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Graduation

Lavina Yarbrough

Clifford Burch

8th Graders To Move Into RL High School

be held tonight (Thursday) for Ro- foy Evans, Arthur Rodrigues Gloert Lee School's 26 eighth graders. ria, Ruth Gloria, Jerome Edward They will be promoted into high Hanna, Daniel Jassa, Jee David school in a program in the school Key, Ines Lara, Luther Wilton auditorium, beginning at 8 p.m.

Dean Sid Stevenson, dean of men at Angelo State College, will deliver the commencement address.

Valedictorian of the class is Clifford Burch, with a 94.15 average, and salutatorian is Lavina Yarbrough with a grade average of 93.5.

A commencement program will Charles Curtis Eubanks, Maxey La-Large, Claudia Ann McGinley, Jack Dwight Preslar, A. J. Roe III, Johnny Howard Service, Debra Sue Shoemaker, Billy Douglas Sparks, Adrienne Lanell Summers, Gary Jack Thomason, Debra June Vosburg, Jack Lee Wallace, Sue Carol

Weddle and Lavina Kay Yarbrough. Members of the class are: Janie Miss Donna Gregory is class

Need Candidates For City Positions

School Song

The Robert Lee Steer baseball team took an easy victory Tuesday afternoon when Graford came here to compete for the bi-district championship title. Score was 11-0. Gary Sam Williams was the winning pitcher. He limited the Graford lads to one hit.

Outstanding licks by the Steers included a triple by both Williams and Ray Don Roe, and a double by Glenn Roach.

The baseballers had to put out a little extra work to take the district as a result of a loss last Friday to Wall. The two schools play-

Mr. Douglas Gartman

Friday

Commencement Program

Processional "Pomp and Circumstance"

Mrs. Wilson Bryan

Invocation Mr. Douglas Wilks

Minister, Robert Lee Church of Christ

Music Mrs. W. R. Whitaker

Valedictory Linda Jacoby

Presentation of School Gift Doyle Robertson

Acceptance of School Gift Supt. Jim Bickley

Address Mr. William T. Walton

Vice-President, Hardin-Simmons University

Presentation of Class Prin. Garland Davis

Presentation of Diplomas Supt. Jim Bickley

Benediction Rev. Bill Beaty

Minister, Robert Lee Baptist Church

Mrs. Wilson Bryan

...... Senior Class

Fifteen seniors will receive their

diplomas Friday night at commencement exercises in Robert Lee School auditorium. The program will begin at 8 o'clock.

Williams T. Walton, vice president of Hardin-Simmons Universsity in Abilene, will be the main speaker of the evening. Diplomas will be presented by Supt. Jimmy Bickley and Douglas Gartman, board member.

Honor students who will appear on the program are Linda Jacoby, valedictorian with a 95.6 average, and Robert Wink, salutatorian, with a 94.7 average. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jacoby and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wink.

A complete program is being printed in company with this story. A list of 1966 graduates of Robert Lee High School includes: Aletris Ora Ackerman, Barbara Jean Blaylock, Esther Gayle Conley, Michael Jon Conner, Farrell Jean Fikes, Rhonda Sue Gartman, Dwain Earl Gregston, William Ray Hood, Linda Kay Jacoby, Richard Wayne Ledbetter, Cindy Kay Mundell, James Bird Pentecost, Carolynn Loretta Prine, Wilfred Doyle Robertson and Robert Lynn Wink. A baccalaureate service, honoring the 1966 class was held Sunday night. Don Swinney, local Church of Christ minister, delivered the sermon on "Truth." The Rev. Bill Beaty gave the invocation and the benediction was offered by the Rev. Bill McKinley. Special music was given by the Maidens Three. Processional and recessional music was played by Mrs. Wilson Bryan. Following the service, a reception was held at First Methodist Church for the seniors, their parents,

Abalos, Clifford Alan Burch, Doug- sponsor. Ushers will be Margaret	ed a double header with Wall tak-	Thomas O. Kirkpatrick	their dates and the general public.
las Eugene Burns, John Quitman Flanagan, James Fields, Sherry	Les taking the second 2.4		DEMO DELEGATES NAMED
Counts, Victor Lynn Dodson, Pitcock and Marshall Millican.	The Friday results caused the	Kirkpatrick Takes	Three delegates, D. K. Glenn,
	Steers to have to play another con-		Royce Lee and Cumbie Ivey Jr.,
8th Grade Program	test with Talpa, to determine the	Angelo State Job	were elected last Saturday as Coke
	district champs. This game was	Thomas O. Kirkpatrick, a gradu-	County delegates to the State
Processional			Democratic Convention.
Invocation Mr. Douglas Wilkes	the local lads coming out on the		
Minister, Robert Lee Church of Christ	long end of a 4-1 score. Williams	a 1953 graduate of San Angelo Col-	vention and approved Gov. John
Salutatorian Lavina Kay Yarbrough			Connally's leadership of the party
Special Music		next fall when he joins the facul-	in Texas. The gathering was held in Robert Lee.
Valedictorian		ty of Angelo State College. He has	
Introduction of Speaker			
Address			convention, which will be held in
	Day were Mrs. Lillian Blair, Bec-		Austin in September.
Presentation of Class			
Mr. I. W. Sorvico	ling City, Mr. and Mrs. Eaton Mil-	After graduating from RLHS in	Deschallens Win
Benediction	lican and children of Robert Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harmon	did a hitch in the army and then	Baseballers win
Recessional Vernay Vaughan			Bi-District Title
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			No one has filed for city alder-
Silver Graduation			man, according to an announce-
Ducomon Tonight I ITV M 26	W STOP	"FODIOMC	ment this week by City Secretary
rrogram romgnt		AUUICIIIS	Mrs. Edna Havins.
Silver Graduation Program Tonight Silver's ninth grade graduation			An election to change Robert
Suver's ninuri grade graduation			Loo's gity dougomont from going

