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Plans For Nursing Home Presented To BCD



NEW EAGLE SCOUT — Roy Ivey, shown here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Ivey, is Robert Lee's newest Eagle Scout. Roy completed the many requirements for the Eagle award and it was presented to him last Friday night at a

Court of Honor held in the school auditorium. Roy, 14-years old, is the first Robert Lee boy to receive the Eagle award in the last four years. Gene Hinnard is local scoutmaster.

4-H Foods Show Set For Saturday In RL

Coke County 4-H Favorite Foods show will be held Saturday, March 27, in the Robert Lee School Gymnasium. Girls from Bronte, Silver and Robert Lee will participate.

One Act Play Cast To Compete Today

The one act play which has been rehearsing at Robert Lee High School will be presented tonight (Thursday) when the UIL district contest will be held at Bronte.

The six schools of the district which will be competing for district honors include Robert Lee, Bronte, Forsan, Miles, Mertzon and Sterling City.

Garland Davis is directing the play which is entitled "Patterns". The cast includes Linda Jacoby, Rhea Jean McCutchen, Melinda Percifull, Doyle Robertson and Rusty Dodson.

The plays will be judged and awards presented for the first place presentation, best actor, best actress, best two supporting actors and best two supporting actresses.

The public is invited to attend the performances. Curtain time for the first presentation is 6 p.m. and admission prices are 50 cents and 25 cents. No one will be allowed to enter or leave the auditorium during a presentation.

COLD WEATHER HITS WES-TEX

Coldest weather of the winter came last weekend, just as spring officially began. The low last Saturday morning was reported by some residents to be 15 degrees.

Bright sunshine all day Saturday warmed things up, and the warming trend continued through Sunday, Monday and Tuesday morning, when a new norther blew in, dropping the temperature to freezing early Wednesday.

Plans are getting into the final stage for construction of a nursing home in Robert Lee. Paul L. Harraleson of Iowa Park, who is to own the home; Alex Chakos of San Angelo, architect for the structure and Arthur Lance, Harraleson's son-in-law and airplane pilot, were in Robert Lee Tuesday and presented their plans before a meeting of the BCD.

Original plans for the nursing home called for a 42 bed unit; however, Harraleson said that a 56 bed unit is easier to finance and will be more readily approved

by the State Department of Health.

Land requirement for a 56 bed home calls for a block 290 by 290 feet. Since the BCD has control over six lots donated and purchased for the purpose of building the home, the site will fulfill requirements. However, it was brought out that a street which separates some of them will have to be closed. Full cooperation of the city is expected in this matter.

Harraleson sent plans for the originally proposed 42 bed unit to Austin for state approval some

time ago. The plans were approved with a few changes. Plans on the newly proposed 56 bed unit were presented to BCD members and will be forwarded to Austin right away for state approval of the larger home.

Harraleson is an experienced operator of nursing homes, and has constructed 17 of the 56 bed units in the past three years.

The proposed home will be located across the street east from West Coke County Hospital. Harraleson said he had decided on Colonial type architecture for the structure. He pointed out that this type construction is more suitable than any other for providing the right atmosphere for the elderly persons who will make the place their home.

It was pointed out to the BCD that it would be possible to take in veterans at the home, in cooperation with the Veterans Hospital at Big Spring.

The home will require from 15 to 26 employees, depending on the number of residents using the facilities.

Harraleson told BCD members that he would like to take bids on construction as soon as possible after plans are approved by the state.

STOCKMEN ASKED TO GIVE \$2720 FOR SCREWORM ERADICATION

By Sterling Lindsey

Coke County livestock producers have been asked to contribute \$2720 to help keep the screwworm Eradication Program in operation through June 30 — the county's prorata share of the \$300,000 that is needed from Texas producers to keep the program going. Each operator is asked to contribute ten cents per head for each cow or horse in their basic herds and two cents for each head of sheep, goats or swine.

The Coke County Animal Health Committee will begin the local fund drive this weekend. Volunteer workers from all parts of the county will call on farmers and ranchers for assistance in the program. Contributions can be

left with Willis Wayne Smith at Robert Lee State Bank or any of the personnel of First National Banks in Bronte. Checks should be made payable to the Screwworm fund.

The Southwest Animal Health Research Foundation set the two-week period beginning March 29 for committees in all Texas counties to seek contributions to keep the project alive until the Federal government can assume full financial responsibility. Livestock industry leaders are hopeful that, with Congress considering a U. S. Department of Agriculture request for \$5,000,000, this will come about July 1.

