

# Robert Lee Observer

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## Miss Wool Here for Lamb-o-Rama Today

A Lamb-O-Rama program will be held in the High School Auditorium in Robert Lee Thursday, October 1. Extension Service Agents, Mrs. Fay C. Roe and Sterling Lindsey have announced.

The program, scheduled for 1:30 P. M. is being sponsored by the Sheep and Family Living Subcommittee of the Coke County Committee for Progress. Mrs. Willis Wayne Smith and Mr. Nolan Pentecost are chairmen of the subcommittees. The Committee for Progress Chairman is William H. Allen. Edward Cumbie, Bronte,

## Proclamation Of 4-H Week

Official Memorandum  
by  
John Connally  
Governor of Texas

The development of responsible citizens and leaders for America is a high purpose in 4-H Club work.

The 4-H program stresses the four-fold development of Head, Heart, Hands and Health as well as teaching the latest practices in agriculture and home economics.

Since the 4-H program was inaugurated by the United States government in 1914, the 4-H movement has spread across our nation and built bridges of understanding to more than 76 foreign countries. Members of 4-H Clubs learn by conducting projects and participating in 4-H activities. By putting into action what they learn, club members improve their homes and communities.

More than 16,000 voluntary adult leaders working with club members provide a key to the success of 4-H. Parents and friends of 4-H give support and encouragement to club members. The Agricultural Extension Service of Texas A&M University, through county extension agents, directs the 4-H club program.

The opportunities offered to 4-H club members to grow in citizenship, leadership and practical skills are especially valuable to them, the State of Texas and the Nation. The 4-H clubs are a proving ground for the training of future leaders.

THEREFORE, I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the period of September 26-October 3, 1964 as

4-H CLUB WEEK

in Texas.

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 11th day of Sept. 1964.

John Connally,  
Governor of Texas.

will serve as master of ceremonies. West Texas Utilities Company and the Extension Service are assisting with the activity.

Designed to help promote the use of lamb and wool products, the program will include demonstrations of cutting and preparation by Frank Orts, extension meat specialist, Mrs. Joyce Drake and Mrs. Betty Ann Coker, home economists for West Texas Utilities Company. A lamb carcass will be carved to show the various cuts of meat. The Home Economists will present nutrition information about preparation of various main dishes using lamb and will have appetizing recipes calling for lamb.

Miss Wool of Texas, Lynda Rhea Allen of Sterling City, will model garments from her wool wardrobe during the program. Displays of garments, fabrics, blankets and lamb pelts will be added attractions.

The public will be invited to sample lamb dishes. Door prizes are to be awarded during a drawing.

The public is invited to attend and there is no admission charge.

## Dogies Go Against Bronte Shorthorns Thursday Night

The Robert Lee Jr. Hi Dogies will go against the Bronte Shorthorns Thursday night of this week to begin their drive for the conference crown.

Game time is 7:00 P.M. at Griffith Stadium.

The Dogies have played only one game this season. They hold a 16-12 victory over the Silver Indians.

Thursday, October 8, the Dogies will take the road against the Trent Monkeys.

## Rusty Dodson Is Steer of the Week

Senior fullback, Rusty Dodson, was selected by his teammates Monday as the Honored Steer during the Melvin football game which the local gridsters won 56 to 14.

Rusty has lettered 3 years for the local squad and is completing his high school football career this season.

He scored four touchdowns against the Bulldogs Friday night to lead the Steers in their victory effort.

Dodson will be in his usual fullback position against Bangs Saturday night at Bangs.

Robert Lee Zip Code Number is 76945.

## Exhibit to Show Items of Historic, Artistic Interest

People all over the county are talking about the Exhibit that is to be held on Friday, Oct. 9, and Saturday, Oct. 10. The Exhibit will be open to the public to visit. Everyone is invited to place interesting articles on display.

The Exhibit will be held in the Community Center in Robert Lee.

Sponsored by the Coke County Home Demonstration Council, the display will be a part of the commemoration of the 75th Anniversary of Coke County, the 50th Year of the Extension Service and the 20th year of Home Demonstration work in Coke County.

Antiques, historical objects, needlework, gift items, crafts, Christmas decorations, clothing, horticulture, scrapbooks are among the divisions of the exhibit.

Guests will be welcomed by Home Demonstration Club women. They will serve refreshments throughout the two-day program.

Mrs. Glenn Waldrop is Home Demonstration Council Chairman. Mrs. Curtis Walker is Chairman of the Exhibit, Education, and Expansion Committee of Council. This committee is responsible for making the plans for the Exhibit.

## Last Half Rally Routs Bulldogs by 56 to 14

By RONNIE BAKER

After throwing a scare into the fans the first half, which ended in a 14-14 tie, the Steers came back in the second half and ran rough shod over the Melvin Bulldogs.

By the new scoreboard clock, the Steers scored 24 points in six minutes, in the third quarter. The Robert Lee line wore down the Melvin line to the extent that there were numerous times-out by the Melvin team in the 3d and 4th quarters.

The passing game was not so effective this time, mainly because of a wet ball, but the running of Rusty Dodson, Robert Wink, and Dennis Gartman ate up some 300 odd yards to spark the ground game.

### First Quarter

With Melvin receiving the opening kick-off, Dodson barefooted the ball to the 3 yard line. With a return by Melvin to the 23, they started their only chance of moving the ball, by going into the air.

After two incomplete passes and a third carry, Melvin punted to Thetford, who returned to the Mel-

vin 44 yard line. On the first carry, Dodson went 23 yards. Gartman went for 7, Wink for 6, Dodson for 7, and then Dodson plunged for the final 1 yard line and the TD.

Thetford raced around R. E. for the extra points — Robert Lee 8, Melvin 0.

Then Melvin broke the scoring column when a fumble by Robert Lee put them in scoring position. A pass to their left end, which was deflected into his arms gave Melvin a touchdown. An end run by their right half back was good for the extras, and at the end of the first quarter, the score was tied, 8-8.

### Second Quarter

Melvin went back to the passing game and Robert Wink made a fine interception at mid-field and returned it to the Melvin 26 yard line. In 3 plays, Dodson, Gartman and Thetford had it on the 2 yard line, 1st down and goal to go. Dodson broke through for the TD, no extras and the Steers led by 14-8.