exercises will be held tonight (Thursday) in the school auditorium. Ten students will complete was announced at Tuesday's BCD diplomas.

Donald Swinney will deliver the commencement address. A complete program was published in last week's Observer.

Members of the class are Patricia Anne Allen, Lynn Beal, Quinn Conley, Edna Kathleen Denman, Terry Hines, Cheryl Mayfield, Teddy Wayne Millican, Melinda Ann has been in Dallas for repairs. A Morris, Vickie Rowoldt, and Larry Sockwell.

ANNUALS ARRIVE

week.

Robert Lee has had a water, said the situation is under control but that water department employees have been using some makeshift equipment to keep the city supplied with water.

The large pump which is ordinarily used to move water from Mountain Creek Lake to the standpipe The Observer is out. secondary pump was put into service, and the last few days it has tential crisis was low water presbegun to fail. Emergency equip- sure.

ment borrowed from San Angelo Copies of the 1966 Robert Lee was pressed into service and was been low.

plant into the lines, instead of going through the standpipe. The pump was due to arrive back

in Robert Lee Wednesday, so city officials were expecting everything to be back to normal by the time

City officials said the only trouble experienced during the po-

Reports on Scouting

chairman of the Concho Valley

emergency the last few days, it standpipe, which was full of water, said the letter urged that more was closed off, in order to have sustaining members be secured to men, along with present members their junior high work and receive meeting. President Vaughan Davis, this supply under pressure in case finance the scouting movement. He of the commission, to make up the who is also a city commissioner, of an emergancy. Water has been pointed out that the bank draft city council. pumped directly from the filter method is the best way to provide for systematic giving to the Boy

Scouts. Bickley brought out how boys and the community as a whole benefit from Scouting. He said the

the superintendent said, the num- ed.

ber of boys who need scouting Mayor Robert Vaughan said he President Davis called on Supt. grows. The increase in member- would like to see a number of can-School annual, the Corral, have ar- able to keep the city supplied with Jimmy Bickley to report on a ship causes a need for more mo- didates file, so the voters of the rived and are being distributed this water, even though pressure has letter received from Odell Howard, ney, and the organization needs city will have an opportunity to **Continued on Back Page**

Lee's city government from com-Due to the danger of fire, the Council of the Boy Scouts. Bickley mission to alderman type, if it carries, will require three alder-

> Consequently, city officials have issued a plea for persons who would be willing to serve on the proposed council to submit their names to the city secretary as candidates.

Mayor Robert Vaughan and Comscouting program helps to build missioners Freeman Clark and and train tomorrow's responsible Vaughan Davis will automaticaaly citizens to be physically strong, become members of the council, mentally awake and morally but three more men are needed to straight. As the population grows, complete the six members requir-

choose their city's governing body.



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SILVER

By Mrs. Walter Paul

Larry Lindsey of Duncanville and

his friend, Miss Judy Hamilton, NTSU, Denton, recently visited Larry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lindsey.

Sun Production Engineer Tommy Sprinkle and Mrs. Sprinkle have moved to Austin where Tommy will resume his studies at Texas University for a master's degree in engineering. Mrs. Sprinkle will resume her job at Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Paul attended a family gathering for Mother's Day in Brady with Mrs. Paul's mother, Mrs. Frances Young. Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tinkler of Robert Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Whitaker of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dyc, Donald guests and the pastor, the Rev. J. and Michael of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Young of San Angelo.

Larry Paul, Donnie Higginbotham and Eddie Parker were weekend guests of Bill Paul at Southwestern University, Georgetown.

Mrs. P. T. Wall and Mrs. Harold Keller were visitors in Ballinger

the Fellowship Hall following the morning worship service. All former members, pastors and friends are invited to attend. The pastor, the Rev. J. O. Nor-

red, and the Rev. Kermit Gibbons, district superintendent of San Angelo, will be in charge of the program.

Scott Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy M. Jones, and Earl Lane Beaty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beaty, received the God and Country award Sunday at the Methodist Church. Special guests for the ceremony were J. D. Reneau, district advancement chairman, BSA, Ballinger; Rev. and Mrs. Tom Dory, Veribest; Mrs. Durwood Mumford and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. James Herford, Doug and Ernest, of Robert Lee, and Scott's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Lehde of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Beaty served luncheon at the church for these O. Norred, and Mrs. Norred.