Dolph Brisece Jr., SWAHRF president of Uvalde, stated his organization had investigated all alternatives before deciding to ask for additional contributions. He assured the livestock industry that its funds are vital to the continuation of the project. He said a reduced level of operation during the winter and economies in production of sterile screwworm flies have extended available funds by several months.

Eradication experts estimated that during April, May and June, a time of heavy screwworm activity, 100 million sterile flies will be needed each week to keep fertile insects from Mexico from reinfesting the Southwest, where the livestock pest has been eradicated through use of the sterile male fly technique. Cost of operating at this level will be \$12,000 a day or about \$1.1 million for the three-month period.

The \$300,000 to be raised by livestockmen, along with \$250,000 already appropriated by the Texas Legislature, will match an equal amount of federal funds to supply the total required for the next three months.

Track Team Does Well at Coleman

Robert Lee's high school track team showed marked improvement last Saturday over the week before when they placed in a number of events at the Coleman track meet.

Dennis Gartman was second place winner in the 880 yard run and Terry Thetford brought home second place honors in the 120 yard high hurdle event.

Other members of the team who placed were:

440 relay team composed of Pistol Hood, Ricky Hatch, Thetford and Gary Sam Williams, 6th place.

120 yard high hurdles, Williams, fifth.

100 yard dash, Hatch, sixth.

160 yard low hurdles, Williams, fifth; Thetford, sixth.

Discus, Rusty Dodson, sixth.

High jump, Williams, sixth.

The track team will participate this weekend in the San Angelo Relays.

BCD HAS REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY

Main item of interest on the program at Tuesday's meeting of the Board of Community Development was a presentation of plans to build a nursing home in Robert Lee. Presenting the plans were Paul L. Harraleson, Alex Chakos and Arthur Lance. A story is carried elsewhere in this issue of the Observer giving details of the presentation.

Another item discussed was the matter of lighting the golf course. W. D. McAdams was named to check into the feasibility of installing the lights. It was pointed out that lights will be needed in a few months for summer evening playing.

Absentee Voting Now In Progress

Absentee voting is now in progress for both school board and hospital director elections which will be held Saturday, April 3. Persons who are unable to get to the polling places on election day for reasons of health or absence from the area may vote absentee. Ballots may be cast by going to the place for absentee voting or by writing for a ballot.

All absentee voting for school trustees is conducted at the office of Judge W. W. Thetford, while absentee voters for hospital directors should go to the office of County Clerk J. L. Tinkler.

Six Candidates Here

Six candidates are seeking three positions which will become vacant this year on the Robert Lee School board of trustees. On the ballot are Foy Askins, D. J. Walker Jr., Raymond McCutchen, Douglas Gartman, Earl H. Ivey and Nolan Pentecost. McCutchen is the only candidate seeking selection. The other five are not serving on the board now.

Two for Two at Silver

Silver School board has two vacancies and the two incumbents have had their names filed for reelection. They are J. P. Jameson and Arch Mathers.

County Contest

A contest for county trustee at large developed when the incumbent, W. D. McAdams of Robert Lee filed against D. K. Glenn of Bronte, who had filed earlier. Other county trustees running for reelection are C. E. Arrott in precinct 4 and Noah Pruitt Sr. in precinct 2. Precincts 1 and 3 trustees are not elected this year.

Bronte School District has four candidates seeking two spots. Names filed for the positions are A. E. Bell Jr., the only candidate now serving on the board, Wayne Arrott, Matthew Caperton and Clyde Lee.

Sun Completes Old Producer in New Formation

Sun Oil Co. completed as a Strawn sand discovery its No. 13 Fred Jameson, former Strawn reef producer in the Jameson multipay field of northwest Coke County, 16½ miles northwest of Robert Lee and 1½ miles east of Strawn sand production.

It was finalized for a daily flowing potential of 141.5 barrels of 40:6 gravity oil, plus 5 per cent water, with gas-oil ratio of 990:1.

Production was through 12-64 and 16-64 inch chokes and perforations between 5,820-830 feet, which had been acidized with 500 gallons and fractured with 15,000 gallons. Top of pay was picked at 5,812 feet on elevation of 2,070 feet. Tubing pressure was 400 pounds, with packer on casing. Cleaned out total depth is 6,404 feet.

The project formerly produced from open hole between 6,405-65 feet.