Dodson kicked off deep again to Melvin, with a very short run back. After a penalty and a few line plays netted Melvin a first down, the Melvin quarterback threw deep to the left end again and he was off and running for a 54 yard pass-and-run touchdown, but they couldn't get the extras, and the first half was Robert Lee 14, Melvin 14.

### Third Quarter

When Robert Lee received the kickoff at the start of the second half, all disaster broke loose for the Melvin Bulldogs. Thetford made an excellent return with fine blocking to the Melvin 37 yard line. Thetford then hit Gary Williams with a quick pass for 18 yards, and after three bursts at the line by Gartman, Wink, and Dodson, Dodson went over the final four yards, and Gartman ran the extra points, to lead the Bulldogs by 22-14.

The Steers came back quickly with Wink intercepting another pass, and with another fine return by rough blocking, the Steers were at the door again.

Dodson went for 12 yards and Wink busted through for an 11 yard T.D. run. Dodson ran the extra points, and the score read 30-14.

After Melvin ran a short series of downs, they punted out to Robert Lee and with Thetford nearly breaking loose again, the Steers rolled on. Dodson took it for 7 and 9 yards, then Gartman rolled for 15 and then carried the final 2 yards for another 6 points, and Wink dashed through for the other 2, and the Steers led 38-14.

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## Postmaster Reviews Mail Service Changes

Mr. Zip, Zip, Zip, How can He Zip if We Don't Zip It?

Mr. Zip was a song back when you and I were young, Maggie, but now he's a respectable member of the U. S. Post Office Department.

Know your Robert Lee Zip Code number yet? 76945.

Robert Lee's patient postmaster is still informing P.O. patrons how the new deal works, and last Saturday there was a change up in the mail schedules, and the method of routing and handling the mail all over Texas.

Here is the new mail schedule as outlined by Postmaster Hugh Lewis Jr.

### INCOMING MAIL

From San Angelo, 8:00 A.M.  
From Bronte, 8:30 A. M.  
From Sanco and Silver, 77 A.M.

### OUTGOING MAIL

To Sanco and Silver, 8:30 A.M.  
To Bronte, 4:25 Week Days, 3:25 Sundays and holidays.

To San Angelo, 4:25 P. M. Week days, 3:25 P.M. Sundays and holidays.

All mail except Bronte, Sanco, and Silver, goes to the San Angelo Sectional Center and is worked there for early dispatch. This should give overnight service to all points in Texas, when the system gets well into operation, Mr. Lewis said.

As Mr. Lewis explained the new arrangement to the B.C.D. recently, the state has been divided into areas, each with a sectional center to which mail for towns in that area goes, and from which area outgoing mail is dispatched.

The first number of the Zip Code, 7, is for the state of Texas. The second two numbers indicate the Sectional center to which the mail goes and the last two digits is the number of the post office itself.

### Will Speed Up Mail

Mr. Lewis emphasized the belief that, once everyone gets to using the Zip numbers, the handling of the mail will be greatly speeded up.

"Please try to use the Zip Code on letters and parcels, as this will eliminate several handlings en route and speed up your mail," the postmaster said.

"Anyone who needs information about Zip Code or has any other question about mail service, please see the Postmaster. We will supply you with Zip Code numbers for your mail if you so desire.

"We recommend that patrons become more familiar with the use of air mail. For an extra three cents, mail to out of state points may save many hours."

## Hot Ring Tail Throws 69,000 Volt Circuit Sunday

The ring-tail usually keeps out of sight in your attic, where he will make his home, or in any building he can find, but one came out into the arc-light Sunday night when he went browsing in West Texas Utilities sub-station between Robert Lee and Bronte.

When he made a connection that caused a 69,000 volt current to arc across him, that started a series

of events, including burning out the substation, greatly lowering voltage, dimming out the lights and endangering electric motors in the area all around Robert Lee, and completely barbecuing the ring tail.

As the transformer burned out, there was danger of it exploding, according to W. D. McAdams, local Manager, with considerable dan-

ger to men working nearby. Despite the danger, crews worked at restoring service Sunday night, but it was necessary to bring in a portable sub station and connect it up, which was completed, restoring service about mid-morning Monday.

The ringtail is a little varmint that looks like a coon, shaped like a squirrel, with some resemblance

to a cat. He can get into almost anything and usually does.

The portable sub-station will keep service going while the damages are being repaired. Circuit breakers were burned out, also disconnects, all fuses on the 69,000 volt circuit and the middle transformer had to be replaced, according to Mr. McAdams.

While cyclone fences surround

these installatinos, there's no way to keep birds from building nests in them, and snakes, and sometimes wild housecats go up to rob the nests, probably the errand of the ring tail.

A sub-station at the Millican field was wiped out once when a snake climbed up and made a connection.

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## Issues More Important Than Two Men As Parties Switch Stands On Powers and Rights of States

By MRS. EVELYN MCKINLEY

Friends and Neighbors,  
Readers of the Observer

I am one of you and know that you are concerned about the issues in the coming election.

The real questions that confront us are more important than either of the two candidates. I hope and believe that you will read and consider what I have gone to some trouble to get together for your consideration.

You are anxious, as I am, to make the right decisions. This is an honest effort to do an honest service. There are great questions to be decided, and the best we can all do is not too much in bringing them out and making them as clear as we can to ourselves and adding what we can to the general understanding.

We in this area, I believe, want the same things for our country and our children. We want peace with honor, freedom to worship God, freedom of speech, freedom to reap the benefits of our labors and enjoy the rights of property and free enterprise just to name a few.

The question is: In which direction lies the best possibility for Americans to enjoy the good life this nation under God acquired under its constitutional limited government.

I believe, just as you do, that Texans should continue to have the right to send their own representatives to Austin with the certainty that those representatives shall be free to make our own state laws, under which we shall be governed.

That is what the Democratic party has fought for since before the Civil war. This right is written into the Constitution of the United States, Article 4, Section 4, which reads, The United States shall guarantee every state in the Union a Republican form of government.

When that was written, there wasn't any such thing as a Democratic or a Republican party. But there was such a thing as a Republican form of government. It had been known for a long time.