Scott and Lane are the 12th and 13th Methodist youth to receive the Boy Scouts God and Country award for the Silver Methodist Church. and Troop 446. Others to receive this award were: Mike Simpson, Pat Wilkes, Jackson McCallie, Raymon Kincaid, Bill Paul and Keith Jones. Also: Larry Paul, Charles Rich Kennedy, Donnie Higginbotham, Gene Kincaid and Quinn Conley

May 19, 1966 1966 Class Prophecy Reveals **Interesting Future For Graduates**

the only bachelor president in his-

tory. I won with the teachers' support: I promised them a \$100 dome and ran into Barbara Blaya month raise.

made a trip to the Metropolitan singing, but she is whistling.

I started my campaign in New York. I heard that another classmate was performing in show business. Cindy Mundell was dancing in the American Ballet Corps and was making quite a success.

I simply can't go to New York without seeing my favorite baseball team play. Guess who I saw performing in Yankee Stadium keeper in Yankee Stadium.

I stopped by a news stand on my way out. I quickly saw that another classmate had made good. Dwain Gregston was editor of Mad magazine As I rolled into Philadelphia, I

saw that I would have to bail one of my classmates out of jail: James Pentecost. He was put in for trying to prove Darwin's theory of evolution; after all he does eat monkey food.

You will have to imagine your-, the South and who do you think As I neared the fire, I heard a siself 20 years from this date. It is I ran into? Mike Conner and Ricka fair day in May and I am pre- ey Ledbetter. They were in a come to save the day. She pulled paring my speeches for my cam- fight. Mike was leading civil rights their fire hose out and put out the paign over the country. Yes, I am marches in Alabama and Rickey fire. She had finally become her President of the United States and was the leader of Hell's Angels. running for a second term. I am After I straightened them out I continued.

I went to a rodeo in the Astrolock. She said she came only to Before starting my campaign, I see the bull-riding.

I made my swing into Texas Opera House to hear my old class and I came home second. I pickmate, Carolynn Prine. She is not ed up a Robert Lee Observer and quickly noticed that Doyle Robertson was running for a fifth term as county auditor.

> I asked about Gayle and found out that with her knowledge of cattle, she had married a rich West West Texas cattleman and he renamed the ranch for her, the BCT ranch.

On Sunday I attended church, and there was Farrell Fikes still Robert Wink. Yes, he finally made singing in the choir. Her eyes were the big leagues; he is ground-| shining and of course you-know-who was still leading the choir.

I saw Farrell after church and she said that Aletris Ackerman had taken the lead in front of Santa Claus' sleigh. With her red face, she could lead the reindeer through a snow storm. If you don't believe me, just look at her.

Farrell also said that Mr. Davis was still that old pot-belly spook he always was.

I finished my campaign and returned to Washington only to find

After Pennsylvania, I rolled into that the White House was on fire.



ren and saw Linda Jacoby had dream, to make a big red fire engine.

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My social secretary, Rhonda Gartman, met me and we returned to the White House. With her advice to get out of the public, we went and worked puzzles.

Mrs. Travis Allen of Arlington visited here several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wallace.

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last Thursday

Mrs. O. W. Higginbotham sustained a broken bone in her foot last week while on duty in the school lunchroom.

Miss Susan Hughes, former Silver resident, was honored with a bridal shower Saturday afternoon and friends who attended the P. E. in the home of Mrs. J. A. Clifton, Colorado City. Co-hostesses were Mrs. George Fugate, Mrs. Howard Hendrix, both of Colorado City; Mrs. Ross Carroll and Mrs. Natha Mrs. J. J. Smith, Sweetwater; Mrs. Patterson, Sweetwater; Mrs. Wood- Wanda Voss and Mrs. Owens, San row Koonce, Robert Lee; and Mrs. Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Nelan Bahl-Wayne Goodwyn and Mrs. P. T. Wall, Silver. Attending from Sil- Mrs. Bobby Jean Genzer and Mrs. ver were Mmes. Ernest Clenden- Bobby Mahon, Roy and Bill, of nen, Walter Paul and Harold Keller; from Robert Lee, Mrs. C. H. Walker Sr. and Mrs. Wayne GREEN MT. HD CLUB Reed Sr.

The Charley Kennedys are now in their new home at 107 East 22nd Street in Colorado City.

visiting her son and family, the day meeting. A covered dish lunch-Wayne Goodwyns.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Crowder of Midland were recent guests of were present for a work shop pro-Mrs. Crowder's parents, the Fred gram of learning to paint pillow Beatys.

Silver will have homecoming at the church, Sunday, June 5. A cover- home of Mrs. Glenn Waldrop on ed dish luncheon will be served in May 19.

HERE FOR MAHON FUNERAL

Among the out of town relatives Mahon funeral were: Ella Mahon, Ruth Alexander and Ethel Honeycutt, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hatfield, Midland; Mr. and man, Tonya and Chervl, Winters: Weimar

MEETS IN REC HALL

The Green Mountain HD Club met in the Robert Lee Recreation Mrs. J. A. Goodwyn of Waco is Center, Friday, May 6, for an all eon was served at noon.