Operator will request discovery allowable and field designation of Jameson, East (Strawn sand).

Location is 660 feet from the north and 70 feet from the east lines of 315-1A-H&TC.

UIL Volley Ball Game Set April 5

In volleyball games here Friday night with Water Valley the Robert Lee B team won two out of three games and the A team lost two straight.

Coming up on the schedule are games at Sterling City Friday night, March 26; then Sterling City will return the games, playing here Monday night at 6:30.

District competition begins when Bronte comes here to play Monday, Apr. 5, at 3 p.m. Winner will go to Forsan Apr. 8, while the loser is dropped from competition.

Mrs. Faye Roe has been called to Honey Grove to be with her father, who is critically ill.

PERSONALS

Mrs. V. A. Barrett of Fullerton, California, visited with her sister, Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough, and Mr. Yarbrough Sunday and Monday. She was on her way home after flying to Texas to be with Mrs. G. A. Beeman, who was critically ill at Carrizo Springs.

Melinda, Kathy, Sue and Backy Percifull had two friends, Gilda Tunlinson and Seretia Brownfield of San Angelo, as their guests Sunday.

Pfc Leon Gregston has visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gregston since March 5. He had a few days delay enroute to Ft. Bliss at El Paso. He has been in training at Fort Benning, Ga. the past five months.

Abilene Services For H. A. Nichols, Former RL Pastor

The Rev. H. A. Nichols, 77, of Abilene, a former pastor of Robert Lee Methodist Church, died about 1 a.m. Friday in Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene after a one-month illness, following a stroke. He seemingly had been greatly improved when he had a second stroke and died almost instantly.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m., Sunday in Aldersgate Methodist Church in Abilene, with graveside services and burial in Bangs cemetery at 4 p.m., directed by North Funeral Home.

The Rev. Nichols was born Feb. 26, 1888 at Byrds. He attended Brady high school, Southwestern University at Georgetown, Wesleyan College at Fort Worth, and was graduated from Daniel Baker College in Brownwood.

While a ministerial student, he was sent to the Robert Lee church to serve an interim pastorate to complete the term of the late Rev. J. C. Mayhew, who had to resign because of ill health.

Mr. Nichols and Miss Ethel Snead, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snead, Sr., were married in Robert Lee May 10, 1917.

Among the churches which Rev. and Mrs. Nichols served were Iredel, Roby, Moran, Amarillo, Chillicothe, Spearman, Stratford, Tahoka, and Anson. He retired from active work in 1957 and established a home in Abilene; however, he did supply preaching, taught a Sunday School class and served as a visiting minister until he was stricken a month ago.

Survivors are his wife and two sisters.

Vicki Wojtek Member Of HSU Concert Choir

Vicki Wojtek, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Wojtek of Robert Lee, has been selected as a member of the Hardin-Simmons University Concert Choir for the 1965 tour. The Choir will present concerts in high schools and churches in north Texas cities including Seymour, Wichita Falls, Childress, Pampa, Borger, Amarillo, Abilene, Hereford, Brownfield, Lubbock, Phillips and Odessa from March 28 through April 4.

They will appear in a home concert April 9 at Hardin-Simmons University. Various types of church music, special arrangements of folk songs, accompanied by native instruments, and spirituals will be sung.

A special feature will be Walt Whitman's poem "Song of the Open Road" set to music by Norman Dello Joio and accompanied by a trumpet obligato.

The choir is under direction of Edward H. Hamilton, associate professor of Voice and head of the Music Education Dept. The choir has also been invited to appear before the Southern Baptist Convention in Dallas, June 4.

They will also be joined by the McMurry College Chanters in a special music week presentation of J. S. Bach's "Sleepers, Wake" and the Faure "Requiem" May 4 and 7 in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Robertson and three children of Odessa were weekend guests in the home of their parents, Mrs. Bonnie Robertson and Mrs. C. G. Walker. Elaine Robertson, student at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, was also a weekend guest of her mother, Mrs. Bonnie Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Jennings attended a business meeting in Beaumont last Tuesday. They visited a few days with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Postlewait, at Sabine Pass, and returned home Friday.



CIRCUS PEOPLE — Part of the performers who will be in Robert Lee Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Fairyland Circus will arrive here Sunday morning, set up their tent and get ready for the show. Acrobats, wild animals, trained ponies, and many other attractions will be featured. An ad on another page of this issue of the Observer gives details of the performance.