Under our form, it consisted of a President, or Governor, in case of a state, a Legislature, and a Judiciary, or court system. The heart of it is that the people elect their own representatives, who shall make the laws for the people who elect them.

We have taken that for granted, because during our time until recent years it has not been questioned. President Johnson recently said, "The American system was not intended to be controlled by the rigid disciplines of party, but rather based on a proud and patriotic independence."

Now does that actually apply to the people of Texas now? In this campaign? In the Democratic party as it is now shaping up?

The Democratic party, to which most of us have belonged all our lives, this year wrote into its

platform a plank which directly contradicts that statement as well as the constitutional guarantee.

Quoted here from the Democratic party platform published in the U.S. News and World Report of September of this year, page 98, this plank calls for repealing section 14 (b) of the Taft Hartley Act.

This would do away with the right of any state in the union to have a "right to work law" passed by its own legislature. The right to work law provides that no one's right to employment shall be denied by reason of his belonging or not belonging to a labor union.

Texas has such a law. But by this plank in the Johnson platform, CONGRESS would repeal this TEXAS law, by saying we cannot pass such a law. Whenever did the Democratic party ever before stand for doing away with the rights of states to pass their own laws?

The Supreme Court also has made several rulings in recent years, by a majority of one in many cases, which have cut back the rights of states to make their own laws. Lyndon Johnson, both as Senate leader and as president has twice upheld them in that. Twice he has by his influence defeated in the Senate a bill passed by the House to limit in some way the power of the Supreme Court to cancel out the form of government guaranteed by the constitution to the states.

We have been listening to see how Senator Goldwater would come out on that. He has recently come out very clear and plain in support of the rights of states to have the government guaranteed to them under the Constitution, and against infringement on the rights by any branch of the Federal government.

So the position of the old parties is exactly reversed. The newly formed party that still holds the name of Democrat, plugs for an ever more powerful central government, whittles away at every session of Congress at the powers of the state legislatures, governors, state courts, and local officers of the law.

Two new parties are coming forth. Many long time Southern Democrats are leaving the party that still bears the Democratic name. Socialist Republicans are leaving the Republican party, which they cannot any longer manage.

THE ISSUES NOW ARE WHAT WE MUST FACE UP TO AND DECIDE.

One of these is Article 4, Section 4, which we have just discussed. Another is sound government finance — what is often called fiscal responsibility. We would like to do our best to present those issues.

All we ask is that you READ and CONSIDER. —Adv.

## Lunchroom Menus

Monday, Oct. 5

Hamburgers, buttered corn, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, potato chips, milk, vanilla pudding.

Tuesday October 6

Tamale pie, buttered rice, congealed salad on lettuce, hot rolls and butter, milk, peach halves.

Wednesday, Oct. 7

Skillet dinner with cheese, English peas, cole slaw, hot rolls and butter, milk, chocolate peanut bars.

Thursday, Oct. 7

Turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, sweet potatoes with marshmallows, green beans, celery sticks, hot rolls and butter, fruit salad.

Friday, Oct. 9

Pinto beans with salt pork, potato salad, spinach, corn bread and butter, milk, apple cobbler.

## Neighborhood News

Mr. J. C. Cobb is seriously ill. All the girls have been at his bedside the past 3 weeks. Mrs. Cobb is holding her own. They are making their home with a daughter, Mrs. W. S. Masey, Bangs, Texas.

Yellow Wolf Creek has run more water this spell than for several years — three times a boomer and running over the crossing at Sanco for several days.

Mrs. Pearl Schooley came home from a two weeks stay in the hospital Tuesday, improved. Mrs. Dean Taylor, daughter, from Keller spent two days with her.

The location of the new parts department of Ivey Motor is in the building where an electric supply store was operated by E. C. (Doo-Dad) Davis for awhile during the oil development right after the end of World War II.

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## Our Home Circle

By Fay C. Roe  
Home Demonstration Agent

"Lamb always tastes good—with a few precautions it tastes superb." Here are a few things to remember to be sure your lamb dishes win you praise as a cook.

Store lamb in coldest part of refrigerator cook according to cut.

In roasting lamb, cook at 300 degrees. Always serve lamb piping hot or very cold.

For more information on lamb, attend the Lamb-O-Rama Thursday, October 1. The program will include the cutting and preparation of lamb. You will receive free recipes. Other attractions will include the showing of wool garments by Miss Wool of Texas, wool product displays, door prizes and samples of lamb. Registration will begin at 1:00 p.m. with the program at 1:30 p.m. in the Robert Lee School auditorium. Everyone is invited.

Helpful hints:

It takes 6 medium apples to make a 9-inch pie.

A hot electric light bulb can be used to "iron" tiny puffed sleeves, pockets, gathered yokes, and other hard to get at areas. Work the lighted bulb under and around small section of damp fabric until it is smooth and dry.

The vacuum cleaner — with its hose set to blow instead of suck — is good for drying freshly washed hair and for fluffing pile fabrics such as corduroy and velveteen.

Schedule

Thursday, October 1 — Lamb-O-Rama, Robert Lee Auditorium.

Friday, Oct. 2 — Office, Friday

food class, 2 p.m., Mission Baptist Church.

Monday, Oct. 5 — Office; home demonstration foods leader meeting, 1:30 p.m., agent's office.

Tuesday, Oct. 6 — Office; 3:30 p.m., Bronte.

Wednesday, Oct. 7 — Office

R. C. (Buzz) Sawyer has a 1930 Model A, which only needs a battery, he says, to be put into regular service. George Lomas drives a 1931 Model A to his work with Sun Oil Company as a pump-jer, regularly. It has been in service 33 years.