> Eleven members and two guests cases and for a display of crafts

The First Methodist Church at that the ladies had made at home. The next meeting will be in the

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Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen Honored On Their 60th Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen of said the army has many opportun-San Angelo were honored with a ities for young women who are inreception, May 8, on their 60th terested in travel, meeting new wedding anniversary. The affair friends and achieving specialized was held in their home at 1801 Live Oak.

Hosts for the occasion were their sons and daughters, all of whom high school graduates or soon will were present: Mrs. R. W. Odom, be, will be selected for an elite Silver; Mrs. J. E. Sanders, Eldorado; Mrs. W. L. Archer and Mrs. W. T. Jones, San Angelo; Mrs. Elmer Clegg, Pocasset, Mass.; Mrs. Everett Fultz, Phoenix, Ariz.; C. your country and yourselves, see G. Allen, Winslow, Ariz.; R. D., if you can qualify to represent the Allen, Van Court; W. G. Allen, Texas spirit in the highly selected Sweetwater. Another son was kill- group," the sergeant said. ed in Europe during World War II.

The reception was from 3 to 5 p.m. The refreshment table was high school diploma or equivalent, centered with a pink floral arrangement and candles. Granddaughters served in the house party.

Mrs. Allen's mother, Mrs. S. W. Gaston of Tennyson, was the honored guest. She is 92 years old. Mr. and Mrs. Allen have 24 grandchildren and 14 great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen are life long members of the Church of Christ; he was an elder in the church for many years. The couple was married May 6, 1906, in the home of Mrs. Allen's parents, Mrs. Gaston and the late S. W. Gaston, at Tennyson. Mrs. Allen' was the former Madie Gaston. She moved with her parents from Mississippi when she was two years old.

Mr. Allen, a native of Missouri, moved to Oklahoma with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Allen, in 1886. He later moved to the Orient community in Tom Green County.

In the fall of 1907, he moved to Silver and taught school several years before becoming engaged in stock farming.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Allen were active in civic affairs during their long residence in Coke County. He served as secretary of the Farmers Union when it was active in Coke County a number of years ago. He was county committeeman and chairman of the AAA, a member of the Soil Conservation District

ARMY HAS OPENINGS FOR YOUNG WOMEN

Sgt. Wayne L. Defenbaugh, U. S. Army recruiter for this area,

skills for a future career both in the army and civilian life.

May 19, 1966

Thirty-two young women who are group which will fly together to Fort McClellan, Ala., for eight weeks of basic training. "If you and your friends want to serve

Applicants who are at least 18 and not yet 35 and who have a are invited to call Sergeant Defenbaugh at his office at 11 East Concho in San Angelo, phone 655-3513.

The Friday Bridge Club met in the home of Mrs. J. C. Snead Jr. Eleven members and one guest, Mrs. Calvin Sparks, were present. Mrs. Freeman was high and Mrs. Marvin Simpson was second high.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robertson visited over the weekend with their children and their families: Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson of Aldredge of Jal, N. M.

statement and bequeath this our thods. last will and testament this 30th day of April, 1966.

The Senior Class wills its size wild Larry Brock. and bright ideas to the Junior Class who never has any fun. Also to the Junior Class, we leave all of the bubblegum under the desks in Mr. Coalson's Government Classroom. Rickey Ledbetter wills his thick natural blonde hair to the baldy of the Junior Class, Darvin Gregston.

Barbara Blaylock wills all of the feathers she has taken out of western hats to Kathy Preslar.

To Jimmy Millican, Dwain Gregston wishes to will his love of typing class and ability to get along with the teacher.

Gayle Conley leaves her privilege of eating cookies, crackers, pret-5th period study hall to Nancy Jacoby, who already does it, without permission.

James Pentecost wills his love for exotic foods from the jungles of Africa to undernourished Glenn Roach. Incidentally, he's got a special on monkey food.

Farrell Jean Fikes wills her abil-Seminole and Mr. and Mrs. Ray ity to get along with certain choir apples." directors to Rinda Wojtek. Farrell

We, the Robert Lee High School | plans to continue her study along | friends, ranging from Robert Lee to 1966 graduating class, being of this line at H.S.-U. next year and Denver, Colorado, and her red hair somewhat sound mind and ade- will keep Bethie posted on the lat- to Dianna McClure. quate facilities do hereby offer in est schemes - pardon me, me-

Senior Class Will

Shy, sweet Pistol Hood wills his reserved walk and quiet manners to

Cindy Mundell wills to Melinda Percifull her speaking voice and her maps to Sterling City with all special sideroads marked.

To Carl Bloodworth, Doyle Robertson leaves his expert knowledge of riding donkeys. He's throwing in a couple of pillows and a bottle of rub-down, too, Carl.

Linda Jacoby leaves her height and ability to play a fast game of basketball to Kitten Dean.

Mike Conner wishes to will his a worn out book entitled "How to for a family get-together. zels and anything else she can in Pull the Wool Over Their Eyes." Alice Gloria her ability to do acrobatics in P. E. She has one spec- Preslar and children, all of San ialty where she does a flip on a Angelo, and Mrs. Artell Roberts towel and lands on a pillow. She and Kaye of Robert Lee, were Moknows you'll enjoy that one, Alice. thers Day guests of their mother, To Rhea McCutchen, Robert Mrs. Will Woods.