Feed Grain Program Deadline Friday

Friday, March 26, is the deadline for farmers to sign up for the 1965 feed grain program, according to C. E. Arrott, chairman of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committee for Coke County.

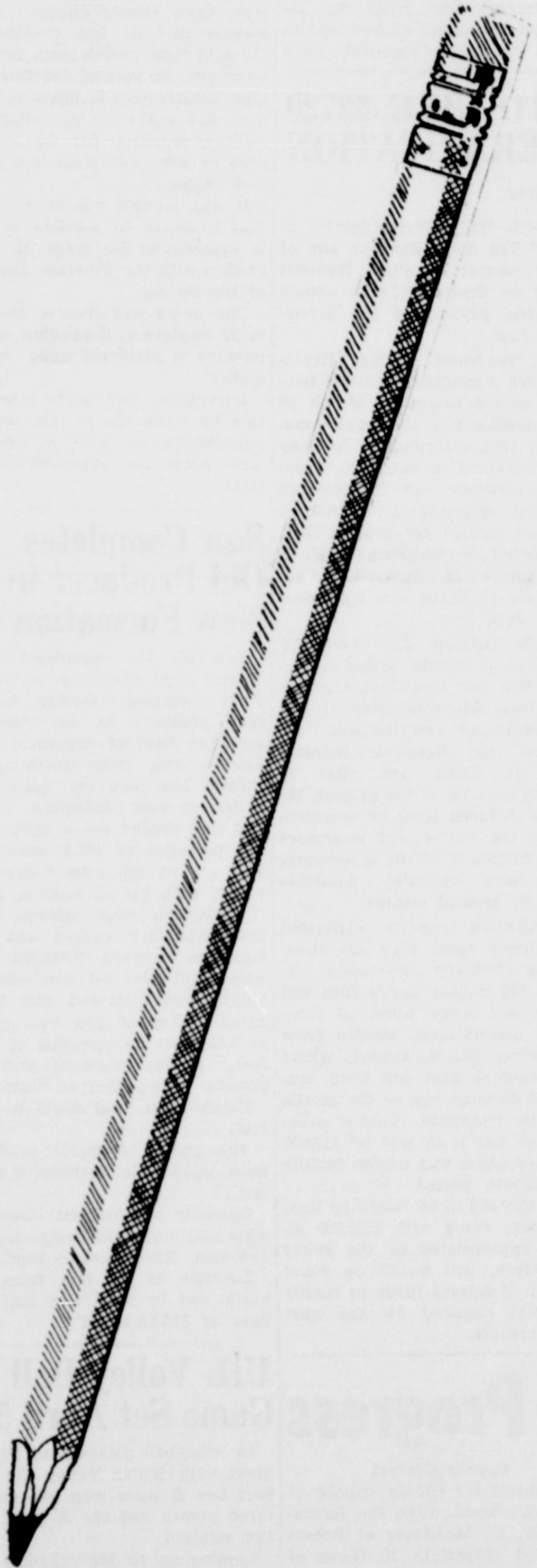
Arrott reminded farmers that only those who participate in the feed grain program will be eligible for price support on their 1965 corn, barley and grain sor-

ghum crops. As was the case last year, the support is made available through loans and price support payments.

Farmers who wish to sign up for the program should call at the county ASCS office in Robert Lee not later than Friday.

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County Agents News Column

By STERLING LINDSEY

The Coke County 4-H club members wish to recognize and thank the following firms for their contribution to the pancake supper held last Friday night: Sun Grocery Silver; Baker's Grocery, Wallace Grocery, Add Davis Grocery of Robert Lee; M-System Food Stores, Premium Packing Company, Nu-Way Food Market No. 1, Safeway Grocery, of San Angelo; and Foremost Dairies of Balinger. The Coke County school officials, the Silver Lions Club and several local leaders had a hand in making the supper a success.

Reports received to date indicate that the number of boll weevils overwintering is higher than usual. We hope the cold weather last week changed the situation some.

Tests made in Central Texas revealed that the late fall and mild winter allowed the boll weevil to come through to this point in alarming numbers in the areas checked. The checks were made

before the severe weather last week, however.

To sum up the situation, we need to be prepared to start weevil control measures when the first overwintered weevils appear. If they appear in moderate to large numbers and are not controlled, the results could be severe.

March 26 is the deadline for signing under the 1965 feed grain, cotton and spring wheat programs.