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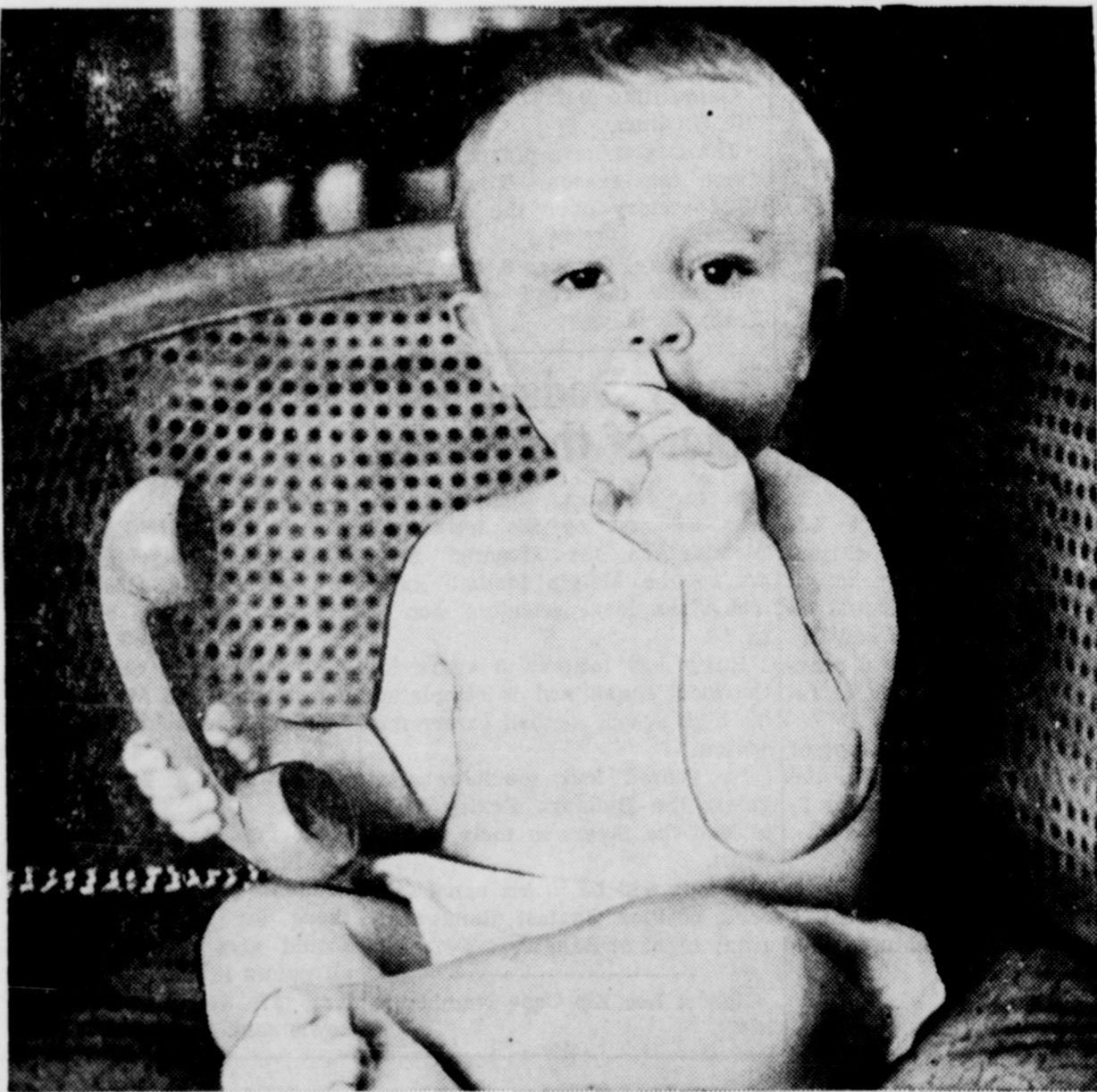
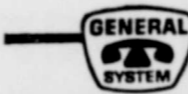


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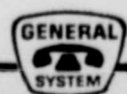
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### Coke County Activities

1. Sponsors Student Citizenship Delegates.
2. Sends firemen from both towns to annual school.
3. Farm Safety Week.
4. Annual Queen Contest.
5. Annual County Convention — October 12.

### In the State

1. Annual Convention - delegates from county help make state policy — recommendations to National Convention.
2. State Office carries on extensive program.
3. Farmers-ranchmen have representative at Austin.

### In the Nation

1. Office in Washington keeps directly in touch with Congress and other officials.
2. Work constantly at broadening markets for the products of your farm, ranch, by making contact with buyers of the world.

### We Can't Do All This Without Your Help

Attend the County Convention  
In Robert Lee This Year, Oct. 12

Help Make the Policy for  
County, State, and Nation

Enjoy Meeting with the  
Fellow on the Other Side of  
The River or the Mountain

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# 4-H Club Work Has Appeal for Townsfolk

"4-H Clubs are attracting more boys and girls from cities and towns than from rural areas," so reports Floyd Lynch, state 4-H club leader. "Texas 4-H club enrollment is up to 84,000 members. More than 16,000 adult leaders work with Texas 4-H club members, up from 15,000 a year ago," Lynch said at a recent state committee planning meeting for celebration of National 4-H Club Week, Sept. 26-Oct. 3.

"4-H club membership was once primarily concentrated in rural communities, but not so today. Although there are fewer families active in on-farm operations, some 40% of Texas family bread winners are engaged in a vocation of direct or indirect service to agriculture," said Lynch. "Parents and school officials continue to give strong support to local community 4-H Club programs because the movement places emphasis on practical experiences for youth in the fundamentals of the American agri-business system and our democratic constitutional heritage," Lynch added.

History of 4-H club development is typically American. It originated in Texas as a grass roots movement to lift farm family productivity and standards of home living. The boll weevil helped trigger the organization of 4-H. Texas was invaded by the boll weevil from south of the border at the turn of the century. The best defense was believed to be in diversity of agricultural production just in case "king cotton" should be dethroned. The key to many other agricultural enterprises lay in the expansion of in-state feed grain production; in those days that meant growing more corn. County agricultural agents and lay citizens organized boys into what became known as Corn clubs. The youth were issued certified seed and were encouraged to plant an acre according to the latest scientific advice.

Samples from bountiful harvests were entered in county fairs and other competitive events. When the farmers saw the youth were out-producing them, they switched to the new methods of production. Youth led the way into many other new or expanded Texas agricultural enterprises, for example, girls helped extend tomato culture.

County home demonstration agents enrolled girls in Tomato Clubs. The girls were given quality seed and instructions as how to raise tomatoes according to the latest information coming from agricultural research. After each girls' one-eighth of an acre of tomatoes was harvested, the agent hitched up her buggy filled with canning equipment, including a hand soldering iron to seal cans, and traveled from community to community teaching canning.