Given

To Johnnie McDonald, Aletris Ackerman leaves here B. A. degree (B. A. standing for Blushing Ability) in hopes that Johnnie will keep it in good condition. Aletris always tried to put it to use at least once a day.

Our sponsor, Mr. Hamby, wills all his empty prune juice cans to next year's Senior sponsor, and he really stocked up on the Senior trip.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Maud Long of Garden City and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown of Globe, Ariz., visited in ther home never-ending popularity with the of their brother, Jim L. Robertson, lady teachers of R. L. H. S. to a few days last week. The group Charlie Vandiver. Along with this all met in the home of Mr. and gift, Mike is leaving one copy of Mrs. Charlie Stevens in San Angelo

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Woods and Rhonda Gartman bequeaths to family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunn and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Barton

Wink wills his cheat sheets and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Coulter, Nelscientific method of "polishing son, Turney and Tim spent Mother's Day in the Turney Casey Carolyn Prine wills all her boy- home.

Whatever you deliver, **CHEVY'S GOT YOU COVERED!**

board, and chairman of the Coke County Rationing Board during World War II.

Mr. Allen was active in local politics, serving a number of years as chairman of the Coke County Democratic Executive Committee. Mrs. Allen was active in church affairs, Parent-Teacher Association and Home Demonstration Club activities.

The Allens moved to San Angelo in October 1959.

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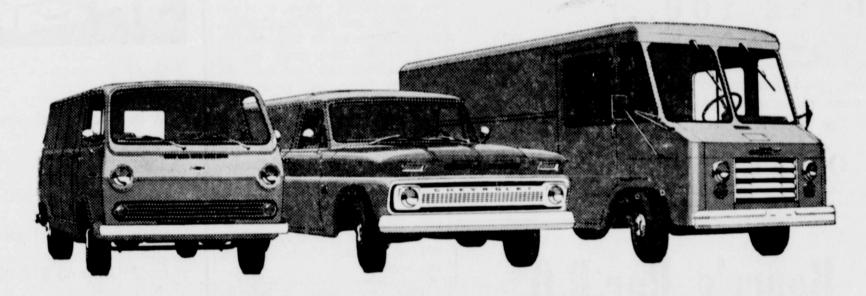
Stacy Christine is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Heffernan, 2326 E. Pinchot, Phoenix, Ariz. She weighed 6 pounds, 11 ounces and was born May 12. Her mother is the former Phebe Casey. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Heffernan of Omaha, Neb. and Mr. and Mrs. Turney Casey of Robert Lee. She also has a brother, Pat, two years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey have gone to Phoenix to visit the Heffernans and see their new granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown of Globe, Arizona visited several days last week with his sister, Mrs. Bonetia Robertson. Other visitors in the Robertson home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth and children of Silver and Mrs. Woody Long and children of Lubbock.

Mrs. Mary Duke, Waco, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Pearl Schooley and other relatives.

Mrs. Pat Phillips of Brownwood visited two days last week with her sister, Mrs. Violet Kirkpatrick.



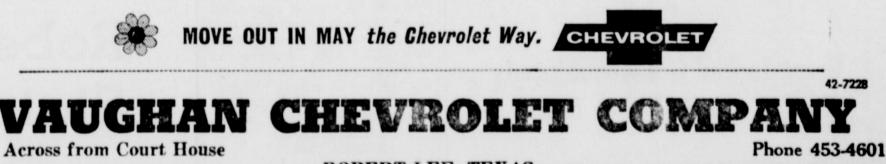
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Homecoming At Sanco June 5

A meeting is called at the Sanco cemetery next Monday, May 23, in preparation for the Sanco Homecoming, with an all-day working at the cemetery and at the tabernacle.

Scheduled for the first Sunday in June, which is June 5, the annual gathering of families who once lived there or whose relatives, parents or grandparents once lived in Coke County's oldest existing community, begins Saturday night, at the brick school building.

Meat is furnished by the Sanco Community Association for the basket dinner at the tabernacle Sunday, with the program beginning at 10:30 a.m. The afternoon session is left open for visiting.

Swimming Pool To Open Saturday

The swimming pool at Robert Lee County Park will open Saturday, May 21, if weather is suitable for swimming on that day.

The announcement was made early this week by Lendy Devoll, park caretaker. He stated that the pool will be open from 2 to 6 p.m. Admission prices will be 15 and 35 cents.

Devoll said that plans are not complete now, but swimming lessons will be offered later in the summer. Announcement of the lessons will be made in The Observer.