A program to kick-off the Screw-worm Eradication Program fund drive will be held in Austin, Friday, March 26. Every county in the state is being asked to have representatives in attendance at the meeting. Plans for the fund drive as well as the programs operational plans will be discussed. I plan to attend the meeting and represent the Coke County Animal Health committee.

The directors of the Rolling Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., will convene in Stamford, Thursday, March 18, to formulate boll weevil control plans for the area served. Ben Alfred Boykin, chairman of the county field crops sub-committee will represent Coke County at the meeting in Stamford.

Mrs. Bill Beaty and Mrs. G. C. Allen attended a quarterly W.M.-U. executive meeting in Dallas last Wednesday. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. J. Brooks and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey Sr., who visited in the home of Mrs. Brook's daughter, Mrs. W. E. Dart, and family. The ladies left Tuesday and returned Wednesday.

Heard At Sanco

Mrs. Emma McGallian is reported improved after being taken to the hospital last Friday. Her son, Lloyd McGallian and wife of San Angelo visited her here last week.

Rev. Wilson Carwile is spending part of his vacation time with his mother and brother, Mrs. Carwile and Henry. He visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Bloodworth at Silver Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Claude (Annie) Baker of Kerrville is visiting her mother, Mrs. Agnes Prine.

Ulmer Bird is staying a few days in Bronte hospital for a physical check-up.

Mrs. Ora Briscoe and Mrs. Otis Campbell visited Mr. Green Preslar recently.

HIGHLIGHTS OF EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING GIVEN

Mrs. Gerald Allen gave highlights of the WMU Executive board meeting in Dallas last week when the W.M.S. met March 23 in the home of Mrs. C. J. Brooks. Mrs. Verna Allen was hostess.

The call to prayer was given by Mrs. Vaughan Davis. Mrs. Hays Prince led the prayer.

Mrs. Brooks, vice-president, presided for the business session.

The Bible Study in Genesis was completed by the Rev. Bill Beaty directing the study "The Missionary Message of the Bible."

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PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robertson of Carlsbad, New Mex., are parents of a new son, William Henry, who was born March 6. He weighed eight pounds. The Robertsons have three other children, Gene 7, Donna 6 and Wynette, 3 years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Irwin of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. B. Robertson of Robert Lee.

GREEN MT. CLUB

The Green Mt. W.H.D. club met in the home of Mrs. Della Schooler March 19 for an all-day quilting. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. Refreshments of cold drinks were served to nine members in the afternoon.

Next meeting for the club will be Thursday, April 6, in the home of Mrs. Sloan Boone.

Mrs. Frances Greathouse of Odessa returned home Sunday after several weeks visit in the home of her mother, Mrs. S. J. Blair.

Lunchroom Menus

Monday, March 29

Hamburgers, corn, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, milk, chocolate and vanilla pudding.

Tuesday, March 30

Beef stew with potatoes and onions, English peas, pineapple-applesauce jello on lettuce, hot rolls, butter, milk.

Wednesday, March 31

Meat loaf, rice, green beans, celery sticks, hot rolls and butter, milk, fruit salad.

Thursday, April 1

Baked ham, sweet potatoes, combination salad, hot rolls and butter, milk, pink applesauce.

Friday, April 2

Pinto beans with salt pork, spinach, pickled beets, buttered potatoes, corn bread and butter, milk, cherry cobbler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed S. Roberts have moved a modern new home on a lot they recently purchased in the Sunset addition, south of the J. E. Hollis home.

All Around SILVER

By Mrs. George Fugate

Bridge Luncheon Held

Mrs. Tyrus Davis and Mrs. Phil Wall were hostesses for a bridge luncheon Thursday, March 18, at the Sun Recreation Hall.

Winner for the high score prize was Mrs. Leon Sockwell. Second high score winner was Mrs. Drew Kennard. The traveling prize was awarded to Mrs. Fred McCabe of Robert Lee.

Guests included Mmes. Sockwell, Kennard, McCabe, Robert Henderson, Woodrow Koonce, Jack Denman, Maurice Duncan, George Fugate, Harold Keller, and Elmo Hargis.

Lions Honor Elmo Hargis

The Silver Lions Club honored Elmo Hargis, president of the club, with a farewell dinner recently at the Silver Peak School cafeteria. Wives of the members were also present for the event.

Hale Kincaid, Lion tamer, presented Mr. Hargis a past-president pin.