Canning demonstrations attended by the girls and their mothers introduced the possibility of economical preservation of home grown products and thereby improved farm family diet. Tomatoes canned were often sold by local merchants who returned profits to the Tomato Club girls. The girls reinvested in a flock of chickens, cloth for a dress, or other project to improve the home or self.

Corn and Tomato clubs were merged into what is today called 4-H clubs during the 1920's. The movement still places emphasis on the dignity of labor, the importance of initiative, self-reliance, the contribution of applied science in human progress, and productivity on the part of the individual. America reached a level of temporary agricultural surplus in the 1950's.

Lynch answered the question of why the 4-H club movement is

continuing to grow and to attract youth from urban and suburban communities by saying "a youth invests capital, time and talent, must keep accurate records, competes in contests and often sells a completed project for profit or loss. Parents and educators recognize these experiences as the principles of the successful American business system and find in 4-H youth's best opportunity for practical experience in applying these principles. 4-H club members arrive at club decisions through the democratic constitutional processes. Many parents want these kind of youth experiences for their child."

4-H clubs are organized on a neighborhood basis in cities, towns and rural areas. Volunteer adult leaders serve as advisors to the youth in club organization and project activities. Each club member may select one or more of 142 projects or activities. Projects include pets, farm animals, the automobile, home improvement, clothing, foods, photography, identification of insects, horse fitting and showing.

The first state-wide 4-H club membership campaign called "Each One Get One" got under way Sept. 26 and will last for two months. Cdr. Alan Shepard of NASA, and first U.S. astronaut in space, a former 4-H member from New Hampshire, is appearing in TV spot announcements and radio spots urging boys and girls to consider membership during 1964-65.

Local leadership in the Coke County 4-H membership expansion effort includes the County 4-H Council led by Gaylon Pitecock and Ida Lee Parker, co-chairmen. Other officers of the council are Daphne Roe, secretary and Sharon McCutchen, reporter.

## Observations

(A Personal Word  
By The Editor)

We would not say that the postponement of the hearing at Austin necessarily kills the Robert Lee site. We have said that the Lower Colorado River Authority's move to get it postponed is an attempt to kill it.

We would go farther and say, if the LCRA really means to put all their power into stopping this enterprise, they will bring the Federal government into it, also the inner circle of politicians (not delegates to the conventions) — those in the inner sanctum who keep other people happy while working out their own ideas.

This is not a Federal project and does not require Federal funds, assistance, or control. But that does not mean it will not have Federal interference.

Coke County has been in existence 75 years and the Federal government has been around all that time. Those presently in control at Washington have been around a good while and have had the power to get dams built in the Lower Valley, and have got them built down there.

**BUT IN ALL THIS TIME THEY HAVE NOT BUILT DAM ONE IN COKE COUNTY.**

Taxpaying time begins today, October 1. Through October, there is a 3% discount, 2% in November, 1% in December, net in January, and in February a penalty of 1 1/2 per cent.

According to the gauge at the home of Mrs. George Fugate, Silver correspondent, during the last rains, 5.1 inches fell there.

## 167 Youngsters Participate in 4-H Club Work in Coke

There were 167 members enrolled in the Coke County 4-H program in 1963; 82 boys and 75 girls.

Sixty-six girls were enrolled in home economics and nine in agriculture. Foods and clothing units comprise the main home economics program. Seventy-six boys were enrolled in agricultural project; 10 agronomy, 20 horticulture, 12 beautification of home grounds, 8 soil and water conservation, 14 beef, 28 sheep and 19 miscellaneous. Some members carry three or more projects a year.

Thirty volunteer adult leaders take part in one or more phases of the work. They work with the groups in the foods and clothing units. Men leaders assist with projects work and various activities such as stock shows.

The 4-H program in Coke county is under direction of the extension service agents, Mrs. Fay C. Roe and Sterling Lindsey.

### Seven Clubs in County

Coke County now has seven 4-H clubs with boys and girls from Bronte, Robert Lee and Silver. A senior club, which will be named soon, was recently organized. It is made up of youth in the 8th grade in school or 13 years of age and older. Members are being enrolled from all areas of the county.

Meetings are being held this week to reorganize clubs that meet in the county schools. Their officers will be announced soon.

### Senior Club

C. L. Sparks, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Sparks of Robert Lee, was named president of the new senior club. Other officers are Doyle Robertson, vice-president; Mike McKown, 2nd vice-president; Ida Lee Parker, 3rd vice-president; Kay Roberts, secretary-treasurer; and Barbara Blaylock, reporter.

The club meets the first Saturday evening of each month in the Community Center in Robert Lee beginning with the November meeting. The next meeting will

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be Oct. 24. Club members will submit suggested names for the club at that meeting. A prize will be given the person who submits the winning name.

### Membership Drive Underway

Coke County clubs are trying for a 20% increase in membership during the drive which began Sept. 26. Each member has been challenged to enroll one new member.

Coke County youth 9-19 years of age will soon receive literature and will be urged to join a 4-H club. The membership drive will continue throughout October.

The total school budget for this year, Robert Lee Independent School District, for the current year was set at \$171,097.00 divided as follows.

1. Local Maintenance, \$141,475.00
2. Interest, sinking Fund on bonds, \$19,722.00.
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### 4-H GIRLS ENROLL 22 CLUB MEMBERS

This Monday at 3:00 the fourth through seventh grade girls of the Robert Lee 4-H club met for first meeting of the 1964-65 season. Fay C. Roe conducted the meeting with about twenty-nine girls enrolling. Club officers were elected. They are the following: Sadie Tillman, President, Rebecca Walker, vice-president, Kay McGinley, secretary-treasurer, Christie Roach, reporter.

### TRY IT SOMETIME

There were some stories didn't get in the paper a couple of weeks ago. Get 'em on a checking board, ready to write, checking board landed in a box, and the box got out of the car and out of sight.

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**IT WAS SIMMONS COLLEGE THEN  
BUT GEORGE MAHON BORED INTO  
THE LOGIC THAT WON HIM FAME**

George Mahon was tall and gangly in his red senior sweater at Hardin-Simmons, when that was Simmons College and he was a Senior—this writer a Junior.

George had a head on him big enough to hold all that was in it, and there was considerable in it. He was on the debating team, and his partner was the late Aubrey (Granny) Stephenson from up at McCaulley, who later became a professor in the University.