The local pool was built in 1956 as part of a county park bond issue. The money was spent for pool and mentarian; Mrs. Charles Sims, repark construction in Robert Lee and Bronte. Hundreds of youngsters, as well as quite a few adults have received swimming preceded by a covered dish supper. instruction as part of the park Hostesses were the social commitprogram during the 10 years of tee: Mines. Davis, Womack, Jimpark and pool operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hall of Hoop- Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jones of Silver er, Okla., were recently called to North Carolina for the funeral of his father. The Halls flew, in order to have a week to spend with and Polaroid picture albums at the relatives

Mrs. Kreyer Announces Dates for Three Recitals

May 19, 1966

Voice and piano pupils of Mrs. E. R. Kreyer will be presented in recital next Sunday afternoon, May 22, in the school auditorium. The public is invited to attend the program which will begin at 3:30 p.m. Students who will take part include Rosanna Boykin, Sherrill Davis, Elizabeth Bickley, Carolyn presented by the Junior Band which Thomason, Jamie Craig, Elaine Fikes, Elaine Price, Gayle Conley, Della Katherine Dean and Farrell Jean Fikes. Dawn Cumbie of Bronte will also be on the program.

Some Robert Lee students will also take part in Mrs. Kreyer's Bronte recital at 8 p.m. Thursday, May 26, in the school auditorium there, and in the San Angelo recital at 8 p.m., Saturday, May 28, in the Crystal ballroom of the Hotel Cactus in San Angelo. The public is also invited to attend these pro-

grams.

New Officers Installed For '64 Study Club

New officers for the '64 Study Club were installed at the final meeting of the current club year May 10 in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Billy Jones of Silver installed the new officers who were Mrs. Bob Godwin, president; Mrs. Bill Beaty, first vice president; Mrs. Glen Womack, second vice president; Mrs. Garland Davis, third vice president; Mrs. W. E. Jacoby, secretary: Mrs. Doyle Pittman, treasurer: Mrs. Cafford Wilson, parliaporter and Mrs. Bob Jameson, historian

The Tuesday night meeting was my Bickley and Wilson.

Husbands of club members and

Band Concert **Held:** Termed Outstanding

An appreciative audience gave enthusiastic approval to the numbers presented last Friday night by the bands of Robert Lee Schools. The program was under direction of Band Director Miss Donna Gregory.

First part of the program was is made up of 28 members. This part of the program was followed by some numbers by the stage band, under direction of Kitten Dean

After an intermission, the High School Band presented the main part of the concert. Ten numbers were given. One was directed by Linda Jacoby; another featured a cornet trio composed of Roy Ivey, Tom McBroom and Jeannie Hatch; and one number featured Kitten Dean as trombone soloist.

Awards were presented as follows:

Solo and ensemble contest: Bobby White, Kathy Preslar, Clifford Burch, Martha Kinsey, Kay Cole, Jean McDaniel, Linda Jacoby and Kitten Dean.

Band Jacket Award: Tom Mc-

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We wish to take this means to express our appreciation and thanks to all for their many acts of kindness, food, flowers and donations. We want to thank Dr. McDaniel and the entire staff of nurses.

The Family of P. E. Mahon

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gift certificate from Roach's Dry Goods

Band officers are: Linda Jacoby, Hatch, vice president; Barbara member of the group.

Blaylock, secretary-treasurer; Vernay Vaughan, librarian; Dianna McClure, uniform custodian.

Mrs. C. J. Brooks was hostess to the Dale Mcore Circle of the Baptist W.M.S. Coffee and doughnuts were served before the program. Mrs. Cumbie Ivey, circle chair-

man, presided. Mrs. Bill Beaty gave the call to prayer and the prayer for missionaries.

A Royal Service program was given "My Family Witnessing to Other Families." Case histories were bers presented Miss Gregory a \$15 given by Mrs. J. C. Snead, Mrs. Frank McCabe Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Hugh Lewis. Mrs. Ivey led the discussion on subjects. Mrs. president, who was presented a Hays Prince gave the closing praytrophy of leadership; Jeannie er. Mrs. C. F. Patterson is a new

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were guests.

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NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING

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Senior Class History Shows Interesting Past

been here for twelve years and ed the wounded and dying. so have most of the seniors. It was in the first grade that William or "Pistol" Hood received his first blackeye from James Bird Pentecost. It seems James Bird learned of Lil Liza Lizard and of was coming out and Pistol was go- her adventures. Between Lil Liza ing in, and Pistol got hit in the eye with a door knob.

The 1966 seniors started to school After dragging through our first in the first grade in the fall of year of school we met Mrs. East-1954. We started out with 39 kids. Iand and the second grade. That Mrs. Powell was the teacher and year we bus students were forever she taught us about the adventures being run out of the wooded area of the Little Red Hen. The old behind the lunch room. It was the building was ours only a little while best place we could find to play before we moved into the new cowboys and Indians. Carolynn building. The new building has Prine and Barbara Blaylock patch-

May 19, 1966

Surviving the 2nd grade we went to the 3rd. Mrs. Grambling was our teacher. It was there we and Doyle Robertson being a giraffe in the 3rd grade play we had a nice year.

In the fourth grade we had Mrs. Travis McNair as our teacher. There we learned that we couldn't have as many recesses as we did. When we were in the fifth grade we had the wonderful pleasure of having Miss Brown for our teacher. We didn't study very much the first week because the high school cuse to see Miss Brown. But we didn't mind. In the fifth grade we were joined by pert and pretty Cindy Mundell.

