Payne, and John Moore.

Tommy Gibson in Marine Okinawa Shooting Match

Pfc. Tommy N. Gibson, USMC, son of Mrs. Maye Gibson of Robert Lee, Tex., participated in the Marine Far East Division Rifle and Pistol Matches held April 23-28, at Camp Schwab, Okinawa.

The matches were hosted by the Third Marine Division and marine shooters from the Western Pacific area spent a week on Okinawa at the Camp Schwab rifle range preparing for the competition.

BARBECUE, WORKING SET FOR OLD REID CEMETERY

An all day cemetery working with dinner on the ground and barbecue meat furnished by Turney Sparks is announced for June 21.

This was formerly known as the Reid Memorial Cemetery.

Robbie Don Godwin, who took his A. B. degree in journalism at A & M last year, will stay over this summer to complete his Master's Degree in Business Administration before entering the U. S. Army as a second lieutenant.

Summer session begins June 4, and he expects to complete the work in August.

Mrs. Charlie Vowell, accompanied by Mrs. Elmo Bell, left early Wednesday for Amarillo, where Mrs. Vowell will make her home.



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You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Coke County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse of said County in the city of Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of Monday the 25th of June, 1962, and answer, and to appear by filing written answer, the petition of Ocie C. Devoll and Robert Borchardt, plaintiffs in Cause Number 2225, styled Ocie C. Devoll et al vs. Homer Beasley et al, in which the following persons are plaintiffs Ocie C. Devoll and Robert Borchardt, and those persons are

defendants who are first named in this citation and to whom it is directed, and also Lou Whiteside and Marcel Jensen Whiteside, Mammie White and husband Pat White, J. C. (Bob) Whiteside, W. C. Whiteside, Leah Hubbard and husband Ralph Hubbard and Elmer F. Whiteside; which petition was filed in said court on the 12th day of May, 1962, and the nature of which said suit is as follows.

Suit in trespass to try title to the SW/4 of SW/4 of H & T C RR Co. Survey No. 287, Blk. 1a, Coke County, Texas, said plaintiffs claiming under regular chain of title from the Sovereignty of the soil and in the alternative under the three, ten and twenty-five year statutes of limitation.

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

Witness, J. L. Tinkler, Clerk of the District Court of Coke County, Texas.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in the city of Robert Lee, Texas, this 12th day of May, 1962.

J. L. Tinkler
Clerk of District Court, Coke County, Texas

By Winnie Waldrop Deputy
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At 98 Mrs. Mapes Honored in Family Gathering Sunday

Mrs. J. M. Mapes, 98 year old resident of Robert Lee, was honored Sunday when family members gathered for the annual Mapes reunion. The reunion was held in the Robert Lee Community Center.

Plans were made for the next reunion to be held in Robert Lee on June 25, 1963.

Attending were four of the six living children of Mrs. Mapes. They were Mrs. A. J. Roe Sr., with whom she resides in Robert Lee, Melvin Mapes, Winters, Mrs. Roy Adams of Wingate, and Mrs. W. L. Hamilton of Goldthwaite.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Shook and son of Winters; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hamilton and children, Roscoe; Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Spinks and son, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Roe and family, Abilene; Mrs. Francis Hamilton and children, Roscoe; Bill Roe, O. L. Roe and J. L. Roe and families, Robert Lee; A. J. Roe Jr. and family, Silver; Mr. Melvin Mapes, Mr. Adams, Mr. A. J. Roe Sr., and Mr. W. L. Hamilton.

Miss Anita Holt, student in Texas University and niece of Mrs. Josephine Bird, Sanco Postmaster, on her way home for the summer was a surprise visitor at Sanco Saturday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Holt, are ranch and wheat farm operators near Spearman, and her father a commissioner of Hutchinson County.



HERMA ALECE CARWILE

Summer Rites for Alece Carwile and David Ashley

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Carwile of Carlsbad, New Mexico, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Herma Alece, to David W. Ashley of Fort Worth.

The bride-to-be is a niece of Homer Carwile, J. L. Carwile, and Henry Carwile of Robert Lee and Sanco, and a granddaughter of Mrs. Fannie Carwile, Sanco.

She is a graduate of Carlsbad High School and of Texas Christian University, and has taught business subjects in the Burleson High School.

Her fiancé is also a graduate of T.C.U., has served in the Air Force, and is now in the insurance business.

The couple plan a late summer wedding.

Jeff Cole of Boerne and Mr. and Mrs. John Cole of San Marcos visited in Robert Lee and in Abilene, ahead of the Homecoming at Sanco next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave King spent Sunday in Odessa with their son-in-law, Harry Anderson, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Walker made the trip with them.

Mr. King has about finished the shearing season with his one-man machine, working on small flocks, beginning early in March.

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BIRTHS

BIRTHS — Bloodworth — Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bloodworth of Silver became the parents of a son, James Clayton, May 25 at 6:12 a.m. The baby was born in Root Memorial Hospital in Colorado City.

The Bloodworth's are parents of a daughter, Janice Lynn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bloodworth and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Post, all of Silver.

Coleman—Mr. and Mrs. James Coleman are announcing the birth of a son, Ray Lee, born Wednesday, May 23, in the Odessa Medical Center. The baby weighed five and one-half pounds. He has two sisters, Linda Ann, 13, and Kathy Sue, 11.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trimble of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ash of San Angelo.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hunt of Big Spring visited briefly in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tom Roach Friday. Dr. Hunt, president of Howard County Junior College, was enroute to Bronte to deliver the Bronte high school graduation address. Sunday guests in the Roach home were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Booher and children, also of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Patterson are at home in Robert Lee following their marriage May 12 in Dallas. Mrs. Patterson is the former Mrs. Lula Pierce, and formerly resided in Robert Lee.

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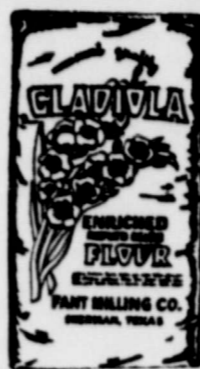
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