The two of them, both tall, both with great, broad brows, and each with the dignity of a Daniel Webster literally mowed down the opposition.

Don't recall a college debating team that ever stood before them. Baylor University, in its greatness, grew a little weary of being plowed under by the youngsters from the little upstart Baptist college in the mesquites, and they didn't advertise the debate very much when "Granny" and George were headed that way.

The last debate the two engaged in at Baylor was stuck off in some out of the way place, with a baker's dozen in attendance. After the two had poured out their powerful logic and the debate was duly won, George got up, asked to say a few words, and said 'em.

When he got through, Baylor University was told. It was between the brethren, but the big Bear would have been a rug if words could have skinned it.

He told, as we heard it, exactly his reaction to their scorn, or indifference, or whatever it was. This ended debating relations between Simmons and Baylor for some years, if memory serves me right.

**Changed City—Different Congress**

George Mahon went back home after he graduated, ran for Congress and has been working on committees of larger and larger importance. But, if reports that reached the undergraduates were correct, it is doubtful that George

ever gave the Republicans or other opposition any harder time or enjoyed doing it more than the lacing he gave big Baylor that day.

In those days Abilene was mostly mesquites from the main business section out to Hardin-Simmons, McMurry had just been thought of, and A.C.C. was a few brick buildings down by the railroad tracks.

Abilene has grown to a city of a hundred thousand, the college campuses have grown to a beauty and a grace not seen even in the great East in those days, and West Texas football has climbed right up with and passed the Big three — Harvard, Princeton, and Yale.

All this while George Mahon went to Congress. It's a different Congress, too, but that is another story.

**ARTICLES ON ISSUES**

A series of articles is beginning in this issue containing information gathered and presented by Mrs. Evelyn McKinley, now of Abilene, a reader of the Observer.

The space for this material is paid for by Mrs. McKinley, and is her contribution to a more complete understanding of the issues up for decision.

The columns of the Observer are open to anyone on the same terms.

**FRIENDSHIP WHD CLUB  
MEETS WITH MRS. GREEN**

The Friendship WHD Club met with Mrs. Ethel Green, Thursday afternoon. There were eleven members present and two visitors.

The following Officers were elected for the following year: President, Mrs. Pat Rives; Vice-President, Mrs. Curtis Walker; Secretary & Treasurer, Mrs. Waymon Robertson; Council Delegate, Mrs. Linzy McDorman, Alternate Delegate, Mrs. Grady Bagley; Reporter, Mrs. Lula Walker.

Our next meeting will be at the Community Hall Oct. 8 to help set up the exhibits for Exhibit Day.

Heart experts are giving the lack of exercise such as walking as one of the great contributing factors to heart diseases in the United States.

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**THANKS**

It would be impossible to contact each one personally who is responsible for the many kindnesses shown us during our loss. We wish to thank everyone for the lovely floral offerings, the food and all other considerations shown at this time.

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# COUNTRYSIDE

By STERLING LINDSEY

The Coke County swine entries in the Store Area shows Saturday placed first and second in their respective classes. Sharon Walker exhibited the champion boar of the area, while Harvey Wink showed the reserve champion gilt in the five county swine improvement program show.

In the county gilt show, Harvey Wink had the top gilt, followed by Audrey Dee Walker, second; Dee Anna Percifull, third; Jay Service, fourth; and Danny Percifull, fifth.

The club members will not concentrate on completing the development of their animals and securing and developing a litter of pigs next spring.

Don't forget the Soil Conservation District Zone 5 election to be held at the school in Silver next Tuesday night. The program starts at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome, and zone five operators are particularly encouraged to be present to select the board member of their choice. Refreshments will be served and films shown.

Beef cattle producers will soon be concerned with selecting feeds for their supplemental winter feeding program, and several factors should be considered a profitable and economical operation.

Of real concern to farmers and ranchers are feeds which supply low cost protein and low cost energy, says Uel D. Thompson, extension animal husbandman, Texas A&M University. Grain is considered the cheapest energy source and protein supplements should be chosen on the basis of their protein content and cost. A mixture of different sources of vegetable protein has little to offer since cattle make their own amino acids.

Before purchasing a supplemental protein feed, note the price per 100 pounds, percentage of crude protein supplied by the oil seed protein meals, percentage of equivalent protein from non-protein nitrogen, crude fat and crude fiber content. Higher fiber content feeds should be cheaper.

A protein supplement is bought primarily for its protein. Cost of this protein may be determined on a per pound basis by dividing the price per 100 pounds by the percent protein. Thus, range cubes with 20 percent crude protein at \$3 per 100 pounds would

supply crude protein at a cost of 15 cents per pound.

Herd protein supplemental feeding should be based at 8 pound of digestible protein daily per cow. Therefore, it would take four pounds of a 20 percent product such as range cubes to satisfy this requirement.

Of course, methods of feeding and individual preferences determine the form of supplement to be used — meal, cakes, cubes, crumbles or pellets. Self-limiting mixtures of protein mineral blocks, Urea-molasses or other liquid supplements, and combinations of salt and cottonseed meal may affect savings in labor and provide more even herd consumption. However, the unit cost of protein may be high.

Mixtures of salt and cottonseed meal have had extensive use, the percentage of salt varying from 15 to 50 percent of the mixture. Ground sorghum grain or ground ear corn is often mixed with salt and cottonseed meal and fed free choice. Common mixtures contain about one-third of each. Water should always be available nearby when these amounts of salt are fed.

Selection of a supplement may also be influenced by the amount and quality of roughages available. Cattle performance is directly related to forage quality and quantity, explains Thompson. Where forage is limited, a feed including both protein meal and grain may be more useful than a straight protein supplement.

A vitamin A fortified supplement should be fed where production is likely to be affected by Vitamin A deficiency: Adding synthetic Vitamin A to mineral mixtures or high salt feed mixtures and leaving it exposed to sunlight, air and heat is not advisable.

Aside from cottonseed meal or cake and Urea-molasses, other high protein supplements include guar meal, corn gluten meal, milo gluten meal, peanut meal, sesame meal, sorghum gluten meal, soybean meal and tankage.