As time went on we hated to

Mrs. McBroom was our 6th grade Fikes had the lead role in Cin-

better. We were also joined by sponsor.

Our eighth grade year went by between locations very near to each pretty fast. We graduated and were at last in high school. Freshmen

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County Agents News Column By STERLING LINDSEY

Several people have asked if I have found any eggs on the pecan nutlets yet. I checked four locations in Robert Lee Tuesday morning and found no pecan nut casebearer eggs. But, I did find nu- boys kept coming with some exmerous tunneled-out twigs. The egg laying period should begin shortly.

Normally, the casebearer adult or moth emerges, matures two to four days, then begins to deposit eggs on the tips and sides of the leave Miss Brown, but instead she young nuts. The egg incubates left us, to get married, four to five days, hatches and the "damage do'er" emerges. The teacher. There we had our first larvae feed one to three days on taste of Spanish. We also had a the bud or buds below the clus- great actress. Miss Farrell Jean ter, then enter a pecan.

In attempting to set up a con- derella and she did a good job of trol plan, several things should be it, too. It was also that year that given consideration. First, the bubbling and bouncing Linda Jaspray application must be timed to coby joined us from Brady. coincide with the peak hatch per- The years were going by faster iod. This in turn means checking now. We were in Junior High. To daily or at least every other day add to our glorious group we were for casebearer eggs during the next joined by handsome Rickey Ledtwo weeks. This is the only way to be sure when the peak egg hatch Mr. Hamby who was our class will occur in a given location. Hatching variances can be found other.

allow the insecticide to reach the more? nut cluster. This is the area where the casebearer will be feeding. On a year that was. That year we large trees usually three to four were joined by the blond bomb hundred pounds pressure is needed from Silver, Miss Aletris Ackerto part the leaves and reach the man; also from Silver we got nuts with the spray.

tion is necessary to obtain good da Gartman, who was already spocasebearer control. The strength ken for. Our sophomore favorites solution to use will vary with the were Farrell Jean Fikes and Doyle chemical to be used. The following "Curly" Robertson. It was in the mixtures are recommended by the middle of the semester that not Extension Service: 1.5% DDT; only our class but the whole school .75% Malathion; 2% toxaphene; 1 was blessed with the arrival of pint of 40% nicotine sulfate per 100 Michael Jon Conners. Mike has gallons of water; .5% Thiodan; or seemed to brighten the school day 1.6% sevin. I would add a 2% for all of us, that is if he's awake strength solution of zinc sulfate long enough. to the spray to help control rosette.

It would be impossible to say when the best time to spray will had 16 lovely people in our room be based on our findings to date. If the normal pattern is followed, ball games, basketball games, havthough, the period from May 24 ing bake sales, to make our highto May 28 looks like the ideal time. We should be able to give a more Sr. banquet. definite answer next week.

times to spray.

fying the eggs, watching the egg for Uncle Sam. Yes, we will have laying pattern and then using the new and challenging careers, but proper equipment and correct form- I know we will never forget the ulation are necessary if the re- history and routines of Robert Lee sults are to be satisfactory. Begin High School. now checking your pecan nut clusters for tiny small eggs on the dried blossoms or on the sides of the nuts.

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15 mg 19 100

A second consideration is to be at last. For our favorites we sure the entire tree is covered elected Linda Jacoby and William when spraying. You must use a Hood. We had a lot of fun that sprayer that will provide enough year, but who wants to be a freshpressure to part the leaves and man when you can be a sopho-

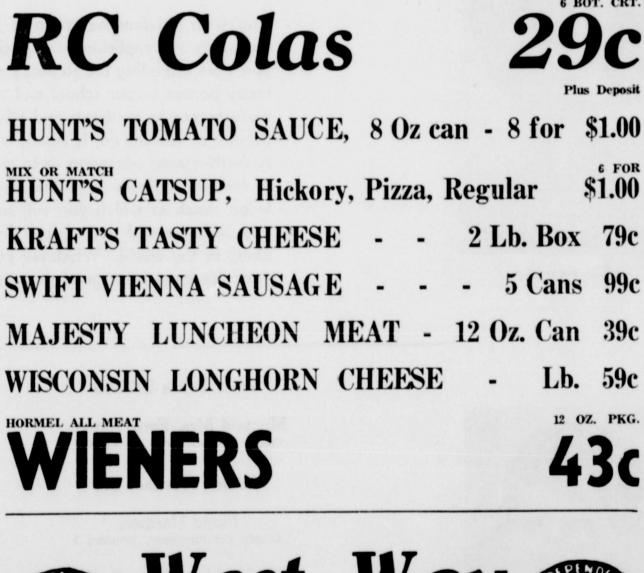
So sophomores it was, and what Gayle Conley, whose theme song Also, using the correct formula- that year was Bird Dog, and Rhon-

After sophomores the only natural thing is to become juniors. We that worked their hardest at footlight of that year giving the Jr.-

Now we are seniors. Fifteen, Some people may prefer to make eight of whom started here in the two control applications. If you first grade, will graduate. Soon, prefer to spray twice, we estimate we 15, will be out of the routine of May 23 and May 28 to be the ideal going to school, but most of us will meet new routines of colleges, bu-

Again, we emphasize that identi- siness careers and some will work

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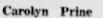
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Gayle Conley

WATER PROBLEMS -**Continued from Page 1**

more sustaining members and regularly contributing friends. Concho Valley District covers 24 counties, and had a growth from 722 members in 1964 to 1,022 in 1965. Only 14 members were present, as a number of members who are ranchers were busy with sheep shearing.