Hargis, a Sun Oil Company employee, has been transferred to Sun Field, Texas. He served as club secretary for a year and as president for a year.

Harold Keller, third vice-president, was unanimously elected new president to fill the unexpired term.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dixon of Austin were weekend guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. Margie Harwell.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brooks and Beverly of Sterling City, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Palmer, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brooks, Lometa; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Patterson and Mrs. Verna Allen of Robert Lee attended a family get-together Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Brooks.

Ed Gray of San Angelo and his daughter, Mrs. Clarence Keevert of Kountze, Texas is staying in the home of Mrs. Ethel Green this week while Mrs. Ed Gray is in West Coke County Hospital for treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Arch Mathers of Silver visited the relatives at Mrs. Green's home Sunday and Miss Letha Mathers of San Angelo was a guest Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Richards spent the weekend visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Horner at Artesia, New Mex. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Garvin who attended funeral services for a cousin at Tularosa Saturday.

HAVE NEW DAUGHTER

Dr. and Mrs. Frank George of New Orleans, La., are parents of their first child, a daughter, born March 3. She has been named Stephanie Elizabeth and weighed 7 pounds, 1 ounce at birth. Grandparents are J. S. Augustine of Sterling City, Mrs. J. C. McBride of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. George of New Orleans. Great grandparents are Mrs. Ethel Green of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Augustine of Sterling City.

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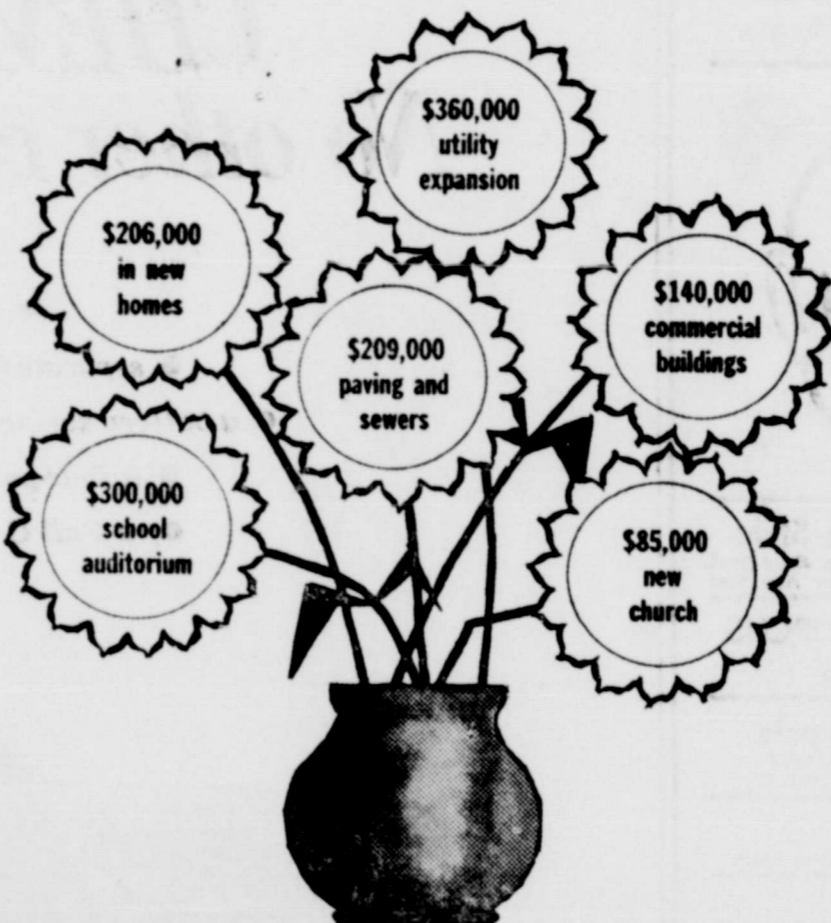
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RESERVE CHAMP — Taking second place and reserve championship honors in the Shropshire fat lambs division at the

big Houston Livestock show recently was Keith Waldrop, shown here with his entry. Keith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn

Waldrop who live west of Robert Lee. They are members of one of Coke County's pioneer ranching families.

MIKE SALTER HONORED

Mrs. Dempsey Salter honored her son, Mike, on his eighth birthday March 20 with a party at 5:30 p.m. Nine guests were present. Refreshments of cake and punch were served after games were played, then they attended the movie at the local theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Jay of Abilene visited with the Hawley Allens Sunday. Mrs. Jay, a niece of Mrs. Allen, is counselor at Cooper High School in Abilene and Mr. Jay is principal of an elementary school in the city.