About 60,000 men die prematurely in the United States each year with heart attacks associated with cigarette smoking, according to a leaflet prepared and distributed by the American Heart Association — "What Everyone Should Know About Smoking and Heart Disease."

## Three 8-B Teams Still Unbeaten, 3 Wins, No Losses

Robert Lee, Jayton, and Hermleigh continued their unbeaten standing Friday night, each with three wins and no losses. The Jaybirds scored on three pass interceptions and a punt return to down the Forsan Buffaloes 39-0, while Hermleigh dropped Meadow 16-0. Bronte came up from their winless first two with a 28 to 6 victory over Jim Ned, placing them at one win, two losses.

Lorraine won over Wylie, 6-0. Richland Springs 12, May 6.

The Steers meet Bangs there Saturday night. The Bangs team is coached by A. J. Jolly, who lived here for awhile, and went to college from here.

The dailies haven't had much about the Bangs club, but report is they are somewhat short on Seniors. The occasion is a homecoming for Bangs, hence the Saturday date.

## Pet Snake Would Not Leave Boy Was His Friend

Coke County folks in their earlier years lived close to the out-of-doors, and every boy had a close acquaintance with the scores of species of wild animals that have always made their home here.

They still grow up liking animals, as the following will show. — Editor.

By WILLIE BELL SKIPWORTH

Over a period of eighteen or twenty years, I have become accustomed to all sort of animals, some of them proving to be good pets and some of them we didn't even have time for a family conference to get rid of them.

By now, we only have one child left at home and he proved to be one of the most adept animal, serpent or fowl collectors. I couldn't even begin to tell about all the different pets Drexel has brought home. He seems to possess a natural talent for catching and taming wild things such as the above mentioned. I never know just what wild thing may greet me when I come in from work at night.

Drexel's latest protege was a huge water snake, a non poisonous variety. I don't think he ever gave the snake a name, but even tho he was over five feet in length and evidently in good health, he was wholly dependent upon Drexel for his daily food. He proved to be very lazy indeed (and why not since he had a huge box of dirt, fresh willow limbs and leaves, and incidentally my dish-pan of fresh water.) Drexel made daily trips to the river for live frogs for his pet.

When the time came for Drexel to take a week's vacation, I refused to feed the pet so he (Drexel) decided to take him back to his natural habitat, the river.

Then came a phase in the story I was not familiar with, the snake had evidently become attached to Drexel (I didn't know they would.) Drexel and one or two of his friends made three attempts to leave the snake at the river and each time he would try to follow them home. Finally in desperation, Drexel flung the serpent out into the river and ran home away from it. I half expected to come in some evening and find him reposing in the garage, but after a month and a half he hasn't returned, so I suppose we are rid of the last pet.

But, who knows what I may come home to next, at least I'm never really surprised so I can always be thankful we don't live near a jungle where the next one could be a lion or something equally as fierce.

Progress means people working and getting somewhere with it.

## HISTORICAL WILL BE WOVEN IN WITH CURRENT ISSUES

Several hundred extra copies of last week's Automobile Anniversary Edition were published and may be bought for the regular price of ten cents each.

We have available a few of the introductory Anniversary Editions last May, and while they last, those who would like copies of both editions may get them combined at the Observer Office for 20 cents each.

Although we have never been one to stand very long at the graves of the dead, we still value and appreciate, honor and remember those who have wrought here. Nobody can really understand what he sees around him unless he knows how it came to be.

The re-discovery of the past of our community and county will continue as a part of the Observer's regular program. We are not out to revive any painful memories. Let them rest. But there is much that could be recalled yet to view that will help those coming on to understand and appreciate what they see about them.

Our kind of a plan could not be carried out in one event or in one edition. We are just now digging into a mass of material collected over some years of feature writing for the daily papers as well as weekly paper work. Also we have barely touched the points of interest in the old files of the Coke County Rustler (1889-1904) and the Robert Lee Observer, (1904-1964).

Besides that, we are inviting each family, especially those who have annual reunions here to get those who take the most interest in such matters to supply us with the story of the family—not only those who established it here, but also those related to it today — who they are, where they are, and the line of work they are in today.

We just cannot go out and gather

all that ourselves, but for those who are interested, it will provide us with information we can use from time to time and in later historical features, and should be mutually interesting to us all.

## W. M. U. MEETS IN HOME OF MRS. FRANK McCABE

The W. M. U. of Robert Lee Baptist Church will meet Tuesday, Sept. 29 at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Frank McCabe.

Mrs. Kenneth Lackey will install the following officers for the new year:

Mrs. Frank McCabe, president; Mrs. C. J. Brooks, vice pres., and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey, secretary-treasurer.

Also chairmen of standing committees: Mrs. Bill Beaty, community mission; Mrs. Mark Chumley, Mission Study; Mrs. Victor Wojtek, stewardship; Mrs. Vaughan Davis, prayer; Mrs. Gerald Allen, Program; Mrs. J. C. Snead, Enlistment; Mrs. Prince, publicity; Mrs. Lena Millican, Publications; Mrs. Lawrence Cole, Music and Rev. Bill Beaty, Bible study.

There are six service stations in Robert Lee selling gasoline, oils, and four of them with washing and greasing service.

The rains greatly improved the Mountain Creek Golf Association's efforts to get a good cover of grass on the new course.

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## With Bangs - There Saturday Night, October 3

### How They Scored

1962		Opponent
Robert Lee		
6	Menard	6
62	Eden	14
18	Melvin	8
42	Iraan	12
0	Ozona	12
48	Sands	0
37	Hermleigh	14
31	Trent	8
16	Loraine	22
24	Bronte	6
284		102

1963		Opponent
30	Menard	7
48	Eden	0
44	Melvin	14
72	Sands	0
40	Iraan	0
38	Ozona	0
50	Hermleigh	0
22	Trent	0
16	Loraine	12
28	Bronte	0
8	Knox City (Bi-District)	33
396		66

### 1964 Schedule

PLAYED		Opponents
Robert Lee		
20	Menard	0
38	Richland Springs	8
56	Melvin	14
114		22

WILL PLAY		
Non-Conference		
Oct. 3	Bangs	There
Oct. 9	Eden	There
Oct. 16	Open	
Conference		
Oct. 23	Jayton	Here
Oct. 30	Hermleigh	There
Nov. 6	Trent	Here
Nov. 13	Loraine	There
Nov. 20	Bronte	Here