KIRKPATRICK TAKES JOB -**Continued from Page 1**

went to North Texas State University, where he was awarded B. A. and M. A. degrees. From North Texas, he went to the University of Ohio at Columbus where he taught and worked on his Ph.D. He has completed his dissertation and other requirements and expects to receive his doctorate this spring.

Kirkpatrick will bring his wife and little daughter with him to San Angelo. He will be an assistant professor in the business administration department.

He is the son of the late Publisher and Mrs. A. J. Kirkpatrick. His step-mother, Mrs. Violet Kirkpatrick, still lives in Robert Lee.

Heuvel, Brown, **Roe Win Tourney**

The membership golf tournament held last Sunday at Mountain Creek Golf Course was declared a big success by the 29 members competing in the three-man event. Taking first place honors was a

team composed of Louis Heuvel, Chism Brown and Billy Wayne Roe.

Second place winners were John Conley, Ronnie Baker and H. L. Scott.

A couple of teams tied up for third place honors. They were composed of L. E. Higgins, Will Percifull and Dale Brown, and W. W. Thetford, Glen Womack and Gene Hinnard. A sudden death playoff gave third place to the Higgins-Percifull-Brown team. However, the team of Thetford, Womack and Hinnard indicated they thought they should receive some their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. recognition; so they were awarded Gregston, revealed a keen compean honorable mention.



Planned Here for Latin-Americans

May 19, 1966 Special Classes

Special classes will be set up in Robert Lee this summer for Spanish speaking children who are in group. Purpose of the program is to give the children a working knowledge of the English language, so they will not have to overcome this handicap when they start to school in the first grade.

Supt. Jimmy Bickley announced approval of the program under Title 1 assistance from the federal government. Bickley said he has made a survey of children who will be eligible to participate in the classes and their parents have promised cooperation in seeing the children get to classes.

Mrs. Chanda McBroom, Robert ee first grade teacher, has been employed to teach the classes, which will last six weeks.

FRONTIER

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Classes will begin Monday, May, who will benefit from this program 23, at 8:30 a.m. and will continue are expected to be in Mrs. Mcuntil 11:30 a.m.

Bickley said, "The purpose of this program is to develop a workable vocabulary in Spanish speaking children and to develop reading readiness for school. This will be a great opportunity to the little the four, five and six year age children, because a lack of understanding of the English language is a definite barrier to success in

academic work.

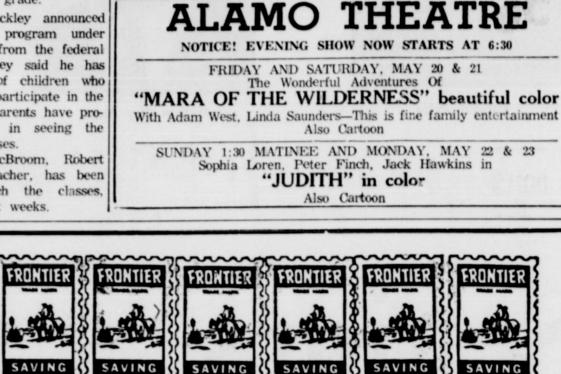
Broom's room at 8:30 Monday, May 23.

COUNTY AGENT SCHEDULE

Thursday, May 19-Youth Study, Sonora.

Friday, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 20, 23, 24 and 25-Office.

MANUSCRIPT COVERS are a-Bickley concluded, "All children vailable at The Observer office.



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Two brothers from Robert Lee, who have been fighting in Vietnam, are returning home. They are Corporal Harvey Leon Gregston and Fireman Noel Wayne Gregston. Corporal Harvey Leon, better known in Robert Lee as Leon, has been home almost three weeks. Letters from these young men to



Mother's Day in Odessa with their quently by calling Leon the "Sand daughters, Mrs. Bobby Walker and Crab." Noel is due to come home Mrs. Harry Anderson, and their June 13. families. Another daughter, Mrs. The brothers have given two Dan Hall, and her family of Hoop- years, action-packed and thrill-filler, Okla., joined the group for the ed, to the service of their country. big day for the family.

Observer want ads are very ef- ist aggression in the tiny country fective and cost very little.

tition between the Army and Na-Golf balls were awarded winners. vy. Leon, in the Army, made slight references to Noel as the "Water Mr. and Mrs. Dave King spent Lily," while Noel retaliated fre-

> They have risked their lives many times in the fight to stop Commun-

I in Southeast Asia.

Swimming Pool WILL BE OPENED

Saturday, May 21st

2 O'Clock

Each person, regardless of age, who enters the pool will have to pay the 15c or 35c fee. The wading pool is free for small children.

PARK MANAGEMENT