PRINES HAVE NEW SON

Mr. and Mrs. Duke Monroe Prine Jr. of San Angelo are parents of a new son, Duke Monroe III, who was born March 22 at 9:30 a.m. He weighed 6½ pounds. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Turnbow and Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Prine, all of San Angelo.

Great grandparents are: Mrs. Agnes Prine, Sanco, Mrs. Zora Pool and H. L. Turnbow of San Angelo.

The Prines also have a daughter, Debbie, 5 years old.

THERE'S HOME TOWN NEWS IN THE HOME TOWN ADS.

HOSPITAL NEWS

March 16 — Mrs. Oscar Collett, Mrs. T. M. Wylie, Jr., H. S. Lewis, Sr. admitted.

March 17 — Mrs. Joe Abalos and baby, Mrs. Sam Fowler, Hershell Hall, J. E. Quisenberry, Mrs. T. A. Richardson admitted. H. S. Lewis Sr. dismissed.

March 19 — Mrs. Emma McGallian, Mrs. David Valverde and baby admitted. Gene Baker dismissed.

March 20 — Mrs. Billy Jones admitted. Mrs. Oscar Collett, Mrs. Joe Abalos and baby, Mrs. Sam Fowler, Mrs. T. A. Richardson, Mrs. David Valverde and baby dismissed.

March 21 — Melvin Childress, Mrs. J. W. Service Sr. admitted. Mrs. Billy Jones dismissed.

March 22 — Mrs. E. B. Gray, H. S. Lewis Sr., Mrs. Jerald Weddle admitted. James Mitchell, J. E. Quisenberry dismissed.

Mrs. Lena Russell remains in the hospital. Eleven patients were in the hospital March 23.

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HURT IN WRECK

Word has been received here that Mrs. Maurice Yarbrough is hospitalized in Mission after being injured in an auto accident there Sunday. She suffered a broken foot, broken hip and other injuries, and is scheduled to undergo surgery Friday to place a pin in the broken hip joint. Doctors there said she would possibly

be in traction for as much as six weeks.

Mrs. Yarbrough's car skidded into a palm tree when she swerved on a rain wet street to avoid a collision with another vehicle.

Mr. and Mrs. Yarbrough are home parents at an orphanage in Mission.

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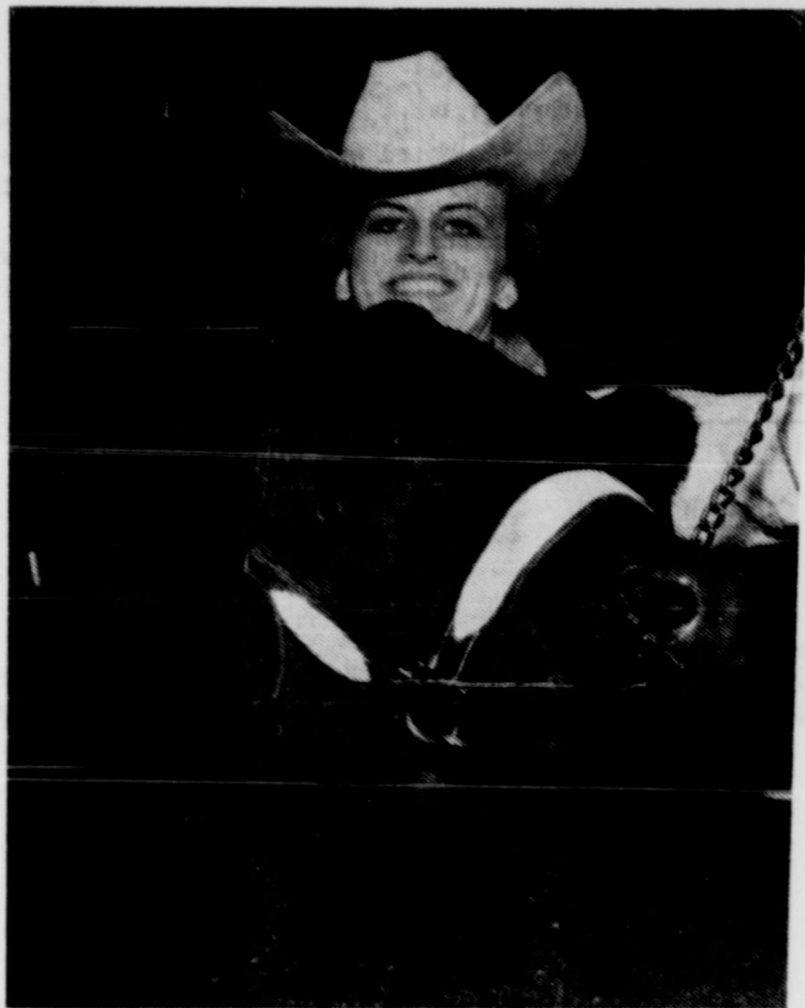
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TOP FOR COKE — Jo Alice Evans' medium weight steer placed third in the San Angelo Stock Show recently. The Angus steer was bred by J. O. Rudd of Robert Lee. Jo Alice