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Gordon's Variety Store

# HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Laura McDorman, admitted 8-12, dismissed 9-22.  
 Mrs. Ike Millican admitted 9-2, dismissed 9-23.  
 Mrs. Fred Smith admitted 9-18, dismissed 9-28.  
 Henry C. Varnadore admitted 9-20, dismissed 9-26.  
 Mrs. B. B. Pierce admitted 9-20, dismissed 9-29.  
 Mrs. Dorman Thomas admitted 9-20, dismissed 9-24.  
 Mrs. J. S. Walker admitted 9-21, dismissed 9-28.  
 Mrs. Green Preslar admitted 9-21, remained.  
 J. R. Patterson admitted 9-23, dismissed 9-27.  
 Mrs. Martin Casey admitted 9-24, dismissed 9-28.  
 Mrs. R. C. Russell admitted 9-24, dismissed 9-26.  
 Mrs. Simon Olivas admitted 9-27, remained.  
 Mrs. O. E. Kresta admitted 9-27, remained.  
 Mr. J. S. McGallion admitted 9-28, remained.  
 Henry C. Varnadore admitted 9-28, remained.

## SCHOOL ANNUALS FOR 1964-65 GO ON SALE

Orders for the school annual are being taken, beginning today. The price is \$4.10, and the deadline is January 29.  
 The following will take orders:  
 C. L. Sparks, Dennis Gartman, Linda Jacoby, Farrell Jean Fikes, Glenn Roach, Marilyn Wallace, and Gary Parker.

In 1962, Coke County was producing more than 5.9 million barrels of crude oil and 45 billion feet of natural gas.  
 The oil was valued at \$17.7 million; the natural gas at 5.5 million.

## NOTICE

I will be out of the State from Oct. 4th to Oct. 16th. In case of urgent insurance claim, notify Mr. Roy Granbery, Box 145, Big Spring, Ph. AM 4-5612.

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## LAST HALF RALLY —

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### Fourth Quarter

In the final quarter it was all Robert Lee. After Melvin ran the ball 2 plays, on third down they passed, Thetford picked it off and returned to the 24. Dodson then raced around right end on a cut back, pushed off two tacklers, and went in standing up for the TD. Try for extras was no good, and now it was 44-14.

The Steer machine was clicking, the visitors had been simply overwhelmed by now, and it was all over but a few more points and the final whistle.

Dodson boomed the kick-off into the end zone, and the Bulldogs elected to bring it out to the 20 yard line. The Melvin QB lost 3 yards on the first play, attempted to pass and Thetford picked it off at the 16 and raced for the goal.

With the final block right at the goal line thrown by Gaylon Pitcock, Thetford went in untouched for the T.d.

All during the final 8 minutes of play, Coach Davis used his Sophomores all together on offense with the first team on defense.

With Wink at quarterback, the soph Steers took over at the Melvin 31 yard line. With Gary Parker, Ray Roe, and Larry Brock the set backs, they drove to the 11 yard line, where Wink whipped a quick pass to Brock, who made a sensational catch, reaching backward while running, and he fell over for the touchdown. Extras no good, and the score 56-14.

Melvin tried another passing attack, which was quickly stopped with an interception by C. L. Sparks at the 25 yard line.

What made the difference in the second half? There was no chewing out at the locker room at mid-time — just a few simple adjustments here and there, and the Steers came back on the field with a desire for contact.

### Robert Lee WMU Installation Of Officers Monday

In a WMU installation service held Monday afternoon, with Mrs. Frank McCabe hostess, program "Guideposts" was by Mrs. Kenneth Lackey.

Mrs. McCabe becomes President, Mrs. C. J. Brooks Vice-President, Mrs. Cumbie Ivey, Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Gerald Allen Program Chairman, Mrs. Vaughan Davis, Prayer Chairman, Mrs. Victor Wojtek, Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. Bill Beaty Community Missions Chairman, Mrs. Mark Chumley Mission Study Chairman, Mrs. J. C. Snead Enlistment Chairman, Mrs. Lena Millican Publication Chairman, Mrs. Curtis Walker Social Chairman, Mrs. Lawrence Cole Music Chairman, Mrs. Hays Prince Publicity, Mrs. Lowell Roane Sunbeam Director, Mrs. Bill Beaty G. A. Director.

The retiring president, Mrs. Allen, and the new president, Mrs. McCabe both spoke to the group, and Mrs. Davis gave the call to prayer.

### WESTERN MATTRESS MAN COMING HERE TUESDAYS

Cecil Williams, with Western Mattress Company of San Angelo will be in Robert Lee every Tuesday to contact those who are interested in service from that firm.

Those wishing to contact him on these trips may do so by telephoning the Observer office, 453-3501. Your name will be listed and handed to him when he comes.

### ANOTHER SAN ANGELO MAIL

Postmaster Hugh Lewis, Jr., announced Tuesday, that, in addition to the schedule previously announced, a pouch is to go to San Angelo each morning at 8:00, making two outgoing mail dispatches to San Angelo daily according to information just received.

## Houston Woman Abilene Speaker For Garden Club

The Abilene Garden Club is happy to announce that Mrs. E. O. Barton from Houston, Texas, will be the speaker October 8, 1964, at 9:30 a.m. I am sure you saw her picture on the inside cover of The Lone Star Gardener, August-September 1964 issue, with the Jackson & Perkins Award she won in New York.

This meeting will be held at the Abilene Garden Center, North Third and Westwood Drive. Her topic will be "Modern America." We feel that you will want to tell your club members and friends that they are most welcome. There will be a charge of \$1.00 for this program.

ABILENE GARDEN CLUB, Mrs. Clifford Kyker, President

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

Oct. 1, 1964

### SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT SUPERVISOR ELECTION OCT. 1

The State Board for Soil Conservation Districts are calling for an election of Supervisor in Zone 1 of the Coke Soil Conservation District.

The election will be held at Silver at the High School on October 6, at 7:30 P. M. All landowners and wives are urged to be present.

Those landowners living in the north part of Precinct 1 around Silver and Sanco are eligible to participate.

Robert Walker is now serving the zone as supervisor.

A program will be held in connection with the election.

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