is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Evans, who ranch in the Sanco community. She fed and cared for the steer under the supervision of County Agent Sterling Lindsey.

4 Nurses Receive Pins and Diplomas

Four Robert Lee women were graduated last Friday night from the Robert Lee School of Vocational Nursing, the first class to receive diplomas from the school. The graduation exercises were held in Robert Lee Methodist Church.

The four graduates are Mrs. Melvin Childress, Mrs. Billy Wayne Roe, Mrs. Richard Day and Miss Irene Gloria. Instructor for the 484 hours of classroom work was Mrs. Kenneth Lackey, R. N. Mrs. Ivey Eubanks, R. N., supervised the 1316 hours of practical nursing experience required before the four fulfilled the requirements.

Mrs. Marguerite Gailey of San Angelo, president of the Licensed Vocational Nurses Association of Texas, was the featured speaker for the program. She challenged the new nurses to meet the demands of the modern world and reminded them of their rich heritage of their profession. She recalled that the art of healing goes back to Biblical times and that the demand is greater today than ever before — in doctor's offices, hospitals, nursing homes, clinics and industry. Another of Mrs. Gailey's points was that the new nurses must consider themselves a part of a medical team which must cooperate to see that the patient receives the best medical care possible.

An estimated crowd of 100 attended the graduation. Out of town guests came from Colorado City, Bronte, Ballinger, Silver and San Angelo.

Before the graduates actually receive their licenses, they must pass the state board examinations which will be held in July in Austin.

El Valle Garden Club served refreshments following the program.

ENTER BAND CONTEST

Two Robert Lee band students accompanied Miss Donna Gregory, band director, to Brownwood Saturday to participate in a Regional Interscholastic League solo and ensemble contest.

Linda McBroom played a clarinet solo and Della Dean played a flute solo. Both girls won a number 2 rating.

RL STUDENTS ON TV

Linda McBroom and Robert Wink appeared on television Tuesday. They were guests on a special educational program on Station KCTV in San Angelo.

The program was held for the purpose of demonstrating new teaching techniques employing use of TV. It was conducted by Dr. Herbert Trotter Jr. of General Telephone and Electronics Laboratories and featured a demonstration on the LASER. Students from over the area "attended" the lecture via TV.

Mrs. Lillian Rudicil of San Angelo has returned home after spending a few days in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Percifull.

3 Way Golf Match Set, Rules Adopted

A three-way golf match is scheduled for 9 a.m. Saturday at the Mountain Creek Golf Course. Competing in the match will be Wall, Menard and Robert Lee high schools. The teams will play 18 holes.

The board of directors of the local golf club had a meeting last Tuesday in the conference room at the city hall. Main item of business was to adopt four new rules concerning golfing at the Robert Lee course. They are:

1. No two or more persons will be allowed to play out of one bag. Each player must have his own clubs.
2. No one younger than 10 years old will be allowed on the golf course. This is to insure safety. It is too dangerous for a small child to be on the course during play.
3. No playing on greens one,

eight and nine when playing only three holes. If playing just three holes, it must be one, two, three, etc. No cutting back in front of anyone.

4. There will be no starting play at the bridge. Each player is to come by the club house, register and then tee off at number one tee box.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Fikes and girls spent Sunday at Mercury visiting his aunt, Mrs. Terry Jones.

Mrs. W. D. McAdams is reported to be greatly improved after undergoing back surgery for the second time last Tuesday. She is in Hendricks Hospital in Abilene.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Percifull were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hickman of Ozona, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Trimble and Nancy and Mrs. Ed Hickman. Mrs. Ed Hickman returned home with the Pete Hickman family for a visit.

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